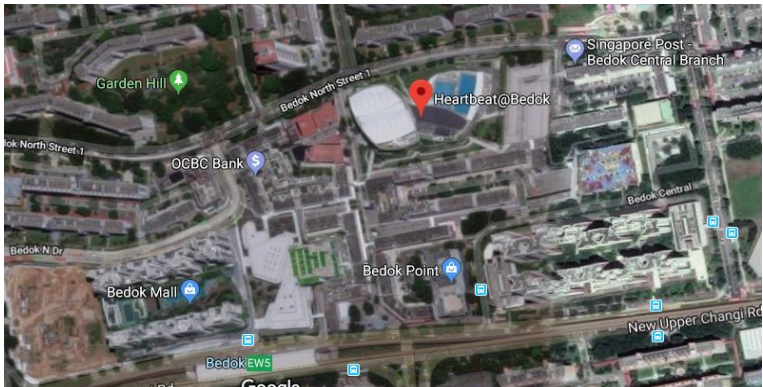



NATIONAL BOCCIA CHAMPIONSHIPS 2019

1	INTRODUCTION	
	The Singapore Disability Sports Council (SDSC) is pleased to invite all schools, associations and clubs to participate in the National Boccia Championships 2019.	
2	GENERAL INFORMATION	
2.1	Venue:	<p>Heartbeat @ Bedok, Level 4 Multi-Sports Hall (11 Bedok North Street 1, Singapore 469662)</p>  <p>Building of Heartbeat @ Bedok</p> 

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2.2	Event Date/Time:	<p>30th November and 1st December 2019 (Saturday & Sunday)</p> <p>8:00 am (Admission) 8:30 am (Equipment check) 10:30 am (Commencement of event) 6:00 pm (Event concludes)</p> <p>*subjected to changes. Detailed event schedule will be available after entry closes.</p>
2.3	Categories and Eligibility:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • BC 1 (Individuals) • BC 2 (Individuals) • BC 3 (Individuals) • BC 4 (Individuals) <p>Minimum age of 10 years</p> <p>Holds a valid local or internationally recognised classification status Classification Master List https://sdsc.org.sg/wp-content/uploads/2018/12/SDSC-Classification_Boccia_Masterlist-As-of-03-Dec-2018.pdf</p>
2.4	Registration Deadline:	<p><u>1 November 2019</u></p> <p>Submit all necessary documents via email to chew.ziqun@sdsc.org.sg</p> <p>Payments must also be made by the registration deadline.</p> <p>Late entries will <u>not</u> be accepted, and changes to entries will <u>not</u> be allowed after the registration deadline.</p>

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2.5	Local Classification For any NEW participants that has not gone through classification	<p>Please email to chew.ziqun@sdsc.org.sg to register for a local classification slot, if you are NEW and have not gone through a classification before.</p> <p>https://sdsc.org.sg/wp-content/uploads/2018/12/SDSC-Classification_Boccia_Masterlist-As-of-03-Dec-2018.pdf</p>
2.6	Entry Fees:	<p>\$3.00 per participant (SDSC Members)</p> <p>Ordinary Members: http://sdsc.org.sg/about-us/#1528445197397-01a14c2c-e899 Associate Members: http://sdsc.org.sg/about-us/#1528447082802-5be668c1-6012</p> <p>\$5.00 per participant (non-SDSC Members)</p> <p>SDSC will issue you an invoice upon registration.</p>
2.7	For enquiries:	<p>Please contact SDSC at chew.ziqun@sdsc.org.sg or call +65 6342 3564.</p>

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Event Regulations

Organiser

SDSC, as the championship organiser, shall have jurisdiction over all matters.

General Information

Minimum age for all competitors is **10 years (born in the year of 2009)**.

The Championship shall be run under the latest BISFED rules.
(http://www.bisfed.com/wp-content/uploads/2014/01/V.3_with_markup.pdf)

The Schedule shall be prepared after the close of entries, based strictly on the number of events and competitors. It shall be available *7 days before the Championships and will be emailed to the appointed representative.

The Organisers shall not be responsible and shall not assume liability for any such injury to and death of persons, or loss of or damage to property, which may be sustained during the activity arising from any cause in connection with the activity.

