

PESTA SUKAN 2025 – FLOORBALL **GENERAL RULES AND REGULATIONS**

1. Rules

The competition shall be conducted in accordance with the existing laws of the game as approved by the International Floorball Federation (IFF) and adopted by the Singapore Floorball Association (SFA).

2. Venue and Schedule

All matches will be held at Our Tampines Hub, Team Sports Hall, on weekends between **12 July to 3 Aug 2025**.

Date	Timing	Competition Stage
Sat, 12 Jul	8am to 10pm	Youth (U10 Boys and Girls) Youth (U12 Boys and Girls)
Sun, 13 Jul		Special Olympics Mixed Open
Sat, 19 Jul		Youth (U14 & U17 Boys and Girls) Preliminary Rounds
Sun, 20 Jul		Youth (U14 & U17 Boys and Girls) Advance Stages
Sat, 26 Jul		Youth (U19 Boys and Girls) Preliminary Rounds
Sun, 27 Jul		Youth (U19 Boys and Girls) Advance Stages
Sat, 2 Aug		Men's & Women's Open Preliminary Rounds
Sun, 3 Aug		Men's & Women's Open Advance Stages
TBC		Community Games Youth (U16 Boys and Girls) Community Games Mixed Open

All the above fixtures scheduling may be subjected to change once the entries are finalised.

3. Categories

Category		Clarification
Pesta Sukan Youth	Youth (U10 Boys and Girls)	<i>Born Between year 2015 and 2018</i>
	Youth (U12 Boys and Girls)	<i>Born Between year 2013 and 2015</i>
	Youth (U14 Boys and Girls)	<i>Born Between year 2011 and 2014</i>
	Youth (U17 Boys and Girls)	<i>Born Between year 2008 and 2012</i>
	Youth (U19 Boys and Girls)	<i>Born Between year 2006 and 2011</i>
Pesta Sukan Open	Men's Open	<i>Born Between year 1959 and 2008</i>
	Women's Open	
	Mixed Open	
Pesta Sukan Special Olympics	Mixed Open	<i>Born Between year 1959 and 2012</i>
Community Games	Youth (U16 Boys and Girls)	<i>Born Between year 2009 and 2013</i>
	Mixed Open	<i>Born Between year 1959 and 2008</i>

4. Registration and Eligibility of Players

Entry is open to all Singapore Citizens and Permanent Residents. Non-residents are allowed to participate but should not exceed 30% of the total number of registered players per team.

Each team may register a minimum and maximum number of players listed below, inclusive of goalkeepers. Players are not allowed to represent two (2) teams when playing within the same category. Any findings during registration, we will seek clarification from the team managers. Any findings during the competition itself will warrant sending off of the player and possible disqualification of the team's match or tournament, subject to the organization committee's final decision.

A maximum of two (2) national team players are allowed in the team. Definition of national team players refers to players who have represented the country in International competitions between 1 April 2024 to 31 March 2025. They are referring to:

- (W) U19 World Floorball Championships 2024
- (M) World Floorball Championships AOFC Qualification 2024

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- (M) PTT Thailand Tri-Nations 2024
- (W) World Floorball Championships AOFC Qualification 2025

The team manager or coach shall submit the finalized name list before the start of their respective first match.

Teams must be represented by a team manager from the team concerned during the course of a match.

Category	No. of Players^ per team	Registration Fees
U10 Boys U10 Girls	Min. 5 Players Max. 10 Players	\$50.00
U12 Boys U12 Girls	Min. 5 players Max. 10 players	\$50.00
U14 Boys U14 Girls	Min. 5 players Max. 15 players	\$50.00
U16 Boys U16 Girls	Min. 5 players Max. 15 players	TBD
U17 Boys U17 Girls	Min. 5 players Max. 15 players	\$50.00
U19 Boys U19 Girls	Min. 6 players Max. 15 players	\$60.00
Men's Open Women's Open		\$90.00
Mixed Open	Min. 3 players Max. 5 players	\$45.00
Special Olympics	Min. 3 Players Max. 6 Players	\$15.00

5. Competition Rules

The competition shall be conducted in accordance with the existing laws of the game as approved by the International Floorball Federation (IFF) and adopted by the Singapore Floorball Association (SFA). The link to the Rules can be found at <https://floorball.sport/rules-and-regulations/rules-of-the-game/>.

Competition Format

A minimum of four (4) teams are required for the category to be played.

By default, the tournament will be played in a group stage followed by knockout rounds format. Grouping of teams for the preliminary round shall be first based on a random team draw conducted before the start of the competition. Knockout rounds format will be determined once the number of registered teams are in.

Category	No. of Players^ per team	Competition Format**	Playing Time
U10 Boys U10 Girls	Min. 5 Players Max. 10 Players	4 v 4 w mini goalpost	2 x 8 min w 3 min break
U12 Boys U12 Girls	Min. 5 players Max. 10 players	4 v 4 w mini goalpost	2 x 8 min w 3 min break
U14 Boys U14 Girls	Min. 5 players Max. 15 players	4 v 4	2 x 10 min w 3 min break
U16 Boys U16 Girls	Min. 5 players Max. 15 players	4 v 4	2 x 10 min w 3 min break
U17 Boys U17 Girls	Min. 5 players Max. 15 players	4 v 4	2 x 10 min w 3 min break
U19 Boys U19 Girls	Min. 6 players Max. 15 players	5 v 5	2 x 12 min w 3 min break
Men's Open Women's Open		5 v 5	2 x 12 min w 3 min break
Mixed Open	Min. 3 players Max. 5 players	3v3 w mini goalpost	2 x 8 min w 3 min break
Special Olympics	Min. 3 Players Max. 6 Players	3v3 w mini goalpost	2 x 8 min w 3 min break

