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The 26th Asian Tenpin Bowling Championships will be conducted in accordance with Chapter 4 and Chapter 5 of World Bowling Statutes and Playing Rules as of September 2019. The 26th Asian Tenpin Bowling Championships will be used for the Asian Zone qualification to take part in the World Championships 2021 and World Games 2021.

Due to the present situation of the COVID-19 epidemic, HKTBC has a fall back plan in case the epidemic has not passed yet in July, we will postpone the Championships to October 18 - 28, 2020. The ABF General Assembly will be held on October 18. We are monitoring the situation in Hong Kong and Asia. In case the Championships has to be postponed, it will be announced no later than May 15, 2020. Meanwhile, all preparation is still going on targeting to host the championships in July.

1. Federation Information

Hong Kong Tenpin Bowling Congress

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So Kon Po, Causeway Bay, Hong Kong

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2. Official Invitation

We are pleased to confirm that up to the issue of this Bulletin we have received confirmation from the following federations that they intended sending teams to participate in the Asian Championships:

Australia DPR Korea China Hong Kong, China Iran Japan Kazakhstan Malaysia New Zealand Qatar

Singapore Thailand

Federations that intended to participate in the Championships and have not yet submitted their reply slips (Form A) are requested to do so as soon as possible to assist us in facilitating our preparation of the championships. <u>Please return Form A even if your federation does not intend to participate in the Asian Championships</u>.

We would like to remind all ABF Member Federations that only federations who are currently paid up members of World Bowling and ABF are allowed to participate in the championships.

The official delegation shall include:

- a. A maximum six male players and six female players
- b. Coaches for players
- c. Administrators for players
- d. Elected and accredited delegates to ABF General Assembly







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e. Medical officers including sport psychologist and sport physiotherapist

The official delegation will be invited to all official functions including the Opening Ceremony and Welcome Reception as well as the Victory Banquet.

Entry Forms

Participating Team

Please complete Official Entry Form (Form B) for team participation, the Bowler's Information Form (Form C) for each of the participating bowlers and the Supporters' Form (Form D). The submission deadline for Form B, C and D is on or before May 15, 2020.

Media

Media Accreditation Form (Form E) MUST be completed and submitted to the local federation for submission to host federation. The <u>deadline for local federation to return Form E to the Host Federation is on or before May 15, 2020.</u>

Note: Completed Form B, C, D and E, accompanied with <u>a recent passport size photo</u> of EACH participant (including bowlers, officials and media) in high resolution (JPEG format), should be returned to the host federation by email <u>atbc2020@hktbc.org.hk</u> on or before the above mentioned deadline. Otherwise we might not be able to include the photos of your team in the Souvenir Programme of the championships.

3. Website and Email

The official website of the 26th Asian Tenpin Bowling Championships is http://www.atbc2020-hk.com/. From February 14. 2020 onwards, it will be continuously updated with information concerning the Championships.

The official email of the 26th Asian Tenpin Bowling Championships is (<u>atbc2020@hktbc.org.hk</u>). All communication related to or regarding the Championships should be through this email address.

4. Preliminary Schedule of Events

03.07.2020	Friday	11:00 10:00 - 10:00 -	17:00 17:00	31 st ABF Executive Committee Meeting Ball Registration Unofficial Practice
04.07.2020	Saturday	10:00 11:00 10:00 -	18:00	Last day of team arrivals Registration of delegates for General Assembly 26 th ABF General Assembly Ball Registration







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		10:00 - 18:00 -	23:00 20:00	Unofficial Practice Team Managers Meeting Lecture Theatre, Olympic House
05.07.2020	Sunday	10:00 - 08:30 - 10:00 - 11:30 - 13:00 - 19:00	17:00 10:00 11:30 13:00 14:30	Ball Registration Lane Maintenance Official Practice Squad 1 Lane Maintenance Official Practice Squad 2 Opening Ceremony SCAA Bowling Centre Welcome Reception Regal Hongkong Hotel
06.07.2020	Monday	07:30 - 09:00 - 09:10 - 12:40 - 14:10 - 14:20 -	09:00 09:10 12:40 14:10 14:20 17:50	Lane Maintenance Practice Singles – Women and Men Squad 1 Lane Maintenance Practice Singles - Women and Men Squad 2
07.07.2020	Tuesday	07:30 09:00 - 09:10 - 12:40 - 14:10 - 14:20 - 18:00	09:00 - 09:10 12:40 14:10 14:20 17:50	Lane Maintenance Practice Singles - Women and Men Squad 3 Lane Maintenance Practice Doubles - Women and Men Squad 1 Medal Ceremony, Singles (Women & Men)
08.07.2020	Wednesday	07:30 - 09:00 - 09:10 - 12:40 - 14:10 - 14:20 - 18:00	09:00 09:10 12:40 14:10 14:20 17:50	Lane Maintenance Practice Doubles - Women and Men Squad 2 Lane Maintenance Practice Doubles - Women and Men Squad 3 Medal Ceremony, Doubles (Women & Men)
09.07.2020	Thursday	07:30 - 09:00 - 09:10 - 11:40 - 13:10 - 13:20 -	09:00 09:10 11:40 13:10 13:20 15:50	Lane Maintenance Practice Trios – Women and Men (Squad 1) Block 1 Lane Maintenance Practice Trios – Women and Men (Squad 2) Block 1







