

Conditions of Contest 比賽規例

Laws規則

The Laws of Duplicate Bridge 2007 will be used. Unless stated explicitly, the General Conditions of Contest governing APBF tournaments will apply.

比賽將採用國際橋協的2007年複式橋牌規則。如非訂明，將採用亞太橋聯的比賽規例。

Tournament Format比賽形式

The Open, Ladies & Youth Team Championships will be divided into the qualifying and final rounds. Teams will be divided into sections in the qualifying round. 8 teams in the Open series, 2 in the Ladies and 4 in the Youth will enter the play-offs. All play-offs will be knockout matches.

公開、女子及青年組將分為初賽及決賽。初賽時，所有參賽隊伍會被編排入若干組。公開組將有8隊、女子2隊及青年4隊進入決賽圈。決賽圈以淘汰賽形式進行。

Tie Breaking平分決勝法

Qualifying round: IMP quotient, then direct match IMP, failing that by a draw.

Quarter- and Semi-finals: Sudden death of 2+1 boards.

Finals: Sudden death of 4+2 boards.

初賽：IMP商數、之後對抗賽IMP。如相同，則以抽籤決定。

1/2準決賽及準決賽：「突然死亡」方式加賽2+1副牌。

決賽：「突然死亡」方式加賽4+2副牌。

Systems & Conventions叫牌制度及約定

The APBF convention regulations will be used. Brown Sticker Conventions are only allowed for the Open Team Play-offs. All pairs are required to bring 2 copies of duly completed WBF convention card to the tournament, failing which procedural penalties may be imposed.

比賽將採用亞太橋聯的制度規則。棕色約定只能在公開組決賽圈時使用。所有橋手參加比賽時必須有兩份填妥的世界橋聯約定咭，否則可能會遭處分。

Alerts and Explanations提示注意及解答

The WBF Alerting Policy will be adopted. It is the responsibility of the alerting player to alert clearly. No explanation of the meaning of the alertable call should be made unless requested by an opponent.

比賽將採用世界橋聯之約定規則。叫牌者有責任清楚地提示注意。如敵方無發問則不應作任何解答。

Seating陣容

Teams play according to the schedule. The 1st-named team will be the Home Team and sits NS in the Open Room. The 2nd-named team is the Visiting Team and sits NS in the Closed Room. The captains must complete the Line-up 5 minutes before starting time. Any team failing to observe the above and causing a delay of the match will be subject to **Late Start** penalties.

所有隊伍必須根據賽程表進行比賽。名字先行隊伍即為主隊，後者則為客隊。主隊在公開室坐南北，在關閉室則坐東西。隊長應於比賽開始前5分鐘填妥出場名單。任何隊伍如不遵守上述規定，則當延遲比賽論，有關的懲罰見以下延遲比賽條例。

Agreement of Results呈交賽果程序

The Captains are responsible for agreeing and signing the official results within 15 minutes after the official completion time of a match. Discrepancies must be reported no later than the completion of the following match.

比賽後，每隊的隊長須於正式比賽時間結束後15分鐘內確定賽果、并在指定成績表上簽名。任何異議必須在下一輪比賽完結之前提出。

Late Start延遲開始比賽

0 - 5 mins. 分鐘	1st offence: warning	首犯: 警告
	2nd +: 1 VP each	再犯: 每次1VP
>5 - 10 mins. 分鐘	1 VP	
>10 - 15 mins. 分鐘	2 VPs	
>15 - 20 mins. 分鐘	3 VPs	
20+ mins. 分鐘以上	Walkover棄權	

Slow Play打牌緩慢

0 - 5 mins. 分鐘	1 VP
>5 - 10 mins. 分鐘	1.5 VPs
>10 - 15 mins. 分鐘	2 VPs
>15 - 20 mins. 分鐘	2.5 VPs
20+ mins. 分鐘以上	At the discretion of the Organising Committee由比賽小組決定

Request for Review Procedure要求復核程序

A request for a review of the TD's ruling must be lodged with the TD within 30 minutes of the posting of the official score for the match. The request must be submitted, with a deposit of HK\$500, to the TD for delivery to the Reviewer. The deposit will be forfeited if the Reviewer found the appeal to be frivolous, otherwise it will be refunded.

任何對比賽裁判裁定的要求復核，須於賽果正式公布後30分鐘內，向裁判提出；所有要求復核必須連同港幣500元按金，交予比賽裁判轉呈復核員。復核員如認為該要求復核毫無理由，則可沒收按金，否則會獲退回。

Computer Dealt Hands電腦分牌

All teams will play the same set of computer dealt hands. These hands are generated at random with no special constraints or restrictions.

所有隊伍將會比賽由電腦分派的同一套牌。電腦分牌乃隨機派發，並沒有特別限制。

Screens and Bidding Boxes遮幕及叫牌咭

Bidding boxes will be used throughout this Championship. Screens will be used in the play-offs.

今次錦標賽一律使用叫牌咭進行比賽。半準決賽、準決賽及決賽將使用遮幕。

Smoking吸煙

By government regulation, smoking is prohibited in the playing venue and surrounding areas.

香港政府規定、在賽場及附近區域嚴禁吸煙。