Hong Kong Lawn Bowls Association Debtors Outstanding List as at 15/12/2014

Club	Due Under 30 Days	Due 30 to 90 Days	Over 90 Days	Total Amount
ABC	160.00	0.00	0.00	160.00
AYFP	320.00	10,370.00	20,350.00	31,040.00
CCC	2,080.00	0.00	0.00	2,080.00
CdeR	640.00	0.00	0.00	640.00
CELBC	160.00	0.00	0.00	160.00
CLBC	80.00	0.00	0.00	80.00
CLP	160.00	960.00	350.00	1,470.00
CSD	0.00	5,170.00	10,000.00	15,170.00
FC	720.00	0.00	0.00	720.00
FSLBC	160.00	0.00	0.00	160.00
GBLBC	160.00	0.00	0.00	160.00
GLBC	160.00	0.00	0.00	160.00
HEGSC	240.00	0.00	0.00	240.00
HKCC	670.00	0.00	12,000.00	12,670.00
HKFC	560.00	0.00	0.00	560.00
HKPBC	0.00	13,200.00	36,000.00	49,200.00
HKSAP	0.00	450.00	80.00	530.00
IRC	640.00	0.00	0.00	640.00
ILBC	400.00	0.00	0.00	400.00
KBGC	800.00	0.00	0.00	800.00
KCC	320.00	0.00	100.00	420.00
LBTC	240.00	3,130.00	0.00	3,370.00
PDLBC	400.00	0.00	0.00	400.00
SBSC	320.00	0.00	0.00	320.00
STSA	160.00	0.00	0.00	160.00
TKOBC	560.00	14,480.00	0.00	15,040.00
TMSA	990.00	19,970.00	8,910.00	29,870.00
TPLBC	240.00	10,530.00	5,300.00	16,070.00
USRC	510.00	1,280.00	0.00	1,790.00
VLBC	80.00	0.00	0.00	80.00
VSTAR	0.00	0.00	2,000.00	2,000.00
WISC	80.00	10,240.00	0.00	10,320.00
Total	12,010.00	89,780.00	95,090.00	196,880.00

Case Report

- 1. Gary Knowles (IRC) disputed the prevailing interpretation of "neutral green" in bye-law 6.9.h with regard to the home team unable to provide a rink at the scheduled time, date and place. The interpretation being, any green that is not the nominated home green of either team/player is deemed to be a neutral green, including the indoor green of the same club if the outdoor green is the nominated home green (and vice versa) provided that the event is allowed to be played indoor under the bye laws. The case was referred to the Disciplinary Panel for a higher ruling. The Disciplinary Panel upheld the current interpretation.
- 2. Raymond Ho (KBGC) requested to reschedule the Semi-final of Men's 2-4-2 Pairs on 2nd December to another date as he would be representing Hong Kong China in the Asian Lawn Bowls Championship at Shenzhen between 30 November and 9th December. The re-scheduling request is out of the scope of bye-law 6.9.a as the 2-4-2 Pairs is not a premier championship event. After some deliberations, the Panel declined the request.
- 3. FC requested on behalf of Stephen Sy (QF4) and Kevin Ho (QF1) to reschedule the Quarter-finals and Semi-finals of Men's National Pairs on 21st December as they would be travelling out of Hong Kong. The Panel declined the request.
- 4. Martin Sham (KBGC) made a verbal enquiry about any option available should his team won QF1 of the Men's National Pairs as the SF1 would be clashing with his re-scheduled league match. Mr Sham was advised SF1 would not be changed based on bye-law 1.30.
- 5. Contributions from Councillors to improve the bye-laws are welcome.

National Championships and Competitions Results

- 1. The inaugural Indoor Pairs 2014 was completed on 22nd November. Women's winners are Danna Chiu & Joanna Leung (TMSA); runners-up are Millicent Lai & Queenie Lai (SBSC). Men's winners are Pong Chi Shun & Chow Kin Hoi (CdeR); runners-up are Neil Herrington & Derek Wyllie (HKFC). Thanks again to Mr Patrick Fong for sponsoring the two trophies, to CdeR for the venue of the semi-finals and finals and last but not least to Mrs Josephine Lee and Mr Tony Abraham for acting as the trophy presenters.
- 2. Winner of the Men's Knock-out Singles 2014 which was held on 14th December is Neil Herrington (HKFC). Runner-up is Jason Li (FC). Thanks again to CCC, CdeR, HKFC, HKPBC, IRC, KBGC and KCC for use of their green and to Mr Francis Hoh, CdeR Honorary Treasurer for presenting the trophy.
- 3. Men's & Women's 2-4-2 Pairs 2014 Semi-finals were completed. Thanks to CCC and KCC for use of their green, and to HKCC for agreeing to act as a contingency venue.

Upcoming Events

- Women's Knock-out Singles 2014 entries closed on 14th December. Fixtures and conditions
 of play to be issued in due course. The finalized greens usage will be advised to venue
 clubs concerned.
- 2. Mixed Pairs and National Fours 2015 entries forms were issued in early December.
- 3. Champion of Champions entries form will be issued in January. The format will be similar to that of last year.

Walter Kwok VP National Championships

Hong Kong Lawn Bowls Association Council Meeting on 15 December 2014 at HKFC

Notes from VP-National League

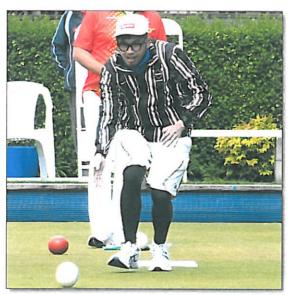
Entry fees of 2015 league games

VP League will put up two proposals to increase HKLBA income. Most councilors preferred to increase LBA income percentage and league entry fees remains unchanged.

Report from VP-International

- 1) HK won 5 individual Gold, 3 silver and 3 Bonze as well as both Men and Ladies Overall Trophy and the overall Challenge Trophy. Congratulation and thanks to all Players, Coaches, officials and Selectors of their commitment into the event. Also, thanks to HKCC, FC and IRC allowing the HK Team using their green for training. Finally, we have to thanks LCSD and HKSI's subvention to make this Asia Bowls was the best ever prepared event for LBA.
- 2) CY Wong and Tiffany Lau were excluded from the Asian Bowls Championship due to their failing to meet the 80% attendance requirement. Two reserves in Raymond Ho and Amy Choi were called up as replacements, noting that Jerry Ng (first reserve) was not available due to short notice.
- 3) Noting Stanley Lai's record at the Australian Open 2014, his attitude and comments towards the Coaches and Team Manager during the training for the Asian Championships will be discussed at the officer's meeting and the selection panel, pending the team manager and coach's reports.
- 4) Ken Chan ranked 6th place in the Men's Singles and Anna Chan ranked 16th place in the Women's Singles at the World Champion of Champions.

Ken Chan was found wearing a jacket and pants other than the team uniform and not conforming to expected bowling standard during a match at the World Champion of Champions Championship. The case is under investigation.



• Colourful young Hong Kong star Ken Chan qualified for the play-offs

