



Dates: *Mixed Team Championships:* 8 – 10 June
 Individual Championships: 12 – 15 June

Where: *Saipan, Northern Mariana Islands*

Eligibility:

*As per BWF General Competition Regulations 6.1 – International Representation
All players representing a MA must hold a passport of the country they are representing or, have held a BWF number of the Oceania MA they are representing, for a minimum of 3 years preceding the Championships.*

Regulations:

*The tournament will be governed by the Oceania Junior Mixed Team Championships and the Oceania Championships regulations, which are both available on the BOC [website](#)
The prospectus for the individual Championships and all forms for both the team competition and individual Championships will be distributed no later than Friday 14 March 2025*

Team Format:

The Oceania Junior Mixed Team Championships will be played as a Team Relay as per the regulations

Each tie will consist of 10 matches:

- *Two Men's Singles*
- *Two Woman's Singles*
- *Two Men's Doubles*
- *Two Women's Doubles*
- *Two Mixed Doubles*

Team Entry

Team entry closes 25 March 2025 through the BWF on-line system

Entry Fees: - NZD\$250 per team - Team Championships

Team List

Each Member shall nominate a Team List to BOC through the on-line system, from who its team will be selected for a tie, no later than Friday 23 May 2025 23:59 GMT+8

A team shall constitute of a minimum of two male and two female, and a maximum of twelve players in total. All players must meet the eligibility criteria as per Regulations 5.1 – 5.3

Entry Details:

	Close of Entries	Entry Link
Mixed Team Championships	25 March 2025 23:59 GMT+8	VOJMTC25 Entry Link
Individual Championships	13 May 2025 23:59 GMT+8	VOJC25 Entry Link

Entry Fees: - NZD\$250 per team - Team Championships
- NZD\$150 per player - Individual Championships (includes a tournament shirt)

Withdrawal

Teams withdrawing within 6 weeks of the tournament will be charged a withdrawal fee of USD750

The last date for withdrawal without penalty for the Individual Championships is Monday 2 June 2025, any withdrawal after this date will incur a penalty of USD250

Accommodation:

The official hotel is [The Crowne Plaza Saipan](#)

Further details regarding the accommodation will be advised no later than 14 March 2025,

Transport

Airport transfers and transport between The Crowne Plaza and the practice and tournament venues will be provided at no charge for those teams/players staying at The Crowne Plaza

Travel details MUST BE submitted on the [official form](#) to Badminton Oceania no later than Friday 23 May 2025

Travel

Teams should arrive at and depart from Saipan International Airport

All travel, visas and travel insurance will be the responsibility of the MA.

Insurance

It is recommended that players and all members of the delegation have travel insurance

Participants are recommended to bring sufficient funds (USD) to cover any medical expenses (the local currency in Saipan is USD)

Visas

The Northern Mariana Islands are a USA territory therefore anyone coming to the Northern Mariana Islands must meet USA requirements.

U.S.A VISA APPLICATION PROCESS

1. Players and officials whose country are not under the visa waiver program, visit <https://travel.state.gov/content/travel/en/us-visas.html> to apply for United States visa.
2. Choose Non-Immigrant Visa, B-1.
3. Fill out form and submit requirements.
Set up appointment for interview and pay fee.

You may be required to appear at the U.S. Embassy or Consulate at your country of origin for interview with the consular officer. For more information, check

<https://travel.state.gov/content/travel/en/us-visas/tourism-visit/visitor.html>

If you require a visa support letter, please complete the VISA Letter Request Form and email to: roselynmonroyo@gmail.com no later than 9 April 2025

If your country is under the Visa Waiver Programme, you need to apply for an ESTA.

ESTA APPLICATION PROCESS

1. Go to this link <https://esta.cbp.dhs.gov/>
2. Click New Application
3. Fill out application
4. Submit
5. Pay

Indemnity

To the extent permitted by applicable law, all players and members of the national delegation shall release Badminton Oceania Confederation and the Host Organiser (Northern Marianas Badminton Association), and their respective officers, officials, employees and representatives, from any and all liability, damage, loss, cost or expense that such players and members of the national delegation may incur as a result or in connection with their participation in the tournament.

Clothing and Advertising Regulations

This tournament will enforce the clothing and advertising regulations as per the [BWF GCRS 20-24](#)

For the Mixed Team competition: as per the [BOC Regulations](#) each player in the team must wear the same colour of shirts and shorts

Country name is MANDATORY

Each team should ideally have two significantly different coloured sets of clothing

For the individual Championships the Player Name is MANDATORY

Anti-doping

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/>

Badminton Integrity

[Section 2.4 of the BWF Statutes \(Code on The Prevention of The Manipulation of Competitions\)](#) 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 match.

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

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

Compliance

Compliance with Section 5.1: General Competition Regulations - Clause 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."

Meetings

The Team Managers meeting for the Mixed Team Championships will be held on Saturday 7 June 2025, 4pm at the Crowne Plaza Resort

The Team Managers meeting for the individual Championships will be on Wednesday 11 June 2025 at the Crowne Plaza Resort at a time to be advised

Air Badminton Competition

There will be an Air Badminton competition played in the evening of Tuesday 10 June following the Mixed Team Championships presentations.

More details will be circulated in due course

Cultural and Education Day

There will be a Cultural and Education Day for all players, coaches and team managers on Wednesday 11 June.

More details will be advised at a later date, however this day will include a sight-seeing excursion and a Welcome Dinner

Key Dates

Team Entry Closing Date	Tuesday 25 March 2025	Entry must be completed on-line via the BWF on-line entry system.
World Junior Ranking Date for Seeding	Tuesday 8 April 2025	Using MS, WS, MD, WD, XD ranking points
Tentative Team Schedule Circulated	Friday 11 April 2025	
Team Manager name and contact details to be advised	Friday 11 April 2025	
Visa Request Form deadline	Wednesday 9 April 2025	
Team Draw	Monday 22 April 2025	
Last date for withdrawal without penalty (Team)	Monday 28 April 2025	Withdrawals after this date will incur a penalty of USD750
Team Entry Fees Due	Friday 9 May 2025	
Team Accommodation to be booked	Friday 9 May 2025	Form to be supplied for Teams on the BOC Player Development Prog.
Oceania Junior Individual Championships close	Tuesday 13 May 2025	23:59 GMT+8
Individuals Accommodation to be booked	Wednesday 14 May 2025	For players not in a team
Oceania Individuals Entry List Published	Friday 16 May 2025	
Oceania Individuals Seeding Date	Tuesday 20 May 2025	Released Friday 23 May
Team Travel Information due	Friday 23 May 2025	https://bit.ly/VOJC25Transport
Team Player Nomination Deadline	Friday 23 May 2025	On-line by 23:59 GMT+8
Individuals Travel Information due	Friday 23 May 2025	https://bit.ly/VOJC25Transport
Last day for Withdrawal Without Penalty (individuals)	Monday 2 June 2025	
Oceania Individuals Draw	Tuesday 3 June 2025	
Individuals Entry Fees Due	Friday 6 June 2025	
Team Arrival	Friday 6 June 2025	or Saturday 7 June before 10am
Team Managers Meeting	Saturday 7 June 2025 - 4pm	At the Crowne Plaza Resort
Team competition starts	Sunday 8 June 2025	Presentations Tuesday 10 June
Education and Cultural Day	Wednesday 11 June 2025	
Individual Championships start	Thursday 12 June 2025	Presentations Sunday 15 June 2025

Queries

For any queries please email: events@badmintonoceania.org

Regards



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