

RESULTS OF THE 8TH ASIAN MARATHON CHAMPIONSHIPS

24TH FEBRUARY 2002

HONG KONG, HONG KONG CHINA

The 8th Asian Marathon Championships was the most successfully held since its beginnings in 1991 in terms of the response from our Members. As late as the 7th in the series there were only 10 men's teams and 5 women's teams. This year's Championships which were held at Hong Kong on 24th February 2002 attracted a total of 31 men and 19 women participants coming from 24 (24m + 15w) countries.

The Championships were held in conjunction with the Standard Chartered Hong Kong Marathon 2002 where a mass of 13 thousand Hong Kong participants were at the starting line. Besides the Marathon, some ran the 10km distance and some the Half Marathon Race which gave the event a carnival atmosphere.

The increase in the number of participants for the Asian Championships must be credited to Mr William Ko, Asian AAA Council Member and Chairman of the Hong Kong AAA, for having offered free international travel to the teams.

Congratulations to the members of the Hong Kong AAA for the excellent organization of the Championships: The results of the competition are as follows :-

Men

1.	Osaki Satoshi	(JPN)	02:16:46
2.	Umeki Kurao	(JPN)	02:18:03
3.	Maung Maung Nge	(MYA)	02:23:15
4.	Vence Roy	(PHI)	02:24:14
5.	I Gusti Gede Karang Asem	(INA)	02:25:34
6.	Jandacha Boonchoo	(THA)	02:26:07
7.	Kim Jin Ho	(KOR)	02:26:36
8.	Naseer Ahmad	(PAK)	02:27:38
9.	Zabavskii Sergei	(TJK)	02:27:51
10.	Arjun Kumar Basnet	(NEP)	02:28:06



11.	Tolstyh Arkady	(KGZ)	02:28:25
12.	Asith Bandara	(SRI)	02:29:47
13.	Chang Chia Che	(TPE)	02:32:23
14.	Medvedev Vasilii	(UZB)	02:32:24
15.	Andrey Chigidinov	(KAZ)	02:32:38
16.	Jumah Omar Al Noor	(QAT)	02:36:39
17.	Mo Wai Sing	(HKG)	02:37:22
18.	Ahmed Adam Saleh Adam	(QAT)	02:39:11
19.	Akylebekov Nazirdin	(KGZ)	02:39:34
20.	Ahmed Jumah Jaber	(QAT)	02:41:23



21.	Mia Md. Faruq	(BAN)	02:42:17
22.	Bat Ochir Ser-Od	(MGL)	02:45:16
23.	Smadi Ali	(JOR)	02:46:35

24.	Chik Ho Sing	(HKG)	02:50:52
25.	Rahman Hanifur	(BAN)	02:53:51
26.	Riyaz Hussain Samad	(MDV)	03:02:40
27.	Tuvaklyyev Kemal	(TKM)	03:05:58
28.	Wong Sai Ming, Ernest	(SIN)	03:08:57
29.	Hok Pov	(CAM)	03:26:04
-	Shashi Prakash	(IND)	DNF
-	Panjali Zahen Heshmatolan	(IRN)	DNF



WOMEN

1.	Zhang Shu Jing (CHN)	02:36:27	10.	Ma Chandrawathie (SRI)	03:08:14
2.	Kiuchi Mio (JPN)	02:38:35	11.	T.M. Jayasekara (SRI)	03:11:25
3.	Yoshimura Hideko (JPN)	02:42:21	12.	Kanchhi Maya Koju (NEP)	03:11:48
4.	Martes Christabel (PHI)	02:45:48	13.	Indresh Dheeraj (IND)	03:13:11
5.	Pa Pa (MYA)	02:46:47	14.	Sailomyen Sunisa (THA)	03:14:14
6.	Lai Ka Wai (HKG)	02:55:59	15.	Arfipova Yuliya (UZB)	03:15:02
7.	Hsu Yu Fang (TPE)	02:59:22	16.	Mammedova Dildar (TKM)	03:21:07
8.	Yekaterina Shatnaya (KAZ)	03:03:08	17.	Lim Le, Anne (SIN)	03:31:57
9.	Ng Lai Chu, Winnie (HKG)	03:08:10	18.	Wu Wan Ling (TPE)	03:44:34
			19.	Sadia Parveen (PAK)	04:12:36