Technical Handbook

The 33rd SEA Games Thailand 2025











General Information







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1. Dates

The **Muay (MTI)** competition for the 33rd SEA Games Thailand 2025 will be held from **13 to 19 December 2025**

Competition Dates: 13 to 19 December 2025

Training Date: TBC

2. Venues

The Muay competition venue will be held at **Stadium**, **Arena & Sports Venue** (**Phru Khang Khao**), **Songkhla** which serves for two (2) purpose as follow:

- The competition field-of-play (FOP)

- The training – warm up field

3. Event

The Muay competition will consist of nineteen (18) events consist of

■ Eleven (11) men's events

■ Seven (7) women's events

Eighteen (18) Events						
Discipline / Events	MEN	WOMEN	MIXED			
Discipline: Muay						
1. Pin Weight 45 kg	٧	٧				
2. Light flyweight 48 kg	٧	٧				
3. Flyweight 51 kg	٧	٧				
4. Bantamweight 54 kg	٧	٧				
5. Featherweight 57 kg	٧	٧				
6. Lightweight 60 kg	٧	٧				
7. Light Welterweight 63.5 kg	٧					
8. Welterweight 67 kg	٧					
9. Light Middleweight 71 kg	٧					
10. Middleweight 75 kg	٧					
Discipline: Wai Kru						
1. Individual	٧	٧				
Total	11	7				







4. Competition and Training Schedule

Date	Day	Time	Event	
12 December 2025	Thu	09.00 12.00	Technical Meeting	
		10.00-12.00	Team Manager meeting and official draws	
		13.00-15.00	R/J meeting	
13 December 2025	Fri	07.00 - 09.00	Medical check-up and weigh-in	
		10.00	Coach Meeting / Wai Kru	
		15.00	Preliminary bouts (Combat)	
14 December 2025	Sat.	07.00 - 09.00	Medical check-up and weigh-in	
		10.00	Female Wai Kru Preliminary	
		15.00	Preliminary bouts (Combat)	
15 December 2025	Sun	07.00 - 09.00	Medical check-up and weigh-in	
		13.00	Male / Wai Kru Preliminary	
		15.00	Preliminary (Combat)	
16 December 2025	Mon	07.00 - 09.00	Medical check-up and weigh-in	
		10.00	R/J meeting	
		13.00	Female Wai Kru (Semifinal)	
		15.00	Female and Male – Semifinal (Combat)	
17 December 2025	Tue	07.00 - 09.00	Medical check-up and weigh-in	
		10.00	R/J meeting	
		13.00	Male Wai Kru (Semifinals)	
		15.00	Male Semi-final (Combat)	
18 December 2025	Wed	07.00 - 09.00	Medical check-up and weigh-in	
		10.00	R/J meeting	
		13.00	Female Wai Kru (Finals)	
		15.00	Female – Final (Combat)	
19 December 2025	Thu.	07.00 -09.00	Medical check-up and weigh-in	
		10.00	R/J meeting	
		13.00	Male - Wai Kru (final)	





Date	Day	Time Event	
		15.00	Male – Final (Combat)
		16.00 – 18.00	Victory Ceremony

Note: The competition schedule is subject to change depending on the number of final entries.

5. Entries

5.1 Eligibility

Fighting: Each NOC may enter one (1) to ten (10) for men's event and one (1) to six (6) for women's event.

• Age 16 – 40 years old

Wai Kru: Each NOC may enter maximum (2) two (one male and one female) athletes.

• Age 16 - 40 years old

Only NOCs are entitled to send athletes to participate in the Muay competition of the 33rd SEA Games. Athletes must be affiliated to their relevant IFMA member national federation.

5.2 Entry Policies

NOCs that withdraw their athletes or teams after submission of final entries by name will be faced with disciplinary action from the OCA EB.5

5.3 Submission of Entries

5.3.1 Entry by Number

• Deadline for submission of Entry Forms by Number is on 8 May 2025 at 24.00 hours. Thailand time (GMT+7).

5.3.2 Entry by Name

• Deadline for submission of Entry Forms by Name (online) is on 1 September 2025 at 24.00 hours. Thailand Time (GMT+7).

Both Entry by Number and Entry by Name may be sent via fax or email and subsequently confirmed with stamped original by posting to the following address:

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The 33rd SEA GAMES Thailand 2025

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6. Technical meeting

The Technical Meeting will be convened on 12 December 2025.







7. Competition rules and regulation

7.1 Competition Rules

The Muay competition Wai Kru of the 33rd 2025 SEA Games will be held in accordance with the International Federation of Muaythai Associations (IFMA). Competition Rules and Regulations for International Competition or Tournaments. In case of any disagreement in the language interpretation of the rules and regulations, the English version shall prevail. Any unforeseen case not covered by the rules and regulations shall be handled as follows:

General issues: Resolved in accordance with the OCA Constitution and Rules. Technical issues: Resolved in accordance with the IFMA Rules and Regulations. The official draw will be conducted using the official IFMA online game management system Rsportz.

