

XI ASIAN GAMES · BEIJING 1990

TECHNICAL HANDBOOK



BASEBALL
(Demonstration)

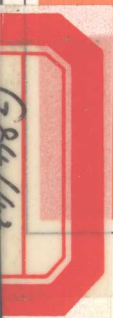


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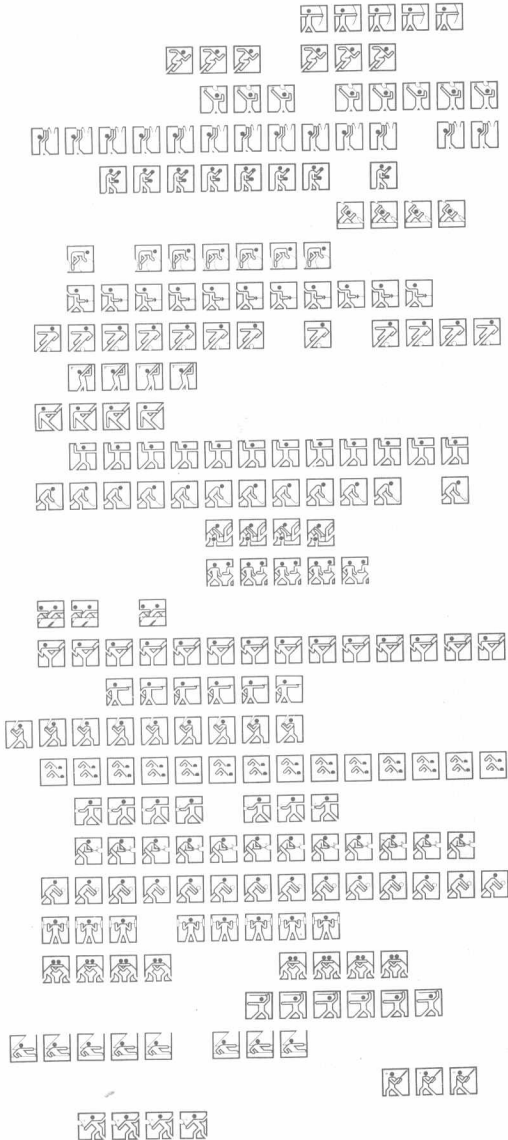
**11th Asian Games
Program
Beijing 1990**

Opening Ceremonies
Archery
Athletics
Badminton
Basketball
Boxing
Canoeing
Cycling
Fencing
Football
Golf
Gymnastics
Handball
Hockey
Judo
Kabaddi
Rowing
Sepak Takraw
Shooting
Softball
Swimming
Table Tennis
Tennis
Volleyball
Weightlifting
Wrestling
Wushu
Yachting
Baseball (*Demonstration*)
Soft Tennis (*Demonstration*)
Closing Ceremonies

September

October

22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 1 2 3 4 5 6 7



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II. Competition Information

1. Dates and Place

The 11th Asian Games baseball demonstration will be held in Beijing from October 3 through October 5, 1990.

2. Venues

2.1. Competition Site

Fengtai Sports Centre, which is located 22 km from the Asian Games Village.

2.2. Training Site

Two standard fields (both inside and outside fields) will be available for training purposes at the Fengtai Sports Centre.

3. Participants

Teams from China, Chinese Taipei, Japan and Korea will be invited by the 11th Asian Games Organizing Committee (BAGOC) to participate in the demonstration.

4. Competition Schedule

October 3 (Wednesday)	9:00 14:30	1st Round Japan vs China 1st Round Chinese Taipei vs Korea
October 4 (Thursday)	9:00 14:30	2nd Round Japan vs Korea 2nd Round China vs Chinese Taipei
October 5 (Friday)	9:00 14:30	3rd Round Korea vs China 3rd Round Chinese Taipei vs Japan

5. Entries

5.1. Each team may enter a maximum of 18 players and five officials (including one umpire).

5.2. Closing Date for Entries

June 22, 1990.

5.3. Entry forms should contain the name, date of birth, height, back number, position, occupation and the colors of uniforms.

5.4. No professional player may participate in the demonstration.

5.5. One photograph of each individual and one photograph of the whole team should be enclosed with the entry forms.

6. Competition Methods

6.1. The single round robin system will be adopted, with No.1 for Japan, No.2 for Chinese Taipei, No.3 for Korea, and No.4 for China.

