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**VOLLEYBALL**

**MEN'S WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP**

**AVC QUALIFIER**

**POOL B FINALS**

**DAILY BULLETIN #5**

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## JAPAN BOOK TICKET TO WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS WITH GRITTY WIN OVER VOLLEYROOS

Japan has beaten Australia 3-2 to book their place in next year's men's volleyball World Championships, and leaving the Volleyroos facing a must-win match against Chinese Taipei in Canberra on Sunday if they are to also qualify.

For the third time in their last four outings the Japan-Australia match went to five sets, with Japan, the Asian Champions and 14<sup>th</sup>-ranked team in the world, repeating their win from the World League semi-finals on the Gold Coast last month.

Australia is ranked just one place behind Japan in 15<sup>th</sup>.

In Saturday's earlier match, Chinese Taipei beat Thailand 3-0 to keep their World Championship qualification hopes alive. Their only loss has been a 3-0 defeat at the hands of Japan on the opening day of competition.

The HelloWorld Volleyroos started the match strongly, but Japan was able to settle midway through the opening set to take the opener 25-22. Australia fought back to take the second 23-25, but when Japan waltzed away with the third set 25-14 and led in the fourth the match looked over.

But Australia fought back strongly to regain the ascendancy, taking the fourth 22-25, but lost crucial points in the fifth to see Japan delight their followers with a 15-13 win.

Australian captain, Nathan Roberts, said his team gave everything they could.

"That's international volleyball, all the difference was was one or two points in the end, and they took more advantage of that than us," Roberts said.

"That's high level volleyball, there is that one or two per cent difference and unfortunately they got us again this time, which we're not overly happy about, but tomorrow's another day.

"Tomorrow we have to bring the enthusiasm, bring what we brought today, because for the best part of today we were pretty good. I think if we bring that tomorrow, we should get the job done.

"It's just a matter of being consistent."

Australia takes on Chinese Taipei at 5:10pm local time Sunday, with the winner qualifying for next year's World Championships in Italy and Bulgaria.



**MATCH RESULTS**  
**Pool B - Round robin**

No	Date	Teams	Set	Result per set (points)					Total Points	Time	Spectators
				1	2	3	4	5			
1	12/07/2017	TPE - JPN	0-3	19-25	19-25	19-25			57- 75	1:17	500
2	12/07/2017	AUS - NZL	3-0	25-12	25-18	25-18			75- 48	1:12	1,000
3	13/07/2017	JPN - NZL	3-0	25-11	25-16	25-10			75- 37	1:06	400
4	13/07/2017	AUS - THA	3-0	25-20	25-21	25-19			75- 60	1:18	1,000
5	14/07/2017	TPE - NZL	3-0	25-17	25-21	25-16			75- 54	1:10	300
6	14/07/2017	JPN - THA	3-0	25-12	25-18	25-16			75- 46	1:08	400
7	15/07/2017	TPE - THA	3-0	25-22	25-23	25-22			75- 67	1:23	700
8	15/07/2017	AUS - JPN	2-3	22-25	25-23	14-25	25-22	13-15	99-110	2:07	1,200

**TEAM RANKING**  
**Pool B - Round robin**

Rk	Code	Team	Matches				Results Details					Sets			Points			
			Pts	T	W	L	3-0	3-1	3-2	2-3	1-3	0-3	W	L	Ratio	W	L	Ratio
1	JPN	Japan	11	4	4	0	3	0	1	0	0	0	12	2	6.000	335	239	1.402
2	AUS	Australia	7	3	2	1	2	0	0	1	0	0	8	3	2.667	249	218	1.142
3	TPE	Chinese Taipei	6	3	2	1	2	0	0	0	0	1	6	3	2.000	207	196	1.056
4	THA	Thailand	0	3	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	9		173	225	0.769
5	NZL	New Zealand	0	3	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	9		139	225	0.618

# P-2 VOLLEYBALL • Match result



2018 WCH Men's Asian Qualification - Pool B  
Pool B - Round robin

**Match:** 7 **Date:** 15/07/2017 **Spectators:** 700  
**City:** Canberra  
**Hall:** AIS Arena  
**Match duration:** Start: 17:00 End: 18:23 Total: 1:23

