

第十四屆

泛太平洋珠心算比賽

THE 14TH PAN PACIFIC ABACUS &
MENTAL ARITHMETIC COMPETITION

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THE 14th PAN PACIFIC ABACUS & MENTAL ARITHMETIC COMPETITION INVITATION

Dear Sir/Madam,

As the President of PAMA HK, it is my honor to extend my invitation to your organizations; 12 countries member nearly 1000 people were participated in Taiwan last year.

Year of 2013, Hong Kong is the venue of the 14th PAMA Competition. We are going to work hard to make you feel welcome in Hong Kong. Also we will provide an environment for everyone that helps us feel more comfortable to share ideas, thoughts and encourages discussions about one of our favorite activities, the "PAMA Competition and International Cultural Exchange" in the past, present and future.

If you look around Hong Kong you may have noticed the busy streets, the busy sidewalks, the lights and maybe some of the street markets. Hong Kong is a constantly changing city. It used to be known as 'The Pearl of the Orient'. Of course, this was a thoroughly Western description. Nowadays Hong Kong people like to call it 'The City of Light.' This is never more true than at this time of the year when the lights are burning especially bright.

But more than pearls and lights, I would like to describe Hong Kong also as a 'City of Welcome.' The Hong Kong SAR Government is committed to driving further development of Hong Kong's tourism. On top of constructing a cruise terminal at Kai Tak, they have been expanding the two theme parks, which have been bringing fun and laughter to more and more visitors.

The Ocean Park is implementing its Master Redevelopment Plan. Upon completion of this phased project this year, it will become a world-class marine-themed park featuring more than 70 attractions.

With its new Toy Story Land just opened, the Hong Kong Disneyland's expansion is scheduled to be completed in phases by 2013. Just a year ago the Hong Kong National Geopark was accepted as a member of the Global Geoparks Network, and it is now an international icon.

We are so grateful to have these exciting new attractions to our visitors in the years ahead. Lastly, we hope all of you will have a wonderful time in Hong Kong.

May you enjoy your stay while tour in Hong Kong! May every moment of your stay in Hong Kong be a moment to treasure and to take back home with you.

Thank you very much and see you in Hong Kong!

Yours Sincerely,

President Ammon Ng Pak Ming
PAMA Hong Kong President
AAHK President
CWWO Convener
2013/07/05



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[RULES & REGULATIONS]

1. OBJECTIVES

The purpose of the competition is to allow for the observation of mental arithmetic skills from all countries, to promote abacus and mental arithmetic education, and to improve friendships among participants from around the world.

2. DATE

28th December 2013, Saturday

3. PLACE

Hong Kong Kowloon bay International Trade & Exhibition Centre, 6/F., Rotunda Hall 3

http://www.kitec.com.hk/eng/info_visiting_hk.html

4. HOST

Pan Pacific Abacus & Mental Arithmetic Association Hong Kong

5. ENROLLMENT REGISTRATION

5-1 Enrollment Period: From now on till 30th September 2013

(Late applications are not accepted)

5.2 Members of PAMA collect all applications, photos, journals, and related documents of respective regions and email to PAMA Hong Kong on or before the deadline.

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6. REGISTRATION FEE

6.1 Contestant, US \$80.00 each, including registration fee and dinner.

6.2 All participants must attend the annual dinner, US \$30.00 each.

6.3 All fees should be remitted to **Bank of China Hong Kong**, account number: 012-390-1-0024870, “Association of Professional Abacus Education (HK) Ltd”

7. COMPETITION CONTENT, DIVISION AND STANDARD

7.1 All PAMA Country Representatives are invited to appoint contestants to join the competition.



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7.2 All Champion of Champions groups in 13th PAMA Competition (2012) must up grade to the next higher level.

7.3 Organizer reserves the right to disqualify the contestant or disqualify the winning contestant eligibility according to the following provisions or cheating.

