



香港國際象棋總會有限公司
Hong Kong Chess Federation Limited

3rd Hong Kong National Open and Junior Rapid Chess Championships 2017
(FIDE Rapid Rated)

Co-Organized by Hong Kong Chess Federation and St. Joseph's College.

Juniors and Adults are welcome to Register!

Date	Sept 16 (Sat), 2017
Time	9am - 5pm
Location	St. Joseph's College 7 Kennedy Road, Hong Kong
Sections	U8, U10, U12, U14, U16, U18, Open (Total 7 Sections) U8 (born in 2009 and onward) U10 (born in 2007 and 2008) U12 (born in 2005 and 2006) U14 (born in 2003 and 2004) U16 (born in 2001 and 2002) U18 (born in 1999 and 2000) Open (any age)
Requirement	Players with HKG FIDE ID. Players without Fide ID must be Hong Kong Residents, please contact the federation to apply a Fide ID before the tournament.
Format	7 Round Swiss (Sections with 8 or less players will either be Round Robin or combined in a mixed group section)
Tie Break	1) Direct Encounter. 2) Buchholz Cut 1. 3) Greater Number of Wins (forfeits included). 4) Sonneborn Berger score. NOTE: If the above is insufficient then they shall be declared Joint Champions

Award	<p>Trophies for the Top 3 players and Top Girl in each Section. Certificate is available upon request at HKD50 each.</p> <p>Tournament Result will be put into consideration for representing Hong Kong in any future FIDE Rapid event. Please note that only permanent Hong Kong residents have the right to represent Hong Kong</p>
Regulations	<p>The Tournament will be FIDE Rapid rated and shall follow the FIDE Laws of Chess.</p> <p>Chess clocks will be used.</p> <p>Notation is not compulsory.</p>
Chief Arbiter	FA Robin Lai
Deputy Chief Arbiter	NA Michael Ka Hung Cheung NA Sydney Sai Wing Lai
Run Down	<p>Registration starts at 8:30am</p> <p>1st Round Starts at 9:00am</p> <p>2nd Round Starts at 10:00am</p> <p>3rd Round Starts at 11:00am</p> <p>~ Lunch Break after round 3~</p> <p>4th Round Starts at 1:00pm</p> <p>5th Round Starts at 2:00pm</p> <p>6th Round Starts at 3:00pm</p> <p>7th Round Starts at 4:00pm</p> <p>Award Giving Ceremony follows immediately afterward.</p>
Entry Fee	<p>HKD 450</p> <p>HKCFL members enjoy a HKD50 discount.</p>
Fide ID	<p>You can check if you are already registered with a Fide ID of HKG here:</p> <p>https://ratings.fide.com/advaction.phtml?idcode=&name=&title=&other_title=&country=HKG&sex=&srating=0&erating=3000&birthday=&radio=name&line=asc</p>
Deadline	13th Sept, 2017
Registration	Please Register online at hongkongchess.com