

6.6.6 PICKLEBALL TEAM CHALLENGE CUP 2026

FACT SHEET OVERVIEW

DATES: 6TH JUNE 2026

TIMES: 8.00 AM TO 12.00PM (ROUND ROBIN) , 8.00 PM TO 12.00AM (KNOCK OUT STAGE)

ELIGIBILITIES: TEAM EVENT (2 MENS & 2 WOMENS)

VENUE: PICK A BALL, IPOH, PERAK.

FORMAT	TEAM EVENT CATEGORY, (2 MENS & 2 WOMENS) TOTAL 4 PLAYERS DUPR BELOW 3.5 FOR EVERY PLAYER (MENS/WOMENS) * EACH TEAM WILL BE GIVEN ONLY 1 PLAYER EXCEED 3.5 DUPR.
REGISTRATION FEE	RM 350/TEAM
REGISTERED PAIR ENTITE	JERSEY (sizing base on FIRST COME, FIRST SERVE while size available), GOODIES BAG, DRINK, [FOOD (tbc)]
PRIZE/ ADWARDS	<u>DIVISION 1</u> CHAMPION RM 3000 + TROPHY + MEDAL RUNNER- UP RM 2000 + MEDAL 2ND RUNNER-UP RM 1000 + MEDAL 3RD RUNNER-UP MEDAL *cash prize will be decrease if number of participant didn't not meet 32 pair.
REGISTRATION PROCESS	SPORTSYNC : SEARCH 6.6.6 PICKLEBALL TEAM CHALLENGE CUP
CONTACT PERSON	MR.JIMMY +6016-4102020
CLOSING DATE	5PM (Malaysian Time) 23/5/2026, SATURDAY
POOL DRAW	8PM (Malaysia Time) 31/5/2026, SUNDAY

MESSAGE BRING TO THE PARTICIPANTS

6.6.6 PICKLEBALL TEAM CHALLENGE CUP, a tournament that bring our slogan 3C "**COMPETE, CONNECT, CONQUER.**" In conjunction to meet our mission/slogan, the First C, **COMPETE** we trying to bring pickleball sport to more competitive to let the pickleballer to examine their skills, gameplay, competitive mode. The second C "**CONNECT**", from this challenge cup we also can bring/ gather the pickleballer all around in our motherland MALAYSIA to connect and unite the player bring the network to more broader. Lastly, the third C "**CONQUER**" , WE as an organiser would like bring this message to the pickleballer. Conquer to win against opponent/ defeat/ overcome/ or dominate we hope that all the player can bring the sportmanship to another level. Finally, we hope that all participant, who are participate in our tournament will gain no matter in skill, networking, and feel that this tournament is worth to be join.

1.0 TOURNAMENT DATE

SATURDAY,6TH JUNE 2026

8.00AM TO 12.00PM (ROUND ROBIN),

8.00PM TO 12.00AM (KNOCK OUT STAGE)

(ALL TEAM WILL BE ENTER TO KNOCK OUT STAGE) Nobody left behind

2.0 TOURNAMENT VENUE

PICK A BALL

12, KAWASAN PERUSAHAAN MENGLEMBU,

31450 MENGLEMBU, IPOH, PERAK.

3.0 PAYMENT INSTRUCTIONS

All entry fees paid through SPORT SYNC platform

4.0 SUBMISSION GUIDELINES

4.4.1 All teams and players must complete the official entry at **SPORT SYNC** platform , along with the accurate payment, by 5:00 PM (Malaysia time), SATURDAY, 23rd MAY 2026

4.4.2 Participation is only confirmed once your entry fees and payment evidence are acknowledged by the organizers

4.4.3 Registration may close early if the maximum 32 teams had reach

5.0 TOURNAMENT CLOSING DATE OF ENTRY

5.1 All entries via SPORT SYNC must be received by SATURDAY, 23RD MAY 2026, by 5:00 PM Malaysia Time.

5.2 Late entries without confirmation of payment will not be entertained.

5.3 No refund will be made after payment has been made.

5.4 Ensure your participation is confirmed by the organizers before making prior arrangements.

6.0 TOURNAMENT FORMAT

6.1 Each team consist of 2 mens & 2 womens (4 players in a teams

6.2 This tournament is OPEN AGE GROUP with no age limit

6.3 All players shall has their DUPR account. **If no account please register via DUPR**

6.4 All player is restricted below 3.5DUPR, organiser only allow maximum 1 player to be above 3.5DUPR.

6.5 All player who had won in any tournament are **PERMITTED** to join.

6.4 TD has the right to forfeit players that does not comply to the above-mentioned requirements to ensure fair play

6.5 The eligibility of a player will only be taken into investigation when a protest is filed.

7.0 FORMAT/SCORING

7.1 GROUP MATCH (ROUND ROBIN)

7.1.1 All the group match draw is based on randomly pick by visually live draw.

7.1.1.1 Consist of 8 pool (maybe change depend on the participation)

7.1.2 All Group Matches will be based on Rally 15Points/1Set No Deuce/sudden death.

One (1) Set Only Per Tie. End changes after Score reaches 8

7.1.3 All Group Round Robin Matches must be completed.

7.1.4 Any Withdrawal during Group Matches, the Opponent shall be declared the winner by the score of 1-0

7.1.5 Group match scoring if a team won, their team is entitle 2 points, if lose 0 points.

7.1.6 If got any tie break scoring among the team in the same group match. First, we will taking count on HEAD TO HEAD COUNT, Then follow by SCORE DIFFERENCE, finally we differentiaite with WINNING SCORE.

