



1st Asian Junior & Youth Orienteering Championships

HONG KONG, 25-27 December 2015

ASIAN JUNIOR & YOUTH ORIENTEERING CHAMPIONSHIPS 2015



Bulletin 2

IOF member federations in Asia

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1. Welcome to The 1st Asian Junior & Youth Orienteering Championships 2015

The Orienteering Association of Hong Kong welcomes all the Asian Federations to the 1st Asian Junior & Youth Orienteering Championships which will be held in Hong Kong from 25 – 27th December 2015. The prime objective of the 1st AsJYOC is to promote the sports of orienteering amongst the junior orienteers of the member federations of IOF in the Asia Region. Preparatory works have already been started and we promise to work hard to make the event memorable both from a sporting and a social point of view. The updated competition information can be found in this Bulletin and further updated information will be available in the future bulletins.

From the Organizing Committee

2. Competitions

Asian Junior & Youth Orienteering Championships 2015 –Mixed Sprint Relay Event

2015-12-25 Friday

Asian Junior & Youth Orienteering Championships 2015 - Middle Distance Event 2015-12-26 Saturday

Asian Junior & Youth Orienteering Championships 2015 - Sprint Event 2015-12-27 Sunday

3. Organizer

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4. Event Officials

IOF Senior Event Advisor -- Mr. MURAKOSHI Shin (Japan)

Local Event Controllers-- Mr. LEUNG Lam Freddy (Mixed Sprint Relay Event)

Mr. LEE Man Wai (Middle Distance)

Mr. LEUNG Lam Freddy (Sprint Distance)

Event Director -- Mr. POON Ka Hang

Event Organisers -- Mr. LIANG Chi Hang (Mixed Sprint Relay Event)

Mr. CHAN Chi Sing (Middle Distance)

Mr. YAN Kin Kong (Sprint Distance)

5. Event Programme

Thursday 24th December 2015: Arrival & Registration

Friday 25th December 2015: Mixed Sprint Relay & Opening Ceremony

Saturday 26th December 2015 : Middle Distance

Sunday 27th December 2015 : Sprint Distance & Closing Ceremony

Monday 28th December 2015 : Departure

6. Competition Classes

Sprint & Middle Distance Events

Classes	Age of Competitor
W14 M14	up to 14 years old, born in 2001 or later ¹
W16 M16	up to 16 years old, born in 1999 or later ¹
W18 M18	up to 18 years old, born in 1997 or later ¹
W20 M20	up to 20 years old, born in 1995 or later ¹





Mixed Sprint Relay Event

Classes	Age & of Competitor& Team Combination
Youth	up to 16 years old, born in 1999 or later ¹ ,
	4 legs per team with at least 2 female runners
Junior	up to 20 years old, born in 1995 or later ¹
	4 legs per team with at least 2 female runners

Eligibility

- 1. Minimum age of participation is age 12, born in or before 2003.
- 2. In each individual class, each country may enter a maximum of 10 competitors. All entries must be made through the respective Federations.
- 3. In each relay class, each country may enter 5 teams in each class but only the better-placed team will be counted in the prize list.
- 4. Competitors representing member Federations of the IOF, defined by the International Olympic Committee as belonging to the Asian continent, can compete in AsJYOC.
- 5. Competitors representing other member Federations of IOF or other Asian countries can participate in AsJYOC but will not be eligible for the AsJYOC titles, medals or diplomas.
- 6. The winners of the age class 20 and the age class 16 will be the Asian Junior Champions and the Asian Youth Champions of the AsJYOC respectively.

7. Competition Areas

AsJYOC2015 – Mixed Sprint Relay Event 2015-12-25 Friday	Science Park, New Territories
AsJYOC2015 – Middle Distance Event on 2015-12-26 Saturday	Ngong Ping, New Territories
AsJYOC2015 –Sprint Event on 2015-12-27 Sunday	North District Park & Fanling Wai, New Territories





Location map







8. Embargoed Areas

1. Mixed Sprint Relay on 25 Dec 2015 Science Park, New Territories



2. Middle Distance Event on 26 Dec 2015 Ngong Ping, New Territories







3. Sprint Distance Event on 27 Dec 2015 North District Park and Fanling Wai, New Territories



The above competition areas have been embargoed with immediate effect.

