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Pyramid Megalanes
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 Sunway Pyramid Shopping Centre
 Bandar Sunway, Petaling Jaya, Selangor

2nd Asian Tenpin Bowling Championship for the Blind 2005

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Team:

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B1	Chu Ya-Chuan
B2	Chiu Hui-Min
B2	Jen Chih-Jung
B2	Ho Chao-Wen
B2	Huang Tzu-Hsuan
B2	Yin Chung-Ping

■ KOREA

Lead By: Mr. Choi Dong-Ic

Team:

CATEGORY	NAME
B1	Bak Heui-Suk
B1	Nam Sang-Im
B1	Seo Kwan-Soo
B1	Tack No-Gyun
B2	Kim Yong-Hwan
B2	Kim Myoung-Ja
B2	Joo Yong-Hwan
B2	Kim Yong-Ho
B3	Cho Young-Hwa
B3	Choi Jae-Yeun
B3	Kim Nam-Hun
B3	Lee Yong-Tae



PARTICIPATING COUNTRIES

■ WESTERN AUSTRALIA

Lead By: Mr. James Muir

Team:

<u>CATEGORY</u>	<u>NAME</u>
B2	Steven Groves
B2	Robert Muir
B3	Barbara Gibson
В3	Ronald Muhlmann

■ THAILAND

Lead By: Mr. Tangpoolpun Virasak

Team:

CATEGORY	<u>NAME</u>
B1	Tangpoolpun Virasak
B1	Krietkongtawee Krisada
B2	Charnchial Khaw
B2	Manokham Kiattikarn
B2	Thongsoontorn Angul
В3	Denduang Pornprapa

■ SINGAPORE

Lead By: Mr. Vester Tan

Team:

CATEGORY	<u>NAME</u>
B1	Yong Phen Chong
B2	Tan Lee Juan
B2	Ong Hon Choon
В3	Wendy Wong Kim Yen



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■ MALAYSIA

Lead By: Mr. Rosham Bin Sidek

Team:

CATEGORY	<u>NAME</u>
B1	Loh Moi Moi
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Lead By: Mr. Kosugi Masahiko

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B3	Abe Yasuhiro
В3	Yamamoto Yoshinori



MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT OF NATIONAL COUNCIL FOR THE BLIND, MALAYSIA (NCBM)



Good afternoon and I bid you a warm welcome to Malaysia, and to the 2nd Asian Tenpin Bowling Championship for the Blind 2005, being organised by the National Council for the Blind, Malaysia (NCBM), in co-operation with its five Member Organisations, the Asia-Pacific Region of the World Blind Union, and with technical and logistical assistance from the Malaysian Tenpin Bowling Congress. Let me welcome all the team managers and members from the seven participating countries by name:

- 1. Mr. James Muir and his bowlers from Australia;
- 2. Mr. Liu Pei Ling and his bowlers from Chinese Taipei;
- 3. Mr. Masahiko Kosugi and his bowlers from Japan;
- 4. Mr. Choi Dong Ic and his bowlers from South Korea;
- 5. Mr. Vester Tan and his bowlers from Singapore;
- 6. Mr. Tangpoolpun Virasak and his bowlers from Thailand;
- 7. and, of course, not forgetting our national team from Malaysia, En. Rosham Sidek and his bowlers.

Here, I would also like to take the opportunity to express my sincere thanks to the following persons and organisations for helping us in organising this championship and they are:

Mr. Sidney Tung, Secretary General of the Malaysian Tenpin Bowling Congress and his other Council members for serving on the Organising Committee and for providing the lane marshals and helpers to ensure the smooth running of this event.

To Mr. Toshiaki Aomatsu, President of the Japan Bowling Congress for the Blind, and to Mr. Andrew Chew, President of the Blind Sports Association of Singapore, for coming to Malaysia at least three times within the past year to give technical advice in the capacity of the IBSA Tenpin Technical sub-committee and to help in the Congress of the Capacity of the IBSA Tenpin Technical sub-committee and to help in the Congress of the Blind, and to Mr. Andrew Chew, President of the Blind Sports Association of Singapore, for coming to Malaysia at least three times within the past year to give technical advice in the capacity of the IBSA Tenpin Technical sub-committee and to help in the Congress for the Blind, and to Mr. Andrew Chew, President of the Blind Sports Association of Singapore, for coming to Malaysia at least three times within the past year to give technical advice in the capacity of the IBSA Tenpin Technical sub-committee and to help in the

To the Tun Hussein Onn National Eye Hospital for sending a vision classifier and to Dr. Lee Joon Jae, another vision classifier from Japan, for ensuring that the bowlers will be properly classified into their respective categories.

Also, I wish to thank the sponsors who have responded to our appeal for assistance and came forward with cash or in kind, and they include The Resorts World, Johnson and Johnson, RusMedic and Unilever.

