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10TH BIMPNT-EAGA FRIENDSHIP GAMES 2018
BRUNEI DARUSSALAM
7 - 9 DECEMBER 2018



LAWN BOWLS

Technical Handbook

BIMPNT-EAGA FRIENDSHIP GAMES
NEGARA BRUNEI DARUSSALAM
7th DECEMBER – 9th DECEMBER 2018
COMPETITION RULES - LAWN BOWLS
(MEN AND WOMEN)

1. GENERAL RULES

1.1 The competition will be conducted under the **BRUNEI DARUSSALAM NATIONAL LAWN BOWLS ASSOCIATION rules and regulations**, and the **current World Bowls rules and regulations**, including The World Bowls rules (WB crystal mark 3rd edition) under the guidance of the technical delegate, to be appointed by the host country. Any unforeseen cases of disagreement not covered by the rules and regulations shall be Resolved as follows:

1.1.1. General rule issues: To be resolved in accordance with the BIMPNT-EAGA Sports Council Rules and Regulations.

1.1.2. Technical Issues: to be resolved in accordance with the WB Rules and Regulations.

2. COMPETITION DATE

7th December – 9th December 2018

3. COMPETITION VENUE

Lawn Bowls Centre, Hassanal Bolkiah National Sports Complex, Berakas, Negara Brunei Darussalam.

4. PARTICIPATION

4.1. Participation is open to Brunei, Malaysia (Sabah, Sarawak, Wilayah Pesekutuan Labuan), Indonesia, Philippines and Northern Territory.

4.2. Each Contingent may only register one (1) Men's team and one (1) women's team, which consists of:-

- 4.2.1. One (1) Manager
- One (1) Men's Coach
- One (1) Women's Coach

4.2.2. Bowlers

4.3. Competing contingent shall register at least five (5) bowlers of male athletes and (5) female athletes or maximum of seven (7) male athletes and seven (7) female athletes.

5. ELIGIBILITY

- 5.1. All athletes must comply with the BIMPNT-EAGA Friendship Games sports Charter and Rules.
- 5.2. Only players aged 21 years and below on the date of competition (7th December 2018) are eligible to be registered as a team. Born on or after 7th December 1997.
- 5.3. Only Nationals within the BIMPNT-EAGA areas shall be qualified to represent their respective country, states, provinces and focus areas.
- 5.4. Athletes must be amateurs, with no international participation.
- 5.5. All teams must submit one (1) copy of their passport and one passport-sized photograph of each official and bowler, and submit together with the official registration form.

6. TEAM MANAGERS MEETING

- 6.1. Team official meeting will be held (1) day prior to the first day of competition.
Date : 4th December 2018
Time : 1400 hours
Place: Multi-Purpose Hall, Hassanal Bolkiah National Sports Complex, Brunei Darussalam
- 6.2. Team Managers are required to submit a list of participants along with their passports.
- 6.3. List of confirmed participants during the team managers meeting shall be final.

7. EVENTS

7.1.

| No | Event | Men | Women |
|--------------|---------|-----|-------|
| 1 | Singles | 1 | 1 |
| 2 | Pairs | 1 | 1 |
| 3 | Triples | 1 | 1 |
| 4 | Fours | 1 | 1 |
| Total Events | | 4 | 4 |
| | | 8 | |

- 7.1.1. **Singles** events (men and women): One (1) bowler per single event per contingent.
- 7.1.2. **Pairs events** (men and women): one (1) pair of two (2) bowlers per pairs event per contingent.
- 7.1.3. **Triples** events (men and women): One trio of three (3) athletes per trios event per contingent.
- 7.1.4. **Fours** events (men and women): One team of four (4) bowlers per fours event per contingent.

7.2. Each bowler may participate in not more than two (2) disciplines.

8. COMPETITION SCHEDULE

| DATE | TIME | GENDER | EVENT |
|--------------------------|--------------|--------|--|
| 5 th DEC 2018 | 0830 - 11.30 | W & M | Fours –Preliminary Round |
| 5 th DEC 2018 | 0830 - 11.30 | W & M | Singles – Preliminary Round |
| 5 th DEC 2018 | 1430- 1730 | M & W | Pairs – Preliminary Round |
| 5 th DEC 2018 | 1430- 1730 | M & W | Triples - Preliminary Round |
| 5 th DEC 2018 | 1930- 2230 | M & W | Fours –preliminary Round |
| 5 th DEC 2018 | 1930- 2230 | M & W | Singles – Preliminary Round |
| 6 th DEC 2018 | 0830 - 11.30 | M & W | Pairs – Preliminary Round |
| 6 th DEC 2018 | 0830 - 11.30 | M & W | Triples - Preliminary Round |
| 6 th DEC 2018 | 1430- 1730 | M & W | Singles – Preliminary Round |
| 6 th DEC 2018 | 1930- 2230 | M & W | Pairs – Preliminary Round |
| 6 th DEC 2018 | 1930 - 2230 | M & W | Triples - Preliminary Round |
| 7 th DEC 2018 | 0830 - 11.30 | M & W | Fours –Preliminary Round |
| 7 th DEC 2018 | 0830- 1130 | M & W | Singles – Preliminary Round |
| 7 th DEC 2018 | 1430- 1730 | | OPENING CEREMONY |
| 7 th DEC 2018 | 1930- 2230 | M & W | All Events 3 rd & 4 th placing |
| 8 th DEC 2018 | 0830- 1130 | M & W | All Events 1 st & 2 nd placing |
| 9 TH DEC 2018 | | | CLOSING CEREMONY |

