



# Asian Cadet Cup Invitation

May 24, 2024

Dear Friends,

We are pleased to invite you to the Asian Cadet Cup 2024 (Malaysia), which will be held at the Arena Tan Sri Hamzah, Level 3 Olympic Council of Malaysia (OCM) Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia from the 3<sup>rd</sup> till 5<sup>th</sup> September 2024.

Attached are the Entry and Accommodation forms to facilitate your participation to the competition. Kindly take note of the deadlines with which you are required to complete and submit these forms.

Details about the competition may also be found in the succeeding pages. Forfurther details you may make inquiries through email: **mffmofc@hotmail.com**.

Thank you very much and we look forward to welcoming you in Kuala Lumpur.

Best regards,

Mdm. Rusni Abu Hassan

President

Malaysian Fencing Federation



# Asian Cadet Cup 2024 (Malaysia) 3<sup>rd</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup> September 2024



# **COMPETITION DETAILS**

1. Date : 3<sup>rd</sup> to 5<sup>th</sup> September 2024

2. Venue : Arena Tan Sri Hamzah, Level 3

Olympic Council Malaysia (OCM)

Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia

3. Organizer: Malaysian Fencing Federation

**4. Email** : mffmofc@hotmail.com

# 5. Competition Schedule

DATE	TIME	EVENT	REMARKS
2 <sup>nd</sup> September (MONDAY)	9:00AM	WEAPON CHECK	VENUE
	4:00PM	TEAM MANAGER'S MEETING	
3 <sup>rd</sup> September (TUESDAY)	10:00AM	CADET MEN'S EPEE	· INDIVIDUAL
	11:30AM	CADET WOMEN'S SABRE	
4 <sup>th</sup> September (WEDNESDAY)	10:00AM	CADET MEN'S FOIL	- INDIVIDUAL
	11:30AM	CADET WOMEN'S EPEE	
5 <sup>th</sup> September (THURSDAY)	10:00AM	CADET MEN'S SABRE	- INDIVIDUAL
	11:30AM	CADET WOMEN'S FOIL	

A more detailed schedule shall be posted after the Team Managers' Meeting.

### 6. Participation:

The Host country may enter a maximum of 64 fencers, while other countries are limited to a maximum of 20 fencers. Fencers from other continents are welcome and will be subjected to the same conditions to participate. All fencers must be endorsed by their national federations.

All participating fencers must be born in the year 2008 to 2011.

All participating cadet fencers must have a valid **FCA License** for the season, issued by the FCA.

Cadet fencers with valid FCA license interested to participate in any scheduled cadet competition in the season must register through the FCA website at least one week before the start of competition. The host country shall not allow participation of any fencer without valid FCA License and not registered with the FCA website.

### 7. Equipment / Uniforms:

Fencers must use standard FIE uniforms/equipment (800 NW for clothing, 1600 NW masks, 800 NW under garment/plastron, FIE homologated blades). No name on the back of the fencer's clothing is required Uniforms with markings other than of the official federation (such as schools, clubs) may be allowed.

#### 8. Fees:

Cadet fencers must register in the FCA website to apply for such license and pay an annual fee of **US\$25** to the FCA.

The competition entry fee is **US\$40.00** per person per individual event to be paid to the Organizer.

Payment of entry fees are to be paid in cash by **2<sup>nd</sup> September 2024** after the Team Managers' Meeting.

All entry forms 1, 2a and 2b must be submitted to the organizer and send to **mffmofc@hotmail.com** 

- Preliminary Entry (Form 1 Entry by Number) 16<sup>th</sup> August 2024
- Final Entry (Form 2a Entry by Name) 27<sup>th</sup> August 2024
- Final Entry (Form 2b Entry by Name Official) 27<sup>th</sup> August 2024

## 9. Points and Ranking:

The points (earned from the best 3 circuit competitions plus the zonal cadet championships) will be counted into the Ranking. Seeding of the fencers in every cadet competition (any circuit and the zonal championships) will consider the latest Asian ranking of the cadet fencer before such competition.

