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## Hong Kong International Gateball Championship 2019(for Foreign Teams)

Organized by Hong Kong, China Gateball Association Co. Ltd;

Subsidized by The Government of the HKSAR Home Affairs Bureau (Arts and Sport Development Fund) and  
Leisure & Cultural Services Department

- Objectives:**
1. To promote and expand Gateball sport.
  2. To improve the skill of Gateball players.
  3. To promote communication, cultural exchange, and friendship among Gateball teams of the international.

**Date:** Registration: 13 December 2019 (Friday)  
Competition: 14 to 15 December 2019 (Saturday and Sunday)

**Venue:** Kowloon Bay Sports Ground [ 1 Kai Lok Street, Kowloon Bay, Kowloon (Grass Pitch)]

**Schedule:**

Date	Time	Activity	Location
13 Dec 2019 (Friday)	From 13:00	Registration of Foreign Teams	Regal Riverside Hotel
14 Dec 2019 (Saturday)	11:00-12:00	Managers meeting (2 persons per team)	Kowloon Bay Sports Ground
	09:00-12:00	Site practice	
	12:00-13:30	Lunch	
	1400 – 18:00	Competition	
15 Dec 2019 (Sunday)	08:30 – 16:30	Opening Ceremony and Competition	Kowloon Bay Sports Ground
	18:00	Prize Presentation and Farewell Dinner Party	To be confirmed

**Eligibility:** There is no restriction on gender or age

**Teams Limit:** 32 Foreign teams (First come, First serve)  
(Cities of China, Chinese Taipei, China Macau, Singapore, Japan, Korea, Indonesia, Thailand, Philippines, India, Australia, Russia, Canada, Brazil, France, Switzerland, United States of America etc.)  
8 Local teams

**Fee:** (1) Entry Fee: HK\$200 per person (**For maximum 8 members**),  
HK\$500 per person (**9<sup>th</sup> -10<sup>th</sup> members**)  
[Including: Number clothes(bibs), lunch packs during 2 days competitions, Prize Presentation and Farewell Dinner Party.]



(2) Accommodation: Standard twin room per night for 2 persons, breakfast included

(a) **HK\$500/night per person**

(b) **HK\$500/night for additional bed of Standard twin room**

**Remark: Single room will be charged HK\$1000/night**

**Accommodation is optional, Free transportation is solely provided to our hotel guests from the hotel to Sports Ground.**

(3) Others expenditure such as dinner, transportation from Airport/Train Station/Pier to hotel, insurance, medical, etc should be arranged by individual teams.

- Team** (1) A team should consist of at least 5 players.
- Composition:** (2) A team can register with maximum 10 members, including 1 Manager, 1 Coach and 8 players (3 reserves included). Coach cannot be the player.
- (4) No player can register in more than 1 team, or else, both the player and teams he/she affiliated will be disqualified without refund.
- (5) Once the competition schedule confirmed after drawing, no team is allowed to change or add players. The host will only take into consideration when written request by team with special reason.

- Matching:** 1<sup>st</sup> stage 40 teams are separated into 8 groups through drawing, each group consists of 5 teams; ranking of Round -Robin Tournament will be determined the group ranking: each team plays one match against other team in its group. The eight group-winners and eight 1st runner-up of this stage qualify for the 2<sup>nd</sup> stage.
- 2<sup>nd</sup> stage 16 teams play single elimination, the first place winner of 8 teams advance to 3<sup>rd</sup> Stage.
- 3<sup>rd</sup> stage 8 teams play single elimination, the winners advance to Gold Group, the defeated teams move to the Silver Group.
- 4<sup>th</sup> stage 4 teams of each group determine the ranking through single elimination.

**Rules:** **Matches will comply with Official Gateball Rules 2019 of the World Gateball Union.**

**Standard of head** **Standard of head please refer to the attached.**

**Uniform:** Teams are required to wear team uniform and sport shoes.

**Awards:** The 1<sup>st</sup> place to 4<sup>th</sup> place winners of the Gold and Silver group will be awarded

**Enrolment:** Start from 5 June, 2019 (Wednesday), first come first serve



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**Deadline:** 9 September 2019(Monday)

**Date of Drawing:** 11 November 2019(Monday) 15:00, in the office of Hong Kong, China Gateball Association.

**Payment:**

- (1) Complete the Application Form and Reception Form attached, and submit through fax, email or mail to the office of Hong Kong, China Gateball Association Co. Ltd.
- (2) The accepted team will receive The Payment Notice, and please follow the guideline of payment notice to pay the fees before deadline.

**Appendices:**

- (1) Number of teams limit, matching and awards are subjected to change by the Hong Kong, China Gateball Association.
- (2) The host reserved the rights to amend the clauses.
- (3) For enquiry, please contact us at (852)2385 6082, or by fax and email.



### Clause 1. Stick

1. The stick shall consist of a head and a shaft forming a T-shaped instrument.
  - (1) The head is cylindrical in principle, with two faces running parallel to the shaft. The side face refers to the section of the stick that intersects with the shaft at a right angle.
    - ① The face shall be a minimum 3.5 centimeters, and a maximum 5 centimeters, in diameter.
    - ② The side face shall be 18 to 24 centimeters in length.
  - (2) The shaft shall be stick-shaped and secured at the midpoint of the side face.
    - ① The shaft shall be 50 centimeters or more in length, including the grip.