Competition schedule may be subject to change

9. TRAINING

9.1. Training Policies

The training venue will be allocated to all teams two (2) days prior to the start of the competition for familiarization. Training sessions are strictly by allocation, and no change or additional training requests will be allowed. There will be no designated training area during competition days.

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9.2. Training Venue

Lawn Bowls Centre,
Hassanal Bolkiah National Sports Complex, Berakas
Bandar Seri Begawan
Negara Brunei Darussalam

9.3. Training Schedule

| DATE | TIME | GREEN A | GREEN B |
|--------------------------|-------------|---------|---------|
| 5 th DEC 2018 | 0900 – 1100 | | |
| | 1100 – 1400 | | |
| | 1500 – 1700 | | |
| | 1700 - 1900 | | |

9.4. Equipment at Training Venue

The training venue will be equipped with jacks and mats for all training sessions.

10. CONDITION OF PLAY

10.1. Competition Format

All events (Single, Pairs, Triples, Fours) will be played in one (1) grouped section, using a single round robin basis, with the top two (2) ranked athletes to play for gold and silver medals, whilst the third and fourth ranked athletes to play for bronze.

10.2. Format of Play

10.2.1. Singles Discipline

Each player shall play **four (4) bowls** singly and alternately, the winner of each match shall be the first player **scoring twenty-one (21) shots**, within a time limit of three (3) hours per match. (Shots exceeding twenty-one (21) will not be counted). No dead jack, re-reporting of jack is adopted.

10.2.2. Pairs Discipline

Two players, "lead" and a "skip", shall play **three (3) bowls**, matches shall be **eighteen (18) ends**, within a time limit of three (3) hours per match. No dead jack, re-reporting of jack is adopted.

10.2.3. Triples Discipline

Three players, a "lead", a "second" and a "skip" shall play two (2) bowls, matches shall be eighteen (18) ends, within a time limit of three (3) hours per match. No dead jack, re-reporting of jack is adopted.

10.2.4. Fours Discipline

A Fours team shall consist of four (4) players a "lead", a "second", a "third" and a "skip", each playing **two (2) bowls**, matches shall be **eighteen (18) ends**, within a time limit of three (3) Hours per match. No dead Jack, re-reporting of jack is adopted.

10.3. Final placing in section

The final placing in each discipline will be decided as follows:

10.3.1. The Player/ team with the highest points will be first, followed by other players/teams in descending order.

10.3.2. If there is a tie on points for any position, the player/team with the bigger shots differences" shot for" minus "shots against" will be the higher-placed.

10.3.3. If there is still a tie, then the results of the matches played between the athletes / team will decide the higher-placed athlete/team.

10.3.4. If there are still a tie, then the player/ team scoring the most in the event competition will be the higher-placed.

10.4. Scoring of Points

The following will be the scoring of points system:

10.4.1. For the singles discipline:

- Twenty-one (21) Shots up – Two Points (2) for win.

10.4.2. For the pairs discipline:

- Eighteen (18) ends –Two (2) for win; one (1) point for tie.

10.4.3. For the Triples discipline:

- Eighteen (18) ends –Two (2) for win; one (1) point for tie

10.4.4. For the fours discipline:

- Eighteen (18) ends –Two (2) for win; one (1) point for tie

11. RESTRICTING THE MOVEMENT OF PLAYERS DURING PLAY

After delivering their first bowls players will only be allowed to visit the head under the following circumstances :

11.1. Singles games

The player has delivered his/her third bowls.

11.2. Pairs game

The Lead: After delivered of his/her last bowls.

The Skip: After delivered of his/her second bowls.

11.3. Triple games

The Lead: After delivered of his/her last bowls.

The Second: After delivered of his/her last bowls.

The Skip: After delivered of his/her first bowls

11.4. Four games

The Lead: After the second player delivered of his/her all bowls.

The Second: After delivered of his/her last bowls.

The Third: After delivered of his/her last bowls.

The Skip: After delivered of his/her first bowls

12. REGISTRATION OF THE BOWLS

All bowls to be used in the competition must be registered not less than two (2) days prior to the start of the competition.

