



PERSEKUTUAN LAWAN PEDANG MALAYSIA

MALAYSIAN FENCING FEDERATION

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Dear Sir / Madam,

INVITATION SEAFF CHAMPIONSHIPS 2018- JUNIOR & CADET

We are pleased to invite you to participate in the upcoming **SEAFF Championships 2018**, which will take place in Malaysia. The competition details are as follows:

Date : 18th – 22nd January 2018
Venue : Arena Tan Sri Hamzah, Level 3, Wisma OCM,
Jalan Hang Jebat, 50150 Kuala Lumpur,
MALAYSIA

2. Further details (Appendix 1) and competition schedule (Appendix 2) are as attached. Please do not hesitate to contact us if you have any further enquiries.

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3. We welcome your participation and we hope that you will enjoy yourselves throughout the competition.

Thank you.

Malaysian Fencing Federation

SEAFF CHAMPIONSHIPS 2018

1. **Date** : 18 – 22 January 2018
2. **Venue** : Arena Tan Sri Hamzah, Level 3, Wisma OCM, Jalan Hang Jebat,
50150 Kuala Lumpur, MALAYSIA.
3. **Organizer** : Malaysian Fencing Federation (MFF) / Putrajaya Fencing Association
4. **Competition schedule:** (Please refer Appendix 2)
5. **Participation** : Each country may enter **a maximum of eight (8) fencers for each individual event** and **one (1) team for each team event**. Each team shall comprise of **three (3) competitors and one (1) reserve**. From the host country, there will be no limited number of entries for the individual events but a maximum of **two (2) teams for each team event**.
6. The competition shall be held in **2 categories** namely **cadet and junior categories** with participation criteria as below:

Cadet Category	: 17 years and below (Born in year 2001 to 2005)
Junior Category	: 20 years and below (Born in year 1998 to 2005)
7. **Entries** : Preliminary entry (by numbers) - **FORM 1**.
This form has to be received by the organizing committee not later than **22nd December 2017**.

Final entry (by name) -**FORM 2A, 2B, 3A, 3B, and 4**.
These forms have to be received by the organizing committee no later than **5th January 2018**.

Please email the forms to:

mffmalaysia@hotmail.com / ivy.hsiaoyong@gmail.com

8. **Competition Rules** : The fencing competition shall be conducted in accordance with the current statutes and rules of FIE. In case of disagreements in interpretation of the rules, the latest FIE rules in the English version shall prevail. The Directoire de' Technique shall deal with any unforeseen incidents not covered by the rules.
9. **Equipment** : FIE equipment are not compulsory, however, rusty weapons, torn fencing attire and short socks are not allowed. Fencer's clothing must be made of sufficiently robust material and should be in good condition. An inner plastron is compulsory. Weapon check will be done on the piste before each bout.

10. **Competition Management:**

10.1. Referee

Each country should bring referee(s) at their own expenses.

Participating delegations must be accompanied by number of referees according to the FIE Rules as follows:

1 – 4 fencers	: 0 referees
5 – 9 fencers	: 1 referee
10 or more fencers	: 2 referees

Note : Please ensure that the referees are to be properly attired. Please bring a black jacket / blazer and long pants.

If the participating delegation fails to provide the required number of referees, a penalty fee of USD 100/day/referee will be imposed. The fee should be paid before the start of the competition.

10.2. Directoire de Technique (DT)

The DT will be responsible for the technical organisation of the competition.

10.3. Jury of appeal

The jury of appeal will consist of one representative for each participating country / state/ club under the chairmanship of the Organising Chairman, or a representative appointed by him. The decision of the jury of appeal shall be final.

10.4. Protests

Appeals against decisions of the referee should be immediately made by the competitors to the referee, before any decisions are made regarding the subsequent hit. If the referee could not maintain his decision, the complaint will be brought to the attention of the D.T. Every appeal to the jury of hit appeal must be accompanied by a deposit of USD 150.00 which will not be refundable. This sum will be confiscated in the whole or in part if the appeal is rejected by jury of appeal. Appeals must be lodged and written in Bahasa Malaysia and / or English.

11. Prize : A medal will be awarded to the 1st, 2nd, and joint 3rd places in each event.

12. Entry Fees : **Individual event - RM120/fencer/event**

Team event - RM360/team/event

Entry fees must be paid during the team manager's meeting by **cash**.

SEAFF Championship 2018- Junior & Cadet

Tentative Competition Schedule

Cadet Category (Year of birth 2001 to 2005)

Date & Day	Time	Event	Remarks
18/1/2018 Thursday	8.30am – 6.00 pm	MF, WE, MS	Individual
19/1/2018 Friday	8.30am – 6.00 pm	ME, WF, WS	Individual

Junior Category (Year of birth 1998 to 2005)

Date & Day	Time	Event	Remarks
20/1/2018 Saturday	8.30am – 6.00 pm	MF, WE	Individual
	12.00 pm – 6.00 pm	MS, WS	Individual
21/1/2018 Sunday	8.30am – 6.00 pm	ME, WF	Individual
	2.00 pm – 6.00 pm	MS, WS	Team
22/1/2018 Monday	8.30am – 6.00 pm	MF, WF, ME, WE	Team

****Please be advised, schedule is subject to changes by the organizer based on number of participation**

