



Table Tennis League 2017



To offer more match experience for members of the **Table Tennis Interest Group (TTIG)**, a league will be held on 23 April and 7 May 2017. The league is divided into 4 groups of 2 different levels (2 Premier Groups and 2 Champion Groups) where male and female players can compete with each other. The final player lists are subject to the grouping based on the enrolment status. Keen table tennis players should not miss this opportunity to gain match experience with your fellow members.

Particulars

- Date:** 23 April and 7 May 2017 (Sundays)
- Time:** 3:30 pm – 7:30 pm
- Venue:** Asia Table Tennis Institute
8/F Cheong Tai Factory Building, 16 Tai Yau Street, San Po Kong.
- Eligible participants:** TTIG members only.
- No. of players:** Min. 12 (max. 32)
- Entry fee:** \$100 per player
- Awards:** Awards include Champion, 1st and 2nd runner-ups of each of the 4 groups. Prize presentation will be held on the day after completion of all the matches.

Registration

To register, please complete the enrolment form and return it with payment to the Institute on or before **31 March 2017**.

Enrolment is on a first-come first-served basis. Confirmation email will be sent out by 5 April to confirm your registration status.

Enquiries

For event information –
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For payment & enrolment status –
Mr. David Lok (Tel: 2287 7379)

Groupings

Premier League: For players who have been on the HKICPA representative team or have competed in any open tournament at advance level.

Champion League: For players who have several years of competitive match experience and have taken part in any in-house or organized table tennis competition at intermediate level.

(Notwithstanding the above groupings, male and female players are free to take up the challenge by competing with players in more advance group where there are vacancies.)

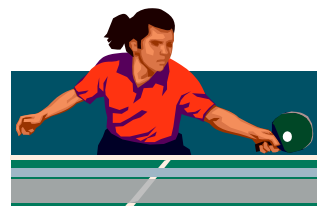
Grouping criteria

- ❖ All registered players should indicate the group in which they wish to compete in by ticking the appropriate box for Premier League or Champion League.
- ❖ The league panel (comprising Roger Ng, William Chan, Johnny Choi, Dacky Leung and Richard Leung) is empowered to draw up the match list. Apart from the players' indication, the panel will make reference to their past performance in practices and tournaments. In the absence of any past records, the players may be invited to participate in a practice to enable the panel to make a proper judgment for grouping purpose.
- ❖ The players of the same League will be divided by draw (as administered by the Institute) and play in different groups, i.e. Premier Groups 1 & 2 and Champion Groups 1 & 2 for the purpose of cutting short the event duration.
- ❖ Each group has a maximum of 8 players. Number of groups will be determined based on the actual number of registered players. One group may be formed if the enrolment is less than 13.
- ❖ Only female players within the same League will be given 1 handicap point for Premier and 2 points for Champion.

League formats and scoring system

1. Each League consists of 2 phases of 1 single-round matches (see formats #6 & 7) unless too few participants may warrant just 1 single round League in 1 group.
2. Each match consists of 2 games of 11 game points.
3. The scoring system is as follows (per match):

Won	2 marks
Draw	1 mark
Lost	0 mark



4. The total number of matches of the league depends on the number of registered players.
5. To "qualify" and be eligible for final ranking, a player has to complete all of his/her league matches. The Institute, however, has the right to exercise its discretion in exceptional case, e.g. when the player has suffered from serious injury (in which case he/she will be deemed to lose by 0:2). For other cases when a player fails to complete all the league matches, the results of the completed matches with such player will not be counted because of fairness and to avoid manipulation.
6. The players ranking in the top half of each League table will play in League A in the second phase while the rest of players in the relevant League B. The player ranking at the middle of a group with odd number will be assigned to League A. If 2 groups of the same League have odd number, the player with better result will be in League A.
7. All the scores in the first phase will be retained in the second phase if the opponents of the League group are the same. In other words, all the results of the previous matches between League A and B players in the first phase are not counted in the second phase when League A-players from Group 1 only have to play against the League A-players from Group 2 in the second phase or League B-players from Group 1 against those from Group 2 .
8. The league will come to an end after completion of all the matches as scheduled. Except in the event of weather inclement on match-day, in which case the remaining match will be re-scheduled.
9. The ranking is based on the total marks of each player. The player who gets the highest mark in each League group A and B will be the champion.
 - (i) If there is a tie, the player who won the relevant matches between the two players with equal marks will be ranked at a higher place.
 - (ii) In the event that para 9(i) fails to achieve the desired outcome, the ranking will be determined by the total number of matches won.
 - (iii) In the event that para 9(ii) fails to achieve the desired outcome, the ranking will be determined by the total number of games won.
 - (iv) In the event that para 9(iii) fails to achieve the desired outcome, the ranking will be determined by draw administered by the Institute.
10. The top three players on the ranking of each League group will be the champion, 1st and 2nd runner-ups.

Table tennis rules

In principle, all match rules will be in accordance with the rules and regulations of the International Table Tennis Federation (ITTF) as far as possible given the league is not intended to be a professional tournament and the main objective of the league is to promote fellowship among TTIG members.