6.2. The games will be conducted in accordance with the current Official Rules of Baseball of the International Baseball Association (IBA). In case of disagreement in the interpretation of the Rules, the English text shall prevail. Any unforeseen incidents not covered by the Rules will be resolved by the Baseball Technical Committee of Asian Games.

6.3. The game will last nine innings. In case of a tied game, it shall go into extra innings until the winner is determined.

6.4. If a team is leading its opponent by at least 10 runs after seven or more equal innings have been played, the game shall be terminated and the team in front declared the winner.

6.5. In case a game cannot be held as scheduled due to bad weather or other causes, it will be rearranged by the BAGOC.

7. Placings

7.1. Two points will be awarded for a win and zero point for a loss.

7.2. Placings will be decided by the total points. Teams scoring more total points will be placed higher.

7.3. If two teams have equal total points, their placings will be decided by the result of the game between the two teams. If three teams have equal total points, the placings will be decided by the following formula:

$$\frac{\text{total runs for} - \text{total runs against}}{\text{total matches}} \times 100\%$$

The team with a higher percentage will be placed higher. If the tie still remains, the placings will be decided by drawing lots.

8. Competition Balls

“Mizuno” balls approved by the IBA will be used as official competition balls.

9. Doping Control

Doping control tests will be conducted during the Asian Games in accordance with the regulations of the BAGOC. The number of competitors to undergo doping tests will be agreed upon by the BAGOC and the Baseball Federation of Asia (BFA).

10. Competition Management

10.1. The Baseball Commission of the BAGOC, with the participation of officials from the Chinese Baseball Association, will be responsible for the organization of baseball demonstration under the guidance of the BFA.

10.2. Technical Officials

10.2.1. A Technical Committee will be set up by the BFA in conjunction with the Baseball Commission of the BAGOC.

10.2.2. A Jury of Appeal will be set up by the BFA in conjunction with the Baseball Commission of the BAGOC.

10.2.3. Umpires

10.2.3.1. The chief umpire will be appointed by the Baseball Commission of the BAGOC.

10.2.3.2. Each team is requested to send an international umpire (who is included in the number of officials of each team) to officiate the games. More umpires, in case of necessity, will be appointed by the Baseball Commission of the BAGOC.

10.3. Technical Meeting

10.3.1. A meeting of team managers will be held in Beijing at 09:00 hours on October 1, 1990.

10.3.2. A joint meeting of coaches and umpires will be held at 15:00 hours on October 1, 1990, at which the chief umpire will make a report on the competition.

11. Prizes

First prize

Silver-gilt medal and diploma for the winning team.

Second prize

Silver medal and diploma for the second place.

Third prize

Bronze medal and diploma for the third place.

Fourth prize

Diploma for the fourth place.

III. Approval of Technical Handbook

This Technical Handbook was approved by the BFA on July 21, 1989.

IV. Beijing: A Brief Introduction

Beijing is one of China's ancient capital cities with its rich cultural heritage. It became the capital of the State of Yan during the Zhou Dynasty some three thousand years ago, when it was known as Ji. Later, Beijing was also the capital of the Liao, Jin, Yuan, Ming and Qing Dynasties. Hence it was known as "the royal capital over the millenia."

Now as the capital of the People's Republic of China, Beijing is the nation's political, economic, cultural and sports centre, as well as a hub for international exchanges. With a population of 9,880,000 and covering an area of 16,808 square kilometres, Beijing is one of the world's most densely populated cities.

Beijing is also a famous tourist city with its beautiful sceneries. It boasts the Forbidden City — the world's largest and best preserved palace, the Summer Palace — the largest imperial garden in existence, and the Great Wall — a relic of worldwide renown. Now with its magnificent Tiananmen Square, its network of cloverleaves and its skyline of high-rises, this ancient city has put on a new look, blending classical grace with modernity.

In preparation for the 11th Asian Games, the Organizing Committee has decided, in accordance with the requirements of various international sport federations, to build or renovate 33 stadia and gymnasia for competition and another 46 for training, available to the competitors when they come to Beijing.

To provide the athletes with fine living conditions and help them give of their best in competition, an Asian Games Village is taking shape at Beijing's northern outskirts, in a garden covering an area of five hectares — an ensemble of apartment houses to accommodate 6,000 guests, with services offered by a shopping centre, a recreation centre and other facilities.