I. 2016 Jockey Club Hong Kong Coaching Awards Presentation Ceremony



A total of 176 coaches were awarded at the 2016 Jockey Club Hong Kong Coaching Awards Presentation Ceremony held at the Hong Kong Sports Institute (HKSI) on 30 April, 2017, with aims to recognise their dedication in nurturing Hong Kong athletes to achieve outstanding results in the international competitions, and in developing sports at the community and school levels.

The nominations received for this edition hit a record high of 218, running for honours in seven categories, namely Coach of the Year Awards, Distinguished Services Award for Coaching, Coach Education Award, Best Team Sport Coach Award, Coaching Excellence Awards, Community Coach Recognition Awards and School Coach Recognition Awards. The School Coach Recognition Awards, which was incepted last year, recorded a leap in nomination number from 16 to 45.

Mr Lau Kong-wah JP, Secretary for Home Affairs; Ms Rhoda Chan, Head of Charities (Grant Making – Sports, Recreation, Arts and Culture) of The Hong Kong Jockey Club and Mr Adam Koo, Chairman of the Hong Kong Coaching Committee (HKCC) officiated at the Ceremony.

Mr Koo said, "In 2016, Hong Kong athletes and coaches not only demonstrated the true essence of the Olympic spirit at the Rio Olympic and Paralympic Games, they also showed to the world the iconic Hong Kong spirit of perseverance. In addition, Hong Kong athletes set a number of



historical records in the World Championships and Asian Championships over the year, and took home over 210 medals. All these achievements relied heavily on a group of coaches who have been contributing their effort behind the scenes. I would like to extend my gratitude to them and tender my best wishes to our coaches and athletes in 2017."

Please refer to attachment for 2016 recipients.

II. Jockey Club Coach Education Programme



II-A: "Foundation Certificate in Sports Coaching Theory"

In order to enhance the quality and recognition of the coaches, the HKCC has organized the "Foundation Certificate in Sports Coaching Theory" (FSC) course since 2014. The FSC has been accredited by the Hong Kong Council for Accreditation of Academic and Vocational Qualifications (HKCAAVQ) at Qualification Framework (QF) Level 2. The FSC course follows a modular approach, which includes 10 modules and a 30-hour coaching practicum. Graduates of FSC will be able to obtain 15 QF Credits upon graduation. Enrollment for the coming course will start in August 2017. Further announcement will be posted on HKCC website.

II-B: "Certificate in Advanced Sports Coaching Theory"

The Certificate in Advanced Sports Coaching Theory (ASC) course, which has been accredited by the HKCAAVQ at QF Level 3, was launched in March 2016. One course will be organized each year, and the second course has already started in January 2017. The ASC course follows a modular approach, which includes 10 modules and a 30-hour coaching practicum. Graduates of



ASC will be able to obtain 25 QF Credits upon graduation. The next course will be held in January 2018, further announcement will be released on our website www.hkcoaching.com.

II-C: "Introductory Sports Coaching Course"

To address the need of NSAs for training new coaches at the community level, the HKCC has launched the "Introductory Sports Coaching Course" (ICC) in 2016. It covers nine sports theory topics in coaching and sports science with a total of 28 contact hours. Graduates will be granted a certificate of "Introductory Sports Coaching Course" under the HKCC. With this basic coaching qualification plus the relevant NSAs' sport-specific components, graduates will be able to take up elementary coaching work at beginner's level. Six courses will be held each year and the next course will be held in end August 2017. Participants are enrolled through member National Sports Associations (NSAs) of the HKCC. For enrollment, please contact the respective NSAs for information.

III. Jockey Club Elite Coaches Conference



The 24th Elite Coaches Conference was successfully held on 3 December 2016 in Hong Kong. With the theme "Quest for Excellence – From Rio to Tokyo", the Conference attracted over 200 delegates from Mainland China and Hong Kong. The event was jointly organised by HKCC and the All-China Sports Federation. Five professional experts and coaches from Mainland China, Japan and Hong Kong shared their insight and expertise in sports coaching for Olympics with the participants in the Conference.



IV. Jockey Club Continuing Coach Education Programme (JCCCEP)









Six seminars were held in 2016/17 attracting more than 1600 coaches' attendance, with the theme on:

- 1. Injury prevention exercise program and sports taping
- 2. Development Trend of Paralympic Games and Sports for Persons with Disabilities in HK
- 3. Prevention of Sexual Harassment the Role of Coaches
- 4. Applied Medical Monitoring in Sports Training
- 5. Applied Sport Psychology in Sport Performance Enhancement
- 6. Latest Information on Anti-doping and Points to Note before Taking Supplements

The 1st seminar in 2017/18 with the theme on "Child Protection", was held on 21 June 2017 with over 200 participants. For upcoming seminars, please stay tuned with us! www.hkcoaching.com



V. Jockey Club Community Education Programmes



The Jockey Club Community Education Programme is an education programme presented by the HKCC to enhance public awareness of sports coaching and coaching qualifications, and plays an important role in supporting and nurturing individuals who are interested in sports coaching. The last Community Education Programme was held on 5 May 2017 with 40 participants. Ms Lai Oi-yan Joyce, recipient of the Coach Education Award in the 2016 Jockey Club Hong Kong Coaching Awards, was invited to share her coaching experience in cycling. Through this informative talk, the participants got an insight into the coaching system in Hong Kong.

VI. Beijing Sport University Bachelor of Education in Sports Training

2017 Admission

The Bachelor of Education in Sports Training Programme is offered by the Beijing Sport University and administered by the Hong Kong Sports Institute since 1999. Admission for the 2017 class is now open for enrollment. For enquiries, please visit our website at www.hkcoaching.com, or contact us via email ceddept@hksi.org.hk / tel. 2681 6289.