

## Home Affairs Bureau Arts & Sport Development Fund 民政事務局 藝術及體育發展基金







## 19<sup>th</sup> Asian Games Preparation Recruiting Hong Kong Baseball National Team Player

## **Open Recruitment**

1) Goals

To recruit top players to prepare for and participate in the 19th Asian Games;

Tournament Period: 12 - 24 September 2022 (Estimated date of arrival for registration: 9 September;

Date of return to Hong Kong: 25 September)

Location: Hangzhou, China

Quarantine Period in China: To be advised be the organizer

**Quarantine Period in Hong Kong:** According to Compulsory Quarantine of Certain Persons Arriving at Hong Kong Regulation (Made by the Chief Executive in Council under section 8 of the Prevention and

Control of Disease Ordinance (Cap. 599))

2) Coaching Team

Hong Kong Baseball Association (HKBA) senior coaching team Guest fielder and hitting coach – CHEN Jui-Cheng

Guest pitching coach – YEH Ming-Huang

3) Additional Training (ASDF)

April 2022 until the games start

Day	Time	Venue	Remarks
Mon, Thu	1300 - 1500	Fitness Studio	Strength & Conditioning
Tue to Fri	1500 - 1800	PKVR	Baseball Training
Sat	1800 - 2100	Sai Tso Wan Recreation Ground	Mock Games and Sport Psychology

National Squad Training (LCSD) All-vear round

Day	Time	Venue	Remarks
Tue, Fri	1800 - 2200	Sai Tso Wan Recreation Ground	Baseball Training
Wed	2000 - 2200	Sai Tso Wan Recreation Ground	Strength & Conditioning

Five-year Development Programme for Team Sports Training (TS) All-year round

Day	Time	Venue	Remarks
Tue	2000 - 2200	Sai Tso Wan Recreation Ground	Strength & Conditioning
Wed	1800 - 2200	Sai Tso Wan Recreation Ground	Baseball Training
Fri	1900 – 2100	Sai Tso Wan Recreation Ground	Strength & Conditioning
Sun	0930 - 1230	Sai Tso Wan Recreation Ground	Baseball Training

4) Training Fee

Training fee will be exempted for the HKBA registered elite athletes; Participation fee will be charged if there are oversea training or competition

5) Participation Fee

Depends on approved subsidies and subvention level.

6) Eligibility

- 1. Must be HKBA member of 2022/23; (The valid date must be on or after 1 April 2022, can apply or renew the membership immediately)
- 2. Male, and born in or before 2004;
- 3. Must hold valid HKSAR Passport and Mainland Travel Permit for Hong Kong and Macau Residents; (The valid date must be on or after 31 December 2022)
- 4. Pass the tryout skill test. Selected players must register as HKBA elite athlete after passing the test; For who born in 2004, the registration fee of junior squad will be HKD 1,200, and for who born in or before 1997, the registration fee of senior squad will be HKD1,800. (The valid period from 1 April 2022 to 31 March 2023); For more details, please refer to "Elite Athlete Registration of Hong Kong Baseball Association Leaflet"

https://www.hkbaseball.org/userfiles/file/02 2022-23 Elite Athlete Registration English.pdf

## 7) Registration Procedure

- 1. Log in to the HKBA "Online Registration System", and select "Preparation for the 19<sup>th</sup> Asian Games Tryout" in the Elite Athlete Registration under the Application.
- 2. Fill in the Google form below and upload the required documents. https://forms.gle/9Ss43YJ9TCKXZDPS9
- 8) Application Deadline

20 March 2022

9) Tryout Date

Will notify the tryout date and time individually

10) Delegation Size

1 team leader, 3 coaches, 24 players

- 11) Players Tryout
- 1. Recommended athletes must attend the trainings, with not less than 80% attendance;
- 2. The coaching team will submit the final nomination list to the Hong Kong Team Players Selection Panel 14 days before the official submission;
- 3. The HKBA will contact the shortlisted and reserve athletes through email. The athletes are required to submit the consent form and the fee (if applicable) before the deadline;
- 4. Selected athletes must go for the body check to ensure meeting the official requirements;
- 5. Players' eligibility is subject to the Tournament Organizer announcements;
- 6. The HKBA will provide games jerseys, team cap and uniform to the selected players. Other apparel such as baseball pants, shoes, belt and personal equipment, like gloves, protective gear (except catcher protective gear and batter helmet), should prepare by the players;
- 7. Participants are required to pay back all the incurred expenditure in the event if fail to participate the games due to personal reason;
- 8. Players have to abide by training rules and regulations, coach reserves the right to dismiss critical offender.
- 12) Remarks
- 1. For those who have not received any notice from the Association within the second day after submitting the application online, please contact the association at 2504 8330 or email to hkbsa@hkolympic.org.
- 2. The selection result will notify participants by email within 7 working days after the selection.
- 3. The Association might adjust the training schedule and venue base on the venue confirmation;
- 4. The membership fee, registration fee and participation fee will not be refunded once the application submitted, regardless of any circumstances;
- 5. The HKBA reserves the right to approve the application;
- 6. The preparation scheme is partially subvented by the Arts and Sport Development Fund (Sports Portion) under Home Affairs Bureau, Five-year Development Programme for Team Sports, and the Leisure and Cultural Services Department.
- 7. The HKBA has insured group accident insurance for the participants. Please refer to <a href="www.hkbaseball.org">www.hkbaseball.org</a> for details of the coverage. Participants can arrange additional insurance according to their personal needs.
- 8. For selection and appeal mechanism, please refer to the Association website or links: Hong Kong Team Player Selection <a href="https://www.hkbaseball.org/userfiles/file/HKTeam\_Player\_Selection.pdf">https://www.hkbaseball.org/userfiles/file/HKTeam\_Player\_Selection.pdf</a> and Appeal Proceedings on Selection Decision/ Disciplinary Decision <a href="https://www.hkbaseball.org/userfiles/file/Appeal Proceedings on Players or Team Selection-.pdf">https://www.hkbaseball.org/userfiles/file/Appeal Proceedings on Players or Team Selection-.pdf</a>
- 13) Enquiries

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Remarks: During the anti-epidemic period, HKBA is implementing working from home. You are supported to contact us by email.