Teams	Sets	1	2	3	4	5	Total
<b>TPE</b>	<b>3</b>	25	25	25			75
<b>THA</b>	<b>0</b>	22	23	22			67
<b>Set duration</b>		0:24	0:26	0:27			1:17

**Referees:** Szydowski R. (AUS) & Tomokazu I. (JPN)

TPE • Chinese Taipei		1	2	3	4	5	Pts
2	Liu Hong-Jie	■	■	■			13
3	L Li Chia-Hsuan	L	L	L			
5	L Tung Li-Yi						
6	Tai Ju-Chien		□	■			3
7	Liu Hung-Min	■	■	■			13
9	Yen Chen Fu	■	■	■			7
10	Wu Tsung-Hsuan	■	■	■			8
11	Lin Yi-Huei						
12	Hsu Mei-Chung						
13	Huang Chien-Feng						
15	Hsu Wen-Chen						
16	Lee Hsing-Kuo						
18	Shih Hsiu-Chih	■	■				1
19	Chen Chien-Chen	■	■	■			11

**Coach:** YU, Ching-Fang (TPE)  
**Assistant:** CHEN, Yi-Fu (TPE)

THA • Thailand		1	2	3	4	5	Pts
1	Raksakaew Jirayu	■	■	■			14
2	L Toontupthai Piyarat						
4	Saengsee Kitisak				□		2
5	Nilsawai Kissada	■	■	■			6
7	wongtorn boonyarid	□	■	■			1
8	chandahuadong chakkit	■	■	■			6
9	Sriutthawong Kittikun	■					7
10	Namkhunthod Phongpet	■	■	■			3
12	Pakdeekaew Anuchit						
13	Maneewong Mawin						
14	Somkane Kritsada	■					2
16	Koonmee Kantapat		■	■			4
17	Charoensuk Saranchit	■					1
18	L Phuanglib Montri	L	L	L			

**Coach:** SUPAJIRAKUL, Monchai (THA)  
**Assistant:** MANAPORNCHAI, Khjorn (THA)

## TEAMS AND PLAYERS PERFORMANCES

Won Pts	Total Atts	No Name	Scoring Skills	Won Pts	Total Atts	No Name
<b>44</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>Total Team</b>		<b>39</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>Total Team</b>
12	21	7 Liu Hung-Min	<b>Spike</b>	13	24	1 Raksakaew Jirayu
10	15	2 Liu Hong-Jie		7	13	9 Sriutthawong Kittikun
8	15	19 Chen Chien-Chen		6	11	8 chandahuadong chakkit
<b>6</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>Total Team</b>	<b>Block</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>Total Team</b>
2	4	6 Tai Ju-Chien		2	2	16 Koonmee Kantapat
2	6	19 Chen Chien-Chen		1	3	5 Nilsawai Kissada
1	4	2 Liu Hong-Jie	1	1	14 Somkane Kritsada	
<b>6</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>Total Team</b>	<b>Serve</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>Total Team</b>
2	12	2 Liu Hong-Jie		1	3	17 Charoensuk Saranchit
1	7	18 Shih Hsiu-Chih		1	14	10 Namkhunthod Phongpet
1	10	7 Liu Hung-Min	1	10	1 Raksakaew Jirayu	
<b>19</b>		<b>Total Team</b>	<b>Opp. error</b>	<b>21</b>		<b>Total Team</b>
<b>75</b>	<b>173</b>	<b>Total Team</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>164</b>	<b>Total Team</b>
13	31	2 Liu Hong-Jie	<b>Best Scorer</b>	14	37	1 Raksakaew Jirayu

■ Starting line-up    Pts = Points scored    □ = Captain  
□ Substitute        Atts = Attempts        L = Libero  
Opp = Opponent

# P-2 VOLLEYBALL • Match result



2018 WCH Men's Asian Qualification - Pool B  
Pool B - Round robin

**Match:** 8 **Date:** 15/07/2017 **Spectators:** 1,200  
**City:** Canberra  
**Hall:** AIS Arena  
**Match duration:** **Start:** 20:00 **End:** 22:07 **Total:** 2:07

Teams	Sets	1	2	3	4	5	Total
<b>AUS</b>	<b>2</b>	22	25	14	25	13	99
<b>JPN</b>	<b>3</b>	25	23	25	22	15	110
<b>Set duration</b>		0:26	0:26	0:21	0:28	0:14	1:55