7.4 The mock paper is illustrated as below:

Group	Group A	Group B	Group C	Group D	Group E	No. of Questions each paper /Time /Total Score	
Level	Grade 8	Grade 7	Grade 6	Grade 5	Grade 4		
Age	2007/01/01 2008/12/31	2005/01/01 2006/12/31	2003/01/01 2004/12/31	2000/01/01 2002/12/31	Before 1999/12/31		
Abacus Calculation	1 st paper x	3×1	2×2	2×3 3×2	2×4 4×2 3×3	2×5 3×4 4×3 5×2	30 Qs 3 Mins 150 Marks
	2 nd paper ÷	2÷1 3÷1	3÷1 4÷1	3÷2 4÷2	4÷2 5÷2 4÷3 5÷3	5÷2 5÷3 5÷4 6÷2 6÷3 6÷4	30 Qs 3 Mins 150 Marks
	3 rd paper +-	2 Digits 10 Rows w/o Dollar-signed	2-3 Digits 10 Rows w/o Dollar-signed	2-4 Digits 10 Rows Dollar-signed	3-4 Digits 10 Rows Dollar-signed	4-5 Digits 10 Rows Dollar-signed	20 Qs 3 Mins 200 Marks
Mental Calculation	4 th paper x	1×1	1×1	2×1	2×1	2×1 3×1	30 Qs 1 Mins 150 Marks
	5 th paper ÷	1÷1 2÷1	1÷1 2÷1	2÷1 3÷1	2÷1 3÷1	2÷1 3÷1 4÷1	30 Qs 1 Mins 150 Marks



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	6th paper + -	1 Digit 6 Rows	1 Digit 7 Rows	2 Digit 4 Rows	2 Digit 6 Rows	2 Digit 8 Rows	20 Qs 1 Mins 200 Marks
Same score additional paper	7th paper Abacus	× : 10 Q ÷ : 10 Q + - : 10 Q	× : 10 Q ÷ : 10 Q + - : 10 Q	× : 10 Q ÷ : 10 Q + - : 10 Q	× : 10 Q ÷ : 10 Q + - : 10 Q	× : 10 Q ÷ : 10 Q + - : 10 Q	30 Qs 1 Mins 200 Marks

8. TROPHIES DISTRIBUTION

Ranking	Champion of Champions	Champion	1 st Runner-Up	2 nd Runner-Up	3 rd Runner-Up
No. of Contestant	1	10% -1	20%	30%	40%

8.1 Contestant who has the highest total score will be on the top. In addition, the coach of each winner of the champion of champions will be awarded “The Best Coach Award”.

8.2 When the total scores appear the same, the higher mark in the 7th paper Same score additional will be the winner, as if same again, the priority order is followed the 3rd paper +-, the 1st paper x, the 2nd paper ÷, the 6th paper +-, the 4 paper x, the 5th paper ÷.

ATTENTION

9.1 The hosting country appoints judges of the competition and the judgment will be made in real time.

9.2 The judges will make the final decision. Once the jury finalizes the decision, there will be no changes.

9.3 All contestants should attend the Awarding.

9.4 Member country and honored guests will present the award.

9.5 The certificate will be distributed to member countries after the dinner.

9. PROGRAM

Date	Time	Program



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12/27(Fri) Session 1	16:00 ∫ 18:00	Pre-competition meeting (Competition coordination only)
12/27(Fri) Session 2	18:00 ∫ 20:00	Dinner and Orientation (A total of 29 representatives from all regions)
12/27(Fri) Session 3	20:00 ∫ 21:00	Associate Members introduce themselves and Question time
12/27(Fri) Session 4	21:00 ∫ 22:00	Member of regional representatives of the Executive Council (18 persons)
12/28(Sat) Morning	10: 30	Contestants and parents seated in the 6th floor Rotunda 3
	11:00	Presidents enter
	11:10	Opening Ceremony (Lion Dance)
	11:25	Welcome speech
	11:30	Start of competition
	12:30	End of competition
12/28(Sat) Afternoon	14:30	Contestants and parents seated in the 6th floor Rotunda 3
	15:00	Prize Giving (Presidents & Teachers)
	15:30	Image computing performing
	16:00	Awarding (Contestants)
	17:30	End of Awarding
12/28(Sat) Evening	18:00	Dinner and talent contest
	20:00	Member of regional representatives of the Executive Council (12 persons)



