

香港航空青年團

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PMCO 2020 - Wilderness Adventure Challenge 野外歷奇比賽 **「Proficiency in Map reading, Campcraft and Orienteering」** **(Extension of Application Deadline)**

Skills Development and Support Group is inviting all squadrons to join the PMCO 2020 – Wilderness Adventure Challenge. The competition aims to enhance cadets' map reading, campcraft, orienteering skills, squadron cooperation and leadership skills. In addition, the main purposes of expeditions are plans, executions and reports in wild activities.

Event Date:

Running Map (圖走日) : 2 February 2020

Camp : 22 – 23 February 2020

Venue: To Be Confirmed

Back-up Date for Severe Weather Arrangement: 29 February - 1 March 2020

Arrangement of program is subjected to changes according to the situation on the day of the event.

Competition Outline

The competition can be regarded as Expeditions Section of The Hong Kong Award for Young People Bronze and Silver level.

Competition Format

This is an outreach competition which requires high self-discipline.

Each team consists of 6 members, aged 14 or above. In addition, joint-squadron teams must come from the same wing. More than one team from the same squadron is accepted but only the team has highest score can contend the PMCO Award.

Quota: 15 Teams, teams will be selected by drawing lots if over 15 applications are received.

Safety Officer

As the competition involves adventure elements, each team needs to send one adult member as a safety officer (Valid first-aid certificate holder) in order to ensure the safety and review the team performance. We are going to hold a briefing for safety officers to share adventure experiences on cadets and ways to help cadets become better leaders.

Briefing Session

Date: 20 December 2019 (Friday)/ Venue: Nissan Hut, Aviation Club / Time: 1915 to 2100hrs

Further details will be announced. All participating teams must send their safety officer and at least one representative to the briefing session. **Failure to attend the briefing session will result in a deduction of 50% of the total scores.**

Application Procedure

Each team is required to return the “Team Application Form (Appendix I)” in EXCEL format through OC Unit to hkacc.pmco@gmail.com on or before **13 December 2019 (Friday)** AND submit the “Team Application Form (Appendix I)” PLUS “Personal Application Form (Appendix II)” in briefing session.

Should you have any enquiries, please contact us at hkacc.pmco@gmail.com.

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