



# Hong Kong Softball Association Scorer Training (2022-2023)

# **COURSE DESCRIPTION**

#### Aim:

This course provides essential knowledge and skills for beginner scorers to scorekeeping a softball game.

#### Award:

- "Attendance Certificate" will be issued to those participants who attended more than 90% of the class;
- "Qualified Scorer Certificate" will be issued to those participants who completed the evaluation process (including the on-field training) after examination successfully.

# **Requirement:**

- All HKSA members are welcomed to join.
- For non-HKSA member who wish to join, it is required to join the membership of HKSA beforehand.
- At least 3 years of playing softball competition experience

#### **Duration:**

9 sessions (Total 25 hours), please refer to Course Content.

#### Venue:

Hong Kong Softball Association, Tin Kwong Road (TKR) and Shek Kip Mei (SKM)

#### Quota:

20 persons

#### **Deadline:**

first come first served, on or before 30/1/2023, 1:00pm.

#### Fee:

\$100/ person

Application forms are available from HKSA website <a href="http://softball.org.hk">http://softball.org.hk</a>





# **Course Content**

	Date:		Time:	Venue:	
1.	31/1/2023	Tuesday	7:30pm – 10:00pm	TKR	Theory*
2.	7/2/2023	Tuesday	7:30pm – 10:00pm	TKR	Theory*
3.	12/2/2023	Sunday	11:30am - 2:30pm	TKR	Theory* + Practical**
4.	14/2/2023	Tuesday	7:30pm – 9:30pm	TKR	Theory*
5.	21/2/2023	Tuesday	7:30pm – 9:30pm	TKR	Theory*
6.	25/2/2023	Saturday	6:00pm – 9:00pm	TKR	Theory* + Practical**
7.	2/3/2023	Thursday	7:30pm – 9:30pm	TKR	Theory*
8.	11/3/2023	Saturday	4:30pm – 8:30pm	TKR	Practical **
9.#	19/3/2023	Sunday	12:30pm - 4:30pm	TKR	Examination **
Fallback	18/3/2023 25/3/2023 26/3/2023	Saturday Sunday	4:30pm – 8:30pm 12:30pm - 4:30pm	TKR TKR/SKM	

<sup>\*</sup> If the TKR venue is still closed, theory session will be conducted via Zoom on that day.

# **Course Topics**

Lessons	<u>Topics</u>
1	<ol> <li>Introduction</li> <li>Duties of a scorer</li> <li>Scoring System</li> <li>Ground Rule</li> <li>Definition of Softball Scoring Term         <ul> <li>RUN</li> <li>Runs Ahead Rule, Game-Ending Hit</li> </ul> </li> <li>Substitutions/DH/DP</li> </ol>
2	<ol> <li>Defense</li> <li>Putout (batter/runner; double /triple play; Infield Fly)</li> <li>Assists &amp; Error &amp; Ordinary Effort</li> <li>Automatic putouts; appeal plays; LT</li> </ol>
3	<ol> <li>Defense         <ul> <li>INF/OB</li> </ul> </li> <li>Offense         <ul> <li>Hits; SF/SH; BB/HP;</li> <li>Fielder's choice: Occupied ball/Defensive Indifference/Fielder's choice (FC)/Throw(T)</li> </ul> </li> <li>Case Study</li> </ol>

<sup>\*\*</sup>If there are no games can be arranged for on-field training/ examination, the practical sessions/ examinations will change to video session or change to the fallback day if necessary.

<sup>#</sup> depend on MA/WA schedule



4	1. Offense  Advance;  SB/CS/PO/WP/PB	
5	<ol> <li>Statistic – Calculating; Score Box &amp; Balance Box</li> <li>Tie Break</li> </ol>	
6	<ol> <li>Case Discussion (Video) in Scorer's Judgment</li> <li>Case Study &amp; Live Game Practice (Advanced Case)</li> </ol>	
7	1. Case Study	
8	1. On-the-field practice (4 hours with 2 games)	
9	1. On-the-field examination (4 hours with 2 games)	
Evaluation Process after examination If examination and attendance are passed, 10-15 games for on-field training will be provided.		