

## Member Profile

# Pétanque WA

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**Purpose/aim of organisation:** Pétanque WA maintains an affiliation with the Pétanque Federation of Australia (PFA) and organises Inter-Club and State Championship competitions in WA, including the selection of players to represent the state at the Australian Championships. Two of its primary aims are to promote the sport of Pétanque in WA and to assist in the formation of new clubs within the state of WA.

**Size of organisation:** Pétanque WA represents 207 licensed players from 6 affiliated clubs from across Perth's metropolitan area, including Rockingham.

**Number of staff members/volunteers:** Pétanque WA has 8 Board members who work voluntarily. They are backed up by members of the 6 affiliated clubs as required for promotional events.

**Key areas of focus at the present time:** Pétanque WA's current key focus is fundraising and preparing a team to represent WA at the Australian State Championships, whilst also continuing to promote the sport to juniors and conducting State Championship competitions.

**Highlights in the last 12 months:** Two WA players, Yves Najar & Michel Pauley from La Maison De France Inc., have been selected to play for Australia in the Pan Pacific tournament in Pattaya, Thailand on 16 and 17 June 2011.

**When and why did you become a Member of WA Sports Federation:** Pétanque WA has been a member of WA Sports Federation since 2011. Although Pétanque WA is affiliated with the PFA, they do not offer us the same local exposure in WA as the WA Sports Federation provides to the sporting community.

**Other information about your organisation:** View our [YouTube video](#) for further information about Pétanque as a sport in Western Australia, or visit our website.