NCBM is a national umbrella body co-ordinating the work of its five Member Organisations - The Malaysian Association for the Blind, The Society of the Blind in Malaysia, St. Nicholas Home, The Sabah Society for the Blind and the Sarawak Society for the Blind. NCBM, strictly speaking, does not run services but it facilitates and assists some of its weaker organisations to implement new services and to upgrade existing ones. In carrying out its goals, NCBM uses the following three strategies to fulfill its mandate. They are:

- 1. Providing a platform for representatives to meet regularly for the exchanging of experiences and information. NCBM pays for their travelling, board and lodging expenses ranging from 50 to 100 percent depending on the work of the committees.
- 2. Holding joint activities in which each Member Organisation is expected to contribute manpower or some financial resources.
- 3. Giving part or full funding to Member Organisations for them to implement new projects or to upgrade existing ones in accordance with the priorities determined by NCBM.

In short, NCBM has no organisational boundaries to protect; its vision is to see that blind and low-visioned people, no matter where they live in the country, may access and enjoy quality services.

When it comes to sporting and recreational activities, NCBM adopts the same policy. It will firstly, promote new disciplines by organising coaching clinics or seminars. Secondly, assist in events organised by a Member Organisation in which at least three other Member Organisations are invited to participate. And thirdly, organise national and international events that are aimed specifically for blind and low-visioned participants. In other words, NCBM and its Member Organisations will try to ensure that sporting and recreational activities are properly promoted for blind and low-visioned participants; and also to ensure that these athletes are given a fair deal when participating in events organised for cross-disability groups. Of course, the responsibility of safeguarding their interest also rests on the blind and low-visioned athletes themselves.



I congratulate you on being selected to represent your country and salute you for the tremendous efforts you have to make in getting here. And I know winning medals is the wish of every sportsman and sportswoman, but I would strongly urge all of you to use this occasion to foster friendship and to share information and experiences of how blind and low-visioned people can support each other in promoting blindness-specific activities. Remember, winning medals is not all that important, but what counts is that you have participated in this championship and you did enjoy your stay in Malaysia. I wish you a successful championship and a enjoyable stay in this country.

S.Kulasegaran

President, National Council for the Blind, Malaysia - NCBM



MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT OF WORLD BLIND UNION ASIA PACIFIC (WBUAP)

Participation in a sporting activity, whether for recreation, competition, or a mix of both, is an important facet of our lives. It's good for health, fun, and provides an excellent social outlet.

For many of us who are blind or have low vision, there are extra challenges in such participation. Depending on the sport, it's sometimes hard or impossible to compete on an equal basis with our sighted peers.

For this reason, championships such as this one provide an excellent opportunity for our competitive spirit, our recreational needs and our social outlets. On behalf of the Asia Pacific Region of the World Blind Union, I congratulate you for your participation, and wish you the best for the tournament.

Those of us who have had the chance to participate in such international competitions are some of the lucky ones. Many of the 137 million people around the world who are blind or have low vision do not have such opportunities. Most live in poverty or in very constrained circumstances.

As well as the chance to enjoy yourselves and participate, this championship should be used as an opportunity to demonstrate positively the effective role that people who are blind or have low vision can play in our community. The aim of the World Blind Union is to change what it means to be blind, and you can use both this championship - and the other facets of your lives - to do just this. By setting a positive example, you do not only benefit yourself, but you assist others with similar disabilities.

Best wishes for a successful championship, and congratulations to all of you on being selected to represent your organizations. And I also wish to take this opportunity to extend my deep appreciation to the National Council for the Blind, Malaysia for hosting the 2nd Asian Tenpin Bowling Championship for the Blind 2005.

GRAEME INNES

President,
WORLD BLIND UNION ASIA PACIFIC (WBUAP)





MESSAGE FROM THE CHAIRMAN INTERNATIONAL BLIND SPORTS FEDERATION



Good afternoon my friends!

When I first discuss with my Malaysian friends about promoting bowling activities among the blind, that has been two years ago. Today, I am here witnessing the staging of the 2nd Asian Blind Bowling Championship. I am told that there are fifty two blind bowlers from seven countries throughout Asia Pacific at the Championship.

I am very impressed with the organization of this Championship. Besides the hard work and devotion of the National Council for the Blind Malaysia, I am encouraged by the support of the many helpers and the Malaysia Tenpin Bowling Congress towards this Championship. Without your support, this tournament will not have been possible.

I trust that this Championship will mark the beginning of Malaysia's active involvement in the International movement to promote blind bowling. I strongly believe that Malaysia can play an instrumental role in the promotion of blind bowling, especially in the Asia Pacific region. It is my wish to see Malaysia organising a world championship in the near future.

