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Selection Trial for Basketball Team

The Asian School Basketball (Boys) Championships 2009

& The 10th All China Secondary School Students Games

亞洲學界籃球（男子）錦標賽 暨 中華人民共和國第十屆中學生運動會

香港學界籃球代表隊選拔

Dear Principal,

The Federation has previously conducted a Basketball Team selection for the preparation of the **10th All China Secondary School Students Games** and over 40 students have been selected to join the Training Squad. However, we recently received the notification from the China Organization Committee that Hong Kong is once again given the privilege of direct entry to the Final Round of competitions which is scheduled to be held between **16-21 August, 2009 in Changsha, China**. As such, we are not required to send teams to participate in the Qualifying Competitions for Football, Basketball and Volleyball, which is scheduled to be held in February and March, 2009.

Since some students might have given up the first selection trial due to the conflicting date of the Qualifying Competition with school or public examinations, the Basketball Technical and Selection Committee has decided to conduct the second selection trial for both Boys and Girls team as to absorb more potential players. Selected students together with the existing Basketball Team players will be required to attend an intensive training program starting from February till August, 2009. Attendance and performance during training will be highly monitored. Enclosed is the Selection Trial Information Sheet as well as the Nomination Form for your reference.

Another International Tournament, the **Asian School Basketball (Boys) Championships 2009 will be held between 7th – 19th April, 2009** in Macau. The Committee will also recruit appropriate students to join the Boys' team via the above Selection Trial to prepare for the Championship. Therefore, please clearly indicate the availability of nominated students (Boys) in both competitions on the nomination form in order to facilitate the formation of the team.

I shall be grateful if you would pass the information to the teacher concerned and nominate potential candidate(s) for the above Selection Trial. In addition, you are welcome to visit our Website (www.hkssf.org.hk) for further details.

Once again, thank you for your continuous support towards school sports activities and I look forward to receiving nominations from your school. Should you have any enquiries, please feel free to contact Miss Poon Hoi Lam, our Sports Executive, at 2768 8212.

Yours sincerely,

Silas Chiang
Secretary General



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Information Sheet

Boys:

Competitions : (1) The Asian School Basketball (Boys) Championships 2009 (7 – 19 April, 2009 / Macau)
(2) The 10th All China Secondary School Students Games (16-21 August, 2009 / Changsha, China)

Date / Time : 12 / 1 / 2009 (Monday) 17:00 – 19:00

Venue : Kwun Chun Sports Centre (官涌體育館)
(Address: 5/F - 7/F, 17 Bowring Street, Jordon, Yau Ma Tei)

Criteria :

- ◆ All participants should be born in 1991 - 1994.
- ◆ All participants should be ordinarily resident in Hong Kong for the past 3 years.
- ◆ All participants should hold a valid Hong Kong Identity document.
- ◆ Participants who wish to compete in the 10th All China Secondary School Students Games should possess Chinese Nationality.

Remarks : Schedule of selection trial will be available at HKSSF website (www.hkssf.org.hk) on 9th January, 2009, no individual notice or further reminder will be given to participants.

Please note that The Asian School Basketball (Boys) Championships 2009 scheduled in April 2009 may clash with school examinations and open examinations. Students are strongly advised to check with their respective examination schedule and make sure that they will be able to compete in the Championships.

Selected students may represent Hong Kong to participate in either one or both competition(s). All nominees must indicate clearly their availability for both competitions on the Nomination Form.

Girls:

Competitions : The 10th All China Secondary School Students Games

Date / Time : 15 & 22 / 1 / 2009 (Thursday) 17:00 – 19:00

Venue : Kai Tak East Sports Centre (東啟德體育館)
(Address: 30 Luk Hop Street, San Po Kong)

Criteria :

- ◆ All participants should be born on or after 1 January 1991.
- ◆ All participants should be ordinarily resident in Hong Kong for the past 3 years.
- ◆ All participants should hold a valid Hong Kong Identity document and possess Chinese Nationality.

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