

27 November 2021

To the Member National Associations of
China, Korea, India, Indonesia, Japan, Malaysia, Singapore and Thailand

Women's Asia Cup 2022

Dear Friends,

The Asian Hockey Federation is pleased to inform that the Women's Asia Cup 2022 will take place in **Bangkok, Thailand** from **21 to 28 January 2022**.

1. ENTRIES AND WORLD CUP QUALIFICATION

The following Member National Associations are qualified for participation in the Women's Asia Cup 2022: China, Korea, India, Indonesia, Japan, Malaysia, Singapore and Thailand.

The Women's Asia Cup 2022 is a continental championship and a qualifying competition for the Women's Hockey World Cup 2022 (taking place from 1 to 17 July 2022 in Spain and Netherlands).

As per the qualification system as published by the FIH (<http://fih.ch/media/13415078/qualification-system-for-2022-23-fih-world-cups-final.pdf>), the **FOUR (4) highest ranked teams** of the Women's Asia Cup 2022 will qualify for participation in the Women's Hockey World Cup 2022.

2. EVENT OFFICIALS

All appointments will be made by the AHF Appointments Committee as required.

The final selection of Event Officials is at the discretion of the AHF and FIH.

3. FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILITIES OF PARTICIPATING NAs

It will be the responsibility of each participating National Association to bear the cost of:

3.1 Players and Team Officials

- 3.1.1 Return Travel (and visa if required)
- 3.1.2 Accommodation
- 3.1.3 Meals
- 3.1.4 Insurance

3.2 National Umpire

3.2.1 Return Travel (and visa if required)

3.3 Judge (if appointed)

3.3.1 Return Travel (and visa if required)

4. CONFIRMATION OF PARTICIPATION

All National Associations participating in the Women's Asia Cup 2022 are required to submit the attached Confirmation of Participation form, duly completed, **not later than 12 December 2021**, to:

Zahid Ali
Competitions Manager
Email: zahid@asiahockey.org

5. GENERAL

The competition format is a Two Pool Competition (with crossover and classification matches) as per Appendix 4 of the FIH General Tournament Regulations.

A video referral system will be in operation for all matches of the tournament.

Please do not hesitate to contact us if there are any questions or comments on the above at this point in time.

Best regards,



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CEO AHF