

PESTA SUKAN 2025 - SQUASH

TOURNAMENT INFORMATION

Tournament Dates

Dates: 26 July – 3 August 2025

- Weekdays: 4 pm onwards (Junior categories), 6 pm (Open and Masters categories)
- Weekends: 10 am onwards

Tournament Venue

Kallang Squash Centre (8 Stadium Boulevard, Singapore 397804)

Categories

INDIVIDUAL EVENTS

- Men's & Women's Open
- Men's & Women's Masters (Born 1985 or before)
- Boys' & Girls' Under-16 (Born 2009 or after)
- Boys' & Girls' Under-12 (Born 2013 or after)

TEAM EVENTS

- Mixed Open
- Mixed Masters (Born 1985 or before)
- Boys' & Girls' Under-23 (Born 2002 or after)
- Boys' & Girls' Under-16 (Born 2009 or after)
- Boys' & Girls' Under-12 (Born 2013 or after)

Eligibility

- It is open to Singapore Citizens (SC), Singapore Permanent Residents (PR) and non-SCs residing in Singapore with the following, valid pass types:
 - Student Pass;
 - Long Term Pass;
 - Dependent's Pass;
 - Work Permit;
 - S Pass; or
 - Employment Pass

- Any participant aged 16 and below (born 2007 and after) must obtain parental/legal guardian consent to be eligible to participate in the tournament. Consent forms can be downloaded from Pesta Sukan website (www.activesgcircle.gov.sg/getactive-Singapore/pesta-Sukan/sports).
- All participants **must complete an Indemnity Form** before competing (www.go.gov.sg/pesta2025)
- All teams must be made up of **3-5 members**.
- **Mixed Open & Masters Category:** Each team must include at least **ONE (1)** female member and may comprise of ALL female members.
- Each team must consist of at least **70% SC/PR**, i.e.:
 - Team of 3: **All** members must be SC/PR
 - Teams of 4 & 5: Only **ONE (1)** non-SC/non-PR allowed per team.

Registration, Entry Fees & Withdrawals

- Entries are to be submitted via Pesta Sukan Website (<https://www.activesgcircle.gov.sg/getactive-singapore/pesta-sukan/sport/squash>) or at any ActiveSG Sports Centre Guest Office.
- Registration opens **29 April 2025**.
- Registration Links:

Singles Event

Men's Open	https://activesg.gov.sg/programmes/snzwEiHJIHNA5u35KIBHl
Women's Open	https://activesg.gov.sg/programmes/yBqvEqM0BU5Ylqtt8JNMe
Men's Masters	https://activesg.gov.sg/programmes/vRJQmm6Elv84w0Iuu4P7j
Women's Masters	https://activesg.gov.sg/programmes/LwzvJoLXpWGnt3UMwMvx8
Boys' U12	https://activesg.gov.sg/programmes/ZRYjyYAnUXFHIHRcs3YVm
Boys' U16	https://activesg.gov.sg/programmes/keu8WkgdIbZrgwgQPNWG5
Girls' U12	https://activesg.gov.sg/programmes/tjOsL67w4CRP9L4LsHsNp
Girls' U16	https://activesg.gov.sg/programmes/EPkiXUOH7GvvPn CvFtjOA

Team Event

Mixed Open	https://activesg.gov.sg/programmes/lnKGdppSxt0WLhrvtQW0T
Mixed Masters	https://activesg.gov.sg/programmes/q48dikBUayesui8SgcAsn
Boys' U12	https://activesg.gov.sg/programmes/9LDqBxL5w3u1Dcfq85Kbb
Boys' U16	https://activesg.gov.sg/programmes/JA4hZ1Qm97rkx6zXlZEZ2
Boys' U23	https://activesg.gov.sg/programmes/7yOor84K20BZxs0rRrmKd
Girls' U12	https://activesg.gov.sg/programmes/ubqHQBh pz4QViy oEIDW7D
Girls' U16	https://activesg.gov.sg/programmes/VIV5ygFveEPvlwutJb72e
Girls' U23	https://activesg.gov.sg/programmes/eCMJYj6girzKZ0FyefbVu

- Closing date for registration is **6 July 2025**. All entries must be paid in full to be accepted.
- Team Managers/Captains are to register on behalf of the team.
 - After completing payment via the registration link, Team Managers/Captains are to complete the Team Members Information Submission (<https://go.gov.sg/ps25team-squash>)

- Singles Entry Fees:
 - Men's & Women's Open, Masters: \$15/entry
 - Boys' & Girls' U12, U16: \$10/entry
- Team Entry Fees:
 - Mixed Open, Mixed Masters: \$45/Team
 - Boys' & Girls' U12, U16, U23: \$30/Team
- Entry Fees must be made during the registration process. **ActiveSG Credits cannot be used for registration.**
- Payment Modes:
 - Online Registration and Payment by **Bank Card or PayNow**
- Withdrawal from the event must be accompanied by valid reasons and substantiated by relevant documentation. Entry fees **will not** be refunded if withdrawal is done after the closing date.
- Players may register for more than 1 event. However, they must be prepared to play more than TWO matches on the same day.
- Players are only allowed to represent **ONE (1)** team per event. Any player found registered to multiple teams in the same event will be disqualified from all categories without replacement/substitution.
- There shall be no replacement/substitution of players after the closing date. Considerations may be given on a case-by-case basis.

