

# **INFORMATION & FACT SHEET**

#### **ORGANIZER:**

Organizer (Asia): Organizer (Singapore): Supported by: Pickleball Champions League Asia (PCL Asia) That Pickleball Shop That Pickleball Academy Ram Sports (ShenZhen)

### **ELIGIBLE TO PARTICIPATE:**

All players must be Singaporean citizens. No age limit. Limited to 8 teams.

#### **TEAM COMPOSITION:**

Теат	Main Players	Coach & Reserve Players
XYZ	Player A (Women) Player B (Women) Player C (Men) Player D (Men)	Coach / Manager Player E (Women Reserve) Player F (Men Reserve)

- No age limit
- No DUPR rating restriction, but preferred amateur level, ie. 3.9 and below
- All players must be Singapore citizens
- Player coach is allowed

### **ADMINISTRATION'S REGISTRATION FEES:**

SGD \$400 (Four hundred Singapore Dollars) per team (for 6 players)

### **REGISTRATION DEADLINE:**

2nd May 2025



#### **\*COMPETITION DATES & VENUES:**

10th May - 13th July 2025, Singapore Pickleball Hall, Expo Hall 7

Event	Date	Venue	Time
Match Day 1A	10 May 2025, Saturday	Singapore Pickleball Hall: Expo Hall 7	12pm-3pm
Match Day 1B	11 May 2025, Sunday	Singapore Pickleball Hall: Expo Hall 7	12pm-3pm
Match Day 2A	25 May 2025, Sunday	Singapore Pickleball Hall: Expo Hall 7	12pm-3pm
Match Day 2B	31 May 2025, Saturday	Singapore Pickleball Hall: Expo Hall 7	12pm-3pm
Match Day 3A	1 June 2025, Sunday	Singapore Pickleball Hall: Expo Hall 7	12pm-3pm
Match Day 3B	28 June 2025, Saturday	Singapore Pickleball Hall: Expo Hall 7	12pm-3pm
Match Day 4A	29 June 2025, Sunday	Singapore Pickleball Hall: Expo Hall 7	12pm-3pm
Match Day 4B	5 July 2025, Saturday	Singapore Pickleball Hall: Expo Hall 7	12pm-3pm
Semi-Final	12 July 2025, Saturday	Singapore Pickleball Hall: Expo Hall 7	12pm-3pm
Finals	13 July 2025, Sunday	Singapore Pickleball Hall: Expo Hall 7	12pm-3pm
Grand Final (Asia)	9 & 10 Aug 2025, Sat C Sun	Ramsport Stadium, Shenzhen Shenzhen, China	твс

\*Dates are tentative

\*Dates will be finalized closer to the tournament start date



### MATCH FORMAT:

Match Day / Event	Games	Rally Scoring
1	Women Doubles (WD)	Point earned for each rally.
2	Men Doubles (MD)	Each game is played to 21
3	Mixed Doubles 1 (XD 1)	points to win
4	Mixed Doubles 2 (XD 2)	

For each match day (event), teams must submit all four (4) main players to compete in all the matches for that match day. The players' names need to be submitted to the organizer at least two (2) days in advance prior to competition day.

Each player will only be allowed to play a maximum of 1 Gender Doubles (MD/WD) and 1 Mixed doubles tie per match.

PCL Asia will be played using the rally scoring system, a point is earned after every rally, whether it was won by the serving or receiving team. Each game is played till 21 points. Each pair will only play one game to determine the winner.

Each season, each team will play at least twelve (12) matches over four (4) match days (events). Every match day (event), each team plays three (3) matches.

### **STANDING POINTS:**

Standings points are earned in every match as follows:

Standing Point/s Earned	Match Results Games Results	
Per Match		
3 Points	Regulation win	3-1 or 4-0 win
1 Point	Tie	2-2 tie
0 Point	Regulation loss	1-3 or 0-4 loss

Standing points will be accumulated over the 4 match days (events) per season. The 2 teams with the highest standings points accumulated will advance to the next round, semi-final (12th July 2025).

If there are teams with the same standings points, then the winner will be decided by the total number of games won. Again, if the number of wins is also the same, then an innovative singles tiebreaker will be played to 21 points. Single players to play in this tiebreaker can be either men or women, depending on the team's decision (MLP Dream Breaker)



Eight (8) Teams will be drawn into two (2) groups, Saturday group and Sunday group. This Grouping will be randomly decided.

Example of the Semi-Final Draw:

SEMI-FINAL (on 1st July 2025, Sat)	
Saturday Group #1	
Sunday Group #1	
Saturday Group #2	
Sunday Group #2	

Semi-finals will be played on 12th July 2025 respectively.

Similarly, Each Semi-Final consists of four games, with the first two (2) games being women's doubles and men's doubles, and the final two (2) games consisting of mixed doubles.

The team with the highest standings points will be in the Finals. Again, if the standings points are the same, then the single tiebreaker will be played to crown the winner.

The Final Champions will play in the PCL Asia Malaysia League Final: National Championship Match on 13 July 2025 (Sunday).

Then, the national champions will advance to the prestigious Asia Championships in Shenzhen, China, on 9th Aug 2025, where they will compete for cash and prizes in the coveted PCL Asia Championship.

### **PRIZES:**

### Champion:

Medals, Paddles and Apparels for six (6) players and one (1) coach. Prestigious prize for the national champion is: USD 5,000.00 (US Dollar Five Thousand for the team to cover four (4) players and one (1) coach for their return flights to Shenzhen, China, hotel accommodation, local transportation, home and away national kits, and all meals included. This all-inclusive package ensures that players can focus entirely on their performance and compete in the ultimate showdown.

### Runner-up:

Medals, paddles, and apparel for six (6) players and one (1) coach.



## MATCH / EVENT DAYS:

- 1. All participants are required to register at the registration desk on the day of the event by presenting their Singapore identity card (original copy)
- 2. Registration is required to be completed 15 minutes before the start time of the first match
- 3. Any non-registered players, as per the team's submission, will be disqualified from taking part in the match/event day
- 4. If any team is 5 minutes late or does not turn up for their matches, then they will forfeit their matches. And the opponents will be awarded with a walkover
- 5. All players must sign the waiver form during registration
- 6. For participants aged 18 years and below, a consent form must be completed and signed by the respective parents/guardians

# **COMPLETION & TOURNAMENT RULES:**

The competition and tournament rules will be based on the 2025 USA Pickleball Rulebook. However, the competition and tournament organizing committee has the right to make the final decision on any dispute or other matters that may arise.

Simple paddle compression testing would be done for delamination/ core crushing.

### CANCELLATION:

Should the competition/tournament be cancelled for any unforeseen circumstances, the administration and registration fees will be refunded to participating teams after the dedication of administrative charges of \$120 (One Hundred Twenty) per team. The organizer will not be responsible for any other costs incurred by any party, and / or participating team.

### **DISCLAIMERS:**

The Organizer reserves the right to make any changes to the competition/tournament without prior notice.