

2026

IBF Para Bowling World Championships

Blu-O Rhythm & Bowl,
Siam Paragon,
Bangkok, Thailand

29 April - 10 May 2026



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The International Bowling Federation (IBF) and the Thai Tenpin Bowling Association in association with the Thai Bowling Sport Disabled Association proudly present 2026 IBF Para Bowling World Championships Bulletin No. 2 for IBF member federations and their paralympic federation if any.

The 2026 IBF Para Bowling World Championships, an official International Bowling Federation (IBF) Para Bowling Championships will be organized by International Bowling Federation (IBF), the Thai Tenpin Bowling Association and the Thai Bowling Sport Disabled Association.

Each IBF member federation's Para Bowling Team may register a maximum of 4 men and 4 women athletes for each classification to participate in the IBF Para Bowling World Championships.

The official website of IBF Para Bowling World Championships is bowling.sport. From June 2025 onwards, it will be continuously updated with information of the Championships.

The official email of IBF Para Bowling World Championships is parabowlingthailand@gmail.com. Please copy all email to ibfparawc@ibf-bowling.org as well. From June 2025 onwards, all communication relating to the Championships should be made through this email address.

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1. Federation Information

Thai Tenpin Bowling Association

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Room 209-210, Ramkhamhaeng Rd.,
Huamark, Bangkapi, Bangkok 10240 Thailand
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Email : suwalai.s@hotmail.com

Thai Bowling Sport Disabled Association (Local Organizing Committee)

Address : 233 Soi Rama Ninth 51 ,Seri 6 Road., Suanluang , Bangkok Thailand
Telephone: +66 98 4156297 , + 66 62 6478923
Email : parabowlingthailand@gmail.com or weawpunika@gmail.com

2. Official Invitation

Form A is for intention to participate is attached with the Official Invitation in this bulletin. The deadline to submit Form A is on or before **January 15th 2026**

We would like to remind all IBF Member Federations that only federations who are currently paid-up members of IBF and your zone are allowed to participate in the championship.

3. Official Delegation

The official delegation shall include:

- a. A maximum of 4 men and 4 women athletes for each classification
- b. Coaches for athletes
- c. Administrators for athletes,
- d. Medical officers including medical practitioners, sport psychologist and sport physiotherapist

The official delegation is invited to all official functions including the Opening Ceremony, Welcome Reception as well as the Victory Banquet.

*** Please return Form A even if your federation does not intend to participate in the IBF Para Bowling World Championships. Other relevant forms will be sent in Bulletin 3.**

4. Official Hotel

Mandarin Hotel Bangkok
662 Rama IV Road, Bang Rak,
Bangkok, 10500 Thailand.

Distance to bowling centre is around 10-20 minutes by bus in normal traffic situation.

5. Bowling Centre

BLU-O RHYTHM & BOWL SIAM PARAGON
30 Brunswick lanes

Located in: [Siam Paragon](#)

Address: 991 Rama I Rd, Pathum Wan, Bangkok 10330, Thailand

Phone: +66 2 129 4625

Website : <https://www.bluofriends.com/en/>

6. Preliminary Schedule (might be revised subject to number of participants in each classification)

29.04.2026	Wednesday	Team arrivals Unofficial Practice
30.04.2026	Thursday	Team arrivals Classification Unofficial Practice Ball Registration Team Managers Meeting (Hotel)
01.05.2026	Friday	Official Practice Classification Opening Ceremony
02.05.2026	Saturday	Competition for Singles event for all classifications
03.05.2026	Sunday	Competition for Singles event for all classification
04.05.2026	Monday	Competition for Singles event for all classifications Award Ceremony for Singles event
05.05.2026	Tuesday	Competition for Doubles event for all classifications
06.05.2026	Wednesday	Competition for Doubles event for all classifications
07.05.2026	Thursday	Competition for Doubles event for all classifications Award Ceremony for Doubles event
08.05.2026	Friday	Competition for Team event for all classifications
09.05.2026	Saturday	Competition for Team event for all classifications Award Ceremony for Team event Victory Banquet
10.05.2026	Sunday	Departure of Teams

7. Entry Fees

The IBF Para Bowling World Championships entry fee is:

US\$ 182/night for twin-sharing room. (including 3 meals for two persons)

US\$ 127/night for single room.(including 3 meals for one person)

This fee applies to all members of each delegation, including athletes, coaches, administrators, head of delegations and other officials/medical personnels in the delegation. This fee covers Accreditation Card, hotel accommodation plus 3 meals, transportation to and from Airport and Hotel, transportation to and from hotel to bowling centre, participation in Opening Ceremony, Welcome Reception, the Victory Banquet and competition fees.

Meals will be breakfast, lunch and dinner, starting from lunch on arrival day, to breakfast on departure day.

Supporters' Entry Fee is US\$200/person

Supporters must book directly with the Official Hotel, Mandarin Hotel Bangkok. Fill in Form (?) and send by email or fax to Mandarin Hotel Bangkok.

Mandarin Hotel Room rates are as follows:

Single room without breakfast: US\$78 net

Single room with one breakfast: US\$94 net

Twin-sharing room without breakfasts: US\$82 net

Twin-sharing room with two breakfasts: US\$114 net

8. Payment of Entry Fee

Entry fees of participating teams and supporters must be paid to the Thai Bowling Sport Disabled Association upon final confirmation of entry by name.

