

# DAILY BULLETIN

## NO. 5



**NAY PYI TAW, MYANMAR**

**1 April 2017**

## Match Schedule and Uniforms colors

### SMM 11<sup>th</sup> Asian Boys' U 19 "Yangon Aerodrome" Volleyball Championship

Date	TV	Time	M.No	Pool	Round	Hall B	M.No	Round	Hall C
Apr 1		10:00	14	F	1-8	<b>Navy KOR 1B – 2D TPE Red</b>	-	-	-
	TV	12:30	15	F	1-8	<b>Blue CHN 1D – 2B IRI White</b>	-	-	-
	TV	15:00	16	E	1-8	<b>Red MYA 1A – 2C THA Black</b>	13	9th-11th	<b>Green HKG 3A – 3C SRI White</b>
	TV	17:30	17	E	1-8	<b>White JPN 1C – 2A AUS Green</b>	-	-	-
Apr 2		10:00	19	F	1-8	<b>D-Blue IRI 2B – 2D TPE White</b>	-	-	-
	TV	12:30	20	E	1-8	<b>White MYA 1A – 1C JPN Red</b>	-	-	-
	TV	15:00	21	E	1-8	<b>White AUS 2A – 2C THA Blue</b>	18	9th-11th	<b>Red BAN 3B – HKG Blue</b>
	TV	17:30	22	F	1-8	<b>White KOR 1B – 1D CHN Yellow</b>	-	-	-



# P-2 VOLLEYBALL • Match result



11th Asian Boys U19 Volleyball Championship  
Semifinal 9th-11th

**Match:** 13 **Date:** 1/4/2017 **Spectators:** 100  
**City:** Nay Pyi Taw, Myanmar  
**Hall:** Wunna Hall C  
**Match duration:** Start: 15:00 End: 16:50 Total: 1:50

Teams	Sets	1	2	3	4	5	Total
<b>HKG</b>	<b>1</b>	25	22	20	20		87
<b>SRI</b>	<b>3</b>	23	25	25	25		98
<b>Set duration</b>		0:26	0:26	0:25	0:24		1:41

**Referees:** PHYO THU AUNG (MYA) & WEI YU HUNG (TPE)

HKG • HONG KONG		1	2	3	4	5	Pts
1	CHAN Yuk Tung	■	■	■	■		18
2	CHEUNG Yu San	■	■	■	■		4
7	LEE Tin Hang		□				
9	L LAI Chun Hung	L	L	L	L		
10	CHEUNG Ngai Hon	■	■	■	■		5
11	LAM Yin Chun		□		□		3
12	TAM Yan Lap	■	■	■	■		3
15	L CHUNG Chun Hei		L	L	L		
16	LAW Kwan Ho Bryan	■	■	■	■		5
18	LAW Wai Chung		□		□		1
19	KONG Kai Chung	□		□			
20	LEE Yin Chun	■	■	■	■		19

**Coach:** CHAU Kwok Kit  
**Assistant:** CHAN Chun Kit

SRI • SRI LANKA		1	2	3	4	5	Pts
1	BANDARA JAYALATH ARACHCHIGE MAHA	■	■				2
2	PERIS HEWA MANTHREEGE DAMINDU	■	■	■	■		37
3	THISERA HETTI ARACHCHIGE DINIDU	■	■	■	■		19
4	JAYARATHNE KALU BADANA GE SANKA						
5	SENADHEERA KASTHURI	□	□	■	■		1
6	THARAKA JAYALATH MUDIYANSELAGE	■	■	■	■		7
7	SANDARUWAN MARAGALA WATTE	■	■	■	■		8
8	SANUKA MEEGAMUGE YOHAN						
9	SILVA GAJASINGHAGE KAVEEN THIWANKA						
10	PERERA S.A.S.ROSHAN	■	■	■	■		1
11	JAYAWARDHNE JAYAWARDHANA RAJAGE	□					
12	L MADURANGA UDUPITI KANKANAMGE	L	L	L	L		

