



PARTICIPANT & CAPTAIN QUICK REFERENCE

This is the factual competition reference for captains and players. If a promotional poster summarises a rule differently, this reference document takes precedence.

1. EVENT DETAILS

Date	Sunday, 4 October 2026
Time	8:30 AM - 6:30 PM (full-day event; final schedule may be adjusted after registration closes)
Venue	One Punggol Multi-Purpose Hall (Level 5), 1 Punggol Drive, Singapore 828629
Courts	4 indoor pickleball courts on vinyl surface
Tournament Ball	Franklin X26 Indoor pickleball (blue)
Organiser	Punggol Coast Community Sports Network (CSN)

2. ELIGIBILITY

- Men only.
- All players must be 50 years of age or above as at 4 October 2026.
- Skill level: Open.
- Players in each team must belong to the same GRC cluster.

3. TEAM COMPOSITION

- Each team consists of up to 8 players: 6 Main Players + up to 2 Reserves.
- Each player may play only once in each team match.
- Each team must nominate one Team Captain as the official contact with the Organising Committee and for submission of match line-ups.

4. AGE DIVISIONS & TEAM PLAY ORDER

Every team match is made up of three doubles games, played in this order:

Game	Division	Eligibility for the pair
1	50-55	Both players aged 50 to 55 (born 5 Oct 1970 to 4 Oct 1976, incl)
2	56-60	Both players aged 56 to 60 (born 5 Oct 1965 to 4 Oct 1970, incl)
3	61 & above	Both players aged 61 or above (born on or before 4 Oct 1965).

Age movement rule: Players may play in a lower age division, but may not play up into an older age division.

5. TOURNAMENT FORMAT

- 20 teams divided into 4 groups of 5 teams.

- Round Robin: every team plays all other teams in its group, and all 3 games in each team match are played.
- The top 2 teams from each group advance to the Quarter-Finals (8 teams).
- Knockout Stage: Quarter-Finals -> Semi-Finals -> Final. A knockout team match ends once one team has won 2 of the 3 games.

6. MATCH SCORING

Stage	Points	Change Ends	Deuce / 20-20
Round Robin	First to 15	At 8	No deuce
Knockout	First to 21	At 11	No deuce; at 20-20, next point wins

Important: Round Robin games are to 15. Knockout games from the Quarter-Finals onward are to 21.

7. ROUND ROBIN RANKING / TIE-BREAK

Group standings will be determined in the following order:

1. Highest number of team matches won.
2. Highest number of games won.
3. Highest overall points differential (total points scored minus total points conceded).
4. Head-to-head result between the tied teams.

8. MATCH LINE-UPS

- The Team Captain submits the playing pair for each of the three age divisions before each team match.
- Once a line-up has been officially submitted, it should not be changed except with approval from the Tournament Director for a genuine emergency.
- Players not used in one team match remain eligible for later matches, subject to the age-division and one-game-per-match rules.

9. REGISTRATION

- Registration fee: SGD \$100 per team.
- Registration: Closed.

10. MEDALS & AWARDS

- Medals will be awarded to the Champion, Runner-Up and 2nd Runner-Up teams.
- Prize presentation will take place after the final match.

11. GENERAL COMPETITION RULES

- Players must use safe and competition-appropriate paddles and attire.
- Players should observe good sportsmanship and respect opponents, officials and match monitors at all times.
- The Tournament Director may make operational adjustments when necessary for safety, timing or smooth conduct of the event. The Tournament Director's decision on competition administration is final.

12. AT-A-GLANCE EXAMPLE

A team match uses 6 different players: 2 players for 50-55, 2 players for 56-60, and 2 players for 61 & above. The 2 reserves may be used in later ties, or may replace a main player in a later line-up, provided all eligibility rules are met.

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