



Sydney International 2022 Sydney, AUSTRALIA 5 – 9 October

- National Association:** Badminton Australia
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- Event Organiser:** Badminton New South Wales
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- Event Director:** Carolyn Toh
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Mobile: +61 419 225 008
- Dates:** **Wednesday 5 – Sunday 9 October 2022**
- Venue:** **Netball Central**
2 Olympic Boulevard
Sydney Olympic Park, NSW 2127, Australia
- Sanctioned by:** Badminton Oceania and Badminton World Federation – International Series
- Prize Money:** The prize money USD 5,000 will be paid directly to players at the tournament in Australian dollars.
- Referee:** Ms Julie Carrel (NZL)
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- Local Deputy Referee:** Mr Eugene Glazman (AUS)
- Entries close:** International entries close **Tuesday 6 September 2022, 23:59 hours** BWF Headquarters time,(+8:00 hours GMT)
Australian Player entries close **Tuesday 30 August 2022, 23:59 AES** time.



Entries:

All players in the tournament will be deemed to have read and accepted the conditions under which the tournament events are to be conducted. The competition regulations of the BWF shall apply.

The organisers will NOT be responsible for any injury sustained, at any time, by any player or official arising from their participation in this Tournament. Any costs incurred for medical treatment and/or hospitalisation shall be borne by the Member Association of the player/official concerned.

The tournament may be played under Covid-19 Plans as required by the New South Wales and Australian Government at the time of the tournament. It is the condition of entry that all players agree to abide by the Covid-19 plan.

All Entries Must Be Submitted Online:

All International entries are to be submitted online by the competitor's National Badminton Association (Member Association).

Member Associations are to log onto Sydney International 2022 BWF Tournament Software Link:

<https://bwf.tournamentsoftware.com/tournament/55D7E8BC-5F95-415C-A2AE-957AB3CC3960>

and submit the entries online.

A username and password is required to submit entries. This can be obtained from the BWF.

Please contact Shan Ramachandran at s.ramachandran@bwf.sport

The online entry page will automatically close on TUESDAY 6 September 2022 at 23:59 hours BWF Headquarters time (+08:00h GMT) and you are required to submit the entries on time. Late entries will not be accepted.

After the closing date, the BWF Online Entry System will send a notification to all participating Member Associations confirming receipt of final entries. Receipt of this notification is the conclusive evidence of receipt of entries before the deadline. The Member Associations should contact BWF immediately if such notice is not received by the Wednesday (next day of the entries closing date) by noon BWF Headquarters time (+08.00h GMT) following close of entries.

If no objection is received by BWF by Thursday 8 September 2022 (second day after the entries closing day) 23.59 hours BWF Headquarters time (+08.00h GMT), the entries shall be deemed to be correct. No complaints / objections shall be entertained after this point.

For Australian Entries Only:

Please note - All Australian entries can only be submitted to BWF by BADMINTON AUSTRALIA

Australian Player entry fee is \$100 AUD regardless of number of events.

<https://www.tournamentsoftware.com/sport/tournament?id=20FD0654-B133-49D2-A793-0EE03B632015>

Events:

Event	Entries		Qualifying Round Maximum entries
	Main Draw	Qualifiers	
Men's Singles	56	8	16
Women's Singles	28	4	8
Men's Doubles	28	4	8
Women's Doubles	28	4	8
Mixed Doubles	28	4	8



Entry Fees: All players are required to pay entry fees.
 The entry fee is \$ 100 USD per player regardless of number of events.
 Member Associations will be invoiced on 20 September 2022, with payment due by 28 September 2022.
 No refunds for withdrawals will be given after 19 September 2022.

Seeding and Draw:

Entries Close	06 September 2022
World Ranking date for M & Q	06 September 2022
Publish M & Q	09 September 2022
World Ranking date for Seeding	13 September 2022
Publish Seeding Report	16 September 2022
Last Date for Withdrawal without penalty	19 September 2022
Draw Date	20 September 2022

Prize Money: \$5,000 USD as below

Prize money will be converted from USD and paid in AUD at the event

Players entitled to receiving prize money are reminded to check with organisers before they leave the tournament.