All sport activities contain some form of risk. While the Organiser has undertaken all measures deemed necessary to ensure safety at the event, it is the onus of the Participant and / or their Custodian / Coach / Teacher-in-Charge to determine whether it is safe for the Participant to take part in the event. The Organiser shall not be responsible or assume liability for any injury to and death of persons, or loss of or damage to property, which may be sustained during the activity arising from any cause in connection with the activity.

The Organiser will be providing paramedic / registered nurse and ambulance services in case of emergencies during the event. However, any hospitalisation, inpatient, outpatient or emergency costs that may be incurred by the Participant shall remain the responsibility of the Participant. Participants are advised to ensure that they have personal insurance to cover such costs, if incurred.

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Equipment and Ball check

Sports equipment used by athletes have to meet the criteria indicated in the latest BISFed Rule Book 2018 – V.3

An equipment check would take place prior to the commencement of competition. The referees, supervised by the Head Referee, will conduct the equipment check at a time determined by the TD.

Equipment to be checked includes: balls, wheelchairs, ramps, pointers, gloves, splints, etc. The equipment is also subject to random checks at any time during competition at the sole discretion of the Head Referee.

If any equipment fails to meet the criteria during a random or call room check, the athlete or side will be issued a yellow card. Any equipment that fails the random or call room check cannot be used on court, unless that Side can immediately make a repair to make it legal.

Balls that failed the criteria will be confiscated until the end of the tournament. The warning will be noted on the score sheet and a notice will be posted at the entrance of the call room.

If any equipment fails a second random check, the athlete will be given a 2nd yellow card and barred from that current match.

Competition Bibs Number

Upon confirmation of classification, each athlete shall be given two (2) pieces of competitor number bibs. Only one must be worn at all times during the hours of competition. The competitor number must be affixed on the front of the shirt or the trouser leg. The second competitor number is a reserve copy.

Sport Assistants must have the competitor bib number on their back that corresponds to the athlete they are assisting. Failure to comply with this requirement will result in entry being refused to the Call Room (Ref. 8.3). Exceptions may be considered by the Head Referee and/or the Technical Delegate.

Appeals and Protest

No appeals and protest will be allowed for this competition.

Rules Governing Entries

Only events stated in the official Event Information will be offered.

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Each participant is required to have their **own** set of equipment to compete in this championships. Do note that no sharing of equipment is allow.

The closing date for all entries shall be on **1st November 2019.**

All entries must be submitted via the email address provided.
(chew.ziqun@sdsc.org.sg)

SDSC reserves the authority to cancel an event due to low entries.

Procedure on using the warm up court

From 60 minutes to 30 minutes before start of the first match in the morning, the competition courts could be used for warm up exclusively for competitors that are going to play in the first match.

Players may be accompanied into the warm-up area by a maximum number of people as follows:

BC 1	1 Coach, 1 Assistant
BC 2	1 Coach
BC 3	1 Coach, 1 Assistant
BC 4	1 Coach

Warm up court is only open **1 hour** before the match time for the rest of the matches.

Procedure on Reporting to the Call Room

All competitors are responsible to report to the call room **15-30 minutes** before the competition schedule timing.

Competitors who failed to report to the call room within the time before the competition schedule timing will not be allowed to compete. The match will be recorded as "Walkover".

Referees will enter the Call Room to prepare for the match 15 minutes before the scheduled start time.

Athletes may be asked to show their competitor number, so that the referee can confirm the athlete's information.

Once registered and inside the Call Room, athletes, coaches and Sports assistants must not leave the Call Room. Should they do so, they will not gain re-admittance and will take no further part in the match. (Exceptions may be considered by the

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Head Ref and/or the Technical Delegate). The examination of all Sports Equipment and the coin toss will be conducted in the Call Room.

Number of balls allowed in the call room:

For Individuals each player may bring into the call room 6 red balls, 6 blue balls and 1 Jack ball. (Ref. 3.1);

Competition Arena

Only competitors who are scheduled for the match shall be allowed to enter the competition arena.

Only officials on duty shall be allowed to remain in the arena

Victory Ceremony

Medals will be awarded to the first three placings of each class.

In the event where there is 3 or less competitors, minus one rule will apply