



Snooker League 2015



To promote friendship among CPA snooker players, Snooker Interest Group (SnIG) has organised a Snooker League (mixed league) to be held in June. Keen snooker players should not miss this opportunity to gain match experience while enjoying the game with fellow members.

Particulars

Date:	Sunday, 7, 21 & 28 June 2015
Time:	3:30 pm – 7:30 pm
Venue:	Youth Billard Club B1, Houston Centre, 63 Mody Road, Tsim Sha Tsui East
Eligible participant:	HKICPA members only
No. of player:	Min. 10 and max. 20
League fee:	\$425 per player



Awards

Awards include Champion, 1st runner-up, 2nd runner-up, 3rd runner-up and Highest Break. Prize presentation will be held on 28 June.

Registration

To register, please complete the enrolment form and return it with payment to the Institute on or before **20 May 2015**.

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Snooker Interest Group (SnIG) is now recruiting new members. If you are interested in playing snooker leisurely or competitively within and outside the profession, [sign up NOW](#) to enjoy a balanced and healthy lifestyle.

You may also join the [Facebook group](#) for Snooker Interest Group to receive the latest news and mingle with fellow members who share the same interest as you.

Rules and Match Format

Grouping criteria

The league panel (comprising members of the SnIG Organizing Committee) is tasked with drawing up the match list based on registered players' past performance in practices and tournaments. In the absence of any past records, the players may be invited to participate in a practice to enable the panel to make a proper judgment for grouping purpose.

There will be two divisions and each division has a maximum of 10 players.

Player's achievement in this League will be used as reference for selection of representative team members for future external competitions including the Recreation and Sports Club for HK Professional Bodies Tournament.

League format and scoring system

Format: Mixed league

Scoring system:

First Round

1. It is a single-round league for each division.
2. Each match consists of **1** game with **6** red balls (time limit: **20**mins for each game).
3. The scoring system is as follows (per match):
 - Won 2 marks
 - Draw 1 mark
 - Lost 0 mark
4. The total number of matches of the league depends on the number of registered players.
5. To “qualify” and to be eligible for the final ranking, a player has to complete all of his/her league matches at the end of the match day. However, if a player has suffered from serious injury during the match, he/she will be deemed to lose by 0:2.
6. All scheduled matches are subject to weather inclement for re-scheduling.
7. The ranking is based on the total marks of each player for each division. The top 4 players (the “Qualified Players”) who gets the highest mark in each division will be qualified to enter into the final round (the “Final Round”).
 - (i) If there is a tie, the player who won the relevant matches between the players with equal marks will be ranked at a higher place.
 - (ii) In the event that para 7(i) fails to achieve the desired outcome, the ranking will be determined by the total number of games won in relevant matches.
 - (iii) In the event that para 7(ii) fails to achieve the desired outcome, the ranking will be determined by draw administered by the league panel.

Final Round

1. It is a single-round match.
 - 1a. Each match consists of **1** game with **15** red balls (time limit: **30**mins for each game).
 - 1b. The scoring system is as follows (per match):
 - Won 2 marks
 - Draw 1 mark
 - Lost 0 mark
 - 1c. The player who gets the highest mark in Final Round will be the champion.
 - (i) If there is a tie, the player who won the relevant matches between the players with equal marks will be ranked at a higher place.
 - (ii) In the event that sub-para 1c(i) fails to achieve the desired outcome, the ranking will be determined by the total marks won.
 - (iii) In the event that sub-para 1c(ii) fails to achieve the desired outcome, the ranking will be determined by draw administered by the league panel.
 - 1d. The top four players on the ranking will be the champion, 1st, 2nd and 3rd runner-ups respectively.

Rules

The league adopts the official rules of the games of snooker as issued by the World Professional Billiards & Snooker Association Limited (“WPBSA”) where applicable.

SnIG members will be appointed as referee/umpire in the matches on a voluntary basis. Players have the right to raise objection with regards to the decision of the referee/umpire or in the case of foul shot, but they must do so by raising it with league panel on the spot. Upon consultation with the SnIG Co-convenors, their decision shall be final.

The Institute reserves the right to change the format, schedule and rules of the league as and when required without prior notice.



