



SARAWAK INTERNATIONAL OPEN TENPIN BOWLING CHAMPIONSHIPS 2022

22 - 26 NOVEMBER 2022

Greetings from the land of hornbills, Sarawak, Malaysia.

It is with great pleasure that we extend our official invitation to you and members of your Federation, Congress, Association, Sports Academy, Bowling Clubs to participate in the SARAWAK INTERNATIONAL OPEN TENPIN BOWLING CHAMPIONSHIP 2022, 22 until 26 November 2022 at Megalanes Sarawak, e-mart Batu Kawa, Kuching, Sarawak, Malaysia.

This tournament is sanctioned by Asian Bowling Federation (ABF) and International Bowling Federation (IBF). As we are expecting a large number of overseas participants, we urge you to send your reservations early.

We wish you a very pleasant stay and enjoy our food galore in our unique and diverse culture.

Yours Sincerely





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Schedule

22 November 2022

Tuesday

DAY #1

10:00am – 4:00pm	Official Practice
6:00pm	Registration of Premier Cup
7:00pm	Premier Cup Roll Off

23 November 2022

Wednesday

DAY #2

07:30am	Registration for Squad A
08:00am	Squad A roll-off
10:30am	Registration for Squad B
11:00am	Squad B roll-off
01:30pm	Registration for Squad C
02:00pm	Squad C roll-off
04:30pm	Registration for Squad D
05:00pm	Squad D roll-off
07:30pm	Registration for Day -1 Joker Squad
08:00pm	Day 1 Joker Squad roll-off

24 November 2022

Thursday

DAY #3

07:30am	Registration for Squad A
08:00am	Squad A roll-off
10:30am	Registration for Squad B
11:00am	Squad B roll-off
01:30pm	Registration for Squad C
02:00pm	Squad C roll-off
04:30pm	Registration for Squad D
05:00pm	Squad D roll-off
07:30pm	Registration for Day-2 Joker Squad
08:00pm	Day 2 Joker Squad roll-off

25 November 2022

Friday

DAY #4

09:00am	Registration for Classified Masters Final
09:46am	Call On Reserves
10:00am	Classified Masters Final roll-off
02:00pm	Registration for U-25 Masters Final
02:46pm	Call On Reserves
03:00pm	U-25 Masters Final roll-off
07:00pm	U-25 Masters Stepladder

26 November 2022

Saturday

DAY #5

09:00am	Registration for Open Masters Final
09:46am	Call On Reserves
10:00am	Open Masters Final roll-off
03.30pm	Open Masters Last-Man-Standing Match 1
04:00pm	Open Masters Last-Man-Standing Match 2
04:30pm	Open Masters Last-Man-Standing Title Match
05:00pm	Prize Presentation

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- Registration Form
- Rules and Regulation
- Whatsapp

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Prize Distribution

Main Division				
Rank	Open Division	Classified	U25	Senior
Champion	20,000.00	12,000.00	5,000.00	2,000.00
1st Runner Up	10,000.00	6,000.00	3,000.00	1,000.00
2nd Runner Up	5,000.00	3,000.00	2,000.00	500.00
4th Place	2,500.00	1,500.00	1,000.00	400.00
5th Place	1,200.00	1,000.00	800.00	300.00
6th Place	1,000.00	800.00	700.00	300.00
7th Place	900.00	700.00	600.00	200.00
8th Place	800.00	600.00	500.00	200.00
9th Place	700.00	500.00	400.00	200.00
10th Place	600.00	400.00	350.00	200.00
11th Place	500.00	350.00	300.00	
12th Place	400.00	300.00	250.00	
13 - 20th Place	350.00	250.00		
21 - 40th Place	300.00			

** All prizes are denominated in Malaysia Ringgit (MYR)

Sub-Division				
Rank	U21		U18	
	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls
Champion	RM500 + Trophy	RM500 + Trophy	RM300 + Trophy	RM300 + Trophy
1st Runner Up	RM300 + Trophy	RM300 + Trophy	RM200+ Trophy	RM200 + Trophy
2nd Runner Up	RM100 + Trophy	RM100 + Trophy	RM100 + Trophy	RM100 + Trophy

Rank	U15		U12	
	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls
Champion	RM300+ Trophy	RM300+ Trophy	RM300 + Trophy	RM300 + Trophy
1st Runner Up	RM200 + Trophy	RM200 + Trophy	RM200+ Trophy	RM200 + Trophy
2nd Runner Up	RM100 + Trophy	RM100 + Trophy	RM100 + Trophy	RM100 + Trophy