**Referees:** Chung Sze Lai C. (HKG) & Cheng Lai C. (TPE)

AUS • Australia		1	2	3	4	5	Pts
1	Palma Rodriguez Dalila	■	■	■	■	■	15
2	Dosanjh Arshdeep			□			
3	Roberts Nathan	■	■	■	■	■	14
4	Sanderson Paul	■	■	■	■	■	15
5	Passier Travis	■	■				2
7	Peacock Harrison	■	■	■	■	■	3
8	O'Dea Trent	□	□	■			1
10 L	Richards Jordan						
11 L	Perry Luke	L	L	L	L	L	
12	Mote Nehemiah		□	□	■	■	8
13	Walker Samuel		□	□	□	□	1
15	Smith Luke			□			1
18	Williams Lincoln Alexander	■	■	■	■	■	16
20	Hodges Thomas			□			1

**Coach:** LEBEDEW, Mark (AUS)  
**Assistant:** REYNOLDS, Luke (AUS)

JPN • Japan		1	2	3	4	5	Pts
1	Otake Issei		□	□			
2	Fukatsu Hideomi	□	□	□		□	
3	Fujii Naonobu	■	■	■	■	■	4
5	Yoneyama Yuta		□				
6	Yamauchi Akihiro	■	■	■	■	■	11
7	Dekita Takashi	■	■	■	■	■	11
8	Yanagida Masahiro	■	■	■	■	■	12
9 L	Ide Satoshi	L	L	L	L	L	
10	Yamada Shuzo						
14	Ishikawa Yuki	■	■	■	■	■	32
15	Ri Haku	■	■	■	■	■	8
16	Takahashi Kentaro		□			□	
19	Asano Hiroaki					□	
20 L	Koga Taichiro						

**Coach:** NAKAGAICHI, Yuichi (JPN)  
**Assistant:** TSUMAGARI, Katsutosh (JPN)

## TEAMS AND PLAYERS PERFORMANCES

Won Pts	Total Atts	No Name	Scoring Skills	Won Pts	Total Atts	No Name
<b>65</b>	<b>110</b>	<b>Total Team</b>		<b>62</b>	<b>113</b>	<b>Total Team</b>
14	21	4 Sanderson Paul	<b>Spike</b>	26	37	14 Ishikawa Yuki
14	29	3 Roberts Nathan		11	25	8 Yanagida Masahiro
14	27	18 Williams Lincoln Alexander		9	23	7 Dekita Takashi
<b>9</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>Total Team</b>	<b>Block</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>Total Team</b>
4	8	1 Palma Rodriguez Dalila		2	7	3 Fujii Naonobu
2	3	7 Peacock Harrison		2	5	7 Dekita Takashi
1	7	4 Sanderson Paul	2	3	14 Ishikawa Yuki	
<b>3</b>	<b>99</b>	<b>Total Team</b>	<b>Serve</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>110</b>	<b>Total Team</b>
2	20	18 Williams Lincoln Alexander		4	26	14 Ishikawa Yuki
1	16	7 Peacock Harrison		2	17	6 Yamauchi Akihiro
				1	14	8 Yanagida Masahiro
<b>22</b>		<b>Total Team</b>	<b>Opp. error</b>	<b>32</b>		<b>Total Team</b>
<b>99</b>	<b>244</b>	<b>Total Team</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>110</b>	<b>251</b>	<b>Total Team</b>
16	52	18 Williams Lincoln Alexander	<b>Best Scorer</b>	32	66	14 Ishikawa Yuki

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Date	Match	Time	Team A	Team B	Colour A	Colour B
12/07/2017	1	1700	Chinese Taipei	Japan	White	Red
12/07/2017	2	2010	Australia	New Zealand	Green	White
13/07/2017	3	1700	Japan	New Zealand	White	Black
13/07/2017	4	2010	Australia	Thailand	Gold	Black
14/07/2017	5	1100	Chinese Taipei	New Zealand	Red	Blue
14/07/2017	6	1400	Japan	Thailand	Yellow	Blue
15/07/2017	7	1700	Chinese Taipei	Thailand	Blue	White
15/07/2017	8	2000	Australia	Japan	White	Red
16/07/2017	9	1500	Thailand	New Zealand	White	Black
16/07/2017	10	1710	Australia	Chinese Taipei	Green	White