

Boxing Technical Handbook v2



Welcome Message from Asian Boxing President Pichai Chunhavajira

Dear National Federations, National Olympic Committees, and members of the Asian boxing family, It is with great pride that I welcome you to the 3rd Asian Youth Games in the Kingdom of Bahrain—a landmark edition as boxing is included on the program for the very first time.

This moment is a significant milestone for our sport and a meaningful opportunity for young athletes across Asia to represent their nations, test their skills, and take the first steps toward their Olympic dreams. More than a competition, the Asian Youth Games reflect the values of unity, friendship, and excellence that define the Olympic spirit.

Asian Boxing is proud to lead the introduction of boxing to these Games, and we extend our sincere gratitude to the Olympic Council of Asia (OCA) for their continued support in promoting our sport on this prestigious platform. We are especially thankful to the Bahrain Boxing Federation and the Bahrain Olympic Committee for their dedication and swift efforts in organizing this event on short notice — ensuring a successful and memorable experience for all involved.

We stand firmly in support of the Olympic Movement and remain dedicated to its principles. Our commitment is to develop and empower the next generation of champions, while ensuring that boxing in Asia continues to grow with integrity, inclusivity, and opportunity for all.

We look forward to witnessing the passion, talent, and sportsmanship of our young athletes in Bahrain. Wishing you all a successful and memorable Games.

Pichai Chunhavajira Asian Boxing President



Technical Information

1. Competition Date

The Boxing competition of the 3rd Asian Youth Games (AYG) will be held from 23-30 October 2025 in the Exhibition World Bahrain, Kingdom of Bahrain.

2. Competition Venue

- 2.1. The Boxing competition of the 3rd Asian Youth Games will be held at Exhibition World Bahrain. The size of the FOP is 20 meters in length, 20 meters wide and 14 meters high. The competition venue is 30 kilometers away from the Athletes' Accommodation
- 2.2. Manama Club Training Hall will be used as the training venue for the Boxing competition of the 3rd Asian Youth Games, which is very close from the Athletes' Accommodation.

3. Competition Events

- 3.1 The Boxing competition of the 3rd Asian Youth Games consists of Boys & Girls U17 Years: Boxers born between 2009 – 2010 (aged 15 and 16 Years Old) will be eligible to compete.
- 3.2 The Boxing competition of the 3rd Asian Youth Games consists of 14 weights categories, including seven (7) Boys weights categories and seven (7) Girls weights categories as follows:

Boys Weight Categories	46 Kg	50 Kg	54 Kg	60 Kg	66 Kg	75 Kg	+ 80 Kg
Girls Weight Categories	46 Kg	50 Kg	54 Kg	60 Kg	66 Kg	75 Kg	+ 80 Kg

Bout duration will be set in accordance with the competition regulations established by Asian Boxing.

Boys and Girls: Bouts consist of three rounds of two minutes (3 x 2) each. The rest of the time between rounds will be one minute.

Electronical scoring system will be used in all bouts and will be approved by the Asian Boxing and OCA.

4. <u>Competition System</u>

- The Championships will be conducted according to current World Boxing Competition Rules.
- The Official Draw will be conducted by Swiss Timing system operated by Asian Boxing officials through an electronic draw.
- The Scoring System will be based on a "Ten Point Must System".
- There will be one (1) referee and five (5) Judges for each bout in accordance with electronic draw by Scoring System.