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Fees

Qualifying Fees		2 Blocks of 5 Games Each	
1) RM900.00 for Open Division Only	5) RM900.00 for U25 & Classified Divisions		
2) RM800.00 for Classified Division Only	6) RM1,050.00 for U25 & Open Divisions		
3) RM600.00 for U25 Division Only	7) RM1,350.00 for U25, Open & Classified Divisions		
4) RM1,150.00 for Open & Classified Divisions	8) RM200.00 for each Joker Squad		

Master Final Fees	
RM350.00	Open Division 8 Games + Top 4 Last Man standing
RM300.00	Classified Division 9 Games
RM250.00	U25 Division 8 Games + Top 3 Stepladder

Premier Cup

PREMIER CUP	RM200.00 Entry Fee
Champion	RM2000.00
2nd Place	RM1000.00
3rd Place	RM500.00
Date	22 November 2022
Time	6:15p.m. Check In 7:00 p.m. Roll Off
	BAKER'S FORMAT
	- Team of 5
	- 6 Games
	- Limited to 38 Teams only

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RULES & REGULATIONS

ORGANISATION & SANCTION

1.1 The Sarawak International Open Tenpin Bowling Championship 2022 is organized by Amateur Bowling (Tenpin) Association of Sarawak (ABAS) and sanctioned by Malaysian Tenpin Bowling Congress (MTBC), Asian Bowling Federation (ABF) and International Bowling Federation (IBF). World Bowling Playing Rules and Regulations as of September 2019 shall apply on matters not covered herein.

This championship will be held from 22 - 26 November 2022 at Megalanes Sarawak @Emart Batu Kawa, Kuching, Sarawak.

ELIGIBILITY

This Tournament is open to all current paid-up members of ABAS, MTBC, ABF & IBF affiliates. All local participants must show proof by producing their membership cards or receipts for examination.

2.2 All overseas participants must obtain clearance from their respective National Tenpin Bowling Associations or Congress.

AVERAGES

3.1 Only the official average of MTBC will be used. Overseas bowlers must produce written confirmation of their averages from their respective National Association or Congress.

CLASSIFICATIONS

Main Division

4.1.1 Open - All bowlers regardless of average are eligible to participate in this division.

4.1.2 Classified - All male and female bowlers including youth are eligible to participate in this division. All male bowlers with an average of 200 and below and all-female bowlers with an average of 195 and below are eligible to participate in this division.

4.1.3 U-25 - All male and female bowlers who were born in the year 1997 and after are eligible to participate in this division.

Special / Sub Division

Senior – All male bowlers who were born in the year 1972 and before regardless of average are eligible for prizes in this division, limited to one prize per bowler. Scores will determine the Senior top 10 positions from Classified (First 8 Games of the Classified Masters Final) and Open Masters Finals tabulated together with their respective handicaps. If a senior makes both finals, the highest total pinfalls with handicaps shall be used.

In the U-25 Masters Final, prizes will be awarded to the following sub-divisions, limited to one prize per bowler:

4.2.2.1 Boys Under-21 - All male bowlers born in 2001 - 2003 regardless of average are eligible for prizes in this division.

4.2.2.2 Girls Under-21 - All-female bowlers born in 2001 - 2003 regardless of average are eligible for prizes in this division.

4.2.2.3 Boys Under-18 - All male bowlers born in 2004 - 2006 regardless of average are eligible for prizes in this division.

4.2.2.4 Girls Under-18 - All-female bowlers born in 2004 - 2006 regardless of average are eligible for prizes in this division.

4.2.2.5 Boys Under-15 - All male bowlers born in 2007 and after regardless of average are eligible for prizes in this division.

4.2.2.6 Girls Under-15 - All-female bowlers born in 2007 and after regardless of average are eligible for prizes in this division.

REGISTRATION OF ENTRIES / SQUAD TIMES

5.1 All fully paid entries must be submitted to the secretariat by 18 November 2022 by 8.00 p.m. (Malaysian local time).

5.2 No refunds will be entertained.

5.3 Entries will be accepted subject to the availability of lanes and squad time. The Championship Committee reserves the right to accept or reject an entry, postpone, add/cancel any squad time.

CHAMPIONSHIP OFFICIAL OILING PATTERN

All Masters Qualifying, Finals and Stepladder shall be played on "SIOTBC 2022", the Official Championships Oiling pattern. There shall be only 1 oiling pattern used throughout the Championships.

MASTERS QUALIFYING

7.1 Open

7.1.1 Bowlers will bowl 10 games in the qualifying rounds, divided over 2 blocks of 5 games each, on the Official Championships Oiling pattern over 2 days.

7.1.2 Top 60 bowlers from the qualifying stages will proceed to the Open Master's Finals.

7.2 Classified

7.2.1 Bowlers will bowl 10 games in the qualifying rounds, divided over 2 blocks of 5 games each, on the Official Championships Oiling pattern over 2 days.