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10.07.2020	Friday	07:30 - 09:00 09:00 - 09:10 09:10 - 11:40 11:40 - 13:10 13:10 - 13:20 13:20 - 15:50	Lane Maintenance Practice Trios – Women and Men (Squad 2) Block 2 Lane Maintenance Practice Trios – Women and Men (Squad 1) Block 2
11.07.2020	Saturday	07:30 - 09:00 09:00 - 09:15 09:15 - 13:15 13:15 13:15 - 14:45 14:45 - 15:00 15:00 - 19:00	Lane Maintenance Practice Team of 5 – Women – Block 1 Medal Ceremony, Trios (Women & Men) Lane Maintenance Practice Team of 5 – Men – Block 1
12.07.2020	Sunday	07:30 - 09:00 09:00 - 09:15 09:15 - 13:15 13:15 - 14:45 14:45 - 15:00 15:00 - 19:00	Lane Maintenance Practice Team of 5 – Men – Block 2 Lane Maintenance Practice Team of 5 – Women – Block 2 Medal Ceremony, Team of 5 (Women & Men)
13.07.2020	Monday	08:30 - 10:00 10:00 - 10:05 10:05 - 12:35 12:35	Lane Maintenance Practice Masters – Women & Men (1st Block of 8 Games) Medal Ceremony, All Events (Women & Men)
14.07.2020	Tuesday	07:30 - 09:00 09:00 - 09.05 09.05 - 11:35 11:40 - 12:10 12:10 - 12:15 12:15 - 13:50 13:50 - 14:20 14:20 - 14:25 14:25 - 16:00 16:15 19:00	Lane Maintenance Practice Masters – Women & Men (2nd Block of 8 Games) Lane Maintenance Practice Stepladder Finals – Women Lane Maintenance Practice Stepladder Finals – Men Medal Ceremony, Masters (Women & Men) Victory Banquet Rotunda 3, KITEC, Kowloon Bay
15.07.2020	Wednesday		Departure of Teams







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5. Official Hotels

All reservations must be made directly to the relevant hotel. First night room charge guarantee of all the rooms reserved **MUST** be made before booking could be confirmed. Please refer to the respective form for the payment methods of the guarantee. **Deadline for reservation is June 2, 2020. Deadline for room cancellation is June 19, 2020. Forfeiture of the first night room charge of the rooms booked applied if cancellation is made after the deadline or for no show.**

All bookings are on a first-come-first-serve basis, reservations made after the deadline will be subject to availability of rooms at the official hotels and room rates may not be the same. Updated information on room availability in official hotels will be released periodically for federations' reference and information.

A) City Garden Hotel Hong Kong

Distance to bowling centre is around 15 minutes by car/ taxi in normal traffic situation. MTR station is about 8 minutes by walk from the hotel.

Single/Twin (room only)	HK\$ 560 net	(approx. US\$72)
Room with 1 Buffet Breakfast	HK\$ 660 net	(approx. US\$85)
Room with 2 Buffet Breakfasts	HK\$ 760 net	(approx. US\$98)
Triple (room only)	HK\$ 890 net	(approx. US\$114)
Room with 3 Buffet Breakfasts	HK\$ 1,190 net	(approx. US\$153)

Room rates are **inclusive** of the followings:

- 10% service charge per room per night
- Complimentary in-room broadband service
- Free local calls
- Free use of swimming pool, fitness centre

Number of rooms available: 100 in total

Address : 9 City Garden Road, North Point, Hong Kong

Telephone : +(852) 2806 4002 Fax : +(852) 2571 7452

Email : jenniferlau@citygarden.com.hk

Website : www.citygarden.com.hk

Contact person: Ms. Jennifer Lau

B) Harbour Plaza North Point

Distance to bowling centre is around 20 minutes by car/ taxi in normal traffic situation. MTR station is about 5 minutes by walk from the hotel.