**Coach:** LOKUPOTHAGAMAGE  
**Assistant:** PATABANDIGE T.R.

## TEAMS AND PLAYERS PERFORMANCES

Won Pts	Total Atts	No Name	Scoring Skills	Won Pts	Total Atts	No Name
<b>42</b>	<b>120</b>	<b>Total Team</b>		<b>61</b>	<b>132</b>	<b>Total Team</b>
14	31	20 LEE Yin Chun	<b>Spike</b>	35	72	2 PERIS HEWA
14	35	1 CHAN Yuk Tung		15	26	3 THISERA HETTI
4	14	16 LAW Kwan Ho Bryan		5	10	6 THARAKA JAYALATH
<b>10</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>Total Team</b>	<b>Block</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>Total Team</b>
3	6	20 LEE Yin Chun		3	17	7 SANDARUWAN
2	8	1 CHAN Yuk Tung		2	21	6 THARAKA JAYALATH
2	23	10 CHEUNG Ngai Hon	1	8	3 THISERA HETTI	
<b>6</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>Total Team</b>	<b>Serve</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>97</b>	<b>Total Team</b>
2	14	1 CHAN Yuk Tung		3	15	3 THISERA HETTI
2	13	20 LEE Yin Chun		1	19	7 SANDARUWAN
1	22	2 CHEUNG Yu San	1	16	2 PERIS HEWA	
<b>29</b>		<b>Total Team</b>	<b>Opp. error</b>	<b>23</b>		<b>Total Team</b>
<b>87</b>	<b>292</b>	<b>Total Team</b>		<b>Total</b>	<b>98</b>	<b>297</b>
19	50	20 LEE Yin Chun	<b>Best Scorer</b>	37	90	2 PERIS HEWA

■ Starting line-up    Pts = Points scored    [nn] = Captain  
□ Substitute        Atts = Attempts        L = Libero  
Opp = Opponent





# P-2 VOLLEYBALL • Match result



11th Asian Boys U19 Volleyball Championship  
Play-Off 1st-8th

**Match:** 14 **Date:** 1/4/2017 **Spectators:** 200  
**City:** Nay Pyi Taw, Myanmar  
**Hall:** Wunna Hall B  
**Match duration:** Start: 10:00 End: 11:21 Total: 1:21

Teams	Sets	1	2	3	4	5	Total
<b>KOR</b>	<b>3</b>	25	25	25			75
<b>TPE</b>	<b>0</b>	14	23	22			59
<b>Set duration</b>		0:22	0:26	0:27			1:15

**Referees:** WICHAJ WANNATAWEE (THA) & JULIAN COBURN (AUS)

KOR • KOREA		1	2	3	4	5	Pts
1	IM Donghyeok	■	■	■			25
2	LEE Kangho	□	□	□			
3	CHOI Ikje	■	■	■			4
5	KIM Woojin				□		
6	OH Heungdae	□	□				
9	YANG Huijun		□				
10	HAM Hyeongjin	■	■	■			4
12	LIM Sungjin	■	■	■			13
13	LEE Jun	■	■	■			3
14	JEONG Taejun	■	■	■			6
16	L PARK Kyeongmin	L	L	L			
18	KIM Jihan						

**Coach:** PARK Wongil  
**Assistant:** WOO Seungjin

TPE • CHINESE TAIPEI		1	2	3	4	5	Pts
1	TENG YUEH-HSIN	■					
3	HUANG YU-CHEN	□	□	□			
4	CHEN CHENG-CHI	■	■	■			3
6	LIU CHIA-CHANG	■	■	■			1
7	HUANG SHIH-CHAN	■	■	■			4
10	CHANG YU-SHENG	■	■	■			10
12	CHANG HAN-YI	□	■	■			5
13	KAN MING-HSIU		□	□			2
14	HUANG CHENG-HAO	□					
16	KO TSUNG-FU				□		3
17	L CHEN YU-HAO	L	L	L			
19	CHEN CHIEN-CHANG	■	■	■			8