5. <u>Competition Schedules</u>

Competition Schedule of III Asian Youth Games

Date	Event	Time	Place			
Oct 21, 2025	Arrivals	All day				
	Boxing Entries Check	17:00-19:00	TBD			
Oct 22, 2025	Arrivals	Half day				
	Boxing Entries Check Technical Meeting & Official Draw	10:00 - 14:00 18:00 - 20:00	TBD			
Oct 23, 2025	Daily Weigh-in	06:00 - 07:00	TBD			
	Preliminaries	11:00 - 14:00	Exhibition World Bahrain- Grand Hall			
Oct 24, 2025	Daily Weigh-in	06:00 - 07:00	TBD			
	Preliminaries Session 1 Session 2	11:00 - 16:00 17:00 - 21:00	Exhibition World Bahrain- Grand Hall			
Oct 25,2025	Daily Weigh-in	06:00 - 07:00	TBD			
	Preliminaries Session 1 Session 2	11:00 - 16:00 17:00 - 21:00	Exhibition World Bahrain- Grand Hall			
Oct 26,2025	Daily Weigh-in	06:00 - 07:00	TBD			
	Quarterfinals Session 1 Session 2	12:00 - 16:00 17:00 - 21:00	Exhibition World Bahrain- Grand Hall			
	Daily Weigh-in	06:00 - 07:00	TBD			
Oct 27,2025	Quarterfinals Session 1 Session 2	12:00 - 16:00 17:00 - 21:00	Exhibition World Bahrain- Grand Hall			
Oct 28,2025	Daily Weigh-in	06:00 - 07:00	TBD			
	Semi-Finals Session 1 Session 2	12:00 - 15:00 17:00 - 20:00	Exhibition World Bahrain- Grand Hall			
Oct 29,2025		Rest Day				
Oct 30,2025	Daily Weigh-in	06:00 - 07:00	TBD			
	Finals & Medal Ceremonies Session 1 Session 2	12:00 - 14:00 15:00 - 17: 00	Exhibition World Bahrain- Grand Hall			
Oct 31,2025		Closing Ceremony				



6. **Boxing Entries**

6.1 Eligibility

- Only NOCs that are members of the OCA are entitled to send athletes to compete in the Boxing competition of Bahrain-2025.
- Only national federations affiliated with the Asian Boxing, or those that have formally submitted applications for membership to join World Boxing, will be eligible to register their athletes for participation.
- Only athletes who comply with the OCA Constitution and Rules and its Bye-law are entitled to compete in the Boxing competition.
- Only athletes who comply with the Boxing Code of Conduct established by the IOC are entitled to compete in the Boxing competition.

6.2 Entry Timeline

- Entry by Sport: August 08,2025 at 24:00 (Manama Time, GMT +3)
- Entry by Number: from 10:00 30 June 2025 to 23:59 21 July 2025 (Bahrain Time, UTC +3).
- Entry by Name: from 10:00 1 August 2025 to 23:59 31 August 2025 (Bahrain Time, UTC +3).

6.3 Entry Policies

- Individual: Each NOC may enter a maximum of one (1) athlete per each weight category.
 Total: Each NOC may enter a maximum of seven (07) Boys athletes and seven (07) Girls athletes.
- Age limitation: Boxers shall be born between and including 2009-2010.
- Restriction: Please refer to the Sport Entries Guide for more information about restrictions. Pregnant athletes are not allowed to participate in the competition according to the regulations established by the OCA.
- Any NOC that withdraws its athletes or teams after the submission of the final entries by name or the Team Draw phase will be faced with disciplinary action by the OCA Executive Board.

7. Boxing Entry Check, Technical Meeting and Official Draw

The Boxing Entry Check, Technical Meeting and Official Draw will be held on 22nd October 2025, the exact time to be confirmed:

- Boxing Entry Check October 21, 2025 at 17:00-19:00 and October 22, 2025 at 10:00-14:00.
- Technical Meeting & Official Draw October 22, 2025 at 18:00-20:00
- Location: TBC

The BAYGOG will inform Team Delegations of their exact appointment time prior to the event. The Boxing Entries Check is mandatory for all Team Delegations, and teams should make all necessary arrangements to arrive 10 minutes in advance to meet their appointment. Each Team Delegation may appoint a maximum of two (2) people to attend its Boxing Entries Check.

Team Delegations must provide the following documents for each Boxer, signed and completed as required (Code of Conduct, Medical Certificate, and Declaration of non-pregnancy attached in appendix 5):



- Passport
- Record Book
- Code Of Conduct (<u>Team Manager must sign on behalf of all team members</u>)
- Declaration of Non-Pregnancy Form
- Medical Certificate Form
- IMAGES & VIDEOS RIGHTS CONSENT FORM (<u>Team Manager must sign on behalf of all team members</u>)
- TECHNICAL VIDEO RECORDING AGREEMENT FORM (<u>Team Manager must sign on behalf of all team members</u>)

8. Arrival and Departure

 Teams arrival is fixed two (2) days before the competition and depart one (1) day after it ends.

