

## **Demonstration Competition for Urban Sports – Sport Climbing**

Organised by the Sports Commission

Co-ordinated by the Community Sports Committee

Co-organised by the Home Affairs Department, the Leisure and Cultural Services Department,  
the Sports Federation & Olympic Committee of Hong Kong, China and  
the Hong Kong, China Mountaineering and Climbing Union

### **【Prospectus】**

#### **1. Purpose**

To promote urban sports which are popular among young people in recent years through the 9th Hong Kong Games (HKG).

#### **2. Introduction to the HKG**

To further promote the “Sport for All” culture in the community, the Sports Commission has organised the HKG biennially since 2007. The objectives of the HKG are to provide districts with more opportunities for sports participation, exchanges and co-operation, and to encourage active public participation in sports. Apart from improving sporting standards at the district level, HKG can also strengthen the public's sense of belonging to the district they live in and help promote community cohesion through facilitating communication and fostering friendship among the 18 districts.

#### **3. Demonstration Competitions**

Three new urban sports including breaking, skateboarding and sports climbing which are popular among young people will be featured as demonstration competitions in the 9th HKG. There are five region-based participating units, including the Hong Kong Island (Central & West District, Eastern District, Southern District, Wan Chai District), Kowloon East (Kwun Tong District, Wong Tai Sin District), Kowloon West (Kowloon City District, Sham Shui Po District, Yau Tsim Mong District), New Territories East (Northern District, Sai Kung District, Sha Tin District, Tai Po District) and New Territories West (Islands District, Kwai Tsing District, Tsuen Wan District, Tuen Mun District and Yuen Long District).

#### **4. Eligibility**

Participants must:

- (1) either be holders of valid “Hong Kong Permanent Identity Card”, or holders of valid “Hong Kong Identity Card” who have resided in Hong Kong for 3 years or more; and
- (2) comply with the age requirements of the relevant divisions.

Note: Holders of Hong Kong Identity Cards must produce records, such as One-way Permit or passport, showing their arrival in Hong Kong on or before April 2021 to prove that they have resided in Hong Kong for 3 years or more.

## 5. Quota

150 persons (including all Competition Divisions)

## 6. Competition Event

Lead climbing

## 7. Competition Divisions

Division	Eligibility
Men's Open	Aged 16 or above (Born in 2008 or before)
Women's Open	
Men's Amateur	Aged 16 or above (Born in 2008 or before), and not having previously won any prize at Hong Kong, China Mountaineering and Climbing Union (HKCMCU)'s lead climbing competitions (Open or Amateur)
Women's Amateur	
Boys aged 14-15	Aged 14-15
Girls aged 14-15	(Born between 2009 and 2010)
Boys aged 12-13	Aged 12-13
Girls aged 12-13	(Born between 2011 and 2012)
Boys aged 10-11	Aged 10-11
Girls aged 10-11	(Born between 2013 and 2014)

## 8. Selection

Date : 27 April 2024 (Saturday)

Time : 9:00 a.m.

Venue : Siu Lun Sports Centre

(Address: 2/F to 5/F, Tuen Mun Siu Lun Government Complex, 19 Siu Lun Street, Tuen Mun)

## 9. Training

Date : 28 April 2024 (Sunday)

Time : 9:00 a.m. (Tentative)

Venue : Siu Lun Sports Centre

(Address: 2/F to 5/F, Tuen Mun Siu Lun Government Complex, 19 Siu Lun Street, Tuen Mun)

Note: Training will be provided to participants by co-organisers.

## 10. Competition

Date : 1 May 2024 (Wednesday)

Time : 9:00 a.m.

Venue : Siu Lun Sports Centre

(Address: 2/F to 5/F, Tuen Mun Siu Lun Government Complex, 19 Siu Lun Street, Tuen Mun)

## 11. Enrolment Fee

Free of charge

## **12. Enrolment Period**

29 Jan 2024 to 22 March 2024

(As shown by the postmark date on the envelope. Late applications will not be accepted.)

## **13. Enrolment Method**

Mail the completed enrolment form to Room 1013, Olympic House, 1 Stadium Path, So Kon Po, Causeway Bay, Hong Kong.

Note: Each participant may only enter one event and represent one district.

## **14. Rules and Scoring**

- (1) The rules of the competition are modelled on the rules formulated by the International Federation of Sport Climbing (IFSC) in 2023.
- (2) Participants will climb two routes in the selection. The top 8 participants with the best results are qualified for the final.
- (3) Participants are required to climb one route in the final. Results are based on the heights reached by participants.
- (4) The participant who has reached the highest height will be the winner. If two participants have reached the same height, the faster one will get a higher ranking.

## **15. Referees**

Qualified referees will take charge of refereeing all matches. Participants shall abide by their decisions.

## **16. Equipment**

- (1) Participants must have their own harness and climbing shoes. The Organiser has a limited amount of harnesses for hire at HK\$50.
- (2) The Organiser will provide a white competition vest to all participants. Participants may also wear the white competition vest of the HKCMCU.