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Enrolment form

7, 21 & 28 June 2015

(Please reply on or before **20 May 2015**)

	FOR OFFICE USE
Seq. no.:	-----
Handled by:	-----

Please allow 4 working days to process your application. You can check your enrolment status at "My CPA" at <http://www.hkicpa.org.hk>.

Name:	(Mr./Mrs./Ms.)		
Membership No.:		SnIG Member:	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Tel. / Mobile #:			
Email:			

Payment Method (Please tick the appropriate box)

Fee:	\$425/ player		
<input type="checkbox"/> Cheque (no. _____)	payable to "Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants" or "HKICPA"		
<input type="checkbox"/> VISA / MasterCard	<input type="checkbox"/> BOC HKICPA UnionPay card		
Card Number:			Card Expiry Date (MM/YY):
Cardholder's Name (block letters):	Cardholder's Signature:		Date:
<input type="checkbox"/> I would like to have an official receipt. (Remarks: Official receipt will be sent to your email address provided above.)			

Declaration

I declare that I do not suffer from any illness/disability that renders me unfit to participate in the above activity. I will immediately notify the convenor of the interest group/HKICPA if, for any reason, my health subsequently renders me or may render me unfit to participate in the above activity. I fully accept that the convenor of the interest group/HKICPA will then consider whether I should, in the interest of safety or the safety of the other participants, continue to be allowed to further participate in future sessions and that his/her/the decision of the HKICPA will be final.

Where trainers are in place, I agree to follow the trainer's instructions. I agree that this may be a verbal, visual, physical or demonstrative form of communication. I will ask for further clarification of any ambiguous and/or inaudible instructions. I understand that I will be asked to leave a session immediately if deemed to be deliberately ignoring the instructions from the trainer.

Assumption of Risks and Disclaimer of Liability

As a participant in the above activity you accept that you may be exposing yourself to risk of harm due to the hazards inherent in the activity.

Signature: _____

Date: _____

(Please read notes on enrolment and privacy policy on the next page)

For payment by cheque, please fill-in your postal address for refund in case the event is full or cancelled.	
Name :	Name :
Address :	Address :



Notes:

1. Priority for enrolment will first be offered to SnIG members and then to non-SnIG HKICPA members in the case of over-subscription.
2. Full payment must be made before your enrolment will be processed. No telephone reservation will be accepted.
3. The closing date for enrolment is **20 May 2015**. However, the Institute has the discretion to accept late applications as it sees fit.
4. Application by fax will ONLY be accepted when payment is made by credit card. Cash is strictly NOT accepted.
5. Successful enrollees will receive confirmation by email or by telephone, whereas unsuccessful applicants will receive full refund by mail.
6. Unless the event is cancelled due to unforeseen circumstances, bad weather or low enrolment, no refund for withdrawal will be entertained after your enrolment has been processed.
7. Bad weather arrangement: When typhoon signal no. 8 or above / Black rainstorm warning is hoisted 2 hours prior to the commencement of the matches, the matches will be re-scheduled.
8. The Institute reserves the right to change the venue and date of the matches due to unforeseen circumstances.

Personal Data: Your personal data collected from the enrolment process and administration of courses/events/activities will be used for the purpose of the administration of the course/event/activity on which you are enrolled ("Event"). Such data collected may be accessible by the Institute's officers, persons or committees processing the application and related matters. In addition, the Institute may use the collected data for statistical research and analysis. By submitting this Enrolment Form, you understand and agree that the Institute may provide your personal data above to co-organisers/service providers in or outside Hong Kong for the purpose relating to the Event. The Institute intends to use the personal data of your name, email address and correspondence address to inform you, where relevant, of members' benefits, goods, services, facilities and events organized or provided by the Institute or other organizations. Members and registered students may opt out of receiving such materials at any time by logging in via the following link <https://www.hkicpa.org.hk/en/members-area/comm-preference/>. Non-members may opt out of receiving such materials at any time by sending an email to the Institute at privacyofficer@hkicpa.org.hk or a letter to the Institute's privacy officer. For more information about the privacy policy of the Institute, please go to <http://www.hkicpa.org.hk/en/service-tools/privacy-policy/>.

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