9. Competition Rules

- The Boxing competition of the 3rd Asian Youth Games will be held as per the latest competition regulations established by Asian Boxing.
- In case of any disagreement in the interpretation of these rules, the English version shall prevail. Any unforeseen circumstances not covered by these rules shall be resolved as follows:
 - Technical issues: Resolved in accordance with the rules and regulations established by the Asian Boxing.
 - General issues: Resolved in accordance with the Olympic Council of Asia (OCA) Constitution and Rules.

10. Competition Format

The Boxing competition adopts a single elimination system, through which the loser of each bout will be eliminated until there are two (2) boxers left to compete in the final. Two (2) losers of the semi-finals will be ranked third jointly and, therefore, be awarded bronze medals.

11. Technical Officials

- Asian Boxing has the right to appoint the Technical Delegate, International Technical
 Officials (ITOs) and Neutral Referees and Judges in coordination and approval of the
 OCA. In the event of any violation of the Games Rules and Regulations by any
 participant, the OCA has the right to revoke his or her accreditation card and propose
 replacement of the participant concerned.
- National Technical Officials shall be appointed by the Bahrain Boxing Federation (BBF)
- Each team may send one Referee and Judge certified by World Boxing.

12. General Rules and Regulations

- **11.1** Rules
- 11.1.1 Eligibility Code (OCA 52)

To be eligible for participation in the OCA Games, a competitor must:

- a) Observe and abide by the Rules of the IOC/OCA as per the Olympic Charter.
- b) Respect the spirit of fair play and non-violence and abide by the rules on the sports field.
- c) Comply with all aspects of WADA and OCA Anti-Doping Rules Code and refrain from using substances and drugs prohibited by the said organisations;
- d) The Member must ensure that any competitor in the OCA Games must be a national of the country of the NOC which is entering him.



e) Disputes relating to the determination of the country which a competitor may represent in the OCA Games shall be resolved by the EB, unless the eligibility code already set out in the Constitution has been fulfilled and is not in dispute.

11.1.2 Nationality of Competitor (OCA By-Law 52)

- a) All cases of infringement of IOC Rule 41, 42 and it's Bye-laws and of the eligibility code of IFs shall be communicated by the concerned Member to the OCA, to be considered by the EB whose decision will be final;
- b) A competitor who is a national of two (2) or more countries at the same time may represent either one (1) of them, as he may elect. However, after having represented one country in the Olympic, Asian continental regional or world championships recognised by the relevant IF, the competitor may not represent another country unless he or she meets the conditions set forth in sub section 4 below that apply to the persons who has changed his nationality or acquired a new nationality.
- c) A competitor who has represented one country in the Olympic Games, OCA Games, continental, regional, and world championships recognised by the relevant IF, and who has changed his nationality or acquired a new nationality, shall not participate in the OCA Games to represent his new country until three years after such change or acquisition;
- d) If a State, Country or a colony acquires independence, a country becomes incorporated within another country by a change of border or transfer of sovereignty or if a new NOC is recognised by the OCA, a competitor may continue to represent the country to which he belongs or belonged. However, he may, if preferred, choose to represent his country or be entered in the OCA Games by his new NOC if one exists. This option can only be made once and is irreversible;
- e) In all cases not expressly addressed in these Bye-Laws, in particular those cases where a competitor would be in a position to represent a country other than that of which he is a national, or to have choice as to the country which he intends to represent, the EB makes all decisions. Decisions can be of a general The OCA Games 80 SEP 2017 or individual nature and issue specific requirements relating to nationality, citizenship, domicile or residence of the competitors, including the duration of any waiting period;
- f) Except as permitted by the EB, no competitor, coach or official who participates in the OCA Games may allow his person, name and picture or sports performances to be used for advertising purposes during the OCA Games.