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Single/Twin (room only)	HK\$ 650 net	(approx. US\$84)
Room with 1 Buffet Breakfast	HK\$ 750 net	(approx. US\$96)
Room with 2 Buffet Breakfasts	HK\$ 850 net	(approx. US\$109)
Triple (room only)	HK\$ 1,035 net	(approx. US\$133)
Room with 3 Buffet Breakfasts	HK\$ 1,355 net	(approx. US\$174)

Room rates are **inclusive** of the followings:

- 10% service charge per room per night
- In room coffee & tea making facilities
- Free access to Fitness Centre & 25-meter Outdoor Swimming Pool
- Scheduled complimentary shuttle bus (24-seats) from hotel to Taikoo Place and City Plaza.
- Free Internet access and Free Local calls

Number of rooms available: 20 in total

Address : 665 King's Road, North Point, Hong Kong

Telephone : +(852) 2185 2832 Fax : +(852) 2185 2000

Email : <u>CarmenS@harbour-plaza.com</u>

Website : www.harbour-plaza.com

Contact person: Ms. Carmen Shek

C) L' Hotel Causeway Bay Harbour View Hong Kong

Distance to bowling centre is within 20 minutes by walk

Single/Twin (room only)	HK\$ 550 net	(approx. US\$71)
Room with 1 Breakfast	HK\$ 650 net	(approx. US\$84)
Room with 2 Breakfasts	HK\$ 750 net	(approx. US\$96)
Triple (room only)	HK\$ 935 net	(approx. US\$120)
Room with 3 Breakfasts	HK\$ 1,235 net	(approx. US\$159)

Room rates are **inclusive** of the followings:

- 10% service charge per room per night
- Complimentary In-Room WIFI Internet Access
- Free local calls
- Free use of Gym and Sauna
- 20% Discount on Laundry, Dry Cleaning & Pressing Service, and of every visit at Corner 18 & The Booth (not applicable to special promotion/offer, festive eves & days)







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Number of rooms available: 30 in total

Address : 18 King's Road, Causeway Bay, Hong Kong

Telephone : +(852) 3553 2835 Fax : +(852) 3553 2868

Email : <u>nikikoo@lhotelgroup.com</u>

Website : <u>www.lhotelgroup.com/en/GroupSite/Home</u>

Contact person: Ms. Niki Koo

D) Regal Hongkong Hotel

Distance to bowling centre is within 10 minutes by walk

Single/Twin (room only)	HK\$ 800 net	(approx. US\$103)
Room with 1 Breakfast	HK\$ 900 net	(approx. US\$116)
Room with 2 Breakfasts	HK\$ 1,000 net	(approx. US\$129)
Triple (room only)	HK\$ 1,000 net	(approx. US\$129)
Room with 3 Breakfasts	HK\$ 1,300 net	(approx. US\$167)

Room rates are **inclusive** of the followings:

- 10% service charge per room per night
- Free in-room coffee/tea making facilities
- Free local calls
- Free in-room internet access: 4 devices (Single / Double), 6 devices (Triple)
- Free admission to Gymnasium Room and outdoor swimming pool
- Free enrollment for Regal Rewards program

Number of rooms available: 120 in total

Address : 88 Yee Wo Street, Causeway Bay, Hong Kong

Telephone : +(852) 2837 1786 Fax : +(852) 2577 9912

Email : <u>rhk.salesamc@regalhotel.com</u>

Website : <u>www.regalhotel.com</u> Contact person : <u>Mr. Daniel Cheung</u>

6. **Bowling Centre**

South China Athletic Association

Address : Bowling Centre, 1/F Sports Centre, 88 Caroline Hill Road, Causeway Bay

Phone : +(852) 2890 8528 Fax : +(852) 2839 2369







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Website : www.scaa.org.hk

7. Transportation

Transportation will be provided free of charge to and from airport upon arrival and departure for all teams and accredited supporters as well as to and from hotel and venue <u>except Regal Hongkong Hotel</u>.

Transportation will be provided for teams staying in Regal Hongkong Hotel <u>only</u> if the Typhoon No. 3 signal is hoisted and/or there is heavy rain or the Yellow Signal for rain and thunderstorm is hoisted.

Please submit your **Arrival and Departure Form (Form G)** to Hong Kong Tenpin Bowling Congress either by email atbc2020@hktbc.org.hk or by fax +(852) 2575 2145 as soon as possible.

