



Fourth Asian Cities
Chess Tournament
Hong Kong
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Message from the Governor



I welcome to Hong Kong our overseas visitors and wish the Fourth Asian Cities Chess Tournament every success.

Edward Young

GOVERNOR



Hong Kong Bank Foundation



Michael G R Sandberg
Chairman
The Hongkong and Shanghai Banking
Corporation

The popularity of large chess tournaments in Asia is evidence of the growth in support which the game now attracts and which has expanded so rapidly during the last few years.

Chess is a game which knows no national boundaries, and it is encouraging to note that 30 teams of players from Asian cities will be taking part in the Fourth Asian Cities Chess Tournament in Hong Kong this year.

The Hongkong Bank Foundation is pleased to give its sponsorship to this Tournament which will provide pleasure and inspiration to chess enthusiasts not only throughout the region, but worldwide.

We extend our best wishes to all those official bodies connected with the Tournament, and to all competitors who will undoubtedly contribute so much to its success.

Message from the President



Dear Chess Friends,

I am pleased to again have the pleasure of extending to all participants and officials from many different countries and cities a very sincere welcome.

The occasion of the 4th Asian Cities Chess Tournament here in Hong Kong is one that I hope will demonstrate to all who attend that we do truly live up to the motto of FIDE, our World Chess Federation. The motto "Gens Una Sumus" — we are one family — is I trust, one that we will always remember.

The players and officials of our Federation, together with the people of Hong Kong, and of course, our sponsors the Hong Kong Bank Foundation, hope that your stay will be an enjoyable one. I look forward to meeting all of you personally during the course of the Tournament.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Leslie Collings', is written over the typed name.

Leslie Collings
President
Hong Kong Chess Federation



PARTICIPATING CITIES

Ahmadi	Kuala Lumpur
Bangalore	Kuwait
Bangkok	Madras
Baguio	Manama
Beijing	Manila
Chengdu	Medan
Chiangmai	Melbourne
Davao City	Pattaya
Failaka	Penang
Hangzhou	Petaling Jaya
Hong Kong	Singapore
Hyderabad	Surabaya
Jakarta	Sydney
Karachi	Tokyo
Kowloon	Woollongong

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Mr. Abd Jabrr Yaacob (Malaysia)

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Philip Chao
Robert Leung

Chess Tournament 1983



PROGRAMME

Saturday	March 5	—	—	Teams arrive
Sunday	March 6	1000	Y.M.C.A.	Captain's meeting
		1230	Hilton Hotel	Welcome lunch
		1345	Hilton Hotel	Opening Ceremony
		1400	Hilton Hotel	Round 1
Monday	March 7	1400	Y.M.C.A.	Round 2
Tuesday	March 8	1400	Y.M.C.A.	Round 3
Wednesday	March 9	1400	Y.M.C.A.	Round 4
Thursday	March 10	1400	Y.M.C.A.	Round 5
Friday	March 11	1400	Y.M.C.A.	Round 6
Saturday	March 12	1400	Y.M.C.A.	Round 7
Sunday	March 13	1400	Y.M.C.A.	Round 8
Monday	March 14	1100	Y.M.C.A.	Round 9
		2000	Hilton Hotel	Closing dinner and Prizes presentation
Tuesday	March 15	—	—	Teams depart

PRIZES

- Winning Team: Asian Cities Cup
Each Team member a Wrist Watch
- Second Team: Runners-up Cup
- Third Team: Third Place Cup
- Fourth Team: Fourth Place Cup



Tournament Rules

1. Play shall be governed by the FIDE Laws of Chess.
2. In the event of any dispute with the Tournament Director's decision there shall be right of appeal to a committee. No member shall assist in an appeal if he is an interested party.
3. The order of the Five (5) players submitted at the Captain's meeting shall be the order for the whole tournament.
4. Teams consisting of Four (4) players, must be submitted to the Controllers at least half an hour before play is due to commence each day.
5. Pairing of teams shall be the Swiss System. The first named team shall have White on the odd boards.
6. Final placings shall be decided by game points.
7. In the event of ties the following methods will be used to determine placings in descending order:-
 - a. Match Points
 - b. Sonnenborn Berger
 - c. Sum of Opponent's Scores
 - d. Individual results (if only 2 teams involved)
8. Rate of play for each player shall be 40 moves in 2 hours and all remaining moves in 1 hour.
9. Moves must be recorded at all times except for the final five minutes of the second time control when players will be allowed to tick.
10. The player whose flag falls first, loses the game unless there is insufficient mating material when the game will be declared a draw.
11. Insufficient mating material will only be the FIDE accepted cases:

King	Vs.	King
King, Bishop	Vs.	King
King, Knight	Vs.	King
King, Bishop	Vs.	King, Bishop (On same diagonals)



Team Names

Ahmadi [KUWAIT]