For those of you who are competing today, remember that you are already winners for being here. Whether you win a medal or not, the important thing is that you have learnt to play a new sport and gotten to know new friends through it.

May I wish all of you happy bowling!

Andrew Chew

Chairman, Tenpin Bowling Technical Sub-Committee International Blind Sports Federation





MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT ASIAN BOWLING FEDERATION

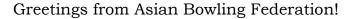


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On behalf of the Executive Committee of Asian Bowling Federation I would like to extend a warm welcome to all the competitors of the 2^{nd} Asian Tenpin Bowling Championships 2005 for the Blind, which is being held in Pyramid Megalane, Sunway, from November 11 - 14.

Handicapped people could be as active as ordinary people. They could participate in recreational activities and sport competition. We are most proud that our sport has been taken up by the blind people. I would like to take this opportunity to thank Malaysian Tenpin Bowling Congress and the Blind Association of Malaysia for their commitment and dedication in organizing this competition for the blind people and I wish them every success in this tournament. To the participants from 7 countries, I also wish you good luck and good bowling.

Sheikh Talal Mohd. Al Sabah

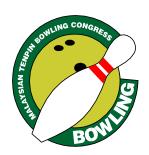
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MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT OF MALAYSIAN TENPIN BOWLING CONGRESS (MTBC)





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11 November 2005

Message for the 2nd Asian Tenpin Bowling Championship for the Blind 2005

On behalf of the Malaysian Tenpin Bowling Congress and the Bowling Family of Malaysia, may I bid you all a very warm welcome to our shores and to Pyramid Bowl.

We have a very committed and caring Organising committee to attend to your every need. I am confident you will return with fond memories of your experiences in Malaysia.

May I wish you all and the Organizing Committee a very successful Tournament and the sponsors "ribuan terima kasih".

In concluding, I would like to congratulate the National Council for the Blind, Malaysia, for successfully bidding and garnering all the resources needed for the successful conclusion of a Tournament of this magnitude.

God Bless

Yours sincerely in Bowling,

President

Malaysian Tenpin Bowling Congress



PROGRAMME SCHEDULE

11th Nov 2005

9.00 am	Official practice	Megalanes Pyramid
3.30 pm	Official opening	Megalanes Pyramid
3.45pm	Arrival of Invited Guest	TS .
4.00pm	Official opening begins	
4.05pm	Malaysian National An	them
4.10pm	MC introduces particip	ating countries in a march past
4.30pm	MC invites speeches	
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4.50pm	Guest of Honour declar	res championship open
4.55pm	Bowlers and Officials C	Oath Taking Ceremony
5.00pm	Guest of Honour presen	nts souvenir to participating teams
5.05pm	Presentation of appreci Honour	ation to Guest of
5.10pm	Demo game	
5.20pm	MC invites guests for li	ght refreshments
5.45pm	Ceremony ends	

12th Nov 2005

9.00 am	Championship begins – singles event
	Prize giving at the end of competition

13th Nov 2005

9.00 am	Championship continues – doubles event
3.00 pm	Prize giving and closing ceremony



<u>2nd Asian Tenpin Bowling Championship for</u> <u>the Blind 2005</u> (Competition Rules)

1. General rule

The current WTBA (World Tenpin Bowling Association) rules and IBSA (International Blind Sports Federation) Tenpin Bowling rules shall apply in all cases, except where additions and modifications shall be specified below.

2. Classifications

(1) Singles:

- B 1: No light perception in either eye up to light perception but inability to recognize the shape of a hand at any distance or in any direction.
- B 2: From ability to recognize the shape of a hand up to visual acuity of 2/60 and/or visual field of less than 5 degrees.
- B 3: From visual acuity of above 2/60 up to visual acuity of 6/60 and/or visual field of more than 5 degrees and less than 20 degrees.

Classification shall be based on examination of both eyes with best correction. (I.e. All bowlers who use contact or corrective lenses must wear them for classification, whether they intend to compete wearing them or not.)

(2) <u>Doubles</u>

The sum of the classifications of two bowlers must not exceed 4. Thus, B1+B1, B1+B2, B1+B3, B2+B2 are allowed.

3. Singles

Competitions shall be scratch games only.

Men: B1, B2, B3 Women: B1, B2, B3

4. Doubles

Competitions shall be scratch games only. There shall be no distinction for men or women teams.



5. Equipments

- (1) The official guide rail for the competition shall be the ABBA portable rail. The organizer shall provide a rail for B1 and B2 bowlers if requested in the teams' entry form.
- (2) B1 bowlers must wear blind-fold provided by the organizer.

6. Style of play

- (1) A block of games shall consist of three games.
- (2) Each block of games shall be bowled on one lane.
- (3) There shall be a change of lane after each block of games.
- (4) A maximum of two bowlers may be scheduled on one lane.