13. TOSSING

Skips in team match or opponents in singles should toss a coin. The winner of the toss Should choose whether to:

- Place the mat and deliver the jack and the first bowls or

- Tell the opposing player to place the mat and deliver the jack and the first bowl (the Opposing player cannot refuse).

14. TRAIL ENDS

Trail ends for all games shall commence fifteen (15) minutes before the start of each match, not more than one trail end each way shall be played with two bowls each.

15. START OF THE GAMES

A signal will be given to indicate the start of each game.

16. ARRIVING LATE FOR GAMES

Any player arriving at the green fifteen minutes after the actual start of each round shall forfeit the points for that match.

17. SUBSTITUTION

17.1. The players whose name appears on the scorecard for the first game of the respective discipline must play throughout the event.

17.2. A substitute will be permitted only if the Jury of Appeal is satisfied that the athlete to be substituted is genuinely unable to play, however the substitute is only permitted to compete in one (1) event only.

18. CALL OF AZAN (PRAYERS)

Play will temporarily be suspended for a few minutes during AZAN (the call for Prayers) and resumed immediately after AZAN.

19. STOPPAGES DUE TO INCLEMENT WEATHER

When the program cannot be completed due to inclement weather or any other local conditions, the Jury of Appeal may permit an event to be concluded upon a lesser number of games without completing the remaining fixtures and thereupon the event shall be decided upon the number of points (and if necessary shot aggregate) gained by each team, provided that each team plays the same number of games. The Jury of Appeal is given specific power to decide fair means of awarding point for abandoned games.

20. SIGNING OF FINAL SCORE CARD

The final score card shall be signed by both players in the singles or both skips in the Pairs, Triples and Fours and shall be returned to the umpire on the green at the conclusion of each game. The Marker shall also sign the score card for the singles. All score cards shall be checked and signed by the umpire.

21. SPORTS EQUIPMENT AND COMPETITION ATTIRE

- 21.1. All sports equipment used by players in competition should comply with the World Bowls (WB) rules and regulations.
- 21.2. All attire worn by athletes in competition must comply with the BIMPNT-EAGA Friendship Games sports Charter and Rules and WB rules and regulations.

22. TECHNICAL OFFICIAL AND JURY OF APPEAL

- 22.1. Each participating contingent may nominate one (1) qualified umpire to officiate in the competition and the participating contingent shall bear the flight of their nominated umpire.
- 22.2. The host country may nominate and appoint as many technical officials.
- 22.3. Jury of Appeal shall consist of technical officials from the host country as well as four (4) members to be appointed by the host country.

23. PROTEST AND APPEALS

- 23.1. Any written protest must first be made and submitted by the Team Manager to the Technical Delegate within thirty (30) minutes after the end of the event in which the protest is generated with the payment of a protest fee of BND200.00 per protest payable to the organizing committee or host country.
- 23.2. All protests shall be considered by the Technical Delegate who must make a decision as soon as possible. He/she must give reasons for upholding / rejecting the protest.
- 23.3. Any player / team dissatisfied with the decision of the Technical Delegate may appeal to the Jury of Appeal Committee by submitting the written appeal to the TD within sixty (60) minutes of receipt of the TD's written decision. The Appeal should be heard and decided by the Jury of Appeal within two (2) hours after receipt of the written protest.
- 23.4. The decision of the Jury of Appeal Committee shall be final and binding, in the event of equality of votes on any matter to be decided by the Jury of Appeal, the Chairman shall have a casting Vote, in addition to the deliberated vote.

23.5. The protest fee shall be refunded if the protest is upheld and it will be forfeited if the protest is rejected.

24. PRIZES

| NO | EVENT | MEN CATEGORY | | | WOMEN CATEGORY | | |
|--------------|---------|--------------|--------|--------|----------------|--------|--------|
| | | Gold | Silver | Bronze | Gold | Silver | Bronze |
| 1 | Singles | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| 2 | Pairs | 1(2) | 1(2) | 1(2) | 1(2) | 1(2) | 1(2) |
| 3 | Triple | 1(3) | 1(3) | 1(3) | 1(3) | 1(3) | 1(3) |
| 4 | Fours | 1(4) | 1(4) | 1(4) | 1(4) | 1(4) | 1(4) |
| TOTAL | | 4(10) | 4(10) | 4(10) | 4(10) | 4(10) | 4(10) |

25. SAFETY AND INJURY

25.1. The committee shall not be liable for any loss or damages to participant's belongings during the competition.

25.2. The committee will not responsible for any accidents and injury of the athletes before, during or after the competition although the organizer will take precautionary measures to avoid any mishaps.

26. IRREGULARITIES NOT PROVIDED FOR

Any irregularities not provided for the Condition of play in any of the competition hereafter referred to, will be decided by Jury of Appeal. The Organising Committee reserves the right to alter the games schedules and Greens / rinks arrangements to suit local unforeseen circumstances, by giving reasonable notice.



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