7.2.2 Top 60 bowlers from the qualifying stages will proceed to the Graded Master's Finals.

7.3 Under-25



7.3.1 Bowlers will bowl 10 games in the qualifying rounds, divided over 2 blocks of 5 games each, on the Official Championship Oiling pattern over 2 days.

7.3.2 Top 60 bowlers from the qualifying stages will proceed to the Under-25 Master's Finals.

7.4 Joker Squad

7.4.1 After the end of each day's Masters Qualifying Squad, a Joker Squad will open for registration. For registration and roll-off time for the Joker Squad please refer to the Championship Schedule.

7.4.2 The Joker Squad will consist of 2 games. If the games in the Joker Squad is higher, they will replace the lower games of that day's Masters Qualifying.

MASTERS FINAL

8.1 Open Masters Final

8.1.1 Finalist will bowl a total of 8 games. The top 4 bowlers with the highest pinfall including handicap shall proceed to the "Last Man Standing Round".

8.1.2 "Last Man Standing" Game 1 - Top 4 seeds will bowl in a 1-game-roll-off-with handicap where the bowler with the lowest score will be eliminated and be placed as 4th in the overall standings. The 3 survivors will proceed to the "Last Man Standing" Game 2.

8.1.3 "Last Man Standing" Game 2 - The remaining 3 bowlers will bowl in a 1 game roll-off-with-handicap where the bowler with the lowest score will be eliminated and be placed as 3rd in the overall standing. The 2 survivors will proceed to the "Last Man Standing" Final.

8.1.4 "Last Man Standing" Game 3 - The remaining 2 bowlers will bowl in a 1-game-roll-off-with-handicap where the bowler with the highest score including handicap will be declared as the CHAMPION of the SARAWAK INTERNATIONAL OPEN TENPIN BOWLING 2022 CHAMPION in the OPEN division. Hence the losing finalist will be placed 2nd in the overall standing.

8.2 Classified Masters Final

8.2.1 Finalist will bowl a total of 9 games.

8.2.2 Bowlers will bowl 4 blocks of 2 games and the final 9th game will be the positioning round. Bowlers will bowl on the pre-assigned lanes according to their position after 8 games.

8.2.3 The bowler with the highest total including handicap after the positioning round shall be declared as the SARAWAK INTERNATIONAL OPEN TENPIN BOWLING 2022 CLASSIFIED CHAMPION.

8.3 Under-25 Masters Final

8.3.1 Finalist will bowl a total of 8 games.

8.3.2 Top 3 bowlers with the highest pinfalls including handicap shall proceed to the Stepladder Rounds.

8.3.3 The 2nd seed and 3rd seed shall bowl a 1-game-roll-off in the Stepladder Semi-finals. The bowler with the



highest pinfall including handicap shall be declared the winner and move on to the Stepladder Final as the Challenger.

8.3.4 The Stepladder Final will be played in a 1+1 “Repechage” format. Handicaps will still be given to eligible bowlers. If the 1st seed wins the first match, he/she will be declared the Champion. If the Challenger wins the first game, then there will be a sudden-death game to determine the Champion of the SARAWAK INTERNATIONAL OPEN TENPIN BOWLING 2022 U25 CHAMPION.

SPECIAL / SUB DIVISION

Senior:

8.5.1.1 For the Special / Sub Division Senior prize, winners will be determined from the top 10 highest pin falls including handicap from Open or Classified Division Finals. One bowler can only win one prize.

Total pinfalls for Seniors in the Graded Masters will be based on 1st 8 games only. Scores in the Graded Positioning Round will not be calculated.

Under-25:

8.5.2.1 For the Special / Sub Division Youth Under-21 Boys & Girls, Under-18 Boys & Girls, Under-15 Boys & Girls prize, winners will be determined from the top 3 highest pin falls including handicap from U-25 Division Final. One bowler can only win one prize.

8.5.2.2 Boys & Girls who were born in the year 2007 and after will be classified as Under-15 and therefore will only be eligible to win the Under-15 prizes.

8.5.2.3 Boys & Girls who were born in the year of 2004 to 2006 will be classified as Under-18 and therefore will only be eligible to win the Under-18 prizes.

8.5.2.4 Boys & Girls who were born in the year of 2001 to 2003 will be classified as Under-21 and therefore will only be eligible to win the Under-21 prizes.

