



INTERNATIONAL SPORTS CONFERENCE 2009 BACKGROUND

“Champions with a Cause: Athletes of Tomorrow”

28 June – 4 July 2009

1. The Conference

2008 marks an exciting year for Hong Kong with the success of hosting the Olympic Games – Equestrian Events, and the city is much looking forward to hosting the East Asian Games in 2009.

The International Sports Conference, entitled “Champions with a Cause: Athletes of Tomorrow”, will take place in Hong Kong in the summer of 2009. It aims to provide young athletes with an enriching programme on sports education. We hope that this conference will not only provide a platform for students from around the world to refine their physical skills, but also serve to promote sportsmanship and cultural exchange.

The Sports Conference is a collaborative effort between St. Paul's Co-educational College (SPCC) and the Hong Kong Institute of Education (HKIEd). It is the fourth international conference organised by SPCC, following on the success of the science conference in 2006, the choral conference in 2007, and the environmental conference in 2008.

The title of the Conference, “Champions with a Cause: Athletes of Tomorrow”, highlights the long and winding road a champion needs to go through: the hardship of training, the time and effort, and most of all, the will to win. The Conference will help to cultivate in young athletes desirable sporting etiquettes and a sense of responsibility and commitment. We also hope it will foster an understanding of and respect for different cultures in organising sporting events.

2. Programme and Format

The conference features a line-up of both indoor and outdoor activities, all designed for an enriching experience in sports education. These will include keynote lectures, sports clinics, athletes sharing and competition sessions. Sightseeing tours to local attractions will also be arranged specially for participants from abroad.

Participants will be divided into four colour houses and have to sign up for two sports among a choice of five: namely, fencing, basketball, badminton, swimming and table-tennis.

Various sports clinics are organised for participants to polish their already learned skills. The four colour houses will then compete against each other on the selected sporting activities. Renowned athletes of Hong Kong will be invited to sharing sessions with participants.

The mode of communication for this conference will be English.

3. Coaches and Speakers

World-class athletes are being approached as guest coaches for the Conference. They include Olympic swimmer Ms Le Jingyi, a gold medallist in 100m freestyle, Atlanta Olympics 1996; and award-winning fencer Mr Ringo Lo, ranking among top 30 in individual event in foil at Barcelona Olympics 1992, and a bronze medallist in Asian Games, Asian Fencing Championships and Commonwealth Games.

Celebrated leaders and veterans in the sports industry as well as sports promoters, nutritionists and psychologists are being invited as keynote speakers and to conduct various sports clinics. Confirmed speakers include Dr Trisha Leahy, Chief Executive of the Hong Kong Sports Institute, Ms Malina Ngai, Director of Group Operations, Investments and Communications for AS Watson, Mr Charles Chu, Head (Competition Events) for 2009 East Asian Games (Hong Kong) Limited.

4. Participants

About 120 secondary school students of about 14-17 years old are being invited to attend the conference.

5. Participation Fees

As SPCC and HKIEd jointly sponsor the conference, we manage to set a reduced participation fee of only HK\$3,500 (or US\$450) per student. Accompanying teachers are to pay the same fee as student participants.

The fee will cover virtually all the expenses during the conference, including board and lodging, meals, keynote lectures, sports clinics and visits, and local transportation. We expect participants to bear only the costs of air passage, travel and medical insurance, and their own personal expenses.

Registration Form should be submitted before 31 March 2009 together with a non-refundable deposit of HK\$5,000 (or US\$641). The balance should be settled before 16 April 2009. Payment can be made by bank draft or remittance.

Bank draft should be made payable to "St. Paul's Co-educational College".

Remittance must be effected in full after deduction of charges:

Name of Bank: The Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation Limited

Branch: Hong Kong Main Office

Address of Bank: 1 Queen's Road Central, Hong Kong

SWIFT: HSBCHKHKKH

Account No: 004-002-245546-004

Account Name: St. Paul's Co-educational College Grant Account

6. Accommodation

Jockey Club Student Quarters, Hong Kong Institute of Education, 10 Lo Ping Road, Tai Po, New Territories, Hong Kong

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国际运动会议 2009
International Sports Conference 2009
“Champions with a Cause: Athletes of Tomorrow”
2009年6月28日至7月4日

简介

1. 会议背景

继 2008 年成功举办奥运马术比赛后，香港现正为 2009 年举办东亚运动会作好准备。

是次国际运动会议将于 2009 年夏季于香港举行，旨在为青年运动员提供一次充实的体育学习机会。我们期望是次会议不单能提升学生的运动技术水平，更有助推动体育精神及文化交流。

此运动会议由圣保罗男女中学及香港教育学院合办，亦为圣保罗男女中学继 2006 年科学会议，2007 年合唱交流大会及 2008 年环保会议后，第四度举办之国际会议。

会议主题 “Champions with a Cause: Athletes of Tomorrow” 点出运动员夺标背后的付出和历练，如艰苦的训练、长时间的努力和争胜的决心。会议亦有助培养青年运动员正确的运动礼仪和守则，对运动更有责任及投入感；并对各地不同的运动文化背景有更深入的了解。

2. 会议模式及内容

会议包含一系列室内及户外活动，如讲座、技术改良训练，精英运动员分享及竞赛项目，务求提供一次充实的体育学习机会。大会更特意为海外参加者安排游览本港名胜。

参加者将以颜色分为四舍，并从剑击、篮球、羽毛球、游泳及乒乓球等五个项目中选择参加两项。

各参加者均已掌握基本技术，经改良训练后，能力将得到提升。参加者将分别代表四个颜色舍进行比赛。介时，香港的精英运动员亦会到场向参加者分享心得。

会议将以英语进行。

3. 教练及主讲嘉宾

我们将邀请世界级的运动员作客席教练，包括：1996 年亚特兰大奥运 100 米自由泳金牌得主乐靖宜女士，1992 年巴塞隆拿奥运花剑个人比赛前 30 名，亚洲运动会、亚洲剑击锦标赛及英联邦运动会团体赛铜牌得主卢浚中先生等。

体坛领袖及名人，以及运动推广专才、营养师及心理专家会获邀出席担任主讲嘉宾及指导运动技术改良训练。已答允出席的讲者有香港体育学院院长李翠莎博士、屈臣氏集团企业传讯总监倪文玲女士和 2009 东亚运动会（香港）有限公司总监（竞赛项目）朱福荣先生。

4. 参加者

约 120 名 14 至 17 岁的中学生获邀参与是次会议。

5. 参加费用

由于圣保罗男女中学及香港教育学院联合赞助是次会议，每位学生之参加费用约为港币 3,500（约 450 美元）。同行教师之参加费用与学生参加者相同。

参加费用将涵盖会议期间的所有主要开支，如住宿、膳食、讲座、运动技术改良训练、参观及本地交通。我们预计参加者只需另行支付机票、旅游及医疗保险、以及个人开支等款项。

登记表格连同港币 5,000（约 641 美元）之订金（订金恕不发还）则须于 2009 年 3 月 31 日前交回。余额须于 2009 年 4 月 16 日前缴清。汇票或汇款皆可。

汇票抬头为「St. Paul's Co-educational College」。汇款必须于执行后全数转出：

银行名称： 香港上海汇丰银行有限公司

分行： 香港总行

银行地址： 香港皇后大道中 1 号

SWIFT： HSBCHKHCHK

帐户号码： 004-002-245546-004

帐户名称： St. Paul's Co-educational College Grant Account

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