Abdul Aziz Ibrahim
Naser Al Rashed
Mahmood Al Ostath
Mohammed Al Basheer
Mohammed Al Harby

Bangalore [INDIA]

Bangkok [THAILAND]

Pricha Sinprayoon
Suchart Chaivichit
Anothai Rittipunyawong
Maijai Kavakul
Petdamrong

Baguio [PHILIPPINES]

Gerry Evangelista Jr.
Jose Ilagan
Isidro Chammag
Gabriel Tagles
Rogelio Lumabas

Beijing [PRC]

Liu Wenzhe
Wang Bijun
Yang Xian
Bai Man
Sun Qinan

Chengdu [PRC]

Liu Shancheng
Ma Hongding
Wang Li
Zheng Li
Huang Rui

Chiangmai [THAILAND]

Sudya Vajrabhaya
Prakob Sa-Ngadsup
Wichien Watanachiranont
Wallop Kulsirisawad

Davao City [PHILIPPINES]

Marlo Micayabas
Antonio Calvo
Peter Tidoy
Airel Ranolo
Mabini Pablo

Failaka [KUWAIT]

Abdullah Asad
Eiza Boursli
Hageeb Al Awadi
Tariq Rahmah
Hassan Sayed Hussain

Hangzhou [PRC]

Chen Zhongshui
Zhang Weida
Ye Rongguang
Wang Jiaquan
Qiah Jifu

Hong Kong [HONG KONG]

Mark Kiernan
Karlo Schepel
Luen-Wah Luk
Naresh Jhunjhnuwala
Suresh Jhunjhnuwala

Hyderabad [INDIA]

Jakarta [INDONESIA]

Herman Suradireja
Ardyansjah
Sarwan Ginting
Sjarief Mahmud
Edward Tobing
Tomy Suprianto

Karachi [PAKISTAN]

Zaheer Farooqui
Shahzad Mirza
Riaz Ahmed
Mohammed Wiqar
S.P. Jamal

Kowloon [HONG KONG]

George Murphy
Robert Lin
Ian Scott
Manny Benitez
Ramesh Jhunjhnuwala

Team Names



Kuala Lumpur [MALAYSIA]

Paul Foo
Eddy Kwan Nam Sang
Tham Tick Hong
Kong Ah Then
Woong Yan Wah

Kuwait [KUWAIT]

Abdul Wahab Al Othman
Mansour Al Ostath
Ali Nema
Abdul Galeel Alqalaf
Hamed Al Rahmani

Madras [INDIA]

Sekhar
Ravikumar
Parameswaran
Aaron
Natarajan

Manama [BAHRAIN]

Mustafa sayed Ali
Khalid Forooghi
Yousif Ajlan
Ali Gashra
Moh'd Abdulla

Manila [PHILIPPINES]

Ricky De Guzman
Cris Ramayrat
Elias Lao
Mirabeau Maga
Oscar Tan

Medan [INDONESIA]

Monang Sinulingga
Thomas Girting
David Purba
Cerdas Barus
Yossi Ronny

Melbourne [AUSTRALIA]

I. Rogers
D. Johansen
S. Solomon
A. Prods

Pattaya [THAILAND]

Prajuab Nimityongskul
Dr. Pichai Nimityongsakul
Thian Mekanonchai
Lloyd Taub

Penang [MALAYSIA]

Goh Yoon Wah
Jimmy Liew Chee Meng
Ooi Gim Eng
Chuah Heng Meng
Ooi Gim Ewe

Petaling Jaya [MALAYSIA]

Dr. Foo Lum Choon
Choo Min Wang
Woo Beng Keong
Christopher Lee
Chew Soon Keong

Singapore [SINGAPORE]

Giam Choo Kwee, IM
Chia Chee Seng, FM
Teo Kok Cheng
Koh Kum Hong
Wong Kwok Onn, Ian

Surabaya [INDONESIA]

Ronny Gunawan
Achmad Fauzi
Bambang Iriadi
Toha Untoro
Mastur Noor

Sydney [AUSTRALIA]

Terrey Shaw
Naum Levin
Roy Travers
Philip Brown
Ian Parsonage

Tokyo [JAPAN]

Takemoto
Nishimura
Michimata
Nojiri
Aoyama

Woolong [AUSTRALIA]

G. Meldrum
R. Voon
G. Crocker
M. Markovec
J. Tong



Past Results 1979-80

First Asian Cities Chess Tournament (March 25 — April 1, 1979)

