

HONG KONG OPEN DIVING CHAMPIONSHIPS 2023

(Organized by Hong Kong China Swimming Association & Subvented by Leisure and Cultural Services Department)

Date :	16-17 December 2023 (Saturday to Sunday)
Time :	10:00-22:00 (16 December 2023) Competition 08:00-20:00 (17 December 2023) Competition
Venue :	Kowloon Park Swimming Pool – Diving Pool
Entry Conditions :	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✧ All competitors must be 2023-24 registered athletes of Diving Discipline (DV) of HKGSA and register before entry deadline. ✧ Divers younger than 8 years on December 31st in the year of the competition shall not be permitted to compete at the Open Diving Competition.
Entries :	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✧ HK\$ 25 per diver per individual and synchronized event. (Paid by cheque only. Crossed cheque made payable to "HKGSA".) ✧ The coach is entirely responsible for the accuracy of the age group of diver indicated in the entry form. ✧ Incomplete / Incorrect information will be rejected and fees will not be refunded. ✧ Late entries will not be accepted. ✧ Statement of Dives ("SD") must submitted in one original. ✧ Coach is entirely responsible for the accuracy of the information indicated in the SD. Any late, incomplete or incorrect SD of any part will not be accepted. Once there is any incorrectness or discrepancy found in any part of the submitted SD, it will be returned to the Club. The Club must return the corrected SD with HK\$ 100 per crossed cheque each dive sheets within 24 hours (based on working days); otherwise deems withdrawal. ✧ For Dives Amendments, must submit the final dive sheet with HK\$ 100 crossed cheque for each dive sheets to HKGSA on or before the Final Amendment Deadline, otherwise deems withdrawal.
Closing Date for Entries:	17 November 2023 (Friday) 17:00
Closing Date for Statement of Dives:	29 November 2023 (Wednesday) 17:00
Closing Date for Dives Amendment:	11 December 2023 (Monday) 12:00
Random Draw:	22 November 2023 (Wednesday) 17:00 The draw will be held at HKGSA Office. Each participating Club can have one representative to attend the draw. HKGSA will do the draw on behalf of any Club without representative and the draw result will not be announced individually.
Group & Eligibilities:	<p><u>Open A:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✧ Divers participating in a particular event in Open A are NOT allowed to participate in that same event (individual or 1m synchronized or team diving event) in Open B anymore, including Hong Kong Diving Competition Series. ✧ If HKGSA cannot arrange a selection trial for a specific oversea competition, only the result of Open "A" and/or Open Synchronized event would be used to select suitable athletes. <p><u>Open B:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✧ HKGSA only accepts divers, who have not fulfilled the Upgrade Requirement Scores (URS) in particular event in the past Hong Kong Open Championships or the Hong Kong Diving Competition Series, to participate in that event. ✧ Open B 1m Synchronized Springboard: For Open B divers of this event only. ✧ The "Local Diving Competitions Upgraded Requirement Scores (URS)" will be applied.
Event list:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✧ Event list information as below. ✧ World Aquatics competition format will apply in Group A ✧ HKGSA competition format will apply in Group B
Rules :	✧ World Aquatics rules 2022-2025 & HKGSA diving rules will apply
Awards :	✧ Medals will be awarded to 1 st , 2 nd and 3 rd place.

Scratches :	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✧ Scratch form must be submitted 30 minutes before the scheduled start time of each session. ✧ A fine of \$30 will be charges for “no show” of each event. Fine payment should be settled by the competition day. Otherwise, the entry of the concerned diver(s) will not be accepted.
Protest :	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✧ Any protest shall be made in writing to the Arbitration Committee within 30 minutes following the end of all events with the protest form and an appeal fee of HK\$200. ✧ Protest will be forward to the Arbitration Committee (Members including Arbitrators, Meet Director or/and Referee) of such competition for decision. ✧ If the protest is rejected, the fee is non-refundable.

Event List Information

	Events	Competition Format		
		Dives with limit of degree of difficulty	Dives without limit of degree of difficulty	Total degree of difficulty shall not exceed
1	Men Open A 1 meter Springboard / 3 meter Springboard / Platform	0	6	/
2	Women Open A 1 meter Springboard / 3 meter Springboard / Platform	0	5	/
3	Men Open B 1 meter Springboard / 3 meter Springboard / Platform Dives with limit of DD: 4 dives each selected from different groups Dives with without of DD: 2 dives each selected from different groups, no dive of the same number shall be repeated from Dives of limit of DD	4	2	7.6
4	Women Open B 1 meter Springboard / 3 meter Springboard / Platform Dives with limit of DD: 4 dives each selected from different groups Dives with without of DD: 1 dives each selected from different groups, no dive of the same number shall be repeated from Dives of limit of DD	4	1	7.6
5	Synchronized Diving Men Open 3 meter Springboard / 10 meter Platform	2	4	2.0 for first and second dives
6	Synchronized Diving Women Open 3 meter Springboard / 10 meter Platform	2	3	2.0 for first and second dives
7	Synchronized Diving Men Open B 1 meter Springboard Dives with limit of DD: 2 dives each selected from different groups Dives with without of DD: 3 dives each selected from different groups, no dive of the same number shall be repeated from Dives of limit of DD	2	3	2.0 for first and second dives
8	Synchronized Diving Women Open B 1 meter Springboard	2	2	2.0 for first and second dives
	Dives with limit of DD: 2 dives each selected from different groups Dives with without of DD: 2 dives each selected from different groups, no dive of the same number shall be repeated from Dives of limit of DD			

*Degree of difficulty (DD)

If there are any changes and dispute arises, decision from the HKGSA will be final.