# CCTV World Youth Amateur On-line Weiqi Tournament

#### I. Organizers:

Chinese Weiqi Association the Sports and Youth Program Center of China Media Group

## **II.** Operating Units:

Beijing Yi Sai Business Operation management Co. LTD International Media Port (Shanghai) Cultural Development Co., LTD

# III. Technical Support: (TBD)

## **IV. Competition Date:**

October 31st ,2020~January 2021 (tentative), one round on Saturday or Sunday every weekend, the schedule is as follows:

The Regular Season:

1<sup>st</sup> round: 31<sup>st</sup>, October, 2020

2<sup>nd</sup> round:7<sup>th</sup>, November, 2020

3<sup>rd</sup> round:14<sup>th</sup>, November, 2020

4<sup>th</sup> round:21<sup>st</sup>, November, 2020

5<sup>th</sup> round:28<sup>th</sup>,November,2020

6<sup>th</sup> round: 5<sup>th</sup>, December, 2020

7<sup>th</sup> round: 12<sup>th</sup>, December, 2020

The Playoffs:

1/4 finals: 19<sup>th</sup>, December, 2020

Semi-finals: 26<sup>th</sup>, December, 2020

Finals: TBD

#### **V. Competition Venue:**

On-line platform (Issued Separately)

#### **VI. Qualification:**

1. Each national Weiqi Association of China, Japan and South Korea may apply for 2 teams (3 members per team) to participate in the team competition and select 2 children to participate in the individual competition.

Other countries may nominate one team (3 members per team) to participate in the team competition, and select 1 child to participate in the individual competition.

2. The competition shall be divided into two groups according to age, among which the children's group shall be the individual competition and the youth group shall be the team competition.

Children group: born after January 1, 2008

Youth group: Born from 1 January 2000 to 31 December 2007

3. Only amateur players are allowed to take part in the competition. There is no limit on the level of Weiqi ability.

#### **VII. Competition Methods:**

1. Adopt the latest Weiqi competition rules approved by the Chinese Weiqi Association.

2.The competition is divided into regular season, playoffs and finals. The regular season USES the Swiss system with 7 rounds, the top eight will enter the playoffs; In the playoffs, there are two rounds with single knock-out system, in which two teams from the same country are forced to avoid in the quarterfinals, and two teams from the same country are forced to meet in the semifinals. The top two teams from the playoffs go

to the finals. In the final, the position will be decided by a best-of-three game. The competition is carried out through the network platform.

3.Real-name registration will be adopted for the competition, which will be supervised on site by various Weiqi associations and combined with face recognition.

4. The Chinese Weiqi Association will provide each participating country with a competition fund of RMB 10,000 yuan for hiring supervisors.

#### VIII. Rewards:

1. The top 16 players of Individual competition will be awarded the Electronic certificate of Honor.

2. The top 16 groups of Team competition will be awarded the Electronic certificate of Honor. 2

3. The Chinese Weiqi Association and the China Media Group will jointly issue electronic certificates of honor to the players who have not won prizes.

#### **IX.** Registration methods:

Each national Weiqi Association shall submit the application form to the designated email address of the Chinese Weiqi Association before October 10<sup>th</sup> ,2020.

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# X. Matters not covered herein shall be notified separately.

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