**Coach:** CHUANG, SHIH-HSIEN  
**Assistant:** YEH, CHUNG-KUEI

## TEAMS AND PLAYERS PERFORMANCES

Won Pts	Total Atts	No Name	Scoring Skills	Won Pts	Total Atts	No Name
<b>41</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>Total Team</b>		<b>30</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>Total Team</b>
23	37	1 IM Donghyeok	<b>Spike</b>	9	32	10 CHANG YU-SHENG
10	20	12 LIM Sungjin		7	11	19 CHEN CHIEN-CHANG
3	9	13 LEE Jun		4	13	7 HUANG SHIH-CHAN
<b>8</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>Total Team</b>	<b>Block</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>Total Team</b>
3	14	14 JEONG Taejun		2	9	12 CHANG HAN-YI
3	10	12 LIM Sungjin		1	11	19 CHEN CHIEN-CHANG
2	5	1 IM Donghyeok	1	8	4 CHEN CHENG-CHI	
<b>6</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>Total Team</b>	<b>Serve</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>Total Team</b>
4	23	3 CHOI Ikje		1	8	10 CHANG YU-SHENG
1	11	10 HAM Hyeongjin				
1	6	14 JEONG Taejun				
<b>20</b>		<b>Total Team</b>	<b>Opp. error</b>	<b>23</b>		<b>Total Team</b>
<b>75</b>	<b>200</b>	<b>Total Team</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>194</b>	<b>Total Team</b>
25	54	1 IM Donghyeok	<b>Best Scorer</b>	10	49	10 CHANG YU-SHENG

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# P-2 VOLLEYBALL • Match result



11th Asian Boys U19 Volleyball Championship  
Play-Off 1st-8th

**Match:** 15 **Date:** 1/4/2017 **Spectators:** 250  
**City:** Nay Pyi Taw, Myanmar  
**Hall:** Wunna Hall B  
**Match duration:** Start: 12:30 End: 14:45 Total: 2:15

Teams	Sets	1	2	3	4	5	Total
<b>CHN</b>	<b>3</b>	21	25	23	25	15	109
<b>IRI</b>	<b>2</b>	25	18	25	17	10	95
<b>Set duration</b>		0:26	0:28	0:28	0:23	0:15	2:00

**Referees:** HARA HIROYUKI (JPN) & HUNG CHI YUNG ERIC (HKG)

CHN • CHINA		1	2	3	4	5	Pts
3	TIAN Cong	■	■	■	■	■	16
4	YUAN Baolin						
6	CHEN Boliang	■	■	■	■	■	5
7	WANG Dongchen	■	■	■	■	■	12
8	WANG Chao	□	□				
9	XIU Chengcheng	■	■	■	■	■	11
10 L	QU Zongshuai	L	L	L	L	L	
11	YANG Yiming						
13	QI QI	■	■	■	■	■	14
16	PENG Shikun		□	□		□	
19	ZHANG Jingyin	■	■	■	■	■	19

**Coach:** WANG Haichuan  
**Assistant:** LI Chun

IRI • IRAN		1	2	3	4	5	Pts
1	RASTIARDAKANI MohammadHossein	□	□		□	□	
2 L	HAZRATPOURTALATAPPEH MohammadReza	L	L	L	L		
5	TOUKHTEH Amir Hossein	■	■	■	■	■	8
6	FALAHAT KHAH Amir Mohammad	■	■	■	■	■	2
7	DANESHDOUST Ehsan	■	■	■	■	■	8
9	TAHMASEBI Mohammadreza		□		□		1
11	KAMALABADI Soheil	□		□	□	□	2
12	SHARIFI Morteza	■	■	■	■	■	25
14	TABARI Ali	■	■	■	■	■	19
15 L	SOLEIMAN AHARI Hossein						
17	JAFARVAND M. Mehdi	□	□	■	■	■	5
20	JELVEH GHAZIANI Mahdi	■	■				1

**Coach:** VAKILI Mohammad  
**Assistant:** MOMENI MOGHADAM G.

## TEAMS AND PLAYERS PERFORMANCES

Won Pts	Total Atts	No Name	Scoring Skills	Won Pts	Total Atts	No Name
<b>59</b>	<b>108</b>	<b>Total Team</b>		<b>60</b>	<b>130</b>	<b>Total Team</b>
16	27	19 ZHANG Jingyin	<b>Spike</b>	22	40	12 SHARIFI Morteza
13	16	13 QI QI		18	35	14 TABARI Ali
11	21	3 TIAN Cong		7	24	7 DANESHDOUST Ehsan
<b>13</b>	<b>98</b>	<b>Total Team</b>	<b>Block</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>Total Team</b>
4	12	3 TIAN Cong		2	26	5 TOUKHTEH Amir Hossein
3	14	19 ZHANG Jingyin		1	5	7 DANESHDOUST Ehsan
<b>5</b>	<b>108</b>	<b>Total Team</b>	<b>Serve</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>Total Team</b>
2	15	7 WANG Dongchen		3	17	12 SHARIFI Morteza
1	24	9 XIU Chengcheng		2	7	11 KAMALABADI Soheil
<b>32</b>		<b>Total Team</b>	<b>Opp. error</b>	<b>24</b>		<b>Total Team</b>
<b>109</b>	<b>314</b>	<b>Total Team</b>		<b>Total</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>301</b>
19	57	19 ZHANG Jingyin	<b>Best Scorer</b>	25	66	12 SHARIFI Morteza