7.1.7 The gameplay will be playing accordingly WOMEN DOUBLE, MEN DOUBLE, MIXED DOUBLE.

7.1.8 ALL the team must complete all the 3 matches in your gameplay while against your opponent although you had won first 2 set of the games.

7.1.9 The team captain must send the team game list to the organiser before the game start.

7.2 KNOCK OUT PLAYOFF

7.2.1 ALL TEAMS will be in the knock out playoff. Seeding is based on your round robin ranking

7.2.2 To advance in the knock out match, teams must excel/ earn a maximum total point in the group match. To secure your team in a better position

7.2.3 final knockout chart will be release during the live draw session

7.2.4 total of 32 team knock out will be play (round of 32--> round of 16--> quarter final-->

semi final--> final , 3rd & 4th placing.

7.2.5 ALL THE GAMES IN THE KNOCKOUT STAGE will be based on RALLY 15 Points with 1 set no duece with SUDDEN DEATH One (1) Set Only Per Tie.

7.2.6 FOR R32 and R16 will be playing 3 games follow by WD,MD,MXD (best of 3) first who score 2 game won will be proceed to next round

7.2.7 QUARTER FINAL /SEMI FINAL/3RD & 4TH PLACING/FINAL will be playing 4 sets of game follow by MD, XD1, WD, XD2. IF the game tie, DREAM BREAKER(single) will be playing

7.2.7 DREAM BREAKER will be playing all single every total 3point will be change to another player to play until the team get 15points will be won the match. For example, 1st single play 3-0, change to 2nd single--> 2nd single 5-1, change to 3rd single player and rotate till whichever team getting 15points

7.2.8 Any Withdrawal during Matches, the Opponent shall be declared the winner by the score of 1-0

8.0 TECHNICAL

8.1 Umpires/Linemen will be NOT PROVIDED during all matches.

8.2 A FIVE (5) Minutes Walkover will be strictly observed after official announcement.

8.3 No changes of Player are allowed after the registration via SPORTSYNC that has been SUBMITTED. IF without any valid reason.

8.4 For the observance of Sportsmanship conduct during a tie, "Line Calls" will be based on Receiver's Call.

8.5 The Organizers reserve the right to change the Format/Scoring of the Tournament.

9.0 RULES & REGULATIONS

9.1 USA Pickleball Official Rulebook 2024 will be adopted for the tournament: <http://usapickleball.org>

9.2 All Players must report to the Tournament Desk at least Thirty (30) Minutes before the scheduled match. Players should wait at the "Players Waiting Area" or "Assigned Court" for Your Match Announcement.

9.3 Colour of Player's Jerseys/Apparels must not be Neon Green or Yellow.

9.4 Players had optional either to or not to use USAP-Approved Paddle that is posted on the USAP website (<https://equipment.usapickleball.org/paddle-list/>)

9.5 The Tournament Committee reserves the right to change, postpone, cancel the tournament or forfeit any player due to unforeseen circumstances or current eligibility requirements. In such cases, registration fees will be refunded to participants

10.0 DISPUTES / COMPLAINTS / RESOLUTIONS

10.1 In the interest of the smooth running of the Competition, Players are allowed to file any Complaints or Disputes to the Organizing Committee (OC)/

Tournament Referee (TR)/Tournament Referees in writing to the Organizing Committee

10.2 Any decision by the Organizing Committee on any dispute shall be FINAL.

11.0 OFFICIAL BALL

11.1 FRANKIN Pickleball Balls will be the Official Ball used during the Tournament. In case of unforeseen circumstances, the Organizers reserve the right to use other brands

12.0 INDEMNITY & INSURANCE

12.1 All Participating Teams, and its delegated players/officials MUST agree to indemnify and hold the Organizers, free and unaccountable for and against any claims, arising from any injuries, damages, losses, etc. that may arise to any participant or third party whether from the participation in the said tournament or during their travelling to this Tournament

13.0 PERSONAL BELONGINGS

11.1 It is the Player's responsibility to keep their own belongings safe and secure while at the tournament

venue. The Organizers will not be held liable or responsible for any loss, theft, or damage to your personal belongings.

14.0 NOTICE OF EVENT POSTPONEMENT & CANCELLATION

14.1 In the event that the tournament is suddenly postponed and declared Force Majeure that should not be within the control of the host, such as circumstances related to natural disasters, outbreak of diseases, riot, war, or declared by government authorities, the tournament will be postponed or cancelled with/without prior notification to the participants. The Organizers shall not be liable for any compensation for any cost incurred by the participant except the registration fees that will be refunded.

15.0 ALCOHOL / DRUGS / TOBACCO

15.1 Players registered to compete in this Tournament are strictly prohibited from consuming alcohol at PICK A BALL, indulging in substance abuse, or smoking while participating. Any Players found to have breached this requirement are deemed to have broken the universal tournament ethos and can endanger the smooth running of the event, mar the reputation of the hosts, and endanger the safety of other Players and the public at large. For such breach of sports ethics, the organizers reserve the right to eject the affected Players and prohibit the offender from further participation in the Tournament. The Team he/she represents may be subject to further action as deemed fit by the Organizers.

15.2 While no alcohol and smoking restrictions apply to general spectators who are not participants in the Tournament, substance abuse is strictly prohibited.