HANDICAP

9.1 Open Division

AVERAGE	HANDICAP
201 and above	0
200 & below	8

CATEGORIES FOR ADDITIONAL HANDICAP

Women	+5
OKU – Physically Challenged	+5
Senior 50 and above (born on or before 1972)	+5
ADDITIONAL HANDICAP for SENIORS	
Senior 51 to 55 (born 1967 to 1971)	+2
Senior 56 to 60 (born from 1962 to 1966)	+2
Senior 61 to 65 (born from 1957 to 1961)	+2
Senior 66 & above (born from 1956 & before)	+2

9.2 Classified Division

AVERAGE	HANDICAP
190 - 200	0
180 - 189	5
179 and below	10
CATEGORIES FOR ADDITIONAL HANDICAP	
Women	+5
OKU – Physically Challenged	+5
Senior 50 and above (born on or before 1972)	+5
ADDITIONAL HANDICAP for SENIORS	
Senior 51 to 55 (born 1967 to 1971)	+2
Senior 56 to 60 (born from 1962 to 1966)	+2
Senior 61 to 65 (born from 1957 to 1961)	+2
Senior 66 & above (born from 1956 & before)	+2

9.3 U-25 Division

AVERAGE	HANDICAP
195 and above	0
185 - 194	5
184 and below	10
CATEGORIES FOR ADDITIONAL HANDICAP	
Women	+5
OKU – Physically Challenged	+5

QUALIFYING, FINAL, JOKER SQUAD FEES

10.1	Qualifying (2 Blocks of 5 Games)	
10.1.1	Open Division Only	RM900.00
10.1.2	Classified Division Only	RM800.00
10.1.3	U-25 Division Only	RM600.00
10.1.4	Open & Classified Division	RM1,150.00
10.1.5	U-25 & Classified Division	RM900.00
10.1.6	U-25 & Open Division	RM1,050.00
10.1.7	U-25, Open & Classified Division	RM1,350.00
10.1.8	Joker ** 2 Games	RM200.00
10.2	Masters Final	
10.2.1	Open Division	RM350.00
	8 Games + Top 4 Last Man Standing	
10.2.2	Classified Division	RM300.00
	9 Games	
10.2.3	U-25 Division	RM250.00
	8 Games + Top 3 Stepladder	

PRIZE DISTRIBUTION

11.1 Please refer to the "Prize Distribution" schedule.

TIE BREAKING RULES

- 12.1 Any tie for the Top 3 positions will be decided by a 1-Ball-Roll-Off until the tie is broken.
- 12.2 Any tie for qualification to the next round of play will be decided by a 1-Ball-Roll-Off until the tie is broken.
- 12.3 Any tie for money positions will be decided by the highest last game. If a tie still occurs in the last game then the highest second last game will decide the position. Proses will be repeated until the tie is broken.

GENERAL PLAYING RULES

- 13.1 No Jeans allowed for male and female bowlers throughout the tournament.
- 13.2 No sleeveless shirt and shorts for male bowlers throughout the tournament.
- 13.3 No objections to the final results will be entertained after the prize presentation.
- 13.4 The Tournament Committee reserves the right to accept or reject any entry as they deem fit. Any matters arising that are not covered in the Tournament Rules will be decided by the Tournament Committee whose decision is final, subject only to an appeal to ABAS. Such an appeal must be made in writing within 24 hours of the decision of the Tournament Committee.
- 13.5 Should the appeal involve position standings in any event of the Tournament, it is the prerogative of the Tournament Committee to withhold the presentation of prizes for that event until the determination of the outcome of the appeal.
- 13.6 Slow bowling / Lane Courtesy
 - 13.6.1 Players shall be ready to bowl when it is their turn and shall not delay the start of their approach or delivery when the pairs immediately adjacent to them on both the right and left are clear (one (1) pair lane courtesy).
 - 13.6.2 Competitors must observe one (1) pair lane courtesy at all times. Competitors on the same pair may not bowl consecutive deliveries without allowing one (1) competitor from the pair to the right and one (1) competitor from the pair to the left to have made a delivery unless those competitors are not ready to bowl or they give way.
 - 13.6.3 If a player does not observe the procedures outlined in paragraphs 13.6.1 and 13.6.2, it shall be construed as slow bowling. A player failing to observe these procedures shall be warned by an authorized tournament official as follows:
 - a) A white card for the first offence (no penalty)
 - b) A yellow card for the second offence (no penalty)
 - c) A red card for the third and each succeeding offence in any block of games – the penalty shall be a zero pinfall for the frame.
 - 13.6.4 The new rule of no balance hole will be observed. The rule states all holes in a bowling ball must be used on every delivery; any hole not used is considered a balance hole, making the ball illegal. Bowlers who do not use their thumb no longer can have a thumb hole, as it now is considered a balance hole. Static weight allowed for top, bottom, side, finger and thumb weight is 3 oz. maximum. The 3 oz. maximum static weight rule is applicable to balls over 10 pounds. For balls under 10 pounds, the static weight allowed is different.