TTIG members will be appointed as umpires to the matches in addition to two independent officials engaged for the match co-ordination and recording of results. Players have the right to raise objection with regard to the decision of the umpire or in the case of suspected foul play, but they must do so by raising it with the chief official on the spot. Upon consultation with TTIG convenor/deputy convenor/panel members, the chief official's decision shall be final.

Remarks

- ◆ Individual results of each match will be recorded by independent officials and posted on the notice board soon after the match. Players are advised to check their results and promptly draw the officials' attention to any errors.
- ◆ All contestants should expect to have idle time between the matches.

The Institute reserves the right to change the format, schedule and rules of the league as and when required without prior notice.



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Enrolment Form

24 April and 7 May

(Please reply on or before 31 March 2017.)

FOR OFFICE USE

Seq. no.:

Handled by:

Please allow 4 working days to process your application. You can check your enrolment status at "My CPA" at www.hkicpa.org.hk.

Name:	(Mr./Mrs./Ms.)
Membership No.	
Groupings:	<input type="checkbox"/> Premier League <input type="checkbox"/> Champion League (Please tick your preferred League.)
Tel. / Mobile #:	
Email:	

Entry fee: \$100

Payment Method (Please tick the appropriate box)

<input type="checkbox"/> Cheque (no. _____) payable to "Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants" or "HKICPA"		
<input type="checkbox"/> BOC HKICPA VISA <input type="checkbox"/> VISA / MasterCard <input type="checkbox"/> BOC HKICPA UnionPay card		
Card Number:	Card Expiry Date (MM/YY):	
Cardholder's Name (block letters):	Cardholder's Signature:	Date:
<input type="checkbox"/> I would like to have an official receipt. (Remarks: Official receipt will be sent to your email address provided above.)		

Declaration

I declare that I do not suffer from any illness/disability that renders me unfit to participate in the above activity. I will immediately notify the convenor of the interest group/HKICPA if, for any reason, my health subsequently renders me or may render me unfit to participate in the above activity. I fully accept that the convenor of the interest group/HKICPA will then consider whether I should, in the interest of safety or the safety of the other participants, continue to be allowed to further participate in future sessions and that his/her/the decision of the HKICPA will be final.

Where trainers are in place, I agree to follow the trainer's instructions. I agree that this may be a verbal, visual, physical or demonstrative form of communication. I will ask for further clarification of any ambiguous and/or inaudible instructions. I understand that I will be asked to leave a session immediately if deemed to be deliberately ignoring the instructions from the trainer.

Assumption of Risks and Disclaimer of Liability

As a participant in the above activity you accept that you may be exposing yourself to risk of harm due to the hazards inherent in the activity.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

(Please read notes on enrolment and privacy policy on the next page)

For payment by cheque, please fill-in your postal address for refund in case the event is full or cancelled.	
Name :	Name :
Address :	Address :



Notes:

1. Enrolment for the event is accepted on a first-come-first-served basis for Table Tennis Interest Group members only.
2. The event is subject to cancellation should the minimum number of enrolment is not reached.
3. Full payment must be made before your enrolment will be processed. No telephone reservation will be accepted.
4. The closing date for enrolment is **31 March**. However, the Institute has the discretion to accept late applications as it sees fit.
5. Registration by fax will ONLY be processed when payment is made by credit card. Cash is strictly NOT accepted.
6. Successful registrants will receive confirmation by email or by telephone, whereas unsuccessful registrants will receive full refund.
7. If you do not hear from us by 6 April, please contact Ms. Peggy Kwan at 2287 7058 / Miss Crystal Law at 2287 7262.
8. Unless the activity is cancelled due to unforeseen circumstances, bad weather or low enrolment, no refund for withdrawal will be entertained after your enrolment has been processed.
9. Bad weather arrangement: The activity will be cancelled if typhoon signal no. 8 or above / Black rainstorm warning is hoisted 2 hours prior to the commencement of the activity. Your enrolment fee will be refunded in full in the event of cancellation due to bad weather, or subject to separate arrangement with the venue provider.
10. The Institute reserves the right to change the venue and date of the activity due to unforeseen circumstances.

Personal Data: Your personal data collected from the enrolment process and administration of courses/events/activities will be used for the purpose of the administration of the course/event/activity on which you are enrolled ("Event"). Such data collected may be accessible by the Institute's officers, persons or committees processing the application and related matters. In addition, the Institute may use the collected data for statistical research and analysis. By submitting this Enrolment Form, you understand and agree that the Institute may provide your personal data above to co-organisers/service providers in or outside Hong Kong for the purpose relating to the Event. The Institute intends to use the personal data of your name, email address and correspondence address to inform you, where relevant, of members' benefits, goods, services, facilities and events organized or provided by the Institute or other organizations. Members and registered students may opt out of receiving such materials at any time by logging in via the following link <http://mas.hkicpa.org.hk/mycpa/login.jsessionid=pEzvTllm1zpl-kZTDbtY3Fmc>. Non-members may opt out of receiving such materials at any time by sending an email to the Institute at privacyofficer@hkicpa.org.hk or a letter to the Institute's privacy officer. For more information about the privacy policy of the Institute, please go to <http://www.hkicpa.org.hk/en/service-tools/privacy-policy/>.

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