The 12th Asian Carom Championships

[Tournament Information]

-	Title	:	The 12 nd Asian Carom Championship
-	Date	:	28 - 31 March 2024
			• Men 1-Cushion: 28 – 29 March
			• U22 3-Cushion: 28 – 29 March
			•Women 3-Cushion: 28 – 29 March
			• Men 3-Cushion: 30 – 31 March
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-	Sanction	:	Asian Carom Billiard Confederation
-	Organizer	:	Korea Billiards Federation
-	Official Broadcaster	:	BilliardsTV
-	Events	:	Men 3-Cushion, Men 1-Cushion
			U22 3-Cushion, Women 3-Cushion
-	Venue	:	Chungchun Gym
	(64, Hamchun-ro, Yanggu-eup, Yanggu-gun, Gangwon-do, Republic of Korea)		

I. MEN 3-CUSHION

1. The number of participants: 32

- a. Basic entry:
 - Japan: 9
 - Korea: 9
 - -Vietnam: 9
 - China: 1
 - All country reserve 1 more player each, then the highest UMB ranking 2 players participate in.
- b. Defending Champion: CHO Myung Woo
- c. Wild card: Organizer 1
- d. In case of returned entries, ACBC re-allocates the entries to other countries.

2. Format:

- Group Round: 8 groups of 4 participants, Race to 40 points

Inning equalizing without penalty shot, 2 Time-out

Time-Regulation System - 40 Seconds Limit

5 minutes for training, 5 minutes break time

1st &2nd place of each group advance to final round

 1^{st} place of each group go to place **1** to **8** on Final Round

2nd place of each group go to place 9 to 16 on Final Round Classify for group matches a) Match points, b) G.A, c) H.R.
Final Round: Single elimination tournament, 1/8 final, Race to 50 points Time-Regulation System - 40 Seconds Limit, 2 Time-out 5 minutes for training, 5 minutes break time Others follow UMB World Championship 3-Cushion Indiv. Rule

3. Entry fee: EUR 100, To be paid – Cash – Before the player's first match

(except only the defending champion)

4. Prize money: KRW 23,000,000

- 1 st Place	KRW 10,000,000
- 2 nd Place	KRW 5,000,000
- 3 rd Place	KRW 2,000,000
- 5 th Place	KRW 1,000,000

II. MEN 1-CUSHION

1. The number of participants: 16

- a. Basic entry:
 - Japan: 5
 - Korea: 5
 - -Vietnam: 5
- b. Defending Champion: MORI Youichirou
- c. In case of returned entries, ACBC re-allocates the entries to other countries.

2. Format:

Single elimination tournament, Race to 100 points
25 Inning limit, Inning equalizing, Penalty shot
5 minutes for training, 5 minutes break time
Others follow UMB World Championship 1-Cushion Indiv. Rule

3. Entry fee: EUR 100, To be paid – Cash – Before the player's first match (except only the defending champion)

4. Prize money: KRW 7,700,000

- 1 st Place	KRW 3,000,000
- 2 nd Place	KRW 1,500,000
- 3 rd Place	KRW 800,000
- 5 th Place	KRW 400,000

III. U22 3-CUSHION

1. The number of participants: 16

- a. Basic entry:
 - Japan: 5
 - Korea: 5
 - -Vietnam: 5
- b. Defending Champion:KIM Do Heon
- c. In case of returned entries, ACBC re-allocates the entries to other countries.

2. Format:

- Group Round: 4 groups of 4 participants, Race to 25 points

Inning equalizing, 2 Time-outs

Time-Regulation System - 40 Seconds Limit

5 minutes for training, 5 minutes break time

 $1^{st} \& 2^{nd}$ place of each group advance to final round

 1^{st} place of each group go to place ${\bf 1}$ to ${\bf 4}$ on Final Round

 2^{nd} place of each group go to place **5 to 8** on Final Round

Classify for group matches a) Match points, b) G.A, c) H.R.

- Final Round: Single elimination tournament, 1/4 final, Race to 35 points Time-Regulation System - 40 Seconds Limit, 2 Time-out

5 minutes for training, 5 minutes break time

Others follow UMB World Championship 3-Cushion U-22 Rule

3. Entry fee: EUR 100, To be paid – Cash – Before the player's first match (except only the defending champion)

4. Age limit: Born from January 1st 2001

VI. WOMEN 3-CUSHION

1. The number of participants: 16

- a. Basic entry:
 - Japan: 5
 - Korea: 5
 - -Vietnam: 5

b. Defending Champion: HAN Jieun

(She is a LPBA player, so Korea has a right to appoint 1 player.)

c. In case of returned entries, ACBC re-allocates the entries to other countries.

2. Format:

- Group Round: 4 groups of 4 participants, Race to 25 points

Inning equalizing, 2 Time-outs

Time-Regulation System - 40 Seconds Limit

5 minutes for training, 5 minutes break time

1st &2nd place of each group advance to final round
1st place of each group go to place 1 to 4 on Final Round
2nd place of each group go to place 5 to 8 on Final Round
Classify for group matches a) Match points, b) G.A, c) H.R.
Final Round: Single elimination tournament, 1/4 final, Race to 30 points
Time-Regulation System - 40 Seconds Limit, 2 Time-out
5 minutes for training, 5 minutes break time
Others follow UMB World Championship 3-Cushion Ladies Rule

3. Entry fee: EUR 100, To be paid – Cash – Before the player's first match (except only the defending champion)

4. Prize money: KRW 7,700,000

- 1 st Place	KRW 3,000,000
- 2 nd Place	KRW 1,500,000
- 3 rd Place	KRW 800,000
- 5 th Place	KRW 400,000

V. HOTEL:

1. KCP Hotel

- Address: 993-19, Paroho-ro, Yanggu-eup, Yanggu-gun, Gangwon-do

- Room rate: Single KRW 70,000 / Twin beds KRW 70,000

- Reservation: <u>kimjw95@kbfsports.or.kr</u> Mr. Jaewon KIM

VI. <u>SANCTION FEE</u>: EUR 3,000 (Payable to ACBC from Organizer)

VII. COMMON ANNOUNCEMENT

1. Subsidy

- The defending champions will be provided with his accommodations for each tournament dates plus 1night by Organizer. Other players have to pay for their travel accommodations.

- All participants of U22 3-Cushion Championship will be provided free accommodations for the tournament dates plus 1night by Organizer (2 beds room).

2. Equipment:

- Table: 8 Tables
- Cloth: Iwan Simonis
- Balls: Dynaspheres

- 3. Shuttle: Players will be met at Incheon airport or Gimpo Airport and transported to the KCP hotel. Therefore, it is important that NFs provide the correct arrival and departure details to the organizer by <u>8th March 2024</u>.
- **4. Deadline of Entry: 29th Feburary 2024** E-mail: <u>acbc.cuesports@gmail.com</u>

5. Draw: 14:00 27th, March 2024 / KCP Hotel

All players and team leaders are desired to attend the draw.

Defending champions will be seeded on the place of No.1 on the bracket.

6. Official training:

- Women / U22 3-Cushion and Men 1-Cushion: 18:00 27th, March 2024
- Men 3-Cushion: 18:00 29th, March 2024
- Each player will have 15 minutes for training.

7. Tournament Director: Mr. Ilkyun PARK / KBF

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