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	PTS
1 Singapore	x	2	2	3½	2	2½	3	—	—	4	—	—	19
2 Manila	2	x	2	2	—	—	2½	2½	3½	—	4	—	18½
3 Beijing	2	2	x	2	2	2	—	4	—	4	—	—	18
4 Jarkata	½	2	2	x	3	—	3	—	—	4	—	3½	18
5 Guangzhou	2	—	2	1	x	3½	1½	—	—	—	3½	3	16½
6 Hong Kong	1½	—	2	—	½	x	1½	3	4	—	3½	—	16
7 Shanghai	1	1½	—	2½	2½	x	—	2½	—	—	3½	3	14½
8 Bangkok	—	1½	0	—	—	1	—	x	2½	2	3	4	14
9 Tokyo	—	½	—	—	—	0	1½	1½	x	1	2½	3	10
10 Kuala Lumpur	0	—	0	0	—	—	—	2	3	x	1½	2½	9
11 Penang	—	0	—	—	½	½	—	1	1½	2½	x	2½	8½
12 Hong Kong (B)	—	—	—	½	1	—	½	0	1	1½	1½	x	6

Second Asian Cities Chess Tournament (March 7 — March 17, 1980)

GROUP A		1	2	3	4	5	6	PTS
1	Guangzhou	—	2½	2½	2½	4	4	15½
2	Metro Manila	1½	—	1½	3	3½	3½	13
3	Shanghai	1½	2½	—	3	3	2½	12½
4	Bacolod/Davao	1½	1	1	—	1½	2½	7½
5	Surabaya	0	½	1	2½	—	3	7
6	Bangkok	0	½	1½	1½	1	—	4½

GROUP B		1	2	3	4	PTS
1	Jakarta	—	2	2½	4	8½
2	Medan	2	—	2	4	8
3	Beijing	1½	2	—	2½	6
4	Kuala Lumpur	0	0	1½	—	1½

GROUP C		1	2	3	4	PTS
1	Hong Kong	—	2	3	3	8
2	Penang	2	—	3½	2½	8
3	Tokyo	1	½	—	3	4½
4	Hong Kong (B)	1	1½	1	—	3½

Past Winners 1981-82



Third Asian Cities Chess Tournament (February 22 — March 1, 1981)

	Rounds	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	PTS
1	Shanghai	4	7	8½	12½	15½	18½	22	6
2	Metro Manila	2½	6½	9½	13	14	17	21	6
3	Guangzhou	4	7½	10	10½	14½	18½	20½	5½
4	Medan	2½	6½	9	9	12	13	17	5
5	Jakarta	1½	4½	7½	10½	14	15	17	4½
6	Sydney	4	5	7	8½	10½	13½	17	4
7	Bacolod	3	4	5	8	11	13½	16½	5
8	Surabaya	4	4½	7½	8½	10½	12½	15½	4
9	Banglore	2½	2½	5½	7½	10	14	14½	4½
10	Madras	4	4½	5½	7½	9½	13½	14½	3
11	Hyderabad	1	5	6	8	9	11	14	3
12	Beijing	3	6	7½	9½	12½	12½	13½	3½
13	Karachi	2	5	8	9	10	11	13½	3½
14	Penang	3½	7	8	11	11½	13	13½	3
15	Bangkok	1½	5½	7½	9½	9½	13½	13½	3
16	Pattaya	0	3	4	6	9	9	13	3½
17	Chiangmai	1	1	3½	6½	10	10	12½	4
18	Singapore	0	4	7	9½	10½	12½	12½	3½
19	Kowloon	2	3	5	6	6½	10	12½	3
20	Tokyo	½	½	2	4½	7½	11	12	3
21	Hong Kong	1½	2½	4½	6½	8½	10½	12	2
22	Kuala Lumpur	0	1	3½	5½	6½	10	11½	2½
23	Bandar Seri Begawan	2	2	6	8	9½	9½	11	2
24	Petaling Jaya	0	3	4	6	7	7½	10½	2½
25	Shizuoka	0	1	2½	3½	5½	6	7	½
26	Scisys Computers (HK)	2	2	2	3½	5½	6	6	1



Third Asian Cities Chess Tournament



Presentation by Mr. A De O. Sales, Chairman of the Urban Council, to the winners.



Guangzhou, the eventual winners of the 3rd Asian Cities Chess Tournament, playing against Singapore.

Third Asian Cities



The Hong Kong team playing against the Bangalore team, 3rd Asian Cities Tournament.



The Kowloon team of 1981 playing against a computer team.



First and Second Asian Cities



Presentation at the 1st Asian Cities Chess Tournament to the winning Team Singapore.



Presentation night of the 1st Asian Cities Chess Tournament



Mr. F. Campomanes speaking at the closing dinner of the 1st Asian Cities Chess Tournament.



Inneke Bakker, General Secretary of FIDE and Leslie Collings presenting the trophy to Yang Ming, president of the winning team, Shanghai at the 2nd Asian Cities Tournament. Zhu Yu Shan, Secretary General of the Chinese Chess Association looks on.



Chess Story



Grand Master Viktor Korchnoi with Michael Stean in Hong Kong 1979.



The Simultaneous Exhibition 1981.



The 2nd Asian Cities Chess Tournament 1980 opening ceremony.



A rousing start by the band to the 1st Asian Cities Chess Tournament.