



ASEAN UNIVERSITY GAMES 2026

PETANQUE RULES

1 TECHNICAL REGULATIONS

- 1.1 The AUG Petanque competition will be organised in accordance with:
- 1.1.1 The AUG General Rules & Regulations.
 - 1.1.2 The current technical regulations of the Federation International de Petanque et Jeu Provincial (FIPJP).
- 1.2 The competition will consist of the following **four (4) events**:

Men	Women	Mixed
Triples (M3, No Sub)	Triples (W3, No Sub)	Triple (1M, 2W, No Sub)
		Triple (2M, 1W, No Sub)

- 1.3 Each country is authorised to enter:
- 1.3.1 A maximum of **six (6) men** competitors, **six (6)** women competitors and **four (4)** team officials. **The** number of team officials shall not exceed **the** number of competitors.
 - 1.3.2 **Each team may register only one (1) entry per event.**
 - 1.3.3 **Each competitor may participate in only one (1) event during the entire tournament.**

2 COMPETITION REGULATION

- 2.1 Competition Format – Swiss System
- 2.1.1 Round 1: A Swiss system shall be played with:
- i. **3 matches for 4 to 8 entries/matches or;**
 - ii. **4 matches for 9 to 32 entries/teams or;**
 - iii. **5 matches for 33 entries/teams and above which the entries/teams shall play against each other in to decide the ranking of the team.**
- 2.1.2 The rankings will be determined as follows:
- i. Number of wins by the participant
 - ii. Buchholz 1 refers to the total number of wins by the opponents of the participant
 - iii. Buchholz 2 refers to the total Buchholz 1 scores of the opponents of the participant
 - iv. Difference in scores accumulated by the participant
 - v. Total scores accumulated by the participant

- 2.1.3 If there are ten (10) entries or fewer, the top four (4) teams will qualify for the semi-finals.
- 2.1.4 If there are more than eleven (11) entries or teams, the top eight (8) teams will qualify for the second round.
- 2.1.5 Round 2: A knock-out system will be used.
- 2.1.6 For the top four (4) teams in the semi-finals, matches will be played as follows: Ranking 1 vs Ranking 4 and Ranking 2 vs Ranking 3.
- 2.1.7 For the top eight (8) teams in the quarter-finals, matches will be played as follows: Ranking 1 vs Ranking 8 and Ranking 4 vs Ranking 5 on one side; on the other side Ranking 2 vs Ranking 7 and Ranking 3 vs Ranking 6.
- 2.1.8 Losers of the semi-finals will compete in the bronze medal match.
- 2.1.9 Winners of the semi-finals will compete in the gold medal match.
- 2.1.10 Each match shall be played for 60 minutes plus 2 extra ends, or to 13 points, whichever comes first. The official juries may decide to play a full game in the semi-finals or final.
- 2.1.11 An extra end is an end played after the game time has finished.
- 2.1.12 If the jack is out and dead during an extra end, the end is considered finished.
- 2.1.13 A deciding end shall be played if both entries or teams are tied after the extra end is completed. The jack cannot be dead in the deciding end; it shall be returned to its last position before becoming dead.
- 2.1.14 The new end in the game starts after the last boules from the previous end have been played and stops.

2.2 Match Attire

- 2.2.1 The attire of the players must comply with **AUG** and FIPJP standard.
- 2.2.2 Doubles and triples shall wear uniform attire.
- 2.2.3 Shorts or mini skirt are not permitted. Three-quarter shorts are allowed.

3 SUMMARIES OF ENTRIES

Petanque	Maximum Number of Participants Per Country
Men Competitor	6
Women Competitor	6
Team Official*	4
International Technical Official	0

**Number of team officials shall not exceed number of competitors.*

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