

ActiveSG Academies & Clubs turns 10 with over 200,000 participants, and its 2026 basketball and hockey seasons cost S$130 to S$185

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ActiveSG Academies & Clubs, Sport Singaporeâ??s youth sport programme, marked its 10th anniversary on 22 November 2026 with more than 200,000 participants since its 2016 launch, according to a SportSG media release. The milestone was celebrated at the opening of ActiveSG Punggol Sport Centre, where Academies & Clubs will now also run programmes.

The programme started with four sports in 2016 and now covers more than 20 sports at over 60 facilities across the island. More than 90 alumni have gone on to play for national teams or Singapore Premier League clubs, SportSG said, naming siblings Irsalina Irwan and Harith Danish Irwan, both from the ActiveSG Football Academy, who have represented Singapore in football.

How the programme grew

SportSGâ??s anniversary page sets out how the programme grew:

- April 2016: the ActiveSG Football Academy opened at Jurong East Stadium, and the ActiveSG Athletics Club at the National Stadium
- May 2016: the ActiveSG Basketball Academy launched at the Padang
- July 2016 and July 2017: the tennis academy at Kallang Tennis Centre, then the hockey academy at Sengkang Hockey Stadium
- August 2019: the gymnastics academy at the National Stadium
- March 2022: the Para Sport Academy and the Table Tennis Academy, with the ActiveSG Cup starting the same year with football

The ActiveSG Cup added hockey and water polo in 2025, with both finals held in November that year.


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ActiveSG Hockey Academy players at training, from the 10th anniversary page. The date is not given. Photo: ActiveSG

What happened at Punggol

Academies & Clubs players took part in season finale mini tournaments, and visitors could try wheelchair rugby and ActiveSG First Movers, which introduces children aged three to six to sports such as football and basketball.



ActiveSG Basketball Academy players in their season finale mini tournament at ActiveSG Punggol Sport Centre on 22 November 2026. Photo: Sport Singapore

Silas Parasuraman, head coach for para swimming at the ActiveSG Para Sport Academy, said the new centre is â??very accessible and friendly to people of all ages and abilities, especially for persons with disabilities (PwDs) who are first-timers and looking to try swimmingâ?•.



Wheelchair rugby, one of the ActiveSG Para Sport Academyâ??s sports, from the 10th anniversary page. The date and event are not given. Photo: ActiveSG

Joining a programme

The basketball and hockey academies both sell places by the season. The ActiveSG Basketball Academy offers up to 20 sessions a season for ages five to seven, eight to 10 and 11 to 14, plus a girls-only group for ages eight to 14. Fees for the current October to December 2026 season are S$185 standard and S$130 subsidised, and up to 30 per cent can be paid with ActiveSG credits. The current season at Pasir Ris Sport Hall is the last before that centre closes in 2027.

The ActiveSG Hockey Academyâ??s 2027 Season 1 begins in the first week of January 2027. Its seasons run 10 weeks with up to two sessions a week, for under-12s aged five to 12 and under-16s aged 13 to 16, at six centres including Hockey Village in Boon Lay, Sengkang Hockey Stadium and ActiveSG Sport Village in Jurong Town. The 2026 Season 4 cost S$130 for members and S$185 for non-members, again with 30 per cent payable by credits. Fees for 2027 have not been posted yet. SportSGâ??s release also encourages members who have not used their credits this year to make at least one transaction before 31 December 2026 so their balance rolls over into 2027.

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