9. Course Lengths

Mixed Sprint Relay

Class	Approx. Length (m) (Per Leg)	Approx. Winning Time (min) (Per Leg)
M/W16	2000	12-14
M/W20	2500	12-14

Middle Distance

Class	Approx. Length (m)	Approx. Winning Time (min)
M20	4000	35
W20	3500	35
M18	3500	35
W18	3000	35
M16	3500	35
W16	3000	35
M14	3000	30
W14	2500	30





Sprint

Class	Approx. Length (m)	Approx. Winning Time (min)
M20	3000	13
W20	2800	14
M18	2800	13
W18	2500	14
M16	2500	13
W16	2100	14
M14	2100	14
W14	1700	14

10. Technical Information

Mixed Sprint Relay

Venue: Science Park **Mapper:** Mr. MA Lok Hin **Course Setter:** Mr. MA Lok Hin

Map scale and Contour Interval: 1:4,000 with 2m contour interval

Terrain Descriptions: Mixed with low density blocks and garden areas. Mainly covered

by paved area with scatter of open land. Excellent runnability &

good visibility

Middle Distance

Venue: Ngong Ping, Sai Kung **Mapper:** Mr. Geoff PECK

Course Setter: Mr. Geoff PECK & Mr. CHUNG Chi Ming

Map scale and Contour Interval: 1:10,000 with 5m contour interval

Terrain Descriptions : ___A moderately hilly area consists of plateau, marshes, semi-

open areas, open areas and woodland. There are areas with vegetation of slow run, walk and fight. Various rocky formations and stones are found on the slopes. There are some thorny weeds inside the undergrowth. Paths that might

have been created temporarily by grazing cattle.

Sprint

Venue: North District Park and Fanling Wai

Mapper: _Mr. YU Sai Hong Course Setter: _Mr.YU Sai Hong

Map scale and Contour Interval: _1:4,000 with 2m contour interval

Terrain Descriptions: Urban park and village. Urban Park with lawn and also

traditional village with irregular buildings. Excellent in

runnabilty and visibility

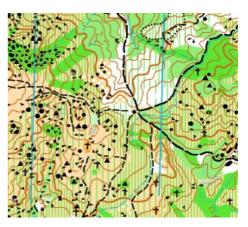




11. Map Sample







Middle Distance(Ngong Ping)

Please see Appendix III for the old version of the competition maps

12. <u>Punching System</u>

The Sportident punching system will be used in all competitions. The Sportident card will be provided. HK\$280 will be charged for any loss or damage of the Sportident Card.

13. Clothing

For middle distance event, competitors must wear clothing that fully covers their torso and legs. There are no restrictions for the sprint competitions.

14. Competition Rules

IOF Competition Rules for Foot Orienteering and OAHK Competition By-Law will apply. See IOF Competition Rules and OAHK By-Law on IOF website: www.orienteering.org and OAHK website: www.oahk.org.hk respectively.

15. Entries

All entries which are eligible for AsJYOC must be made through the respective Federations. on the entry form as per Appendices Ia and Ib. The same forms are also available on the OAHK website. Deadline for entries is on 31st September 2015. Individual entries not making through their respective Federations will not be accepted.





Entry fees Package A:

from 23rd to 28th December 2015 HKD \$2500/per person for both competitors and team officials (Included: Competition fee + Accommodation and Meals (Full board)+Transportation + Banquet + Training camp fee)

Package B: (Without joining training camp)

from 25th to 28th December 2015 HKD \$2000/per person for both competitors and team officials (Included: Competition fee + Accommodation and Meals (Full board)+Transportation + Banquet)

Entries must be made through the Federations and will not be considered valid until full payment of all fees has been received.

