

# PETANQUE

## Site: Place des Lices

Saint-Tropez

The following informations can change. Please check the modifications on our website and directly at the Games Center.

### CATEGORIES:

No age categories

### **COMPETITION SCHEDULE:**



#### **PRACTICAL INFORMATIONS:**

### Game instructions:

Team composition: Petanque is generally played in teams of two or three persons.

<u>Start of the game</u>: The game begins with a draw to determine which team throws a small wooden ball called the "cochonnet". It is thrown from a distance of between 6 and 10 metres.

<u>Throwing the balls</u>: The player who has thrown the cochonnet then throws the first ball. The aim is to place this ball as close as possible to the cochonnet.

<u>Alternating throws</u>: The opposing team then tries to place a ball closer to the cochonnet or hit one of the opposing team's balls to change the layout. The teams alternate shots, with the team whose ball is furthest from the cochonnet playing first.

End of round: A round ends when all the balls of both teams have been played. The team with the ball closest to the cochonnet scores points.

<u>Scoring</u>: The winning team scores one point for each ball that is closer to the cochonnet than the opposing team's best ball.

<u>New round</u>: The new round begins with the winning team from the previous round throwing the cochonnet to start a new round of play.

End of game: The game continues with successive ends until one team reaches the set score to win, usually 13 points.

#### Accompanying persons are allowed.

Medals award ceremony directly on site at the end of the event.