No. of Players per team

Refer to the total no. of field players and goalkeepers

Competition Format**

3v3 w mini goalpost: 3 players vs 3 players on court, use of mini goalpost

4v4 w mini goalpost: 4 players vs 4 players on court, use of mini goalpost

4v4: 4 players + 1 goalkeeper vs 4 players + 1 goalkeeper on court, use of big goalpost

5v5: 5 players + 1 goalkeeper vs 5 players + 1 goalkeeper on court, use of big goalpost

Starting Time

Please refer to "Pesta Sukan 2025 Floorball Fixtures" document which will be sent after confirmation of teams.

Teams are required to report to the competition venue minimum 30 minutes before the start of their respective first match of the day.

Players' Attendance

Category	Clarification^
U10 U12	Maximum of 4 players fielded at any one time Minimum of 3 players are required to start the game
U14 U16 U17	Maximum of 4 players + 1 goalkeeper fielded at any one time Minimum of 3 players + 1 goalkeeper are required to start the game
U19 Men's Open Women's Open	Maximum of 5 players + 1 goalkeeper fielded at any one time Minimum of 4 players + 1 goalkeeper required to start the game
Mixed Open	Maximum of 3 players fielded at any one time Minimum of 2 players are required to start the game At least one (1) female player must be on court at all times
Special Olympics	Maximum of 3 players fielded at any one time Minimum of 2 players are required to start the game At least one (1) athlete must be on court at all times

Points

The competition shall be played in a round robin league system during the group phase with the points system as follows:

- 3 POINTS: Awarded to winner of the match
- 1 POINT: Awarded to teams involved in a draw
- 0 POINT: Awarded to losing team of the match

The ranking within a group shall be decided in the following order:

- (i) Total number of points
- (ii) Goal difference
- (iii) Goal scored
- (iv) Head-to-Head

During the knockout stages, if teams play to a draw at the end of regulation time, sudden death extra time will be played. Penalty shots will be taken by both teams if teams are unable to score after extra time. Penalty Shots will be taken in an alternative sequence. If the scores are tied after 3 penalty shots, the sudden death rule shall apply.

Sudden Death Extra Time will be given as follows for each category:

- Mixed Open / Special Olympics: 3 min
- U10 / U12 / U14 / U16 / U17: 4 min
- U19 / Opens: 5 mins

In case of postponement due to unforeseen circumstances, ALL of the following conditions must be met before the remaining time of the match is played at a later time:

- (i) Both teams must either be in a draw situation OR with ONE (1) goal difference in scores.
- (ii) There must be at least 30 seconds or more in the LAST period of the match when the match is interrupted.
- (iii) The remaining time of the match will start with a face-off. Any team which refuses to play the remaining time of the game under the above circumstances will be deemed to have forfeited the game. The opposing team will be awarded a walkover and the **score line of 5-0** will be awarded to the opposing team.

Walkover

Teams shall concede a walkover if they fail to turn up 3 minutes after the scheduled time of play. The opposing team will be awarded a walkover and the **score line of 5-0** will be awarded to the opposing team.

If an ineligible player was found to be fielded, the matches he/she participated in will be considered as a loss and the **score line of 5-0** will be awarded to the opposing team.

Sending Offs

If a player has been issued a “**Match Penalty**”, he/she shall take no further part in the match and be asked to leave the competition venue hall with immediate effect. The player will also be suspended from the following match(es) in the tournament. A disciplinary committee will be convened in the quickest time possible to decide on any further action against the player.

Equipment

- a. Teams are to prepare 2 distinct coloured tops. Avoid Grey coloured tops as it clashes with the referees.
- b. All goalkeepers shall be dressed in proper Floorball goalkeeper trousers and wear a facemask approved by the IFF and marked accordingly. The goalkeeper's jersey number should be printed clearly on the goalkeeper's top.
- c. The team captain shall wear an armlet on the left arm. The armlet must be clearly visible. Tape is not allowed as an armlet.
- d. The stick shall be approved by the IFF and marked accordingly.

Note: Inspection of equipment may take place before and during the match. Incorrect equipment discovered before the match shall be corrected by the player concerned, after which he may start the match. All incorrect equipment discovered during the match shall lead to the prescribed penalty being determined by the referee.

Protest

In the event of any dispute arising over any player(s) and/or any team, the match shall be played under protest, and the Organiser shall determine the matter on receipt of the protest in writing, together with the prescribed protest fees.

Protests must be made in writing together with the protest fee of S\$100.00 and lodged with the

Organiser on the spot during the match. In the event of the protest being dismissed, the fee will be forfeited.

The decision arising from any protest shall be final and there shall be no appeal.

6. First Aid and Medical Coverage

Teams shall be responsible for their basic first aid and medical issues. Medics will be on site if further medical attention is required.

7. Prize Presentation

The prize presentation ceremony will be held immediately after the completion of the final match. The team managers are to ensure that their teams are present to collect the prizes.

8. Others

The organising committee reserves the right to decide on any issues raised that are not stated in the general rules and regulations. All decisions made by the organizing committee are final.

The organising committee has the right to alter the scheduled time and dates of the tournament if necessary. Participating teams will be informed of the changes through notifications to Team Managers. All decisions made by the organising committee are final.