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Opp = Opponent





# P-2 VOLLEYBALL • Match result



11th Asian Boys U19 Volleyball Championship  
Play-Off 1st-8th

**Match:** 16 **Date:** 1/4/2017 **Spectators:** 950  
**City:** Nay Pyi Taw, Myanmar  
**Hall:** Wunna Hall B  
**Match duration:** Start: 15:20 End: 16:45 Total: 1:25

Teams	Sets	1	2	3	4	5	Total
MYA	0	25	18	23			66
THA	3	27	25	25			77
<b>Set duration</b>		0:28	0:24	0:28			1:20

**Referees:** WANG JUN (CHN) & AHMAD SARMAST (IRI)

MYA • MYANMAR		1	2	3	4	5	Pts
1	THAW TAR LINN	□		□			
2	MIN HEIN KHANT	■	■	■			4
3	MYO HTET OO	■	■	■			4
4	HTET LIN AUNG	■	■	■			5
5	YA HTIKE WAI	■	■	■			18
7	TINT NAING WIN		□	□			1
8	KYAW WIN HLAING		□				
9	SAW NI ROLE						
10	NAY SHANE			□	□		
11	HLING WAI KYAW	■	■	■			3
14	ZAW HTET AUNG	■	■	■			11
15	L KHINE HTET TUN	L	L	L			

**Coach:** KYAW SWAR WIN  
**Assistant:** NYI LAY

THA • THAILAND		1	2	3	4	5	Pts
1	PHOUNGBUBPHA PATCHARAPHON	□					
2	JHUASANTHIA NANTAWAT	■	■	■			6
3	TADEE WATCHARECH	■					2
5	CHONGFUNGANG CHANCHAI						
10	MAOKHUNTOD KAJONSAK	■	■	■			1
11	JANTAWONG DANUPAT				□		1
12	JENTHAISONG SUPAKORN	□	■	■			12
13	THUNGKHAM CHAIWAT	■	■	■			12
14	L JANTASING NARONGRIT	L	L	L			
16	PHOONSANG KHOMSAN	■	■	■			7
19	CHANSUKSRI PIPAT	■	■	■			7
20	PHRAPUT TOOPADIT						

**Coach:** SOMBOON NAKPUNG  
**Assistant:** SANPHET PHANKHA

## TEAMS AND PLAYERS PERFORMANCES

Won Pts	Total Atts	No Name	Scoring Skills	Won Pts	Total Atts	No Name
38	105	<b>Total Team</b>		38	89	<b>Total Team</b>
18	40	5 YA HTIKE WAI	Spike	11	25	13 THUNGKHAM CHAIWAT
9	31	14 ZAW HTET AUNG		8	19	12 JENTHAISONG
4	7	4 HTET LIN AUNG		6	14	19 CHANSUKSRI PIPAT
5	62	<b>Total Team</b>	Block	3	73	<b>Total Team</b>
2	14	2 MIN HEIN KHANT		2	15	16 PHOONSANG KHOMSAN
1	10	14 ZAW HTET AUNG		1	13	19 CHANSUKSRI PIPAT
1	11	4 HTET LIN AUNG	Serve	7	76	<b>Total Team</b>
3	66	<b>Total Team</b>		4	19	12 JENTHAISONG
1	9	3 MYO HTET OO		1	11	10 MAOKHUNTOD
1	15	14 ZAW HTET AUNG	1	11	13 THUNGKHAM CHAIWAT	
1	9	2 MIN HEIN KHANT	Opp. error	29		<b>Total Team</b>
20		<b>Total Team</b>		Total	77	238
66	233	<b>Total Team</b>				
18	59	5 YA HTIKE WAI	<b>Best Scorer</b>	12	43	12 JENTHAISONG

