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Hong Kong Netball Association

MIXED LEAGUE HANDBOOK

2021



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Department

Hong Kong Netball Mixed League 2021

Season League Dates

Date	Round
24 th May 2021 Mon	Round 1 Fa Hui Courts 7-10pm (8 games)
31 st May 2021 Mon	Round 1 Fa Hui Courts 7-10pm (8 games)
7 th June 2021 Mon	Round 2 Fa Hui Courts 7-10pm (16 games)
21 st Jun 2021 Mon	Round 3 Fa Hui Courts 7-10pm (16 games)
28 th Jun 2021 Mon	Round 4 Fa Hui Courts 7-10pm (16 games)
5 th Jul 2021 Mon	Round 5 Fa Hui Courts 7-10pm (16 games)
12 th Jul 2021 Mon	Round 6 Fa Hui Courts 7-10pm (16 games)
19 th Jul 2021 Mon	Finals Fa Hui Courts 7-10pm (4 games)

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Season 2021

League Handbook

Welcome to the Hong Kong Netball Association (HKNA) Mixed League Season 2021. The Executive Council wishes all players, umpires, coaches and supporters an enjoyable and rewarding season.

This year we will be using one venue for all games: Fa Hui Park (near Prince Edward).

This Handbook contains:

- contact information for teams, conveners and the HKNA Executive Council;
- information about umpiring requirements, captain's responsibilities and desk duty;
- directions for the venues.

The By-Laws can be found at: <http://netball.org.hk/mixed-netball-league-2021/>

Please familiarise yourself with the information in this Handbook and the By Laws.

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact League Convenor Anna Wilson and Kate Wood, with a copy to HKNA. On a League night, you can also contact any HKNA Representative at the venue.

Happy netballing!

HKNA Executive Council

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HKNA Executive Council Members 2021-22

Name	Position	Club
Executive Council		
Krystal Edwards	President	Independent
Connie Wong	Vice President 1 (Elite and Coaching)	Life Member
Sarah Grimmer	Vice President 2 (League)	HKCC
Christina Yue	Secretary (Grassroots Programme)	HKCC
Sherryn Hancock	Treasurer	DB
Other Council Members		
Ursula Holloway	League Convener	Independent
Laura Denholm	Mixed League Convener	KRFC
Lorraine Pak	Events & Operations	Independent
Marie Farry		HKFC
Rachel Bryant	Special Events - Social	Valley RFC
Pritty Pampapathi	Special Events - Social	Valley RFC
Melanie Potgieter	Umpiring	Life Member
Lai Fun Cheng		Hantang
Ka Keung Chan	Men's Netball Representative	
Adrian Raper	Junior Netball League Convener	SK Stingrays
Selina Fawdry	Policy and IT	HKS
Paid Employees		
Lorraine Pak	Office & Events Manager	
Angela Chan	Elite Coaching and Development Manager	
Haley Ho	Administrative Assistant	
Tony Tam	Administrative Assistant – Netball Development	

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CLUB CONVENORS CONTACTS 2021

Team	Convenor
82 Ballers	Erika Makino
Alcoballics	Harriet Kilduff
Alectrona	Sophie Li
Amigos	Tiffany Cheung
As One	Tseng Yuet Ching
Asahi Warriors	Ursula Holloway
CB Pandas	Rebecca Chan
Chaos	Sharon Stringer
Chaos	Joyce Lee Yan Yu
Cunning Stunts	Julie-Anne Mallis
da BINO	Polly Yu
Dummy	Chan Wai Chung
Fire Chicken	Fu Hoi Ming Heimi
Flexor	Cheung Shui Lin
Giants	Canetti Chan
Gummy Beer	Lee Annie
HKs nets top models	Hannah Kelly
Honey Badgers	Aakriti Batra
Hoops I Did It Again	Courtney Buck
Hot Property	Francesca von Etdorf
Invaders	Jasper Chan
Net Penetrators	Katharine Wood
Phoenix	Zoe Zheng
Professional Ball Handlers	Harriet Abrahams
Slam it like it's hot	Ka Yin Chau
Soaks n Blokes	Nicky Garwood
Sparkle	Hui Fong Wing
The Untouchaballs	Laura Denholm
Timeout	Lin Chui Yan
Turbulence	Christina Yue
Ballsy	Serena Fox
Yay	Cathy Ming
ZOOMers	Aaron Flugge

It is the responsibility of each club to ensure that HKNA is informed of any corrections and changes made to this and the following list.

