



Asia Junior High Performance Coach (AJHPC) Program Certification Workshop

Date: **25-27 Jul 2026**

Course Fee: **USD 350**

Venue: [Pickleball Warehouse](#)

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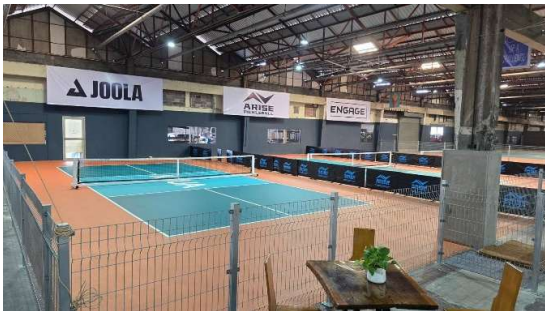
Link on google map: [Pickleball warehouse](#)

Course instructors:

- Truong Quang Vu - Junior Director APJN
- JP Huynh Phu Qui - DY Junior Director APJN

Direction:

- 1hr 50min drive to Asia Junior Open and University Championship event venue (Mahidol University)
- 1hr from Suvarnabhumi Airport.



PRE-REQUISITES:

- Participants are preferably certified at **Level 1** by recognized organizations such as the Asia Federation of Pickleball (AFP), Professional Pickleball Registry (PPR), or International Pickleball Teaching Professional Association (IPTPA).
- Participants should have a minimum **DUPR rating of 3.5**.

COURSE OVERVIEWS:

- Classroom Lecture and On-Courts Face-to-Face Instructor Lead Training.
- Assessment through:
 - A 50-point multiple-choice written test
 - A Pickleball ability test
 - A group lesson evaluation at the end of the course
- Designed as a follow-up certification to prepare coaches for **independent coaching roles**
- Available to all **AFP Associated, Affiliate, University, College & Clubs**, as part of a broader coaching curriculum
- This certification course is delivered through **AFP's Asia Pickleball Junior Network (APJN)**.



PARTICIPANT ELIGIBILITY:

1. **Age Requirement:** Participants must be **18 years of age or older** at the time of enrollment.
2. **Health and Fitness:**
 - Participants must maintain a personal level of health and fitness sufficient to meet the physical demands of the course.
 - Course tutors reserve the right to request **medical proof of fitness** from a certified practitioner if required.
3. **Qualification Prerequisite:** Successful completion of the **AJHPC course** with a recommendation to coach **high-performance junior players**.
4. **Level of Play:**
 - Participants must possess a minimum standard of play, including the ability to
 - ✓ Rally consistently
 - ✓ Demonstrate fundamental strokes
 - ✓ Feed balls accurately to players
5. A **demonstration (level of play) test** will be conducted to assess participants' playing standard.
6. Participants should be able to **challenge intermediate and advanced junior players** through effective feeding and live-ball rally situations.

LEARNING OUTCOME:

1. Upon successful completion of the **three-day course**, participants will be qualified to coach **high-performance junior players**.
2. They will continue developing competencies in:
 - Coaching philosophy and methodology
 - Player development and progression
 - Tactical and strategic understanding
 - Technical execution and biomechanics
 - Physical conditioning and mental preparation
3. These skills collectively prepare coaches to train **Intermediate and Advance-level Junior players** with professional standards.

ASSESSMENT:

1. All participants will be evaluated through the following:
 - A multiple-choice written test (**50 questions**)
 - A Pickleball ability test
 - A group lesson assessment
2. **Written Test Details:**
 - Covers core content from the **course and AJHPC manual**
 - Tutors may select from multiple test versions provided by AFP
 - A **passing score of 70% (35 out of 50)** is required
3. **Re-assessment Policy:**
 - Participants will be given **two opportunities** during the course to demonstrate their playing level and group lesson performance.
 - Any assessments marked as **"not yet competent"** may be retaken at a later date to complete certification requirements.

DAY 1 – 25 Jul 2026	Course Content
09:00	Welcome participants
09:15 – 12:30	1. What is Pickleball all about? 2. Why play Pickleball? 3. Why Asia Junior High Performance Coach program? 4. Play Pickleball! 5. Know yourself as a coach 6. Know your Junior players 7. Skill Acquisition and expertise development players: skills and abilities, motor learning and performance (player, skill, practice) 8. Development of young player: Growth and development in Pickleball: approaches to skills and expertise development, development phase, development plans for your player 9. Technique: Dink, volley, drop, speed up, reset, smash, drive, serve, return and etc
12:30 – 13:00	Break
13:00 – 15:00	Demonstration and practice on court
15:00 – 17:00	Understanding the game of Pickleball 1. What is the different between Strategy and Tactic? 2. Game situation: 4 situations 3. Strategy: 5 tactics
Day 2 – 26 Jul 2026	Course Content
09:00 to 10:30	Basic Rules
10:30 to 12:30	1. Section planner 2. Teaching style 3. Coaching progressions 4. Class organization and formations, feeding skill 5. Hour glass structure
12:30 – 13:00	Break
13:00 – 17:00	Coaching group lesson : Hour glass structure 1. Game situation 2. Tactic
Day 3 – 27 Jul 2026	Course Content
09:00 – 12:30	1. Analysis and improvement of Junior players a. Fundamentals of analysis of Pickleball performance b. Consideration in the analysis and improvement process with players c. Analysis and improvement check list d. Common flaws and how to improve them 2. How to apply Bio Mechanic in Pickleball? 3. What is BIOMECH?
12:30 – 13:00	Break
13:00 – 16:00	1. Skill test: Ability to hit the ball (3.5 level up) 2. Feeding test 3. Group lesson test
16:15 – 17:00	1. Written test 30 minutes 2. Closing ceremony: Certificate of Attendance