	MS	WS	MD (Pair)	WD (Pair)	XD (Pair)
Winner	550	550	550	550	550
Runner-up	250	250	250	250	250
Semi-Finalists (each)	100	100	100	100	100

Hours of Play: *The schedule may be changed at the discretion of the Referee and Event Organiser*

Wednesday 5 October	Qualifying Rounds MS Rounds of 64 WS Rounds of 32	From 10:00 am From 3:00 pm From 3:00 pm	4 courts
Thursday 6 October	Championship Events: Rounds of 32 and 16	From 10:00 am	4 courts
Friday 7 October	Championship Events: Rounds of 16	From 10:00 am	4 courts
Saturday 8 October	Quarter-finals	From 10:00 am	3 courts
	Semi-finals	From 4:00 pm	2 courts
Sunday 9 October	Finals	From 10:00 am	1 court

All matches will be scheduled to time.

Players must be available to play 10 minutes before their scheduled time.

Practice Courts:

Practice courts at the tournament venue(Netball Central) will be available from 5 October 2022 at 9:00 am.
 Sydney Olympics Park Sports Halls also available on Tuesday 4 October 1:00 pm - 9:00 pm only
 Bookings to be made directly with the Event Director: ctohy@yahoo.com.au

Other practice venues at players cost before 4 October 1:00 pm can be requested from the Event Director.



Managers Meeting: Date and Time: Tuesday 4 October at 7:00 pm
Location: Events Room (Mezzanine Level Netball Central).

All countries to ensure they have a representative at this meeting.

It is compulsory that all team managers must attend the team managers meeting. Failing to attend the meeting a Member Association may be fined USD\$250 by Badminton Oceania. Member Associations can make a request someone to represent them at the meeting as long as the Referee is advised in advance.

Withdrawals:

Will be managed according to the BWF regulations.

Withdrawals after **Monday 19 September 2022** shall automatically attract withdrawal fees as per BWF regulations.

Withdrawals until this date must be initiated through online entry system by logging on to the tournament link used for sending the entry. Withdrawals after this date must be informed by e-mail to ctohy@yahoo.com.au and the Referee: julie.carrel.nz@gmail.com as soon as possible. Withdrawals after players arrive at the venue, notification of withdrawal must be made by the Team Manager and/or Player to the Referee in person.

Transport:

The closest airport is **Sydney International Airport**. Pick up from **Sydney International Airport** will be provided to International and interstate players staying at the official accommodation hotel.

Details must be provided no later than Friday 23 September 2022 on the correct form, for pick-up to be arranged. Any request after this date will not be accepted. Requests for a refund of taxi charges will not be entertained.

Transport will **ONLY** be provided to players and officials staying at the official tournament accommodation venue for airport pick-up and drop-off only.

There is no ground transport provided between the Hotel and walking distance tournament venue.

Visa:

If a visa is required to enter Australia, please complete the Visa Form and email to ctohy@yahoo.com.au Please ensure that you allow sufficient time for the visa/s to be processed.

Competition Rules and Regulations:

The tournament will be conducted in accordance with the [BWF General Competition Regulations](#) and as per the [Badminton Oceania Grade 3 Tournament Regulations](#).

Shuttles:

BWF approved Yonex Aerosensa AS30 shuttles will be provided, 2 speeds will be available. 2 shuttles per player issued for practice – free of charge



Code of Ethics apply including

Code of Conduct in relation to Betting, Wagering and irregular Match results.

Code of Ethics can be viewed:

<https://extranet.bwfbadminton.com/docs/document-system/81/1466/1468/Section%202.1%20-%20Code%20of%20Ethics.pdf>

Clothing and Advertising:

Clothing and advertising are in accordance with the [BWF General Competition Regulations](#) (sections 19-23).

The name of the player is Mandatory on the back of all player's shirts, the country name is optional however if it is on the shirt it must comply with BWF regulations.

Players should ensure that they read these regulations and that their clothing complies with these regulations.

Doping Control

Doping control in badminton, in accordance with BWF Anti-Doping Regulations, is conducted out-of-competition and in-competition with the collection of urine and/or blood samples.

Athletes are responsible for any substance found in their body. Before an athlete takes any medication, they should check with their doctor, and if necessary, get a Therapeutic Use Exemption (TUE).