Mixed League Teams & Captains 2021

Team	Captain
82 Ballers	Rachel Telford
Alcoballics	Harriet Kilduff
Alectrona	Iris Chan
Amigos	Lisa Catalan
As One	Katherine IP
Asahi Warriors	Emily Colling
CB Pandas	Dave Gibb
Chaos	Lai Fun Cheng
Cunning Stunts	Julie-Anne Mallis
da BINO	Anna Yu
Dummy	Yeung Tsz Wai
Fire Chicken	Cheung Lok Chun Martain
Flexor	Cheung Kin pong
Giants	Iding Chung
Gummy Beer	Wong Yee Lo
HKs nets top models	Louise Cosgrove
Honey Badgers	Aakriti Batra
Hoops I Did It Again	Emma Knowles
Hot Property	Miranda Robson
Invaders	Chiu Chun Ip
Net Penetrators	Katharine Wood
Phoenix	Zoe Zheng
Professional Ball Handlers	Harriet Abrahams
Slam it like it's hot	Seon Klintberg
Soaks n Blokes	Nicky Garwood
Sparkle	Daisy Wong
The Untouchaballs	Laura Denholm
Timout	Lin Chui Yan
Turbulence	Mandy Tai
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CAPTAIN'S DUTIES

The captain should amongst other things:

- Read HKNA Handbook and By-Laws and be familiar with the rules of INF (International Netball Federation).
- Ensure the team is ready to play before commencement of games.
- Ensure players do not go on court wearing jewellery (including earrings, nose rings etc).
- Ensure all fingernails are cut short and smooth and NOT TAPED.
- Ensure the score sheet is completed in accordance with the Handbook and By-Laws.
- Ensure the team has provided a scorer and umpire for the appropriate game and that they know how to record the score and centre passes.
- Encourage the team to warm up before a game to avoid injury.
- Ensure that all players and supporters respect both umpires and opponents.
- Sign the score sheet and return to Desk Duty Supervisor if you are the winning team.
- Check dates and times of all fixtures and inform all team members.
- Report any mistakes or issues with the fixture to HKNA.
- If forfeiting a game, ensure that it is done in accordance with the By-Laws.
- Comply with the By-Laws in relation to new players and guest players.
- Ensure that the Handbook is passed on to the next captain if you cease in this role during the season.

The Score Sheet: please note

- Names should be printed legibly on the score sheet. Please sign alongside your name.
- Indicate guest players.
- Captains must sign the score sheet at the end of the game

LEAGUE NIGHT DUTIES AND RULES

DESK DUTY – Fa Hui Park

- Retrieve the HKNA Kit Bag, 1 folding table from the storeroom located directly opposite to the toilets (across the basketball/volleyball courts) [Annex 1]
- Access to the store room can be made by contacting the staff (Duty Room near the Gent's Toilets).
- Ask the staff to unlock the Posts Storage which is situated in the Community Garden area (Playing teams are responsible for taking posts in and out of Posts Storage.)
- After checking the contents in the HKNA Kit bag (ESPECIALLY NO. OF MATCHBALLS), the Kit bag, table and chairs should be returned to the store and locked properly by the staff on duty.