Bank Name: Krung Thai Bank Public Company Limited

Bank Address: Sports Authority
No. 286, Ramkhamheang Road,
Huamark Bangkapi,
Bangkok 10250 Thailand

Account Name: Thai Bowling Sport Disabled Association

Account Number: 677-9-99522-3

Branch Code: 201188

SWIFT Code: **KRTHTHBK**

9. Rules and Regulation

9.1	Competition Rules	IBF Para Bowling World Championships will be conducted in accordance with the IBSA Rules, Chapter 4 and Chapter 5 of World Bowling Playing Rules as of September 2019 and Para Bowling Playing Rules.
9.2	Maximum Entry	Singles – Maximum 4 athletes per country/region Doubles – Maximum 2 teams per country/region Team of 3 – Maximum 1 team per country/region (For TPB1, TPB2, TPB3, TPB8, TPB9, TPB10) Team of 4 – Maximum 1 team per country/region (For TPB4 only)
9.3	Awards	Medals will be awarded to the Champion, First runner-up and Second runner-up of each event in the respective classification.
9.4	Classification	No classification will be organized for athletes of Intellectually Disabled, Wheelchair and Physically Disabled (Loss of Lower/Upper Limb). Athletes should submit the IBSA classification record or the supporting medical report for the Organizer's review before January 15, 2026 For Visually Impaired, we will arrange classification after the team arrives if the athletes have not been classified by IBSA. There will be out of competition and in competition anti-doping test of Athletes. (Do we have Anti-doping test? In HK we did not have.)
9.5	Equipment	NO equipment check will be conducted. All athletes are responsible for bringing their own bowling balls. TPB1 athletes must bring their own guiderails. Wheelchair athletes must bring their own competition wheelchairs.

10. Events

Singles		TPB1	TPB2	TPB3	TPB4	TPB8	TPB9	TPB10		
	Men	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		
	Women	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		
Doubles	TPB1 + TPB3			TPB2 + TPB2						
	TPB4 + TPB4			TPB8 + TPB8						
	TPB9 + TPB9			TPB10 + TPB10						
Team of 3	TPB1 + TPB1/TPB2 + TPB2/TPB3			TPB8+ TP8/9 + TPB9/10						
Team of 4	TPB4 + TPB4 + TPB4 + TPB4									
All Events		TPB1	TPB2	TPB3	TPB4	TPB8	TPB9	TPB10		
	Men	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		
	Women	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		

11. Visa Information

No visa for entry is required for more than 170 countries/regions. However, the visa-free period may vary among different countries/regions. All countries/ regions should confirm visa information independently by checking “Part II of Visit Visa/ Entry Permit Requirements”**from the Immigration Department of the Government of the Thailand.**

Application form could be found in <https://www.immigration.go.th/>. And Visa Application VOA online <https://thaievisa.go.th> Nationals from selected countries can apply for a **Visa on Arrival** at Thai immigration checkpoints. The maximum stay is **15-30 days**.

Help Assistant! We earnestly request that all filled out forms should be emailed to LOC.

12. Transportation

Pick-up will be arranged for all participating teams and registered guests/supporters to and from Airport International – Hotel- Bowling Centre/Venue

13. National Anthem and Flags

All participating federations are reminded to bring along **4 national flags (1 meter x 2 meters)** and **1 CD of their national anthem** which should be delivered to the Tournament Office upon arrival at the Bowling Centre.

14. Insurance

Participants must arrange their own travel, health and personal accident insurance. Organizer would take no responsibility in respect of all medical and risks associated with the organization and staging of the championship.

Official Invitation

The International Bowling Federation

and

Thai Tenpin Bowling Association

and

Thai Bowling Sport Disabled Association

and the

The Organising Committee of the IBF Para Bowling World Championships

Cordially Invite

Your Federation/Paralympic Federation

To Participate in the IBF Para Bowling World Championships

From 29th April 2026 – 10th May 2026

at

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in

Siam Paragon

991 Rama I Rd, Pathum Wan,

Bangkok 10330, Thailand

RSVP

On or before December 31, 2025

Email: parabowlingthailand@gmail.com and CC: ibfparawc@ibf-bowling.org

Form A: Intention to Participate

Please return this form even if you do not want to participate in
the IBF Para Bowling World Championships.

Country & Federation →	
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Confirmation	
Will your federation/paralympic federation participate in the championship?	(Yes / No)

Your Delegation (Maximum 4 men and 4 women athletes for each classification)				
	Men:	Women:	Coaches:	Officials:
TPB1				
TPB2				
TPB3				
TPB4				
Virtus Member				
TPB8				
TPB9				
TPB10				

Contact information of Federation/Paralympic Federation	
Contact person (President/Secretary General)	
Mobile (include country code)	
Federation Phone (include country code)	
Federation Fax (include country code)	
Federation E-mail	

The deadline for submitting this form by email parabowlingthailand@gmail.com and ibfparawc@ibf-bowling.org is on or before January 15, 2026.

Contact information of the IBF Para Bowling World Championships Organizing Committee	
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