



THE FOOTBALL ASSOCIATION OF HONG KONG, CHINA LIMITED
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Appendix

“2023-24 Hong Kong Top Footballer Awards” Voting Mechanism

(I) Footballer of the Year (1 player)

- The player with the highest score of Best XI of the Year (Part II) will be elected as Footballer of the Year.

(II) Best XI of the Year (11 players)

(Position: 1 Goalkeeper, 4 Defenders, 3 Midfielders and 3 Forwards)

Nominee Criteria:

- Nominees must be registered players who have appeared in a minimum of 10 matches in total in the BOC Life Hong Kong Premier League, Senior Shield, FA Cup, and JC Sapling Cup (calculated until April 28, 2024).

Scoring Mechanism:

- Best XI will be elected from the nominees based on the following mechanism:

(a) Fans Public Voting	40%
(b) Head Coaches of HKPL Clubs ¹	10%
(c) Captains of HKPL Clubs	10%
(d) Hong Kong Sports Press Association and registered media in HKFA (1 vote for each unit)	20%
(e) Judging Panel ²	20%
(f) BOCL HKPL Player of the Month winners	0.5 extra point for each award
(g) BOCL HKPL Player of the Match winners	0.2 extra point for each award

¹ If the club's head coach is vacant, the club can nominate one coaching staff to vote.

² The Judging Panel includes Hong Kong, China Representative Team Head Coach Mr. Joern Andersen (5%), HKFA Technical, Competitions, Referees, Marketing Departments and HKPLC Representatives (15%).



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(III) Young Players of the Year (2 players)

Nominee Criteria:

- Nominees must be registered players under 23 years old (born on or after 1 January 2001).
- Nominees must have appeared in a minimum of 8 matches in total in the BOC Life Hong Kong Premier League, Senior Shield, FA Cup, and JC Sapling Cup (calculated until April 28, 2024).

Scoring Mechanism:

- Young Players of the Year will be elected from the nominees based on the following mechanism:

(a) Fans Public Voting	40%
(b) Head Coaches of HKPL Clubs	10%
(c) Captains of HKPL Clubs	10%
(d) Hong Kong Sports Press Association and registered media in HKFA (1 vote for each unit)	20%
(e) Judging Panel	20%
(f) BOCL HKPL Player of the Month winners	0.5 extra point for each award
(g) BOCL HKPL Player of the Match winners	0.2 extra point for each award

(IV) Coach of the Year (1 coach)

Nominee Criteria:

- Nominees must be current registered head coaches of HKPL Clubs.

Scoring Mechanism:

- Coach of the Year will be elected from the nominees based on the following mechanism:

(a) Fans Public Voting	40%
(b) Head Coaches of HKPL Clubs	10%
(c) Captains of HKPL Clubs	10%
(d) Hong Kong Sports Press Association and registered media in HKFA (1 vote for each unit)	20%
(e) Judging Panel	20%

(V) Fans' Favourite (1 player)

- The player with the highest score in (a) Fans Public Voting of Best XI of the Year (Part II) will be elected as Fans' Favourite.



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(VI) Players' Favourite (1 player)

Nominee Criteria:

- Nominees must be registered players who have appeared in a minimum of 10 matches in total in the BOC Life Hong Kong Premier League, Senior Shield, FA Cup and JC Sapling Cup (calculated until April 28, 2024).

Scoring Mechanism:

- Every HKPL registered player can vote for 3 players from the nominees list in order of preference 1-3 with the following scores:
1st choice: 3 points; 2nd choice: 2 points; 3rd choice: 1 point
- The player with the highest score will be elected as Players' Favourite

(VII) Best HKRT Player in HKPL (1 player)

Nominee Criteria:

- Nominees must have appeared in Hong Kong, China Representative Team or Asian Games Representative Team's match between September 2023 and March 2024³, and appeared in the BOC Life Hong Kong Premier League, Senior Shield, FA Cup or JC Sapling Cup.

Scoring Mechanism:

- Best HKRT Player will be elected from the nominees based on the following mechanism:

(a) Fans Public Voting	40%
(b) Head Coaches of HKPL Clubs	10%
(c) Captains of HKPL Clubs	10%
(d) Hong Kong Sports Press Association and registered media in HKFA (1 vote for each unit)	20%
(e) Judging Panel	20%

- The aforementioned "registered" is based on the list of each team as of April 28, 2024.
- In the event of a tie in scores for any of the awards, the Judging Panel will make the final decision.
- In case of any disputes, HKFA reserves the right to make the final decision regarding the voting mechanism. The Chinese version shall prevail.

³ The 20 matches include: 7/9/2023 vs Cambodia, 11/9/2023 vs Brunei Darussalam, 22/9-7/10/2023 Asian Games 2022、12/10/2023 vs Bhutan、17/10/2023 vs Bhutan、16/11/2023 vs Iran、21/11/2023 vs Turkmenistan、1/1/2024 vs China、14-23/1/2024 Asian Cup Finals、31/1-7/2/2024 GD-HK Cup、21/3/2024 vs Uzbekistan & 26/3/2024 vs Uzbekistan



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Schedule

2 May 2024 (THU)

Start of “2023-24 HK Top Footballer Awards” Voting

26 May 2024 (SUN)

End of Fans Public Voting (23:59)

28 May 2024 (TUE)

2023-24 HK Top Footballer Awards Ceremony