



Date: 10th August 2016

11th PYC- ATC SNOOKER CHALLENGE SEPTEMBER 2016

**Sub: Entries for the 11th PYC-ATC Snooker Challenge September 2016,
Date : 22nd September to 4th October 2016**

Dear Sir,

It gives us immense pleasure in announcing the revival of the well received and much awaited event PYC-ATC Snooker Challenge, an open team Championship which will be hosted by PYC Hindu Gymkhana.

We are sending herewith the entry forms and the rules of the tournament.

We request you to send the team entries from your institution.

As you are aware, the tournament has the recognition and is under the aegis of BSAM the apex body of Maharashtra for Billiards and Snooker. The tournament which was very well received in the last ten years which had become a reputed one and unique of its kind, had a break for two years **is revived again**. Entries from all over India are invited to enrich the standard of the tournament. The entry fee per team is Rs.5,000/-

The entries may be handed over along with entry fee at PYC Hindu Gymkhana between 10.30 am to 6.00 pm on or before 5th September.

The draws will be displayed at PYC Hindu Gymkhana on 13th September on the notice board after 6.00 pm and will also be uploaded on the sites www.bsam.in and www.cuesportsindia.com by 14th September

We look forward to your participative support in this regard and are sure that tournament will be a grand success.

Thanking you,
Sincerely,

**Sd/-
(Arun Barve)
Tournament Director**

TOURNAMENT RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. The tournament will commence on 22nd September 2016 and will be conducted in the BILIARDS ROOM of PYC Hindu Gymkhanna, 766 Shivajinagar, Bhandarkar Road, Pune 411004. However in order to complete the tournament in schedule time, **some of the league matches and few of the knock rounds will be conducted at other venues also**, which will be duly notified.

2. **Prize Money :**

Winner team : Rs. 1,20,000/-

Runner team : Rs. 60,000/-

S. finalist each team : Rs. 30,000/-

Q. finalist each team : Rs. 15,000/-

Pre Q. finalist each team : Rs. 7,500/-

Highest break : Rs. 5,000/- each

One for 15 red Snooker One foe 6 Red Snooker.

Min Qualifying breaks 100 for 15 Red and 60 for 6Red

Prize Money will be subject to TDS deduction and hence the PAN Numbers of the winning players will be essentially be required.

3. The Format of the Tournament: All the matches will be played Best of 5 frames (Race to THREE FRAMES) from League to Final. Three frames of 15 Red snooker and Two frames of 6 Red snooker. For all games there will be 4 calls of miss and fifth call of foul.

However for 6 Red Snooker game the rules of 6 Red snooker will apply ie. Snooker behind nominated ball will be foul. After 4 miss calls and 5th foul call Hand ball in Dee area can be opted provided the snooker required situation is not prevalent.

The Sequence of games : 1st Frame 15 Red, 2nd Frame 6 Red, 3rd Frame 15 Red, 4th Frame 6 Red, 5th Frame 15 Red.

4. **Dress Code: Only formal trousers will be allowed. Participants wearing any kind of jeans, Sports shoes, Chappals, Floaters, will not be allowed to play their match. Collared T-Shirts will be allowed. Dress code will be adhered to from the first match itself. There will be noconcession even for the first match.**

5. Entries must be accompanied by the Entry Fee. Entry fee per team is Rs.5,000/- Last date for Entry 5th September 2016.

The entry may be cancelled by the committee if the payment is not received prior to the date specified..

6. The tournament committee reserves the right to refuse any entry without assigning any reasons whatsoever.

7. Any number of teams can be entered by any club. The total restriction on participation is 64 teams for the tournament. Hence acceptance of teams will be decided by organizing committee. **Each team will consist of minimum of 3 and maximum of 4 players only, of these only ONE player from top 32 of National main draw will be allowed per team.**

8. **In case of excess entries a play off will be held and fee for play off will be Rs. 1000/- The date and draw for play off will be duly notified.**

9. The schedule of matches shall be strictly adhered to. Matches once arranged shall not be advanced or postponed without the consent of the Tournament Committee.

10. In the event of participant failing to turn up on the scheduled start time but within 10 minutes will have to concede **ONE** frame, reporting between 10 to 20 minutes will have to concede **TWO** frames to the opponent and failing to report within 20 minutes of the scheduled start time of the match he/she shall be deemed to have given a walkover to opponent. In the event of both participants failing to turn up for their match, the match will be considered abandoned and cancelled without further rescheduling.

11. Matches will be scheduled from 10.00 hrs to 22.00 hrs.

12. The decision of the referee or in his absence by the marker will be final and binding on all teams.

13. Smoking, consumption of alcohol and bringing of eatables will not be permitted inside the Snooker Room. Mobile phones should be switched off before entering the billiard hall.

14. **The tournament committee reserves the right to change or modify any of the rules during the course of the tournament.**

15. **Tournament committee:**

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