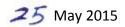


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RTNFC 04/2015



Dear All Fencing Clubs,

We are honored to invite your fencing club to the "14th and 5th Veteran : Navy Open Fencing Club Championships 2015", which will be held from 28th to 31st August 2015 at the Island Hall, Fashion Island Shopping Center (Floor 3), Bangkok, THAILAND.

The "14th Navy Open Fencing Club Championships 2015" is the international competition that open to all fencing clubs around the world. The winner of this competition will be authorized to hold Navy trophy for a whole year. This is an official competition in Thailand which has been authorized by Thailand Fencing Federation.

The "5th Veteran Navy Open 2015" is the international veteran competition for fencers age over 40-years-old and 50-years-old. Please feel free if you want to join us being a part of veteran's family.

We, therefore, will be pleased if you could join this competition.

Yours sincerely,

Vice Admiral Pong by Nhutter

(Pongthep Nhuthep) President, Royal Thai Navy Fencing Club



COMPETITION INFORMATION

- **1. Date** : 28 31 August 2015
- **2. Venue :** 3rd Floor, Fashion Island Shopping Center, Ramindra Road, Bangkok, THAILAND.

3. Organizer :

The Royal Thai Navy Fencing Club (RTNFC)

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Website : http://www.navyfencing.net

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4. Competition Schedule :

Date	Time	Event	
28 August 2015 (Friday)	08:30	Weapon Control/ Team Manager Meeting	
	10:00	Men's Foil Individual	
	11:30	Women's Epee Individual	
	13:00	Women's Sabre Individual	
	14:00	Open Ceremony	
	15:00	Veteran Men's Sabre / Mixed 40+	
		<mark>Veteran Men's Epee / Mixed 50+</mark>	
	18:00	Final followed by Prize Presentation	
	08:30	Weapon Control	
	10:00	Men's Epee Individual	
29 August 2015	11:30	Women's Foil Individual	
(Saturday)	13:00	Women's Sabre Team	
(Saturday)	14:00	Veteran Men's Foil / Mixed 40+	
		<mark>Veteran Men's Sabre / Mixed 50+</mark>	
	18:00	Final followed by Prize Presentation	
	08:30	Weapon Control	
	10:00	Men's Sabre Individual	
30 August 2015 (Sunday)	11:30	Men's Foil Team	
	13:00	Women's Epee Team	
	14:00	<mark>Veteran Men's Epee / Mixed 40+</mark>	
		Veteran Men's Foil / Mixed 50+	
	18:00	Final followed by Prize Presentation	
	08:30	Weapon Control	
31 August 2015 (Monday)	10:00	Men's Epee Team	
	11:30	Men's Sabre Team	
	13:00	Women's Foil Team	
	18:00	Final followed by Prize Presentation and Closing Ceremony	

5. Participants :

Each country may enter <u>no limit fencers</u> for any events. However, team event or veteran event will be cancelled if there are <u>less than 4 teams or 4 participants</u>, respectively.

6. Entry Fees :

Individual event :	<u>1,500 baht</u> (or 50USD) / person / event
Team event :	<u>3,000 baht</u> (or 100USD) / team / event

7. Entries :

- (a) Preliminary Entry (by event and number) Form 1, by 1 August 2015 (Saturday).
- (b) Final Entry (by event and name) Forms 2 & 3, by 15 August 2015 (Saturday).



8. Competition Methods :

The fencing competition shall be conducted in accordance with the current Statues and Rules of the FIE. In case of disagreement in interpretation of the Rules, the latest English version shall prevail. The Directoire de Technique (DT) shall deal with any unforeseen incidents not covered by the Rules.

9. Equipment :

All equipment must be passed for weapons testing and marked by organizer us before they can be used in the competition. Kindly note it is <u>COMPULSORY</u> for all participants to wear UNDERPLASTRONS.

10. Competition Management :

- (a) <u>Individual event</u> will be no bout for the 3rd Place. The two fencers who lose the semi-final matches will be placed equal third.
- (b) <u>**Team event**</u> will be fought for $1^{st} 8^{th}$ Places, from 9^{th} Place onwards teams will be classified.

(c) <u>Referee</u>

Each club participating in the competition must be accompanied by a number of referees according to the following formula:

1 – 4 fencers	no referee required
5 – 9 fencers	1 referee required
10 or more fencers	2 referees required

Please ensure that the referees are properly attired in jacket/blazer and long pants. They are to be on duty under the assignment of the DT throughout the competition.

If clubs are unable to provide the required number of at least 1 referee based on the quota, *a referee penalty* of 1,000 baht/fencer will be imposed.

(d) Directoire de Technique (DT)

The DT shall be responsible for the technical organization of the competition. The members shall by appointed by the host country. The decision of the DT shall be final.

(e) <u>Protests</u>

Appeals against decisions of a referee should be immediately made by the competitors or their team captains to the referee, before any decision is made regarding a subsequent hit. If the referee should maintain his decision, the complaint shall be brought to the attention of the DT.

11. Prizes :

- (a) Medal and diploma will be awarded to the 1st, 2nd and 3rd places, joint bronzes will be awarded for both Individual and Team event.
- (b) The $5^{st} 8^{th}$ places will be presented diploma for individual event only.
- (c) The highest total sum scores of participating club will be authorized to hold the "*Navy's trophy*" <u>for one</u> <u>year</u>. (Open event only)

12. Accommodation, Food, and Transportation:

The official hotel is "The Grand Four Wings Convention Hotel" (4-star hotel)

Please use ThaOpen2015_Form for reservation of accommodation and airport pick-up and email it to us at *navyfencingclub@gmail.com* by *Friday, 7 August 2015*.

Grand Four Wings Convention Hotel - Bangkok * * * * * <u>http://www.grandfourwings.com</u>				
333 Srinakarin Rd., Huama Bangkok 10240, Thailand. Tel. + 66 (0) 2 378 8000	rk, Bangkapi Fax. + 66 (0) 2 378 8080	20 minutes to venue		
Single / Double Room	Extra Bed	Food		
120 USD	60 USD	Include Breakfast, transportation		









Meeting Point GATE 5 at Suvarnabhumi International Airport

The Grand Four Wings Convention Hotel