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	22:00	End
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10. JOURNAL OF THE COMPETITION

Each member country is requested to submit 5 pages of information together with contest applications to PAMA HK on or before 30th September 2013. These will be printed and given out on the day of the competition. Contents are as follows:

11.1 Congratulatory remarks – 1 page

11.2 Pictures of activities – 2 pages

11.3 Successful Abacus and Mental Arithmetic teaching experiences and comments – 2 pages

11. Performance of Mental Arithmetic :

12.1 Each country member can recommend one contestant to do the performance.

12.2 Each country member should turn in 15 pieces of the lowest currency banknote to the host in pre-competition meeting.

12. MISCELLANEOUS

13.1 Any changes to contest groups must be submitted before 10th October 2013. Otherwise they will not be accepted.

13.2 Each country member can also appoint 2 members to take pictures and video of individual or group members at the awarding ceremony. (Enter with the certificate)

13.3 Host country will provide a DVD with the pictures of the PAMA competition and awarding ceremony.

13.4 Two memorial award plaques will be presented to all country members by the host. If need more, the production cost will be charged.

13.5 Each president can choose to be the time judge of all subjects or score judge of mental arithmetic performance. (The alternative)

13. NOTIFICATION WILL BE SENT FOR ANY ADDITIONAL RULES OR GUIDELINES THAT DID NOT MENTION ABOVE.



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報名表/ Registration Form

參賽國家 COUNTRY			(照片黏貼處 / 護照型) PHOTO (PASSPORT FORM)
英文姓名 NAME ON PASSPORT			
中文姓名 CHINESE NAME	性別 SEX	<input type="checkbox"/> 男/M <input type="checkbox"/> 女/F	
出生日期 DATE OF BIRTH YYYY/MM/DD			
參加者身份: PARTICIPANTS STATUS	<input type="checkbox"/> 教練 COACH <input type="checkbox"/> 老師 TEACHER <input type="checkbox"/> 參賽選手 CONTESTANTS <input type="checkbox"/> 親屬 RELATIVES	參賽選手組別 PARTICIPATED GROUP	<input type="checkbox"/> GROUP A <input type="checkbox"/> GROUP B <input type="checkbox"/> GROUP C <input type="checkbox"/> GROUP D <input type="checkbox"/> GROUP E
聯絡地址 ADDRESS			
聯絡電話 PHONE NUMBER			
備註 REMARK	飲食條件 CONDITION OF FOOD : <input type="checkbox"/> VEGETARIAN <input type="checkbox"/> DO NOT EAT BEEF <input type="checkbox"/> DO NOT EAT PORK 就讀學校年級 GRADE OF SCHOOL : 珠心算程度 ABACUS ABILITY : 心算 _____ (段 / 級) , MENTAL ARITHMETIC _____ (LEVEL / CLASS) 珠算 _____ (段 / 級) , ABACUS _____ (LEVEL / CLASS) 特殊才藝 SPECIAL ABILITY :		



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團員名單/PARTICIPANTS LIST

國家/COUNTRY : _____

	職稱 POSITION	英文姓名 NAME ON PASSPORT	中文姓名 CHINESE NAME	性別 SEX	飲食條件 CONDITION OF FOOD (VEGETARIAN · DO NOT EAT BEEF OR PORK)
1	團長 CHIEF				
2	副團長 ASST. CHIEF				
3	顧問 ADVISER				
4					
5	秘書長 SECRETARY GENERAL				
6	領隊 LEADER				
7					
8					
9					
10					
11	教練 COACH				
12					
13					
14					
15					

備註：以上職稱僅供參考，可依實際編製填寫。

REMARK : ABOVE POSITION IS FOR REFERENCE ONLY.