The desk duty supervisor must:

- Arrive at the venue in sufficient time to set up for the games (at least 15 minutes before the start of the first game).
- Keep central time for all matches and sound the bell (see later in this handbook for timing of games).
- Make the HKNA First Aid Kit available to players. **If the First Aid Kit is lacking in anything, please inform HKNA Office (email: hkna@hkolympic.org).**
- Have a score sheet with clipboard and pen available before each game and check they are returned at the end of each game and are correctly completed.
- Ensure umpires clearly print their name and sign the umpiring record sheet before the relevant game is commenced. This sheet will be used by HKNA for any points/fine deduction.
- Hand game ball to umpire and ensure it is returned at the end of each game.
- **Take photo/scan image of results form and email to HKNA League Convenor the same day – kowloonnetballclub@gmail.com with a copy to hkna@hkolympic.org**
- Pass onto HKNA Exec Rep or place the score sheets and umpire sign in sheets into the self addressed stamped envelope and **post the next day.**
- Log any issues arising with HKNA no later than 24 hours after the games.

LEAGUE NIGHTS TEAMS' & SUPPORTERS' RESPONSIBILITIES

ALL VENUES

Teams are responsible for ensuring that all courts and surrounds are left clean and tidy. Please take all rubbish and put in the bins provided at the venue.

FA HUI PARK OUTDOORS

The first two teams playing on each court are responsible for moving one post each to the court. Teams playing the last game on each court must return one post each back to the Posts Storage. Posts need to be lowered to the appropriate height before returning them.

CODE OF CONDUCT

Coaches, players and supporters are reminded that they should conduct themselves consistently with the spirit of the game, whether they are playing, form part of the team bench or spectating. Any action displayed, which is contrary to the spirit of the game is not permitted, and is sanctioned by HKNA and INF rules and penalties.

Inappropriate behaviour and comments may result in a warning, penalty, suspension or ordering off by an umpire. Such behaviour includes but is not limited to, calling to an umpire, disputing decisions, commenting on team or individual actions. The official INF Rule 13 provide further information on disciplinary action for unsporting behaviour. <https://netball.sport/game/the-rules-of-netball>



Download the Rules of Netball App.
Available now on the App and Google Play stores.

HKNA members should comply with the INF Anti Doping Rules in accordance with the World Anti Doping Code and international standards (a copy can be provided to all clubs upon request).

JEWELLERY AND FINGERNAILS

- Games will not be delayed for the cutting of nails or removal of jewellery.
- No items of jewellery, except a wedding band or medical alert bracelet shall be worn. If these are worn then they must be taped.
- Fingernails shall be short and smooth. Gloves may not be worn and the taping of nails is not permitted. An offending player will not take up a position on court until an umpire has checked the fingernails again and permitted the player to go on court. If the game has already started the player must wait until an interval.
- Players not abiding by these rules will not be allowed to play.

TIMING OF GAMES

All games will be timed by a central clock and will start strictly on the hour at 7.15pm and 8.30pm. Games will start and finish on the umpires' whistles and consist of:

- 4 x 12 minute quarters
- 2 minute quarter and three-quarter time breaks
- 4 minute half-time break
- 4 minutes between the start of games

Umpires may stop the game for injury time in accordance with the Rule Book. Injury time will not be added to the game.

SCORERS AND SCORE SHEET

All games must be scored in accordance with the By-Laws. (see By- Law 12)

LEAGUE UMPIRING REQUIREMENTS

D Badge or higher, or the person has attended an approved umpires' course and has permission from the Umpires' Convener to umpire.

No person under the age of 14 years may umpire. All umpires under 18 years must be supervised by a responsible adult from their playing team/ club. HKNA accepts no responsibility for these players.