11.1.3 Number of Entries (OCA 58)

- a) For a sport to be included in the OCA Games Programme a minimum of six (6) NOCs should enter their athletes by number and a minimum of four (4) should be physically present before the start of the competition;
- b) The maximum number of entries from each country in each sport or event is established by the Council in consultation with the Member hosting the Games and in accordance with the WB technical rules:
- c) However, the following numbers cannot be exceeded:
- For individual events, two competitors from each Member;
- For team events, one team per Member, the Number of competitors and reserves not to exceed the number allowed by the WB concerned;
- For events where individual and team competitions are conducted simultaneously, and the team event is decided by the aggregate score/time of each individual member of the team, the athlete (if maximum two) participating in the individual event must be designated as such in the Entry form and only the athlete concerned will be competing in the individual event.

11.1.4 Technical Official and Jury of Appeal (OCA 59)

The BAYGOC must not receive or otherwise give official recognition to any foreign political



delegation or leaders of any other mission whatsoever, without the prior written approval of the OCA. However, nobody can be discriminated against if he or she is a duly appointed official of the NOC's sports delegation.

11.1.5 Court of Appeal (OCA 79)

- a) The OCA EB on behalf of the OCA is the final Court of Appeal, which will decide all disputes of a non-technical nature concerning the OCA Games. Teams/Member NOC's, if necessary, may submit disputes to the Court of Appeal. In addition, the Court of Appeal may intervene in all disputes of a nontechnical nature outside the jurisdiction of the Juries of Appeal set up for each sport in the Programme;
- b) The Court of Arbitration for Sport (CAS) in association with the OCA will set up a small Ad Hoc working group from CAS that will be present and working alongside the OCA in the Asian Games period only, on the same lines as done during the Olympic Games. The participating athletes can address any issues that they may have directly with CAS, during the OCA Games.

11.1.6 Claims of Protest (OCA 80)

- a) Claims made to the Judges on grounds concerning matters of fact are decided by them without appeal;
- b) Appeals against other decisions of the Judges or with regard to any other matters must be addressed to the President of the Technical Jury of Appeal for the sport concerned by a representative of the team making the appeal;
- c) Exceptional circumstances apart, a claim must be made within two hours of the decision giving rise to it. The Jury, after an investigation, shall give a decision and this decision shall be irrevocable, except in the case of disqualification of a team or of a competitor for infraction of the Rules and Regulations of the OCA. In these case it shall be decided by the Court of Appeal; d) All claims and appeals must be made in writing.

11.1.7 Penalties in Case of Fraud (OCA 81)

A competitor proved to have transgressed by fraud the Rules of the OCA shall be disqualified and lose any position he or she may have gained. If this competitor's team is proved to have been party to the fraud, his/her team shall be disqualified in the sport involved.

13. Protest and Appeals

- No protests are allowed in the 3rd Asian Youth Games Boxing competition.
- Any athlete/NOC may appeal to the Court of Arbitration for Sport (CAS), in the event that
 the athlete/NOC believes that there has been a violation of technical rules or the OCA
 Constitution, as long as the appeal is not related to reversing the decision of the referee or
 result.

14. Equipment and Clothing

Equipment used and clothing worn by athletes and other relevant participants in competition must comply with the rules and regulations of the OCA and the regulations established by the Asian Boxing. Neither athletes nor technical officials will be permitted to attach any form of commercial advertising to his or her competition uniform without prior approval from the OCA and the 3rd Asian Youth Games Bahrain 2025 Organizing Committee (BAYGOC).

15. Victory Ceremony

Gold, silver and bronze medals will be awarded to the athletes ranked in the top three (including joint third place) of each event respectively. Fifteen minutes before the Victory Ceremony starts, the medalist's shall be escorted to the Waiting Area to get ready for the ceremony. Medalist's must wear their NOC official uniforms.



16. Approval of the Technical Handbook

The Technical Handbook has been approved by the Asian Boxing Competitions Manager, Asian Boxing Sport Manager and Technical Delegate On 15/05/2025

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18. Appendices

18.1 Field of Play