Tournament Format, Rules, and Regulations

- Each category must have a minimum of four (4) players/teams to proceed.
- In the event the minimum number of players/teams is not met; participants may exercise the option to combine with a higher category or continue with the competition.
- If participants choose to continue with an event with less than four (4) players/teams, medals are awarded following the 'minus 1 rule' (eg. Total of 3 teams – only 1st and 2nd receive medals).
- Participants of a removed category may also opt to join another category, should they be eligible.
- Scoring – PAR (Point-A-Rally) following the WSF Rules of World Singles Game
- **Team Events: Round-robin** shall be used during preliminary group stages in the team events and a **knockout** format shall be used after the round-robin stage. There will be a 3rd/4th place playoff for all divisions.
- **Individual Events: Monrad/Circuit** draw will be used.
- SSRA reserve the right to alter the format of the event based on the number of entries received.
- Players and teams are to register **30 minutes** before your scheduled match time. A valid photo ID for all team members is required for each team's registration.
- Match timing is an indication only. Matches will be played on a **FOLLOW-ON-BASIS**, i.e. The next match will begin **IMMEDIATELY** after the previous match has ended, even if the prior match finishes ahead of schedule.
- Players are required to referee the match **IMMEDIATELY AFTER** theirs.
- Postponement of matches will not be entertained.
- Walkover will be awarded against players who do not show up upon being called to play.
- Players will be expected to play more than 2 matches a day.
- It is the sole responsibility of participants to visit the ActiveSG website for any notices pertaining to the event.
- All decisions made by the Tournament Director will be final.

INDIVIDUAL EVENTS COMPETITION FORMAT

- The Monrad/Circuit format draw will be used for all categories. Participants will play to a final position.
- All matches up until the **Round-of-16** stage will consist of a **Best-of-three, 9 points – PAR** (Point-A-Rally). **Quarter-Final** stage onwards will consist of a **Best-of-five, 9 points – PAR** (Point-A-Rally).
- All Consolation/Plate Draws will be **Best-of-three, 9 points – PAR**.
- There will be **no tie-break/deuce** when the score is tied at 8-8. A sudden death point shall be played.

TEAM EVENTS COMPETITION FORMAT

- Each team must field 3 players for each Tie – only one (1) of which can be a player with an **SquashLevels > 2000** (<https://squashlevels.com>). This will be based on Squash Levels ratings used for the National Squash League, which can be downloaded here : <https://sgsquash.com/squashlevels-ratings-list/>

- Teams shall compete against each other in a race towards 30 points with **no tie-break/deuce**. Each tie will consist of a **SINGLE, First-to-30** game.
- Only 3 players can be registered for each Tie. Players must be listed in order of strength based on their Squash Levels and for those without one, must be done so in good spirit. Any teams found to blatantly flout this rule may be disqualified by the organiser.
- **Mixed Masters & Open Category:** A **minimum of ONE (1)** female player must be listed in every Tie line-up.
- All games shall be played in the following manner:
 - 1st Players: First to reach 5 points
 - 2nd Players: Scoring to continue after 1st Player. First to reach 10 points
 - 3rd Players: Scoring to continue after 2nd Player. First to reach 15 points
 - 1st Players: Scoring to continue after 3rd Player. First to reach 20 points
 - 2nd Players: Scoring to continue after 1st Player. First to reach 25 points
 - 3rd Players: Scoring to continue after 2nd Player. First to reach 30 points. No tie-break/deuce.
- Examples can be found in **Appendix A**
- Round Robin standings for each group will be determined by the number of Ties won by each team.
- In the event of a tie between 2 or more teams, tie-breakers will be used in the following order:
 1. **Head-to-head** record
 2. Most **POINTS WON**
 3. Least **POINTS LOST**
- The **TOP TWO (2)** teams in each group will move into the **Main Knockout Draw**.
- The remaining teams will move into the **Consolation Knockout Draw**.

Code of Conduct

- All individuals attending and/or participating in the event, conducted under SSRA auspices e.g. player, referee, official, trainer, coach or other person connected with a participating player or team, or other involved people, are to comply with the SSRA Code of conduct (<https://sgsquash.com/code-of-conduct>)
- Coaches, parents, guardians, and spectators must not interfere with the officiating referee's decision while the match is in progress.
- SSRA has the right to remove any such offenders from the venue.
- The Match Referee has the right to penalise any player should their coach, parent, guardian, or supporter commit any offence in attempting to influence the outcome of a match.
- Players, coaches, parents, guardians, or anyone who interferes with the smooth running of the event will be asked to leave the tournament venue and may be subject to further disciplinary action.

Official Ball & Eye-Wear

- Dunlop Double Yellow Dot Balls will be used during the Tournament.
- Eye-wear is **compulsory** for players aged below 19 years. For players aged 19 and above, eye-wear is not mandatory but encouraged.

Prizes & Prize Presentation

- Prizes money will only be awarded to the Open & Masters categories.
- A minimum of 8 teams are required for any event to be eligible for prize monies.
- Youth categories are not eligible for prize monies.
- All Competition prize winners shall be present in person to receive the prizes after the Mixed Open Team Final match on the 3rd of August 2025.

Tournament Organization

Tournament Director Mr Alex Wan

Send your queries to events@sqsquash.com.

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Appendix A: 30 points – PAR (Point-A-Rally) Format Example

Player No.	Team A scoring	Team B scoring	Explanation
1	3	5	Upon reaching 5 points, the next set of players from Team A and B continue scoring from this point.
2	10	8	Notice that Team A's 2 nd player had to play more than 5 points, up to the score of 10 – 8, as this set of players play until the “First to reach 10 points”
3	14	15	
1	17	20	From here on, it will be rotated back to the 1 st / 2 nd /3 rd player of each team
2	25	24	
3	29	30	No tie-break/deuce. Sudden death, match concludes at 30 points.