

# 4<sup>th</sup> Grand Masters Hockey Asian Cup & Tournament Trophy

## What is Grand Masters Hockey Tournament?

World Grand Masters Hockey Association (WGMA) belongs to International Hockey Federation (FIH). Japan Grand Masters Hockey Association (JGMA) is also a member of FIH as a related organization to Japan Hockey Association (JHA).

This tournament aims at promotion of peace, international goodwill and health, inviting Asian nations and regions worldwide under FIH. And also it provides players with opportunities to enjoy playing hockey as a lifelong sport.

This tournament is a sort festival for senior citizens. (Men 60+. Women 60+)  
WGMA holds World Cup (in even-numbered years) and Asian Cup (in odd-number years) once every two years. We, the executive committee of Asian Cup, have participated to World Cup four times and to Asian Cup three times, with a principle of elderlies' health promotion and community-based activities.

## About Hiroshima

Hiroshima-shi have not had international hockey tournament since it held Asian Cup in 1994. Holding an international hockey tournament inviting a lot of hockey players from all over the world helps Hiroshima, symbolic city of peace where an atomic bomb had been dropped, to make its name better known to worldwide. And we hope that this tournament helps young hockey players to keep playing hockey as a lifelong sport by watching performances of senior players at hand. Moreover we believe that this tournament leads all generations to realize the joyful of playing sports and results to the promotion of all kinds of sports.

1. Name : 4<sup>th</sup> Grand Masters Hockey Asian Cup  
Tournament Trophy

2. Date : from Monday, October 23, 2017. to Sunday, October 29, 2017

3. Venue : 2<sup>nd</sup> Ball Game Field, EDION Stadium Complex, Hiroshima  
5-1-1, Ozukanishi, Asaminami(-ku), Hiroshia(-shi), Japan  
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4. Teams :

『Asia Cup』 - 5 teams (national team and regional representative team registered to WGMA)  
→South Korea, Hong Kong, Singapore, Malaysia, Japan

『Tournament Trophy』 - 5 teams (non-national teams registered to WGMA)  
→Alliance International HC, England LX, Southern Cross, Malaysia, Japan

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