

Captains Notes - Mixed Netball League 2010

on Court Players

There is a "3 men maximum on the court" at one time in each of the following positions:

Male 1:	GA or GS
Male 2:	GD or GK
Male 3:	WA or WD or C

Please note: There is a no "minimum men on court" requirement.

Points

Win:	4 Points
Draw:	2 points per team
Game Cancellation:	2 points per team
Loss:	1 Point
Forfeiting Team:	minus 2 Points
Team unable to play due to forfeit:	4 points
Not supplying an umpire:	minus 1 Point
Failure to notify a forfeit:	minus 8 points

Points Games Played on Court 7

Games on court 7 play for double points, as teams will be playing out of their assigned pool.

Please Note: If a game is cancelled due to wet weather or pollution games will NOT be rescheduled. Teams will be awarded points accordingly.

Wet Weather

Cancellation of games will happen by 5pm.

SMS will be sent to all captains alternatively you can phone the HKNA office to check 2504 8208.

Game Timing & Setting Up of Courts

- Timing per game will be 12 minute quarters, 2 minutes first & third quarter breaks and 4 minutes for half time and between games.
- Games will be 7:30pm or 8:30pm (usually rotating each week)
- Teams playing at 7:30pm will need to get 1 post each out of the store room behind the toilet block to set up the court they are playing on.
- After the match at 8:30pm finishes, teams will need to put 1 post each back into the store room.

Desk Duty

HKNA will supply representatives to run the Desk. If there are any issues with umpiring or general team issues on the night, please see the desk for assistance.

Conduct and Sportsmanship

Umpires will be allowed to remove players from the court if play is continually rough and unsportsmanlike. Please remember - the umpire's decision is final.

Forfeit

If you would like to forfeit, please do so no later than 5pm before Game Night. HKNA will not be responsible for teams who want to forfeit and it is up to the forfeiting team to understand clearly what the procedure is:

1. The forfeiting team must contact the opposing captain and vice captain by email and sms. Please clearly identify which team you are from. If you have not heard from the team captain or vice captain to confirm the forfeit, you must follow up with a phone call.
2. The forfeiting team must then contact the captains of the umpires who are scheduled to umpire the game by email and sms. If you have not heard from the team captain or vice captain to confirm the forfeit, you must follow up with a phone call.
3. You are still required to provide an umpire on game night even though your team has forfeited. If you are unable to provide an umpire than it will be up to you to arrange accordingly. HKNA will not be responsible if you are unable to provide an umpire.
4. All emails to be cc'd hkna@hkolympic.org

Umpiring

- Each team is required to provide an umpire for the game **before** or **after** the game they are playing on the **same court** (e.g. if you are playing at 8:30pm on Court 5, you need to supply 1 umpire for the 7:30pm timeslot on Court 5 and vice-versa).
- If you are scheduled to play and 1 umpire fails to show please inform the Desk. Both teams can agree to 1 umpire looking after the whole game.
- Alternatively, if no other umpire is available, then one team will supply an umpire for the first half and the other team will supply an umpire for the second half.
- Umpiring whistles (\$160) and Rule Books (\$60) can be purchased at the desk. (Please bring exact money).

Guest Players

Players not listed on the original team list are still required to pay \$150. Team lists will be available at the desk to add your new team member at every game. If the team already have 20 players on the team, then please remove/replace accordingly.

Cheques can be made out to Hong Kong Netball Association. If you only have cash, please bring exact money as no change will be given.

First Aid

St John's Ambulance First Aid will be available on most game nights. However teams are encouraged to have a basic first aid kit. Enquires can be made to hkna@hkolympic.org if your team wishes to purchase one.

Finger Nails / Jewellery/Gloves

Nails: Must be short and blunt

Jewellery: All has to be removed. Please do not bring precious and expensive items to the courts.

Gloves: Are permitted. (Golf gloves are permitted if netball gloves are unavailable)

Long Nails: No Tapping allowed. Please invest in gloves.