Side Tournaments to 2017 WESPA Youth Cup

Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia

Venue: Summit USJ Mall, approx 20 kms west of the centre of Kuala Lumpur http://www.summit-usj.com/ **Accommodation:**The adjacent hotel is called Summit Hotel Subang USJ http://summithotelusj.com They offer rooms for up to 4 people, but are not the cheapest.

There are many other options, including home stays.

Meals: Meals/snacks are not provided, but are available from adjacent shops.

Side tournament A – 7 games Monday 27th November

*Players must register at the venue by 1:15pm Monday 27th November 2017

FORMAT: 7-game round robins (8-player groups, based on WESPA rating available as at 26th November **SCHEDULE**: 1:45pm to approx. 8:30pm

25 minutes per player. WESPA v3 rules, **DICTIONARY**: Collins Scrabble Words2015 **PENALTY CHALLENGE**: 5 points per word, except for the lowest-rated group (free challenge)

Free entry

No prize money -Certificates will be awarded in lieu.

Side tournament B - 17 games Tuesday 28th November to Wednesday 29th November

*Players must register at the venue by 9:30am Tuesday 28th November 2017.

FORMAT: 16 games, 25 minutes per player, free challenge
WESPA v3 rules, WESPA rated, DICTIONARY: Collins 2015
Open, modified Swiss draw (sometimes lagged)
Resets after games 6 and 11 (no lags for final 2 games)

SCHEDULE: Tuesday 9:45am to approximately 8:30 pm – 11 games Wednesday 9:30am to approximately 2:45pm – 6 games

ENTRY FEE: US\$30 or equivalent in Ringgit

PRIZES/AWARDS: (based on 34 entries)
Winner US\$500
Second US\$200
Third US\$100

Fourth and Fifth – certificate High word and High game – certificate

Best novice (no prior WESPA rating) US\$100

Best performance (finishes highest above seeded level, based on WESPA rating) US\$100

TO ENTER (either/both): email karen.d.richards@gmail.com
Please bring equipment