7.1.1 General Rules & Regulations for Wai Kru Competition Contest as per IFMA Rules and

Regulations. https://muaythai.sport/muaythai-rules/ Method for Judging Wai Kru competition Five (5) Judges will be assigned by the Chairman of Jury of Wai Kru. The Highest score is 100. Scores will be counted by discounting both the highest and lowest scores, therefore using the totals of the medium votes.

Should these scores be equal, therefore using the totals of 5 Judges If these scores be equal the winner be nominated by Judges.

- 7.1.2 Wai Kru competition Format
- a) If the number of contestant is less than five (5) all contestants will perform Wai Kru two times each. The Judges will select the best four for Gold, Silver, Bronzes.
- b) If the number of contestant is less than nine (9) but more than five (5) all contestants will perform Wai Kru one time each, the Judges will select the best four (4) to preform for the Final Round. The Judges will select the best four for Gold, Silver, Bronzes.
- c) If the number of contestant is more than nine (9), they will be divided in to two (2) groups. The best 4 of each group will proceed to the Semi Final Round. The best 2 of each group in the Semi Final Round will proceed to the Final for Gold, Silver and Bronzes.

In case of any disagreement in the language interpretation of the rules and regulations, the English version shall prevail. Any unforeseen case not covered by the rules and regulations shall be handled as follows:

General issues: Resolved in accordance with the OCA Constitution and Rules. Technical issues: Resolved in accordance with the IFMA Rules and Regulations.





8. Officials/Competitors

Technical Delegate: The host country shall invite a Technical Delegate as nominated by the IFMA. His expense regarding the travel to and from their own home cities and accommodation – food during the period of the Games will be borne by the Organizing Committee.

Jury: The host country shall invited six (6) Jury (3 for combat, 3 for Wai kru) as nominated by the IFMA, six (6) working Juries will be assigned by the Technical Delegate in accordance with the rules of IFMA. All expenses regarding the travel to and from their own home cities and accommodation – food during the period of the Games will be borne by the Organizing Committee. Referees/Judges and Medical Officers: Each participating country shall provide One (1) IFMA qualified Referee/Judges chosen and certified active by IFMA. Participating countries shall be borne for their travel expenses. The host country may entry five (5) R/J (3 for combat, 2 for Wai Kru and combat)

Neutral Referees/Judges: IFMA may nominate ten (10) R/J (7 for combat, 3 for Wai Kru and combat). All expenses regarding the travel to and from their own home cities and accommodation and food during the period of the Games will be borne by the Organizing Committee. OCA, with justified reason, may propose to IFMA/FAMA some changes of international technical officials.

9. Protest

Protests: A protest must be lodged by the Manager of a team within thirty (30) minutes after the decision has been announced, or within five (5) minutes if the contest is a gold medal match. After the decision is announced, the protest shall be made in writing and handed to the Technical Delegate or Chairman of the Jury, along with a protest fee of USD 500. If the Jury agrees to review, necessary action may be taken on the matter. If the protest is upheld, the money will be refunded with a deduction of USD 100 for administration. If the decision is upheld, the protest fee will not be refunded and will remain with IFMA or the Continental Federation.

10. Official equipment

Equipment and facilities used by the athletes and other relevant participants in competition will be in accordance with the rules and regulations set by IFMA using the U23 rules.

11. Victory ceremony

THASOC will establish the regulations and guidelines for the medal annual ceremonies and promptly communicate them to the organizes of each sport.

12. Doping control

The 33rd SEA Games Thailand 2025 Organizing Committee, shall establish the SEAGF Anti-Doping Committee, which shall, under the guidance of the SEAGF and working with the SEAGF Office, be responsible for the Anti-Doping program for the 33rd SEA Games





Thailand 2025. The Anti-Doping program will be run in accordance with the SEAGF Anti-Doping Rules and the WADA International Standard for Testing and Investigation. Sample analysis will be performed at a WADA-accredited laboratory or as otherwise approved by WADA. Both urine and blood tests will be conducted before and during the competition to ensure compliance.

Athletes requiring the use of a Prohibited Substance or Prohibited Method during the event must apply for a Therapeutic Use Exemption (TUE) through the SEAGF Anti-Doping Committee by the specified deadline (TBC). If an athlete has already been granted a TUE by their National Anti-Doping Organization or International Federation, the SEAGF Anti-Doping Committee will recognize it.

13. Uniforms

Clothing worn by the athletes and other relevant participants in competition must comply with the rules and regulations of the OCA and IFMA in force. Neither athletes nor technical officials can attach any form of commercial advertising to his or her competition uniform without prior agreement with OCA and IFMA.

14. Approval of the Technical handbook

This Technical Handbook was approved by the **International Federation of Muaythai Associations (IFMA)** on the **30 April 2025**

Any further amendments to the Technical Handbook shall be circulated via e-mail to the NOCs.