UMPIRE PAYMENT GUIDELINES

If a team wishes to pay an umpire to umpire on their behalf, the HKNA recommends the following rates of payment per game: \$300

Please use the HKNA – 'Find an Umpire' fb page should you need to look for umpires:

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/1602094410085706/>

ISSUES/ PROBLEMS ON LEAGUE NIGHTS

Issues should be raised immediately with the HKNA representative at the venue. If there is no HKNA representative available on site, please contact HKNA via +852 9539 1288

Venue Address

Fa Hui Park Netball Courts

花墟公園

九龍界限街101號

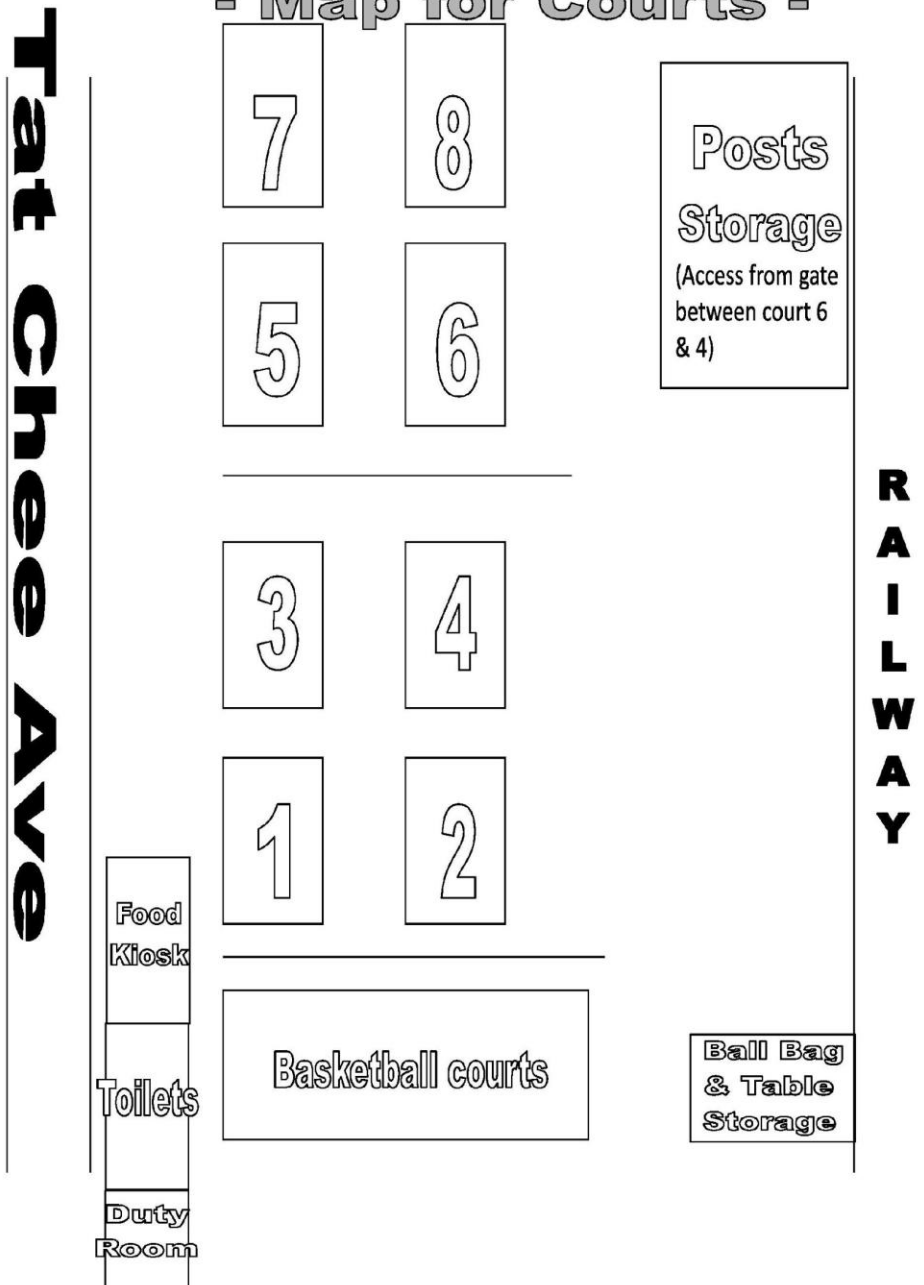
Fa Hui Park

101 Boundary Street, Kowloon



FA HUI PARK

- Map for Courts -



HKNA Kit bag in Fa Hui Park

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