



INVITATION

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16 April 2025

Dear All Fencing Clubs,

On behave of Royal Thai Navy, we are honored to invite your fencing club to the “Navy Open Fencing Championships 2025”, which will be held from 1st to 3rd August 2025 at Island Hall, 3rd Floor, Fashion Island Shopping Center, Ramintra Road, Khannayao District, Bangkok, THAILAND.

At this year, we are hosting the 22nd Open in both individual and team events, the 12th Veteran events (Category A, B, C in all weapons), and the 2nd Minime events (under 10, 12, and 14 years-of-age).

Moreover, this year we have the special event called “Epee-1-point Challenge” with the prize of 10,000 Thai baht. It is setting up for all challengers who want to participate in the new event.

We, therefore, will be pleased if you could join this competition.

Your sincerely,

Vice Admiral

President

Royal Thai Navy Fencing Club



COMPETITION INFORMATION

- Date :** 1st – 3rd August 2025
- Venue :** 3rd Floor, Island Hall, Fashion Island Shopping Center, Bangkok, THAILAND
- Organizer :** The Royal Thai Navy Fencing Club
Facebook: [navyfencing](https://www.facebook.com/navyfencing) Email: navyfencingclub@gmail.com
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- Competition Schedule :** *07:30 Weapon Control of each day*

Date	Time	Event	Aged Group	Report Time
1 August 2025 Friday	08:30	Men's Sabre	Open Individual	07:00-08:00
		Women's Epee		
		Women's Foil		
	10:00	Girl's Sabre	Under 10	08:30-09:30
		Boy's Epee		
		Boy's Foil		
	12:00	Boy's Sabre	Under 12	10:30-11:30
		Girl's Epee		
		Girl's Foil		
	14:00	Girl's Sabre	Under 14	12:30-13:30
		Boy's Epee		
		Boy's Foil		
	15:00	Veteran Foil: Men's / Women's	CAT A (35+/40+)	12:30-14:30
			CAT B (50+)	
			CAT C (60+)	
2 August 2025 Saturday	08:30	Men's Epee	Open Individual	07:00-08:00
		Women's Sabre		08:30-09:30
	12:00	Men's Foil	Open TEAM	10:00-11:00
		Women's Epee TEAM		
		Women's Foil TEAM		
		Men's Sabre TEAM		
	13:00	Boy's Epee	Under 12	11:30-12:30
	14:00	Boy's Sabre	Under 10	12:30-13:30
	15:00	Girl's Foil	Under 14	13:30-14:30
	15:00	Veteran Epee: Men's / Women's	CAT A (35+/40+)	12:30-14:30
			CAT B (50+)	
			CAT C (60+)	
	15:00	EPEE-1-POINT CHALLENGE		12:00-14:30



3 August 2025 Sunday	08:30	Men's Epee TEAM	Open TEAM	07:00-08:00
		Men's Foil TEAM		
		Women's Sabre TEAM		
	10:30	Girl's Epee	Under 10	09:00-10:00
		Girl's Foil		
	11:30	Boy's Foil	Under 12	10:00-11:00
		Girl's Sabre		
	12:30	Girl's Epee	Under 14	11:00-12:00
		Boy's Sabre		
	14:00	Veteran Sabre: Men's / Women's	CAT A (35+/40+)	11:30-13:30

5. **Participants** : Each country may enter no limit fencers for any events.

Age Categories		
U10	born in years 2015 or later	
U12	born in years 2013 or later	
U14	born in years 2011 or later	
Open	Must be at least 13 years old (born in years 2012 or later)	
CAT A: 35+/40+	Male: born in years 1985 or earlier	Female: born in years 1990 or earlier
CAT B: 50+	born in years 1975 or earlier	
CAT C: 60+	born in years 1965 or earlier	

6. **Entry Fees** : **You can pay all entry fees at the fencing hall before competition.**

Category	Fees (USD)
Minime Individual	USD 40
Open / Veteran Individual	USD 50
Open Team	USD 100
EPEE-1-POINT CHALLENGE	THB 50 / round

7. **Entries** :

- Final Entry : by **27th July 2025 (Sunday)**.
- Please scan QR-code for the Entry Form or [download the Entry Form here](#).**

8. **Competition Methods** :

The fencing competition shall be conducted in accordance with the current Statues and Rules of the FIE. In case of disagreement in interpretation of the Rules, the latest English version shall prevail. The DT shall deal with any unforeseen incidents not covered by the Rules.



Navy Open Entry Form



9. Equipment :

All equipment must be passed for weapons testing and marked by organizer before to be used in the competition. Kindly note it is **COMPULSORY** for all participants to wear UNDERPLASTRONS.

- a) U10 must use blade **size 0 (Zero) ONLY**
- b) U12 can use blade size 2 or 3.
- c) U14 can use blade size 5 or normal size.

10. Formula :

- a) The following formats will be used for the various groups:

Category	Poules	Direct Elimination
U10	4 points / 2 mins	8 points / 2 periods of 2 mins / 1 min break and 1 min break at 4 points for Sabre
U12 / Veteran	5 points / 3 mins	10 points / 2 periods of 3 mins / 1 min break and 1 min break at 5 points for Sabre
U14 / Open		15 points / 3 periods of 3 mins / 1 min break and 1 min break at 8 points for Sabre
Open Team	-	45 points FIE Relay Formula with Direct Elimination

- b) No exempted fencers for both men's and women's events.
- c) If some events have oversea fencers participating, for individual seeding, it will use of the (1) FIE ranking and (2) TFF ranking, respectively. Otherwise, it will use all TFF ranking.
- d) 1 round of poule to eliminate 20–30% of fencers, then direct elimination table.
- e) **Referee** : Each club participating in the competition must be accompanied by a number of referees (**per day/event**) according to the following formula:

1 – 4 fencers	no referee required
5 – 9 fencers	1 referee
10 or more fencers	2 referees

If clubs are unable to provide the required number of at least 1 referee based on the quota, **a referee penalty of THB1,500/referee/day/event will be imposed.**

- f) **Directoire de Technique (DT)**

The DT shall be responsible for the technical organization of the competition. The members shall be appointed by the host country. The decision of the DT shall be final.

- g) **Protests**

Appeals against decisions of a referee should be immediately made by the competitors or their team captains to the referee, before any decision is made regarding a subsequent hit. If the referee should maintain his decision, the complaint shall be brought to the attention of the DT. By depositing a deposit of **THB2,000** with DT. If the protest results remain the same will be confiscated, **BUT** if there is a change in the result Will continue to refund the guarantee.

11. Prizes :

- a) **Minime's event:** Top 8, including 1 Gold, 1 Silver, 2 Bronze, and 4 Blue medals.
- b) **Open/Veteran's event:** 1 Gold, 1 Silver, and 2 Bronze medals.
- c) **Diplomas:** Up to the top 8 fencers.
- d) The **"Commander-in-Chief of the Navy's Cup"** is awarded to the club which has obtained the best results at the competition for Men's and Women's all categories.
- e) The **"Navy Club's"** for each category in U10, U12, U14 and Open, respectively.
- f) The winner of **"EPEE-1-POINT CHALLENGE"** receives the **THB 10,000** in cash.