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1^{st} Place = 32 points 9^{th} to 12^{th} Places = 9 points 2^{nd} Place = 26 13^{th} to 16^{th} = 8 3^{rd} Place = 20 17^{th} to 24^{th} = 6 5^{th} Place = 16 25^{th} to 32^{nd} = 4 6^{th} Place = 14 33^{rd} to 64^{th} = 2 7^{th} Place = 12 65^{th} to 128^{th} = 1 8^{th} Place = 10
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For competitions participated in by at least 30 fencers from at least 5 Asian / Oceania countries, the following points will be awarded:

For scheduled competitions with less than 30 fencers or at least 5 Asian/Oceaniacountries, ONLY 50% of the points will be awarded. In all competitions, fencers who are eliminated from the round of pools, will receivezero (0) point.

FCA shall be responsible for tabulating the overall Asian cadet ranking based on the points awarded during the competition.

## 10. Referees and Competitions Officials

Participating countries must be accompanied by qualified referees based on thefollowing quota:

- 1 4 fencers no referee required
- 5 9 fencers, 1 referee
- 10 15 fencers, 2 referees
- 16 20 fencers, 3 referees
- Non respect of referee quota is sanctioned by US\$500 for every missing referee.

Qualified referees are those with good national or international level qualification and experience.

The Host country shall provide at least two (2) FIE licensed referees coming from different countries. FCA shall designate one official Referee Delegate from among the participating referees.

### 11. System and Formula of Competition

Generally, FIE technical and competition rules are to be respected.

Formula of competition:

- With no more than 30 fencers, two rounds of pools followed by Direct Elimination table with classification matches from T-16
- With more than 30 fencers, two rounds of pools followed by Direct Elimination
- With more than 50 fencers, one round of pools followed by Direct Elimination
- When there are two rounds of pools, the results of both rounds must beconsidered in preparing the DE table
- From the rounds preceding the DE table, at least 10% and a maximum of 20% of the competitors should be eliminated

All competitions should use the systems of Fencing Time, Engarde or their equivalent

## 12. Competition Method

The fencing competition shall be conducted in accordance with the current Statutes and Rules of the FIE. In case of disagreement in the interpretation of the Rules, the latest English version shall prevail. The Directoire Technique shall deal with any unforeseen incidents not covered by the Rules.

#### 13. Awards:

Organizers shall provide all participants with a Certificate of Participation and a Diploma to the top 8 placers in each event. The top 4 placers in each event shall also be provided with medals by the FCA.

## 14. Accommodation and Transportation

All delegations are required to do their own booking for hotel and transportation. Recommended - Olympic Hotel – (building next to the competition venue)

The following hotels are also recommended for your team. All hotels are within 5km to the competition venue.)

- a. The 5 Elements Hotel
- b. Tian Jing Hotel
- c. AnCasa Hotel Kuala Lumpur
- d. Four Points by Sheraton KL Chinatown
- e. Season Point Hotel

The list of hotels above are just recommendations for hotel nearby the venue. Participating team are free to book any hotels in other nearby locations as well.

We highly advice that you download the Grab application on your phone for ehailing services. Transportation for single journey to/from the airport for 1-2 passengers per vehicle would cost less than USD20.00 one way using the Grab app services.

For those taking the trains from the airport, please kindly take note that the closest transportation hub to the venue is by MRT (Merdeka Station SBK17).

#### Grab App:

https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=com.grabtaxi.passenger&hl=en&g I=US

https://apps.apple.com/us/app/grab-taxi-ride-food-delivery/id647268330

#### 15. Visa

Kindly check on the visa requirements to enter Malaysia at the Malaysian Embassy, Consulate or Visa Office in your country.before making your ticket reservations. Everyone entering Malaysia must possess valid passports

Effective 1<sup>st</sup> January 2024, all foreign citizens travelling to Malaysia must complete the Malaysia Digital Arrival Card (MDAC). For more information please visit:

https://imigresen-online.imi.gov.my/mdac/main

https://www.imi.gov.my/index.php/en/pengumuman/malaysia-digital-arrival-card-mdac-for-foreign-visitors-2/

## 16. Language

The official language for communication during the Asian Cadet Circuit is English.

## 17. Currency

The local currency used in Malaysia is Ringgit Malaysian (RM). We highly recommend for you to change your money to the local currency, as it is the only currency used in majority places.