



GETACTIVE! SINGAPORE
PESTA SUKAN 2026 - COMMUNITY CHAMPIONSHIP
NETBALL

1. RULES

- 1.1 According to the Laws/Rules established by World Netball; and
- 1.2 General rules of GetActive Singapore categories.

2. CATEGORIES & ELIGIBILITY

Category	Clarification
7v7 Women Open	Minimum age: 16 years and above (born in 2010 or earlier)
7v7 Mixed open A minimum of 1 and a maximum of 3 male players are allowed to take the court at any one time. The male players must play either a GS or GA; GK or GD; C, WA or WD (i.e. one male player per area of court).	Minimum age: 16 years and above (born in 2010 or earlier)

- 2.1 At least two-thirds of the registered players in each team must comprise players who reside in the GRC Cluster.

Total Number of Players in the Team	Number of Players NOT Residing in the GRC Allowed
10	3
9	3
8	2
7	2

- 2.2 At least two-thirds of the registered players in each team must comprise players who are Singapore Citizens or Permanent Residents.

Total Number of Players in the Team	Number of Foreign Players Allowed
10	3
9	3

8	2
7	2

- 2.3 If a participant is found to be registered with more than one (1) team in the same category for a particular sport after the registration closing date, the participant will be disqualified from the Pesta Sukan PA Community Championship 2026. No substitution or replacement of such participants will be allowed.

3. EVENT VENUE & SCHEDULE

The matches will be held at **Kallang Netball Centre** on **22 August 2026**, from **8am to 6pm**. Netball Singapore will provide a more specific time window closer to the event.

4. ENTRY FORM & TEAM LIST TERMS AND CONDITIONS

- a. Teams are required to submit their entries and provide their players' **full names**.
- b. Each team is allowed to submit only **one entry per category**.
- c. Each player is allowed to play for only one team per category.
- d. All team players' names must be submitted **before the closing date**.
- e. Each team shall register a **minimum of 7 players** and **no more than 10 players**.
- f. Any changes to the team list after the closing date must be accompanied by a valid reason (e.g. injury) and must be approved by Netball Singapore in writing.
- g. No appeals due to transmission error shall be entertained.

5. GAME FORMAT

- a. Each team will play once against each of the other teams in its group (single round-robin format).
- b. The top 2 teams from each group will then proceed to the second round and play against each other in a single knockout round.
- c. Award of round robin points – the following scoring system shall apply:
 - 2 points for a win
 - 1 point for a draw
 - 0 point for a loss
 - -2 points for a walkover

6. COMPETITION SYSTEM

- a. Umpires will be applying the latest World Netball rules for all categories: <https://netball.sport/wp-content/uploads/2024/01/World-Netball-Rules-Book-2024.pdf>
- b. Teams must report at the assigned court at the scheduled time. A grace period of 2 minutes will be given.
- c. Any walkovers shall be awarded by presiding umpires.

- d. In the event of clash of colors of bibs, the first named team has the priority to choose their color of uniforms/bibs and the other team must change their color.
- e. Any carnival matches played past the half time mark and uncompleted because of inclement weather or unforeseen circumstances shall be considered as completed and the scores accepted.
- f. Any carnival matches uncompleted before the halftime mark shall be postponed to a reserve date/time and replayed.
- g. If the carnival cannot be completed during the reserve day, the games will be stopped, and the final results will be determined by a penalty shootout amongst those teams still in the running for the finals. 4 shooters from each team will have 1 shot each from a designated point decided by Netball Singapore. In the event of a draw after the shots, the highest-drawn teams will continue shooting in a sudden death format (1 further throw for each team using the same 4 shooters in rotation) until the winners are determined.
- h. There will be no injury time.
- i. In the event of a tie on points at the end of pool rounds, the result of the game between the two teams decides the winner.
- j. If the two teams drew their match, or if more than two teams have the same number of points at the end of the pool rounds, goal average of the pool games will decide the placings (i.e. goals for divided by goals against).
- k. If goal average is identical, then goal difference will be applied (i.e the difference between goals for and goals against).
- l. In the event of a further tie, the team scoring the most goals will be declared the winner.
- m. Knock-out competitions: If the game ends in a draw, play shall recommence immediately without changing ends beginning with a centre-pass and the first team to score 3 goals shall be declared the winner.

7. ELIGIBILITY FOR MIXED OPEN TEAMS

- a. A minimum of 1 and a maximum of 3 male players are allowed to take the court at any one time. The male players must play either a GS or GA; GK or GD; C, WA or WD (i.e. one male player per area of court).

8. CATEGORIES

- a. For the purpose of the Pesta Sukan PA Community Championship, the women open category will be capped at 21 teams and the mixed open category will be capped at 8 teams.
- b. Should there be fewer than 7 registered teams in any given category, Netball Singapore reserves the right to cancel the category without prior notice.
- c. Minimum age: 16 years and above (born in 2010 or earlier).

9. SCORING AND TIMEKEEPING

- a. Central timing will be kept by Netball Singapore.
- b. Point System: Win = 2 points, Draw = 1 point, Loss = 0 points, and deduction of 2 points for awarding of walkover.

10. SAFETY ON COURT

- a. Players who are pregnant will not be allowed to play in the competition. The concerned player has an obligation to inform the Events Manager of her status and shall discontinue her participation from the competition.
- b. A player intending to use/wear any form of protection or support (on medical ground) which incorporates any hard material or metallic parts or pieces must obtain approval from the Events Manager, who will consult the Umpires' Committee.

11. EVENT ADMINISTRATION

- a. Random checks of players' identities may be conducted during the event.
- b. Protests must be submitted in writing within 48 hours of the incident and must be accompanied by a protest fee of \$50.
- c. Netball Singapore reserves the right to change the date, time and venue when necessary, without prior notice.

12. FIRST AID

- a. First-aiders and an ambulance will be on standby during the event.
- b. Players are advised to purchase their own personal accident insurance.

13. LIABILITY

- a. Netball Singapore and our sponsors shall not be liable for any accidents, injuries or loss of personal property suffered during this event.
- b. Netball Singapore and our sponsors have the right to use any photographs, motion pictures, recordings or any other record of the event for any legitimate purpose, including commercial advertising.

14. COMPETITION JURISDICTION

- a. The Organising Committee reserves the right to interpret or amend the rules and regulations of the competition at any time. Notifications of such changes will be posted on the Pesta Sukan 2026 official website. All participants are advised to visit the competition website frequently for any notices or changes to draws or schedules.
- b. While reasonable precautions will be taken, the organisers, its servants and agents will not be responsible or in any way liable for any death, disability, personal injury, loss of property or any other loss howsoever arising from any cause whatsoever at any time during the course of this competition.