8. Technical Information

Centre specifications

Number of lanes : 40

Lane approach : Brunswick synthetic

Lane surface : Brunswick synthetic ProLane

Pin decks : Brunswick synthetic
Pin spotters : Brunswick GS-10
Pins : AMF (3.8 - 3.10 lbs)
Scoring system : Brunswick Frameworx

Lane dressing

Dressing equipment : Kegel Flex Lane Walker Lane conditioner : Kegel Fire/ Terrain Lane cleaner : Kegel Defense - C

9. <u>Unofficial Practice</u>

Time Slots Available for Unofficial Practice

July 1, 2020 (Public Holiday) : 10.00 – 17.00 July 2 - 3, 2020 (Thur & Fri) : 10.00 – 17.00 July 4, 2020 (Sat) : 10.00 – 23.00

Lane Fees

Monday to Friday (Before : HK\$28 / Game

6pm)

Monday to Friday (6 pm and : HK\$38 / Game

after)

Sat, Sun, Public Holidays : HK\$43 / Game







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*Minimum 4 games/hour/lane at normal game fee. Maximum booking for each federation is 4 lanes for 2 hours.

The fee per lane is in HK Dollars and lane fees have to be paid in cash only directly to SCAA Bowling Centre onsite after unofficial practice. Each booking for each federation will be a maximum of two pairs of lanes for every 2 hours. But teams may bowl as long as they choose to do so if lanes are not booked by other teams or members of SCAA. Lanes for the unofficial practice will be available on a first come first served basis and all bookings must be made through our Congress and subject to availability of SCAA Bowling Centre.

Please submit your **Unofficial Practice Lane Reservation Form (Form F)** directly to Hong Kong Tenpin Bowling Congress either by email atbc2020@hktbc.org.hk or by fax +(852) 2575 2145 on or before **May 15, 2020**. **Pre-registrations can be made up to July 4, 2020**. Please show up punctually to avoid your booking being given to another federation.

10. Tournament Technical Committee

Committee Members

Technical Delegate : Mr. John Janawicz
Tournament Director : Dr. Danny Santos
Host Tournament Coordinator : Mr. Frankie Cheung

Jury of Appeal

To be announced in the Team Managers' Meeting

11. Medical Facility

Ruttonjee Hospital is the nearest hospital in the vicinity, which is around 10 minutes driving distance from South China Athletic Association, Regal Hongkong Hotel and L' Hotel Causeway Bay Harbour View and 15 - 20 minutes driving distance from City Garden Hotel and Harbour Plaza North Point Hotel.

12. <u>Fees</u>

Entry Fee for Delegation

The 26th Asian Tenpin Bowling Championships entry fee is US\$200 per person for all players, coaches and administrators as well as any extra person in the official delegation. These fees cover accreditation card, transportation, participating in the Opening Ceremony, Welcome Reception, and the Victory Banquet.

Entry Fee for Guests/ Supporters

The entry fee for guests and supporters is US\$150 per person. These fees cover accreditation card,







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official transportation, entry into bowling venue, participating in the Opening Ceremony, Welcome Reception, and the Victory Banquet. Guests and supporters may reserve rooms in the official hotels subject to availability of rooms in each hotel.

Press Officials

Unless they have other duties (another capacity) related to a team or federation at the 26th Asian Tenpin Bowling Championships, there will be **no entry fee** for accredited press officials <u>except</u> for participation in the Victory Banquet. Banquet fee for press is US\$50 per person.

Payment information

Federations will receive an official invoice after having submitted their Entry Forms and are kindly requested to settle payment by cash (USD) at the Team Managers Meeting on July 4, 2020.

13. Visa Information

No visa for entry is required for more than 170 countries/regions. However, the visa-free period may vary among countries/ regions. The entry forms are NOT valid as visas. All countries/ regions should confirm visa information independently by checking "Part II of Visit Visa/ Entry Permit Requirements for the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region" from the Immigration Department of the Government of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region www.immd.gov.hk/eng/services/visas/visit-transit/visit-visa-entry-permit.html.

Application form could be found in www.immd.gov.hk/eng/forms/hk-visas/visit-transit.html.

The application process may take more than 6 weeks' time. All visa applications have to be done by Hong Kong SAR Immigration Department and not through the Chinese Embassy in your country/territory. We earnestly request that all filled out forms should be email to HKTBC at least 2 months before the commencement of the championship to facilitate our processing with the HKSAR Immigration Department.

14. National Anthem and Flags

All participating federations are reminded to bring along 4 national flags (1 meter x 2 meters) and 1 CD of their national anthem which should be delivered to Tournament Office upon arrival at SCAA Bowling Centre.



Secretariat

Organizing Committee of the 26th Asian Tenpin Bowling Championships