For more information about anti-doping, please visit the BWF website:

<https://corporate.bwfbadminton.com/integrity/anti-doping-overview/>

Players competing in this tournament are subject to drug testing under the Australian Sports Anti-Doping Authority (ASADA). Applicable rules, list of prohibited substances and methods, and the "check your substances" tool is available at: www.asada.gov.au

Badminton Integrity

Section 2.4 of the BWF Statutes (Code of Conduct in Relation to Betting, Wagering and Irregular Match Results) relates to anti-corruption and anti-match manipulation, and this code applies to all participants at this tournament.

To protect the integrity of BWF sanctioned tournaments, participants are not allowed to bet in any way on badminton matches, respect the principle of fair play, and shall not attempt to influence the course or result of a game or match.

Every person has an obligation to report to the BWF any approaches by anyone to gather inside information or to change the outcome of a matches.

For more information, please refer to BWF's website:

<https://corporate.bwfbadminton.com/integrity/anti-match-fixing-overview/>

Compliance with General Competition Regulations Clause 7.9

GCR 7.9: *"In making or authorising entries, the Member concerned is reconfirming its acceptance, and acceptance by the Players being entered, of the BWF's regulations and Disciplinary processes."*



General Information:

Netball Central Sydney Olympic Park Location

Map: <https://www.google.com/maps/place/Netball+Central/@-33.8533079,151.0680557,17z/data=!3m2!4b1!5s0x6b12a4b555fb6faf:0xb5ccc08dcf6e0303!4m5!3m4!1s0x6b1298ffc5b35c9:0x29fb9ae8f9700556!8m2!3d-33.8533079!4d151.0702444>

A limited cafeteria will operate during the hours of play at the tournament venue. However, there are many restaurants and fast food outlets within a 5 minute walk from the Hall.

A physiotherapy service will be available for a fee.

Racquet Restring service will be available at the Hall for a fee.

The Winner and Runner-up in every event will be presented with a medal and prize-money. Semi-Finalists only prize money.
Exchange rate conversion of USD to AUD will be as at Friday 7th October 2022.

Indemnity & Insurance

Any participating associations and its delegated competitors / officials should agree to indemnity and not hold the organising committee accountable for and against any claims for personal injury, financial loss, death or property damage, in any form, arising out of or in any way resulting from the participation in, postponement or cancellation of the said tournament.

The organiser will NOT be responsible for any injury sustained, at any time, by any player or official arising from their participation in this Event. Any costs incurred for medical treatment and / or hospitalization shall be borne by the Member Association of the player / official concerned.

Please ensure that your players & team officials possess the requisite insurance coverage to meet current requirements.

COVID-19 Regulation

All people involved with the tournament will be required to comply with any rules, regulations or requests made by BWF, Badminton Oceania, Badminton New South Wales, NSW State Government, Australian State Government or Sydney Olympic Park Management with regards to COVID-19.

Accommodation Booking Process

The official hotel below is to be booked through Badminton NSW (BNSW) and payment to BNSW to obtain the prepaid discounted rate.

Booking is on a FIRST COME FIRST SERVED BASIS

Electronic Funds Transfer BNSW Bank account details:

National Australia Bank

Swift Code NATAAU3303M

Account name: NSW Badminton Association Incorporated

BSB: 082135

Account number: 029275745

Transport to and from the airport will only be available to International and interstate players staying at the official tournament accommodation.

Daily ground transport is not provided as its walking distance to the stadium.



Official Hotel:

IBIS BUDGET SYDNEY OLYMPIC PARK

Address : 8 Edwin Flack Avenue, Sydney Olympic Park NSW 2127

Bright rooms feature desks, flat-screen TVs and complimentary Wi-Fi access. Upgraded Family rooms have added bunk beds.

Optional extra: Continental Breakfast \$12 Grab and Go pack \$8:00

(A) Check-in period : 03OCT22 Check-out: 04OCT22 20 Rooms

One bunk with one queen size lower bed & one single overhead bed

Room rate per night : AUD190.00 per room

(B) Check-in period : 04OCT22 Check-out: 09OCT22 35 Rooms

One queen bed plus one bunk with 2 single beds

Room rate per night : AUD230.00 per room

REMARKS : ABOVE RATES ARE BASED ON 2 ADULTS IN A ROOM, EXTRA PERSON WILL BE CHARGED \$35 PER PERSON IF 3 OR MORE SHARING A FAMILY ROOM .

