



2016 Cycling Tour de Formosa Tournament of the Deaf

1. Competition Date

November 1 to 8, 2016

2. Classification & Eligibility

2.1. Deaf Group

2.1.1. Deaf, defined as a hearing loss of at least 55dB in the better ear (3 tone frequency average of 500, 1,000 and 2,000 Hertz, ANSI 1969 standard).

2.1.2. As long as they are holders of National Cycling Association License issued to the players, men and women players can participate in competitions.

2.2. Hearing Group

No Eligibility

3. Limitation & Fees

3.1. Maximum participant per team is Four(4) cyclists and Two(2) officials.

3.2. Maximum team per country is no limitation.

3.3. Registration Fee: USD 300 per team. The registration fee is non-refundable and requires to be paid along with your registration.

3.4. Round-trip air tickets are on your own expense. During the competition, the Organizing Committee (OC) will be responsible for the expenses of accommodation and team vehicle.

4. Registration

4.1. Registration & Payment: January 1 to June 30, 2016

4.2. If the Organizing Committee only receives LESS THAN 10 teams after June 30, 2016, the competitions will officially be cancelled.



5. Program

Date	Program	Distance	Note
Oct. 31 Mon.	Arrival		
	Technical Meeting & License Inspection		
Nov. 1 Tues.	1st Stage <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Press Conference at Taipei City Hall ● Taipei City Hall – Xiaoyoukeng, Yangmingshan 	25.55 Km	
Nov. 2 Wed.	2nd Stage - Team Time Trial at Penghu Penghu County Government – Siyu Lighthouse	55 Km	
Nov. 3 Thurs.	3rd Stage Taichung City – Tainan City	166 Km	
Nov. 4 Fri.	4th Stage Tainan City - Pingtung County	171 Km	
Nov. 5 Sat.	5th Stage Pingtung County - Taitung County	143 KM	
Nov. 6 Sun.	6th Stage Taitung County-Hualien County	155 Km	
Nov. 7 Mon.	Rest Day – Transfer to Yilan		
Nov. 8 Tues.	7th Stage Yilan County - Keelung City	87 Km	
Nov. 9 Wed.	Departure		

6. Competition Rules

- 6.1. Deaf group and hearing group will be raced in the same competitions. And, the ranking will be divided into different group.
- 6.2. Warm-up race will be begin right after the departure, all riders shall follow the instruction of the Chief Commissaire as to open the race. If any cyclist that does not finish a stage (DNF) earn



one extra hour to the result, or the cyclist will be forfeited if he/she gets behind from the head cyclists more than 2 km behind if any.

6.3. If there is any additional rule, it shall officially be announced.

7. Prize

7.1. Individual

7.1.1. 1st to 5th winner shall receive the medal each stage.

7.1.2. 1st to 5th winner of total 7 stages will be awarded the trophy cup.

7.2. Team

7.2.1. 1st to 3rd winner of total 7 stages will be awarded the trophy cup.

7.3. Prize Table

7.3.1. Individual of total 7 stages

Place	Prize	Bonus
1st	Champion Shirt with Trophy Cup	USD\$ 800
2nd	Trophy Cup	USD\$ 500
3rd	Trophy Cup	USD\$ 400
4th	Trophy Cup	USD\$ 300
5th	Trophy Cup	USD\$ 200

7.3.2. Team of total 7 stages

Place	Prize	Bonus
1st	Champion Shirt with Trophy Cup	USD\$ 800
2nd	Trophy Cup	USD\$ 500
3rd	Trophy Cup	USD\$ 400
4th	Trophy Cup	USD\$ 300
5th	Trophy Cup	USD\$ 200



7.3.3. Team Time Trial at Penghu

Place	Prize	Bonus
1st	Champion Shirt with Trophy Cup	USD\$ 400
2nd	Trophy Cup	USD\$ 300
3rd	Trophy Cup	USD\$ 200

8. Regulation

The Cycling Road competitions will be conducted in accordance with the Rules and Regulations of the UCI.

9. Equipment Clothing

It is required to put on the working dress, the bicycle-drawn trailer special-purpose shoes, to wear the hard helmet. The equipment does not gather the stipulator, does not permit the competition.

10. Team Vehicle

- 10.1. For Deaf Group as #2.1 ONLY, the team vehicle will be provided each country.
- 10.2. All the team vehicle must be ONLY provided by the Organizing Committee. Otherwise, only the Organizing Committee will give the permit to the vehicles if necessary.

11. Protest

11.1. Procedure

The leader or a coach in the game within 30 minutes after the announcement of results in writing to the Judicial Committee to protest the same time, a deposit of USD 200. The Judicial Committee's decision for the final outcome of the protest was reached; the deposit will be forfeited as the fund.

- 11.2. Not allowed to question referees during the competition on the spot in order to safeguard competition can be conducted smoothly.



12. Issues, Concerns, and other matters will be discussed during extraordinary and/or technical meetings. Once all decision is made in the extraordinary and/or technical meetings, all decision will solely be handled.

13. Additional Rules

13.1. For 1st Stage, it will be a draw for the order to be departed. For the further stages, it will be automatically ordered according to the result of the previous stage.

13.2. Team Time Trial at Penghu

13.2.1. There shall be 3 to 4 cyclists with the same design dress in a team. If any bad behavior happens during the competition, the team will be suspended with no result.

13.2.2. Any cyclist has acted any behavior that tries to disturb other teams. The cyclist and its team will be suspended with no discussion.

13.2.3. As of the last place in this competition, it must be more than 3 cyclists in the team completing this competition; otherwise, the team's result is not considered.

13.2.4. Team vehicle is not allowed to be next to its cyclists, and it shall follow up about 20 m behind of its 3rd cyclist.

13.2.5. No supply in this competition by the team vehicle. It is legal for the cyclists to exchange food, drink, tool, tire, and bicycle.

13.2.6. For more questions related to Team Time Trial shall be resolved according to the UCI Rules and Regulations

Note: It is subject to change by the Organizing Committee time by time.