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Opp = Opponent





# P-2 VOLLEYBALL • Match result



11th Asian Boys U19 Volleyball Championship  
Play-Off 1st-8th

**Match:** 17 **Date:** 1/4/2017 **Spectators:** 125  
**City:** Nay Pyi Taw, Myanmar  
**Hall:** Wunna Hall B  
**Match duration:** Start: 17:30 End: 18:38 Total: 1:08

Teams	Sets	1	2	3	4	5	Total
<b>JPN</b>	<b>3</b>	25	25	25			75
<b>AUS</b>	<b>0</b>	15	13	10			38
<b>Set duration</b>		0:22	0:20	0:20			1:02

**Referees:** LEE KWANGHUN (KOR) & SAMITHA NAYANAGITH (SRI)

JPN • JAPAN		1	2	3	4	5	Pts
1	MIYAURA Kento	■	■	■			13
2	NAKAMURA Shunsuke	■	■				
3	KASHIMURA Hirohito	■		■			6
4	KUWADA Kenshin		■	□			3
5	KAMIJO Reimondo	□	■	■			8
6	NAKAHAMA Yosuke			■			1
7	NISHIDA Yuji	□	□	□			2
8	MAKARA Takumi	□	□	■			3
9	SAEKI Mahiro	■	■				8
10 L	ICHIKAWA Kenta	L	L	L			
11	SATO Shunichiro	■	■				4
12	OTSUKA Tatsunori	■		■			5

**Coach:** HONDA, Hiroshi  
**Assistant:** TAKEUCHI, Hiroyuki

AUS • AUSTRALIA		1	2	3	4	5	Pts
2	STING BRADLEY	□	□	□			
3	MCBEAN HARRISON			■			3
4	CLAYTON OLIVER	■	■				3
5	TAKKEN JAMES	■	■	■			3
6	NIX TYLER	■	■	■			3
7	LYNDON ALEXANDER			□			
8	DAGG RYAN	■		■			2
10 L	FOUNTOTOS PANAGIOTIS	L	L	L			
13	HEPTINSTALL THOMAS	■	■	■			8
14	FATHERS JAYDEN	■		■			
15	HILL BRAYDON	□	■				1
19	MARK-SEYMOUR LUCAS		■	□			

**Coach:** McCASKILL, Andrew  
**Assistant:** COLLINS, Martin

## TEAMS AND PLAYERS PERFORMANCES

Won Pts	Total Atts	No Name	Scoring Skills	Won Pts	Total Atts	No Name
<b>43</b>	<b>83</b>	<b>Total Team</b>		<b>18</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>Total Team</b>
12	13	1 MIYAURA Kento	<b>Spike</b>	6	19	13 HEPTINSTALL THOMAS
7	11	9 SAEKI Mahiro		3	4	4 CLAYTON OLIVER
5	8	5 KAMIJO Reimondo		3	16	5 TAKKEN JAMES
<b>6</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>Total Team</b>	<b>Block</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>Total Team</b>
2	8	5 KAMIJO Reimondo		2	7	13 HEPTINSTALL THOMAS
1	2	8 MAKARA Takumi		2	7	3 MCBEAN HARRISON
1	7	1 MIYAURA Kento	1	4	15 HILL BRAYDON	
<b>4</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>Total Team</b>	<b>Serve</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>Total Team</b>
1	6	5 KAMIJO Reimondo				
1	8	7 NISHIDA Yuji				
1	6	4 KUWADA Kenshin				
<b>22</b>		<b>Total Team</b>	<b>Opp. error</b>	<b>15</b>		<b>Total Team</b>
<b>75</b>	<b>202</b>	<b>Total Team</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>164</b>	<b>Total Team</b>
13	30	1 MIYAURA Kento	<b>Best Scorer</b>	8	30	13 HEPTINSTALL THOMAS

■ Starting line-up    Pts = Points scored    [nn] = Captain  
□ Substitute        Atts = Attempts        L = Libero  
Opp = Opponent





### MATCH RESULTS

#### Pool A - Preliminary Round

No	Date	Teams	Set	Result per set (points)					Total Points	Time	Spectators
				1	2	3	4	5			
10	30/3/2017	MYA - AUS	3-1	25-23	23-25	25-16	25-22		98- 86	1:49	1,500

#### Pool B - Preliminary Round

No	Date	Teams	Set	Result per set (points)					Total Points	Time	Spectators
				1	2	3	4	5			
6	29/3/2017	IRI - KOR	0-3	19-25	21-25	21-25			61- 75	1:21	150

