



Observer report for Pantheres Riichi Open 2025 - Saint Pierre Reunion Island (RCR, RERS 1)

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Date: October 19th 2025

Place: Saint-Pierre, Reunion

Website or other source(s) of information: All information on the website of Mahjong Reunion Island <https://frmj-reunion.webador.fr/> : registration, registration fee, payment information, contact information, the schedule, list of participants, referee

Participants: 20 players

Countries represented: France (20)

Playing schedule: 1 day, 5 hanchans of 75 minutes. We started behind the times but it was for referee announcement

Location: Panthère Club, Désiré Barquisseau Street Saint-Pierre 97410 Reunion Island 5 minutes of the beach in the game room of the club.

Equipment: We played with regular tiles and good tables

Refereeing: Jean-Michel MORISSE was non-player referee.

Complaints: None.

Information / communication during the tournament:

Visible clock projected from a computer on a screen. A gong clearly informs players of the start and the end of sessions. Ranking up to date between each session, projected from a computer on a screen.

Sessions: Excellent playing atmosphere, FFF (Fair-play, Friendly and Fun).

Catering: Breakfast (pastries, bread, cold cuts, cheese, fruit juice, coffee, tea)
Some snack during breaks.

Lunch in a other room next to the tournament room (trays of rice, chicken with vegetable, and ice cream for dessert), drinks and others.

Fence pot with snacks and local finger dishes.

Prizes: Japan Torii trophies and a garnish basket for individual ranking (1st, 2nd and 3rd).
The referee win a small gift.

Conclusion: Very nice tournament in Saint-Pierre, with a mixed of young and old peoples.