An additional of 30% surcharge on top of the normal entry fees would be levied for all late entries submitted up to 25^{th} November 2015. No more entry will be accepted after 26 November 2015

*Invoice will be sent upon receipt of the entry form

16. Accommodation

Official accommodation will be in dormitory type and is included in both Package A and B without additional costs. Additional accommodation prior to the start of the training camp on 22^{nd} December 2015 can also be arranged with an additional cost of \$300 per person inclusive of bed and meals.

17. <u>Transportation</u>

Official transportation to and from the training and competition venues will provided during the whole training camp and competition period. Additional arrangement for teams on arrival and departure will also be arranged upon request.

18. Training Opportunity

No model event will be arranged. However, a training day will be held on 24th December 2015 in conjunction with the training camp at Tai Tong Country Park





with both sprint and middle type of courses provided. Control setting, start and finish set up for the main competitions will be arranged so that competitors can get themselves familiarize with the competition setting. On the competition days, model maps will be provided and competitors can run in the warm up area to get themselves familiarize with the competition map and terrain.

19. Other Competitions

World Ranking Events(Middle and Sprint Distance) cum the Hong Kong National Orienteering Championships(Middle and Sprint Distance) will also be held during the AsJYOC period on 26 & 27 December 2015 respectively. Further details of aforesaid competitions will be issued in due course.

20. <u>Visa Requirement</u>

For information for visa requirement to visit Hong Kong, please check with the web-site of the Immigration Department of Hong Kong: http://www.immd.gov.hk/en/services/hk-visas/visit-transit/visit-visa-entry-permit.html#part1

21. Information

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Bulletin 3 will be issued in Nov 2015





Appendix II: Asian Junior Orienteering Training Camp 2015

23-28 December, 2015, Hong Kong

Preliminary Information

INTRODUCTION

In conjunction with the 1st Asian Junior and Youth Orienteering Championships (AsJYOC), the Asian Junior Orienteering Training Camp will be held in Hong Kong from 23 to 28 December 2015. This is the third junior orienteering training camp that has been held for the Asian junior orienteers. The training camp aims at providing an opportunity for the Asian juniors to improve their orienteering skills and to foster friendships with each other

The camp caters for junior orienteers (age 12-20) who wish to improve their orienteering skills and to foster friendships with each other. The camp consists two phases, Phase I will be held in Hong Kong from 23-25 December 2015 with the main focus on training up your orienteering skills and to familiarize with the Hong Kong orienteering terrains while phase II will be from 25 - 28 December with the main focus on competing in the 1st Asian Junior and Youth Orienteering Championships.

CAMP DETAILS

The Asian orienteering Junior Training camp will be held in Tai Lam Country Park area with accommodation at Po Leung Kuk Tai Tong Holiday Camp from 23 to 28 December 2015. Apart from technical trainings in orienteering, the participants will also have the chance to compete in 1st Asian Junior and Youth Orienteering Championships. Social function and experience sharing sessions will also be held during the training camp.

Start: Wednesday, 23 December 2015, about 10.00am

End: Monday, 28 December 2015, about 9.00am

Location: Trainings will be held in Tai Lam Country Park (middle distance) and the nearby parks(sprints).

Accommodation

Will be at Po Leung Kuk Tai Tong Holiday Camp throughout the whole period from 23 to 28 December 2015. Dormitory type of accommodation with full board and lodging will be provided. You can get details about the hostel at their website http//www.poleungkuk.org.hk. Accommodation will also be arranged for earlier arrival upon request.

Camp Fee

HK\$2,500 which includes full board and lodging from 23-28 December 2015, training expenses, entry fees for AsJYOC and traveling expenses during the training camp.





Registration

Preliminary entries will be available with the issue of the Bulletin 2 of the AsJYOC.

Appendix III: Old maps of the competition areas

(A) Ngong Ping, Sai Kung – Middle Distance







(B) North District Park and Fanling Wai –Sprint Distance

