



INVITATION

SANCTIONNED BY : Badminton World Federation - Badminton Europe

PRESENTED BY : Badminton French Federation

MAIN SPONSOR : Saint-Louis AGGLO, ville de Saint-Louis

ORGANIZED BY : V3F - Volant des 3 Frontières

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TOURNAMENT WEBSITE : All links for registration, transport, hotel booking, accreditation and dinner reservation are available on the tournament website :

www.3bij.fr

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DEPUTY REFEREE : to be confirmed

LEVEL OF THE TOURNAMENT

LEVEL : Junior International series

VENUE : Sportenum, allée des Sports 68300 SAINT-LOUIS (FRANCE)

GENERAL : The tournament will be played in accordance with the Laws of Badminton and the Competition Regulations of BWF. The tournament is also played according to the BEC Junior Circuit regulations. In the event of any dispute, the Referee's decision shall be final.

BEC JUNIOR CIRCUIT : The 3 Borders International is part of the official Badminton Europe Junior Circuit 2021 organized by Badminton Europe.

More details can be found on the official web site of BEC at www.badmintoneurope.com

CATEGORIE : U19

SCHEDULE : Friday, January 15th, 2021 – starting 09:00 a.m

Saturday, January 16th, 2021 – starting 09:00 a.m

Sunday, January 17th, 2021 – starting 09:00 a.m

TEAM MANAGERS MEETING : Thursday, January 14th, 2021 - 7:00 p.m, Sportenum Saint-Louis

ELIGIBILITY :

1. Members of the French Federation (French players)
2. Member of an association affiliated to BWF (Foreign players)
3. U-19 players singles, doubles and mixed must be born 2003 or later according to BWF regulation



REGISTRATION

BWF ONLINE U 19 : <https://bwf.tournamentsoftware.com/sport/tournament?id=1162D44F-D404-40DA-BFOA-9D9E4B50EC97>

CLOSING DATE : Entries must be submitted no later than **Tuesday, December 15th, 2020 at 11:59 PM (GMT +08:00)**.

ACCREDITATION PLAYERS AND COACHES : All Coaches, Officials and Parents taking part at the 3 Borders International Junior will have to fill in individually the accreditation form online :

www.3bij.fr

This will enable us to print an ID card which enables access to the site (security check) as well as being the payment card for the onsite catering service (see chapter below).

BWF ID NUMBER : If your player does not have an existing BWF ID number, you have to make a request to BWF with all necessary information well before our closing date !

DRAW SIZE : U19 MS = 64, WS = 64, MD = 32, WD = 32, XD = 48

LIMITATION : It is required that every event in a particular BEC Junior Circuit tournament has at least 8 competitors (i.e. actual competitors, not merely entries). If the required number of competitors is not met, this particular event shall not count towards any ranking.

In accordance with regulation 10.4 in Appendix 6 to BWF's General Competition Regulations, an event must contain at least one entry from a Member other than the hosting Member. If an event does not contain at least one entry from a Member other than the hosting Member, this particular event shall not count towards any ranking.

BADMINTON EUROPE is not liable for any costs incurred by third persons (players, coaches, umpires, team managers etc.) because of an event not having enough competitors to count for the rankings.

COMPLIANCE WITH GENERAL COMPETITION RÉGULATIONS 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."

PLAYING SYSTEM : Knock out system

ENTRY FEES : Singles : **30 € per player**
Doubles : **25 € per player per event**

Payable in advance per Federation. Federations will get an invoice for all their players and teams.

ENTRIES AND ACCOMMODATION PAYABLE IN EUROS TO :

Bank : **Credit Mutuel des trois pays**

IBAN : **FR76 1027 8030 5000 0204 6940 174**

BIC : **CMCIFR2A**

«In favour of 3Borders_2020» entries

According to BEC Junior Circuit Regulation 12.1&12.2 :

The Member that enters a player/pair into a BEC Junior Circuit tournament is responsible for paying the entry fees for that player/pair. The entry fees become due if a player is entered and has not been withdrawn when the entry deadline passes. It is recommended that the entry fees are paid by bank transfer, but the organizers can accept cash payments at tournaments.

The entry fees will not be refunded in the case of a withdrawal. For all the withdrawn players the organisers can invoice the entry fee to the relevant Member.