## **17. Inclement Weather Arrangement**

If a Pre-No. 8 Special Announcement has been issued, or Tropical Cyclone Warning Signal No. 8 or above, or Red/Black Rainstorm Warning Signal is still in force 2 hours before the reporting time for the first round of matches on the match day, all matches on that day will be cancelled. The Organiser will notify the participants of the corresponding arrangements separately in due course.

## **18. Points to Note**

- (1) Event information & starting order will be uploaded to the website of the HKCMCU ([www.chkmcu.org.hk](http://www.chkmcu.org.hk)) 10 working days before the competition day for viewing.
- (2) Unauthorised entry to the competition venue by the participants within one week before the event day is prohibited.
- (3) Participants shall arrive at the competition venue and report to the Organiser at the scheduled time. Latecomers will be regarded as having withdrawn from the competition.

- (4) Participants shall abide by the user guidelines of the venue.
- (5) No eating is allowed at the isolation zone and the competition area.
- (6) Participants may take out an insurance policy if needed.

## **19. Appeal**

- (1) Appeals about technical incidents and competitor's performance shall be lodged immediately. Appeals against the results and ranking shall be lodged in writing within 10 minutes after the announcement of the results accompanied by an appeal fee of HK\$500. The fee will be refunded if the appeal is upheld. There will be no refund if the appeal is rejected.
- (2) The decision of the Jury President shall be final.

## **20. Awards**

- (1) The Champion, 1st runner up and 2nd runner up of each division will be awarded prizes. If less than 4 participants have enrolled in a division, the division concerned will be cancelled or combined with another division.
- (2) If 4 to 5 participants have enrolled in a division, only the Champion will be awarded.

## **21. Enquiries**

Hong Kong, China Mountaineering and Climbing Union: 2504 8429

Major Events Section, Leisure and Cultural Services Department: 2601 7671

Office hours:

9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m., Monday to Friday

(Lunch hour: 1:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m.)

Closed on Saturdays, Sundays and public holidays

**<< The Organiser reserves the right to amend the above information  
at any time without further notice >>**

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### 【Enrolment Form】

Name: (Chinese) \_\_\_\_\_ Name: (English) \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Identity Document No.: \_\_\_\_\_ Contact Tel. No.: \_\_\_\_\_

**Note: The Participant shall submit a copy of his/her identity document together with the enrolment form for verification.**

Address : \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address : \_\_\_\_\_ Emergency Contact Person: \_\_\_\_\_ Tel. No. of Emergency Contact Person: \_\_\_\_\_

Please put a "✓" in the appropriate box.

Division:	<input type="checkbox"/>	1)	Men's Open	<input type="checkbox"/>	2)	Women's Open
	<input type="checkbox"/>	3)	Men's Amateur	<input type="checkbox"/>	4)	Women's Amateur
	<input type="checkbox"/>	5)	Boys aged 14-15	<input type="checkbox"/>	6)	Girls aged 14-15
	<input type="checkbox"/>	7)	Boys aged 12-13	<input type="checkbox"/>	8)	Girls aged 12-13
	<input type="checkbox"/>	9)	Boys aged 10-11	<input type="checkbox"/>	10)	Girls aged 10-11
Region:	<input type="checkbox"/>	1)	New Territories East	<input type="checkbox"/>	2)	New Territories West
	<input type="checkbox"/>	3)	Kowloon East	<input type="checkbox"/>	4)	Kowloon West
	<input type="checkbox"/>	5)	Hong Kong Island			

Vests in the sizes chosen by participants will be provided subject to stock availability. The Organiser reserves the right to make the final decision.

Size Chart

Size / Chest Width (inch)	2	3	4	5	6	2XS	XS	S	M	L	XL	2XL
Please put a "✓" in the appropriate box												

### Participant/ Parent or Guardian Consent Form

(For a participant aged under 18, his/her parent/guardian must sign this consent form.)

I (Name: \_\_\_\_\_)(Identity Document No.: \_\_\_\_\_) \*Agree / Disagree to the participation of the participant (Name of participant: \_\_\_\_\_) in the 9th Hong Kong Games Demonstration Competition for Urban Sports – Sports Climbing co-organised by the Hong Kong, China Mountaineering and Climbing Union (HKCMCU), and declare that all the information provided above is true and correct. \*I / The participant understand/understands and am/is willing to comply with the guidelines, rules and ordinance as well as the decisions made by the Organiser, and understand/understands that the Organiser reserves the right to amend the competition details. \*I / The participant understand/understands and agree/agrees that the copy of the above identity document is used for verification, and agree/agrees to authorise the HKCMCU to use my/the participant's appearance, names, voice, and personal particulars provided solely for the enrolment and publicity relating to the recreation and sports activities co-organised by the HKCMCU and other organisations.

The participant is healthy and physically fit to participate in the above activity.

\*Please delete as appropriate

Signature of Participant: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Parent / Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_

Date : \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship with the Participant: \_\_\_\_\_