#### Pool C - Preliminary Round

No	Date	Teams	Set	Result per set (points)					Total Points	Time	Spectators
				1	2	3	4	5			
11	30/3/2017	THA - JPN	0-3	21-25	17-25	18-25			56- 75	1:20	150

#### Pool D - Preliminary Round

No	Date	Teams	Set	Result per set (points)					Total Points	Time	Spectators
				1	2	3	4	5			
3	28/3/2017	CHN - TPE	3-1	28-30	25-23	25-19	25-18		103- 90	2:02	300

#### Play-Off 1st-8th

No	Date	Teams	Set	Result per set (points)					Total Points	Time	Spectators
				1	2	3	4	5			
16	1/4/2017	MYA - THA	0-3	25-27	18-25	23-25			66- 77	1:25	950
17	1/4/2017	JPN - AUS	3-0	25-15	25-13	25-10			75- 38	1:08	125
20	2/4/2017	MYA - JPN									
21	2/4/2017	AUS - THA									

#### Play-Off 1st-8th

No	Date	Teams	Set	Result per set (points)					Total Points	Time	Spectators
				1	2	3	4	5			
14	1/4/2017	KOR - TPE	3-0	25-14	25-23	25-22			75- 59	1:21	200
15	1/4/2017	CHN - IRI	3-2	21-25	25-18	23-25	25-17	15-10	109- 95	2:15	250
19	2/4/2017	IRI - TPE									
22	2/4/2017	KOR - CHN									

#### Semifinal 9th-11th

No	Date	Teams	Set	Result per set (points)					Total Points	Time	Spectators
				1	2	3	4	5			
13	1/4/2017	HKG - SRI	1-3	25-23	22-25	20-25	20-25		87- 98	1:50	100
18	2/4/2017	BAN - HKG									

### TEAM RANKING

#### Play-Off 1st-8th

Rk	Code	Team	Matches				Results Details						Sets			Points		
			Pts	T	W	L	3-0	3-1	3-2	2-3	1-3	0-3	W	L	Ratio	W	L	Ratio
1	JPN	JAPAN	6	2	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	MAX	150	94	1.596
2	THA	THAILAND	3	2	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	3	3	1.000	133	141	.943
3	MYA	MYANMAR	3	2	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	3	4	.750	164	163	1.006
4	AUS	AUSTRALIA	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	6	.167	124	173	.717

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1	KOR	KOREA	6	2	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	MAX	150	120	1.250
2	CHN	CHINA	5	2	2	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	6	3	2.000	212	185	1.146
3	IRI	IRAN	1	2	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	1	2	6	.333	156	184	.848
4	TPE	CHINESE TAIPEI	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	6	.167	149	178	.837





## **KOREA, CHINA, JAPAN REMAIN UNDEFEATED AT ASIAN BOYS' U19 CHAMPIONSHIP**

Nay Pyi Taw, Myanmar, April 1, 2017 - Korea, Japan and China continued their unbeaten streak at the SMM 11th Asian Boys' U19 Volleyball Championship at the Wunna Theikdi Indoor Stadium Hall B on Saturday, with the tall China producing a fantastic comeback 3-2 win over defending champions Iran.

### **Korea remained on course with 3-0 demolition of Chinese Taipei**

Korea demolished fighting Chinese Taipei in pulsating straight sets 25-14 25-23 25-22 at their first playoff match in the round of last eight teams. Korea, which have yet lost a set to their rivals including a stunning victory over defending and seven-time champions Iran in their pool plays, and Chinese Taipei were locked into a see-saw battle at the beginning of the first set, but the Koreans went on their aggression to win the comfortable first set 25-14. The second and third sets turned out to be hotly-contested affairs, but the Koreans proved steadier to win both sets 25-23, 25-22 and match.

Im Donghyeok scored a match-high 25 points for Korea including 23 kill attacks and two block points. Lim Sungjin contributed with 10 points from attack hits and Choi Ikje added with 4 ace serves. Chang Yu-Sheng led Chinese Taipei with 10 points.