SEEDING AND DRAW : Seeding and draws will be carried out by Badminton Europe on December 29th 2020

CLOTHING REGULATION : Please refer to the clothing regulations (BEC Junior Circuit Reg. 13)

VISA : It is the Member responsibility to secure visas for their players, if needed. Members shall make sure that visa applications are made early enough.

INSURANCE : The organizer declines all responsibility should injuries or others damages occur. and covering of costs for possible injuries or other damages. It is to each participant to insure himself.

COMPETITION

COURTS : 5 « Swiss Open » mats

SHUTTLES : Yonex AS 50

PRIZES : Cups/practical prizes for the winner and finalist of each event

MEDICAL SERVICE : A physiotherapist service will be available during the tournament

DRUG TESTING : Drug testing may be carried out on a random basis at any time during and/or shortly after the tournament

PRACTICE BEFORE THE COMPETITION : You can train on the courts of the tournament at Thursday, January 14th 3:00 p.m, according to a schedule which will be defined. Thank you for making known your wishes by sending an e-mail to contact3bij@v3f.fr

TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE OVERVIEW :

5 courts/3 days	Round 64	Round 32	Round 16	Quarter Final	Semi Final	Final
MS- 64	32	16	8	4	2	1
WS - 64	32	16	8	4	2	1
MD - 32	-	16	8	4	2	1
WD - 32	-	16	8	4	2	1
XD - 48	16	16	8	4	2	1
TOTAL	112		108		15	

TRAVEL

OFFICIAL POINT OF ARRIVAL : Saint-Louis train station or Bâle-Mulhouse EuroAirport

TRANSPORT : Transfer between Saint-Louis train station or Bâle-Mulhouse EuroAirport and the hall can be arranged upon request addressed to the organizer.

To use the shuttle bus from the 3 Borders International Junior please fill in the transport reservation form available on the official website www.3bij.fr

TRAVEL INFORMATION : Free Transfer from Saint-Louis train station or Airport Bâle-Mulhouse and the hotels will only be provided to players and officials who book their accommodation through the 3 Borders International Junior office.

AIRPORT : The nearest airport is Bâle-Mulhouse EuroAirport which is at 7 minutes away from the hall

TRAIN : Saint-Louis train station is 5 minutes away from the hall

OFFICIAL HOTELS

HOTEL SITUATION : We have selected 4 official hotels for which we will provide shuttle service between the hotel and the Sportenum sport hall. Rooms will be distributed on a first come first served basis.

All information are posted after the October 20th in the website from the tournament. We are in negotiations to have special prices for the competition with 4 hotels.

ACCOMMODATIONS CONDITIONS

REFUND : After the draw has been made, accommodation cost will not be refunded

PAYMENT : All accommodation costs must be paid before December 31th. Your registration will be confirmed upon reception of your deposit. Should you fail to pay the deposit, your reservation will be cancelled and you will be responsible for arranging your accommodation.

EARLY DEPARTURE : There will be no refund on accommodation when leaving earlier than announced

SHUTTLE : All requests and bookings must be made through the travel/accommodation form on the tournament website. Transportation can't be arranged for your team without this information. Please provide the organization with your arrival and departure information as soon as possible.

MEALS

MEALS : A catering service will be available at the Sportenum offering a choice of warm and cold sport meals, snacks and beverages during the entire day at a decent price.

But we need more information about the Covid-19 guideline from Saint-Louis Administration for this service. All information will be published on the website when it is communicated to us.

GENERAL INFORMATION

VISA : All participants needing a visa should request a letter of participation, providing the organization with full name, date of birth, passport number, date of issue, place of issue and expiration date for all players and officials latest per December 14th, 2020. We cannot issue any supporting letter after this date

Visa request : **contact3borders@v3f.fr**

After entering player(s) in the tournament, it is the Member's responsibility to organize visas for their players – if needed. It is the Member's responsibility to make sure that visa applications are made early enough.

INSURANCE : Any special medical treatment or hospitalization due to serious illness or injury is at the players' or officials' own expense.

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.

GENERAL INFORMATION 2

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 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/>

FORMS

Following forms are available on the tournament website under the menu Forms

ACCREDITATION PLAYERS : Players will be registered through the Tournament software entry list.

ACCREDITATION COACHS AND OFFICIALS : Coaches and Official registration

TRAVEL FORM : Travel information registration

ACCOMMODATION FORM : Accommodation registration

DINNER FORM : Dinner registration

We are looking forward to welcome many of you at the 3 Borders International.

It will be a great moment and a beautiful tournament.

