



# CHAMPIONSHIP HANDBOOK

5<sup>th</sup> Asian Master Championships  
Squash and Squash 57

20-24 October 2022

Venue:

Kish squash Complex , Kish Island  
Iran

Endorsed by: Iran Squash Federation

## **ORGANIZING COMMITTEE**

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## **VENUE AND ACCOMODATION**

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### **Championship Venue**

Kish squash Complex, Kish Island

Iran

### **Championship Office**

The Championship Office will be located at venue will be opened from 09:00 a.m. until all matches finish from 20 October 2022 to 24 October 2022.

### **Recommended Accommodations**

Aramis plus hotel

You need to book the hotel with tournament organizers

### **Entry fee**

**USD 350 (inclusive of welcome) for single room B&B AND 700\$ For double room .**

**Check in date: 19th**

**Check out date : 25<sup>th</sup>**

Entry fee can be paid by cash upon arrival.

**Note: No credit or visa cards accepted in Iran.**

Entry Fee is **NON-REFUNDABLE** if withdrawal **after the closing date.**

## **ELIGIBILITY**

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The Championships is open to all foreign and local players, who are not suspended or banned by the WSF and ASF.

All players must be WSF registered (SPIN) and their registration must be in good standing at the time of entry and then at the time of actual participation.

All player entries must be endorsed by their respective National Association or Federation.

Verification of correct date of birth from passport will be required.

## **FORMAT OF THE CHAMPIONSHIPS**

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The ASF Championship Regulations shall apply and can be viewed on the ASF official website: <http://www.asiansquash.org>

### **Events Categories**

Men's Age 35-39	Women's Age 35-39
Men's Age 40-44	Women's Age 40-44
Men's Age 45-49	Women's Age 45-49
Men's Age 50-54	Women's Age 50-54
Men's Age 55-59	Women's Age 55-59
Men's Age 60-64	Women's Age 60-64
Men's Age 65-69	Women's Age 65-69
Men's Age 70 or above	Women's Age 70 or above

### **Age Cut-off Date 20th October 2022**

\*Each player is eligible to play in a Championship if he is over to specified age on the Start Date of the Championship.

### **Deadline for entries**

#### **10th October 2022**

*\*LATE ENTRIES will NOT be accommodated.*

*\*For players who need to **APPLY VISA**, please submit their entries **AS EARLY AS POSSIBLE** to ensure an enough time for visa application.*

*For travelling to Kish , as Kish is free zone , you do not need any visas. We are suggesting traveling via Dubai connection*

### **Withdrawal**

Withdrawal of players from the Championships must be notified to the Tournament Director by email. Entry fee is **NON-REFUNDABLE** if withdrawal received **after the closing date**.

### **Appeal**

Any appeal should report to the organising committee and the decision made from Technical Delegate shall be final.

### **Seeding**

Organizer shall be responsible for seeding of individuals as required after the entries are closed. The draw will be made and announced **on or before 12<sup>TH</sup> October 2022**.

### **Tournament Format for single events**

#### Scoring & Format

All matches will be played to the best of 5 games, 11 points - PAR (Point-A-Rally).  
WSF Rules of the World Singles Game will be applied throughout the tournament.

Main Draw - There shall be **NO** play-off for 3/4 position (3rd place trophy to both losing semi-finalists of Main Draw).

Plate Events - There shall be a championship plate event for all players defeated in their first match. Any other plate will be announced once the entries are closed.

In the event of less than 6 entries in any age-group the Organizer may, at its discretion, combine adjust age-group or run small draws in a round-robin format. Affected players will be advised accordingly.

### **TOURNAMENT T-SHIRT**

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All participants will receive a tournament T-shirt.

### **INDEMNITY & INSURANCE**

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All participating associations, competitors and officials agree to indemnify and hold the organising committee, Iran Squash Federation and Asian Squash Federation free and unaccountable for and against any claims for personal injury, death or property damage, arising out of or in any way resulting from the participation in the Championships.

### **NEWS & COMMUNICATION**

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Information Boards will be located at the Championship Venues. Participants should consult the Information Boards on a regular basis for updated news.

## **FUNCTIONS**

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Welcome Dinner TBA

## **OFFICIAL BALLS**

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The Dunlop Revelation Pro XX (double yellow dot) ball will be the official ball for the championships.

## **PERSONAL BELONGINGS**

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It is the players' responsibility to keep their own belongings safe and close by while in the Venue. Please DO NOT leave any personal belongings include the squash bags unattended any time. The Organiser will not be liable or responsible for any loss, theft or damage to your personal belongings.

## **PLAYERS ON COURT**

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It is the responsibility of each player to be ready to play 15 minutes before the start time of match.

## **PRACTICE COURTS**

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Practice courts in KISH SQUASH COMPLEX are available one day before the tournament (19<sup>TH</sup> October 2019).

Each player can only book ONE session (30 minutes).

Players can book practice court session in advance by email to [info@squashiran.ir](mailto:info@squashiran.ir).

Courts are allocated in a first come first serve basis.

## **RACKET-STRINGING SERVICE**

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Rackets stringing service will be available at the venue.

## **TIN HEIGHT**

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The tin height for the 5<sup>th</sup> Asian Master Championship shall be 19 inches.

## **VISA INFORMATION**

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## **ASF CODE OF CONDUCT**

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The following offences may be subject to penalties and/or disciplinary action.

The following offences may be subject to penalties under Rule 17 of the International Singles Game of Squash and of the International Doubles Game or Squash, and/or be subject to disciplinary action by the ASF Disciplinary & Appeals Committee:

AB1. A participant who verbally or physically abuses his opponent, the Marker, Referee, officials, spectators or sponsors.

AB2. A participant who shows dissent to the Marker, Referee or officials, including foul or profane language and obscene or offensive gestures.

AB3. A participant who abuses playing equipment or the court

AB4. A participant who fails to comply with the conditions of entry of a Championship including any rules with regards to clothing or advertising.

AB5. A participant who having entered a championship or accepted an invitation to play withdraws from the event or fails to attend.

AB6. A participant who fails to complete a match for a reason other than injury, illness or emergency situation.

AB7. A participant who defaults from a Championship. The Disciplinary & Appeals Committee may require evidence or proof of 'bona fide' injury, illness or other emergency situation.

AB8. A participant who fails to make himself available to meet reasonable request for interview by the media.

AB9. A participant who does not comply with the Rules or spirit of the Game.

AB10. A participant guilty of any other unreasonable conduct which brings the Game into disrepute, including behaviour as a result of intoxication by any means including recreational substances such as alcohol, marijuana and hallucinogens.