“Our service at the beginning was great and we could lead them by wide margin in the first set. Nonetheless, in the second and third sets, Im Donghyeok was in the best condition and he could lift the game. Compared our match against Iran, I think Chinese Taipei came up with quick attacks and combination attacks in the middle of the net play, while Iran used more wing attackers. So, playing Chinese Taipei was a bit tougher in the middle of the game. However, our statisticians worked quite hard for our players and we then won the match. We next take on China and I think that they are quite tall. A few days ago, I did not really mean that the Chinese are tall but not skilful. I said it incorrectly. In fact, I just wanted to say that the way they played did not live up to everyone's expectation. To beat the Chinese, I think we have to analyse their game more. Our chances of beating them is just 50-50,” commented Korea's team manager Ha Taemin.

### **Title-holders Iran go down to China in hard-fought five-set thriller**

Iran, which lost in straight sets to Korea in their opening match, found their title defence campaign at the 11th edition a tough mission when the seven-time champions suffered their second loss on Saturday following their 2-3 (25-21 18-25 25-23 17-25 10-15) disappointment in the clash of the Titans against China.

Zhang Jingyiin led China with 19 points including 16 kills, while Tian Cong added with 4 block points. Morteza Sharifi topscored with 25 points for Iran including 22 ace spikes and 3 ace serves.

After the match, China's head coach Wang Haichuan said, “It was a very difficult match for Iran and China. Both teams showed their best performances in all skills not only attacks and blocks, but also service and digs. We next play Korea. They are very strong and seemingly the best team in this championship. I think China, Iran, Japan, Korea and Myanmar stand a good chance of advancing to the top four. We will do our best to beat them all.”

Despite the Iran's loss, head coach Mohammad Vakili still expressed his satisfaction over his team's performance. “The match is very close. I was satisfied with my players' form. We played well in the first set, but after that we made many mistakes. I think China have greater experience than us. Our Pool F is playing with high-level volleyball and that's why the games in Pool F are very close and



more difficult than the Pool E encounters. I'm upbeat that Iran still have a chance of defending our title."

### **Thailand hand hosts Myanmar first loss at Asian Boys' U19 Championship**

In-form Thailand silenced the Myanmar's vociferous drum-beating supporters with their confidence and impressive performance to hand the host side the first loss in the top-notch tournament in comprehensive straight sets 27-25 25-18 25-23 at their first playoff match on Saturday.

Young Supakorn Jenthaisong, 15, led Thailand with 12 points including 11 kills, while Ya Htike Wai topscored with 18 points for Myanmar.

After the match, Thailand's head coach Somboon Nakpung commented, "We studied the Myanmar's game plan and key players in their team. In the first set, we found it difficult to block Ya Htike Wai, but we later used Supakorn Jenthaisong to catch him in the second and third sets. Supakorn did a good job, allowing us more opportunities to counter-attack and block effectively. Our game had been improving drastically in the third set although we fell behind at the beginning. We next take on Australia, the team we had already beaten twice while training together in Bangkok, Thailand. It's possible that we will take on Iran in the knock-out quarter-finals. I think we are second to the reigning champions, but I will tell my players to do their best no matter what results will be."

### **Japan outclassed Australia in easy straight sets**

Japan proved too strong for Australia to whip the unfancied rivals in a lop-sided battle 25-15 25-13 25-10 in their first playoff match in the round of the last eight teams at the SMM 11th Asian Boys' U19 Volleyball Championship at the Wunna Theikdi Indoor Stadium Hall B on Saturday.

Japan, runners-up at the previous edition in Sri Lanka in 2014, came up in full strength in the opening set against Australia. Making use of the splendid offensive combination of devastating attacks by Mahiro Saeki and left-hander Kento Miyaura, Japan took the first two sets without much trouble 25-15 25-13.

Fielding several substitutions in this match, Japan still played exceptionally well, leaving the rivals in awe. Despite a strong challenge, Australia found to have no match against the much stronger opponents. Japan remained on their quick attacks to finally capture the third set 25-10 and match.

Meanwhile, Sri Lanka came from behind to beat Hong Kong 3-1 (23-25 25-22 25-20 25-20) to win their first playoff match in the 9th-11th classification round at Hall C on Saturday.

Peris Hewa scored a team-high 37 points for Sri Lanka including 35 kills, while Lee Yin Chun led Hong Kong with 19 points.

On Sunday, Iran will take on Chinese Taipei, Myanmar go up against Japan, Thailand play Australia and Korea challenge China in their last playoff match in the round of last eight teams, while Bangladesh face Hong Kong in the 9th-11th classification round.