



LOCAL LADIES QUALIFIER (LION CUP 9 BALL INVITATIONAL 2019)

RULES & REGULATIONS

ENTRIES

1. The tournament is open to all local females.
2. Participant must submit their registration through the online form not later than **1 July 2019 @ 2359.**
3. Participants must pay a non-refundable entry fee upon submission of entry forms. If the entry fees are not received by the draw date, the entry form will **not be accepted** and the participant is deemed to have opted out of the tournament.

4. Entry fees for tournaments will be as follows:

\$25 per pax

*** There will be table charges at \$10 per hour.**

5. Cuesports Singapore may at its sole discretion waive compliance with the condition laid out in paragraph 6 if furnished with valid reasons in writing by the participant(s).

GAME RULES

6. The tournament will be played under the latest Standardized Rules of the World Pool-Billiard Association (WPA).
7. In the absence of one to one referee, the balls will be racked with the "1 ball" placed on the spot, "2 ball" at the back and the 3-ball rule will apply to the break shot. As long as the edge of the ball touches the head string, it will be considered to have passed.

TOURNAMENT VENUE

8. The tournament will be played at Cuesports Singapore Academy located at 865 Mountbatten Road, Katong Shopping Centre, #01-46, Singapore 437844.

SCHEDULE

9. The schedule for the tournaments are as follows:

Closing Date for Entries	1 July 2019 @ 2359
Name List Published	2 July 2019
Draw Date	3 July 2019
Draw Published	4 July 2019

10. Starting from Wednesday, 2 July 2019, participants may refer to the notice board at the tournament venue. Participants may also view the fixtures on the Cuesports Singapore's official website (www.cuesports.org.sg) or Facebook page (www.facebook.com/CuesportsSingapore).

11. FORMAT

(Knockout Stage)

Single Elimination

Race to 7, alternate break

DRESS CODE

12. Polo Shirt (blouse that are not revealing), Jeans & covered shoes. (Torn Jeans are not allowed)
13. Players will have to put on any sponsor badges/stickers while playing in the tournament when told to do so by the organizers. Please note that any competitive sponsors' brands or insignias are **Not Allowed** to be worn at any stage throughout the tournament.
14. Players who are not properly attired during their 1st match will be issued a warning and a dress code penalty of 1 rack (penalty can apply for shirt, pants or shoes violation). From their 2nd match onwards, players who are not properly attired will be barred from

playing, resulting in a direct walkover.

MATCH PROCEDURES

15. No delays or postponement of matches will be allowed unless deemed necessary by the Tournament Committee. Should there be a clash of match time with ladies & open event, the organizer has the right to change the time due to such circumstances.
16. All players must report to the Tournament Chief Referee upon arrival with his/her identity card and take note of the match table.
17. A player not present by the commencement his/her match will be given 5 minutes grace period. If the player is not present by the 5th minute, he/she will concede (1) rack to his opponent. If the player is still not present by the 10th minute, the match official will record a walkover and award the match to the opponent. The clock at the tournament venue shall serve as the official tournament clock.
18. Players conceding walkovers must give a written explanation within 3 days of their match to the Tournament Committee; players who fail to do so or players who are deemed by the Tournament Committee to have an invalid excuse will be barred from taking part in any future tournaments organized by Cuesports Singapore for a stipulated period.
19. Each player will only be allowed to call one (1) time-out which must be in between racks and lasting not more than (9) minutes. Should the player exceed the time allowed, a rack will be conceded to his/her opponent. However, players may request for toilet breaks which may be allowed at the sole discretion of the referee. The toilet break must not be used for other purposes such as smoking or communicating with any person. Any players found doing so may be disqualified.
20. Players are not allowed to smoke in the tournament venue or in the surrounding vicinity and are not allowed to place any cigarettes or lighters in the player's seating area.
21. Players are not allowed to use their hand phones in the tournament venue and are required to switch their mobile phones or pagers to silent mode.
22. Players must be at their best behavior whilst in the tournament venue and must not say or do anything that may discredit the tournament, the sponsors, Cuesports Singapore and/or bring the sport into disrepute.

AUTHORITY

23. All enquires or disputes will be referred to the Chief Referee and/or Tournament Executive during the tournament running and his/their decision will be final. At any point of time, only the player or manager can raise any enquiries.
24. Any players aggrieved by any action(s) and/or decision(s), involving and affecting its players or itself, may lodge an official protest in writing to the Tournament Executive. Such protests must be submitted within 24 hours of the incident and must be accompanied by a payment of \$200 payable to Cuesports Singapore.
25. The Tournament Committee shall endeavor to the best of his/her ability and authority to resolve and decide on the protest and make known their decision to the players concerned. The \$200 protest fee will only be refunded if the Tournament Committee deems the protest to be valid.
26. All disciplinary matters shall be referred to the Cuesports Singapore Disciplinary Sub-Committee, whose decision shall be final on all matters arising.
27. The Tournament Committee reserves the right to amend and/or add rules to the above set of rules and regulations with prior notification to the participants as and when it deems necessary. Any matter not covered by the above set of rules and regulations shall be decided upon by the Tournament Committee whose decision shall be final in such matters.

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