7. Lane draw

- (1) There shall be lane draws for both singles and doubles events.
- (2) In single events, bowlers who require the guide rail will be drawn to bowl on the same lane while those who do not require the guide rail will be drawn to bowl separately. Every effort shall be made to draw two bowlers from the same country to bowl on the same lane if the organizers are unable to provide sufficient native language assistance to the bowlers. Country must submit the names of the two bowlers that will be bowling on the same lane for the purpose of lane draw by completing a specific form provided by the organizers.
- (3) In double events, players of each team will be drawn to bowl on the same lane.

8. Assistance during games

(1) Role of referees

There shall be 1 referee for each lane. They must be accreditated officials from the WTBA member federation in the host country. The referees shall assist in the following matters if requested by bowlers.

- A. Locating the bowlers' ball on the ball return.
- B. Guiding the bowler to a specific point on the approach.

(2) Roles of Supporters

Supporters shall be either neutral individuals appointed by the organizers or individuals appointed by the participating countries and registered with the organizers by completing the appropriate section on the entry form. There shall be either one or two supporters for each lane depending on the circumstances. Supporters shall assist bowlers only at the bowlers' area in the following matters.

- A. Native language support to the bowler
- B. Informing the bowler directions of the ball after delivery, pins left standing, and scores



9. Prohibitions

- (1) Bowlers are not allowed to cross the foul line during orientation before a delivery.
- (2) Referees and supporters are not allowed to verbally or physically assist bowlers during a delivery.
- (3) The bowlers' palm shall not be in contact with the guide rail so that they may use the rail as a mechanical prop for the purpose of balancing the body at the moment when the ball leaves their possession.

10. Dressing

All bowlers should dress appropriately for competition. They shall wear a standard uniform. Individual variations are not permitted.



1ST IBSA ASIAN BLIND CHAMPIONSHIPS (WOMEN SINGLE Results)

B1 Class

Gold Medalist Emura Tamami Japan

Silver Medalist Loh Moi Moi Malaysia

Bronze Medalist Fan Kuei-Feng Chinese Taipei

B2 Class

Gold Medalist Chan Mai Lan Malaysia

Silver Medalist Noraini Azlin Malaysia

Bronze Medalist Hidaka Kumiko Japan

B3 Class

Gold Medalist Morisawa Akiko Japan

Silver Medalist Wong Kim Yen Singapore

Bronze Medalist Denduang Pornprapa Thailand



1ST IBSA ASIAN BLIND CHAMPIONSHIPS (WOMEN ALL EVENTS Results)

B1 Class

Gold Medalist Emura Tamami Japan

Silver Medalist Loh Moi Moi Malaysia

Bronze Medalist Fan Kuei-Feng Chinese Taipei

B2 Class

Gold Medalist Chan Mai Lan Malaysia

Silver Medalist Noraini Azlin Malaysia

Bronze Medalist Hidaka Kumiko Japan

B3 Class

Gold Medalist Morisawa Akiko Japan

Silver Medalist Wong Kim Yen Singapore

Bronze Medalist Denduang Pornprapa Thailand



1ST IBSA ASIAN BLIND CHAMPIONSHIPS (MEN SINGLE Results)

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Gold Medalist Kietongtawee Krisada Thailand

Silver Medalist Ojima Yoshihisa Japan

Bronze Medalist Yong Phen Chong Singapore

B2 Class

Gold Medalist Choo Kam Chan Malaysia

Silver Medalist Horiuchi Kiyoshi Japan

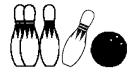
Bronze Medalist Ho Chao-Wen Chinese Taipei

B3 Class

Gold Medalist Gomi Ryuji Japan

Silver Medalist Huang Tzu-Hsuan Chinese Taipei

Bronze Medalist Yamamoto Yoshinori Japan



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B1 Class

Gold Medalist Ojima Yoshihisa Japan

Silver Medalist Kietongtawee Krisada Thailand

Bronze Medalist Yong Phen Chong Singapore

B2 Class

Gold Medalist Horiuchi Kiyoshi Japan

Silver Medalist Choo Kam Chan Malaysia

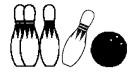
Bronze Medalist Ho Chao-Wen Chinese Taipei

B3 Class

Gold Medalist Gomi Ryuji Japan

Silver Medalist Huang Tzu-Hsuan Chinese Taipei

Bronze Medalist Yamamoto Yoshinori Japan





1ST IBSA ASIAN BLIND CHAMPIONSHIPS (DOUBLE Results)

Gold Medalist Kiguchi Tomomasa Japan D

Horiuchi Kiyoshi

Silver Medalist Ojima Yoshihisa Japan B

Gomi Ryuji

Bronze Medalist Tsai Yung-Fang Chinese Taipei A

Ho Chao Wen



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