

Inter-School Swimming Competition 2022-2023 Division One

- 1/ Please note that the following information for the Inter-School Swimming Competition (Division One) has been uploaded to the HKSSF website: Go to www.hkssf.org.hk **【Inter-secondary Schools Sports Competition HK Island and Kowloon > Various Sports Information > Swimming > General Circulars】** .
 1. Time Table
 2. Standard for various events
 3. Application for Display of Banner
 4. Application for Doping Test
- 2/ Teachers-in-charge of swimming are advised to go through the order of events carefully before entering the name of competitors in the entry forms.
- 3/ Schools must follow the **latest** version of “Anti-epidemic Measures for Inter-school Sports Competitions / Events in 2022-2023” (*Updated on 7 Sep 2022*)
- 4/ Any person subject to mandatory quarantine (including StayHomeSafe Scheme or home isolation), or being suspended from face-to-face / school classes in light of the epidemic as required by the government will not be allowed to participate in inter-school sports competitions/events. If any team fails to provide enough eligible athletes at the scheduled time or if the person is not allowed to participate due to the reason stated above and without any eligible substitution shall lead to a **walkover**.
- 5/ Since our competition held at LCSD’s venue, schools should pay attention to the [latest government arrangements for “Vaccine Pass” of various premises](#) (i.e [Dosage Schedule for Vaccine Pass](#) etc), and strictly comply with the guidelines and requirements of the premises.
- 6/ Events included in the order of events are planned to be conducted subject to LCSD’s approval. **No amendment of team list will be allowed** again even if there is any elimination or adjustment of event at last.
- 7/ Events & Entries
 - 7.1/ Each competitor may enter TWO individual events and One relay race.
 - 7.2/ Each school may enter TWO competitors in each event and ONE team in each of the relay races.
- 8/ Precautionary measures and special arrangements will be implemented. Events will be staged behind closed doors as far as practicable. Only Teachers-in-charge or registered Team manager (**Maximum 3 registered teacher-in-charge/Team Manager (non-staff member) per school**), on-list swimmers and officials are allowed to enter the venue.
- 9/ **Ticket arrangements will be made and all participants (including competitors and officials) are required to have a ticket for admission to the venue. Participating schools are kindly requested to send representatives to the HKSSF Office to collect the tickets. Information will be sent to member schools after the team list deadline.**

10/ Teacher-in-charge/ registered team manager shall complete the health declaration form **(Hard copy or Electronic version)** on behalf of his school and submit at the entrance when entering the venue.

⬇ Go to www.hkssf.org.hk 【Inter-secondary Schools Sports Competition HK Island and Kowloon > Swimming > Competition Information> Health Declaration Form】

11/ To ensure proper seeding, participating schools must submit best performance of their 200m swimmers achieved **for the preceding twelve (12) months prior to the entry deadline of the competition. Swimmers will be listed according to the submitted performance in the following order and in order of time:**

11.1 The best competitive time achieved in competition with concrete announced results (e.g. Open competition, inter-school/inter-house/inter-class competition etc.);

11.2 The best time acquired by self-timing;

11.3 Swimmers who do not submit time shall be considered the slowest and shall be placed at the end of the list with a no time.

Allocation of Swimmers into Finals

11.4 The first 8 swimmers as listed will be allotted to the last final;

11.5 The subsequent number of swimmers will be evenly allotted to the rest of the finals, from the second last final to the third last final etc. according to the listed order;

11.6 There shall be a minimum of four swimmers allotted into any one final;

11.7 Swimmers shall be placed in lanes according to the procedures set forth in point 5.4.1 under the General Rules of Inter-school Swimming Competition.

11.8 It is possible for two swimmers from the same school to compete in the same final.

12/ Nomination of Officials & Team List should be duly completed via the HKSSF Online Sports Entry System <http://sportsentry.hkssf.org.hk> . No late entries will be accepted.

13/ To facilitate schools teachers in finalizing their team composition, the deadline has been set as close to the Competition as possible. However, the Management Committee also requires full co-operation of participating schools to forward nomination of officials, team list application for seating, banner and doping test on or before the following deadline.

Deadline

23:59 Monday, 10th October 2022

14/ Day one programme and the list of officials **will not be mailed** to participating schools. Participating Schools please download the Programme from HKSSF website (www.hkssf.org.hk) on or after 19th October 2022.

15/ **NO** promotion and Relegation system will be adopted for all divisions this year. However, trophies will be awarded to the winning school of each grade and overall, medals will be awarded in each events

16/ An administrative fee of **HK\$50 will be charged for each application for Official Split Time.** The application form must be duly filled in and submitted to the Recording Room together with the administrative fee **one hour before the race.**

17/ Enquiries should be directed to the HK Island and Kowloon office of the Federation at 27119182.

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To : Schools in Div. I
Date : 7th September 2022