





# **Bahrain International Series 2024**

12<sup>th</sup> – 17<sup>th</sup> November 2024 Manama, Kingdom of Bahrain

**Prospectus** 

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| Organizer              | Bahrain Badminton & Squash Federation Address: Isa Town, Bahrain Tel: +973-39666766 Email: bbsf@bbsf.bh   |  |
|------------------------|---|--|
| Host Organizer         | The Indian Club, Bahrain Address: Road No. 825, Zubara Avenue, Manama, Kingdom of Bahrain Tel: 00973 17253157 Email: indianclubbahrain@gmail.com  |  |
| Main Contact<br>Person | Mr. Arunachalam T. Email: bhseries2024@gmail.com  |  |
| Tournament<br>Director | Mr. Anil Kumar Koliyadan<br>Email: <u>bhseries2024@gmail.com</u>  |  |
| Referee                | Mr. Uday Sane (IND) Email: uday9823063110@yahoo.co.in   |  |
| Deputy Referee         | Mr. Arunachalam T. Email: alsaialuminium.bh@gmail.com   |  |
| Sanctioned by          | Badminton World Federation & Badminton Asia   |  |
| Date                   | 12 <sup>th</sup> (Tuesday) – 17 <sup>th</sup> (Sunday) 2024   |  |
| Venue                  | The Indian Club, Bahrain Address: Road No. 825, Zubara Avenue, Manama, Kingdom of Bahrain   |  |
| Entries                | Member Associations are advised to submit your entries <b>ONLINE</b> at the link provided: <a href="https://bwf.tournamentsoftware.com/tournament/29C3F0F8-9B88-4D5F-BD1B-83CC06CA3D7C">https://bwf.tournamentsoftware.com/tournament/29C3F0F8-9B88-4D5F-BD1B-83CC06CA3D7C</a> Entry Deadline: Tuesday, 15 <sup>th</sup> October 2024   |  |
|                        | Kindly contact BWF at <u>s.ramachandran@bwfbadminton.org</u> or <u>hj.vee@bwf.sport</u> for the username and password if required. The online entry page will close immediately on the entry closing date at 23:59 hours Badminton Asia Headquarters time (+08:00h GMT).  |  |
|                        | <ol> <li>All late submissions including technical error will not be accepted.</li> <li>All entries MUST be submitted by ranking order</li> <li>No changes to the entries are allowed except for withdrawal after the release of the M&amp;Q Report.</li> <li>All entries MUST only be submitted through your Members Association.</li> </ol>  |  |
|                        | For members who are having technical difficulties, kindly contact <b>Mr. Haziq</b> at <a href="mailto:Haziq@badmintonasia.org">Haziq@badmintonasia.org</a> before the Entry Deadline provided above.  |  |
|                        | After the closing date, the BWF Online Entry System will send 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 <b>Wednesday</b> , <b>16</b> <sup>th</sup> <b>October 2024</b> by noon BWF Headquarters time (+08:00h GMT) following close of entries. |  |
| <u> </u>               | If no objection is received by BWF by <b>Thursday</b> , <b>17</b> <sup>th</sup> <b>October 2024</b> , 23:59 hours BWF   |  |



|                     | Headquarters time (+08.00h GMT) following the close of entries, the entries shall be deemed to be correct. No complaints / objections shall be entertained after this point.   |  |  |
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| Entry Fee           | 40 USD (per person, per event).  |  |  |
|                     | PAYMENT INFORMATION  |  |  |
|                     | Bank Name: AHLI UNITED BANK Bank Address: Al Seef District, Manama, Kingdom of Bahrain Account Name: THE INDIAN CLUB Account Number: 0016682971002 IBAN No.: BH08AUBB00016682971002 Swift Code: AUBBBHBM   |  |  |
|                     | All registered players must pay the entry fee as per the above details.  We will send you an invoice as confirmation.  A receipt will be issued after receiving the FULL PAYMENT from you.  Once the FULL PAYMENT is done, please send your payment proof to email <a href="mailto:bhseries2024@gmail.com">bhseries2024@gmail.com</a> or WhatsApp +97337142705 indicating the participant's Name & participating event by Friday, 8th November 2024.  Players who have not paid within the stated deadline, will be removed from the participation list. |  |  |
| Visa<br>Application | Contingents requiring visa for entry into Bahrain, are required to email copies of their passport, their photo to arrange visas.  (The passport copy, photo and visa application forms must be sent no later than (Monday,   |  |  |
|                     | 21st October 2024), to Mr. Arunachalam by email: <a href="mailto:bhseries2024@gmail.com">bhseries2024@gmail.com</a>  |  |  |
|                     | Visa fee of USD 30 will be charged per person & the payment must be made along with  |  |  |
|                     | the entry fee through the payment information provided above.  |  |  |
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| Tentative                | Day   | Date                           | Start Time       | Court/s | Pr                 | ogram          |
|--------------------------|---|--------------------------------|------------------|---------|--------------------|----------------|
| Timetable                | Monday  | 11th November 2024             | 18:00 Hours      |         | Technical (        | Officials      |
|                          |   |                                | 19:00 Hours      | -       | Briefing           |                |
|                          |   |                                |                  |         | Team Mana          | agers Briefing |
|                          | Tuesday   | 12 <sup>th</sup> November 2024 | 09:00 Hours      | 2       | Qualifying         | Draw           |
|                          | Wednesday   | 13th November 2024             | 09:00 Hours      | 2       | Qual / Main Draw   |                |
|                          | Thursday  | 14th November 2024             | 09:00 Hours      | 2       | Preliminary Rounds |                |
|                          | Friday  | 15 <sup>th</sup> November 2024 | 13:00 Hours      | 2       | Quarter Finals     |                |
|                          | Saturday  | 16th November 2024             | 13:00 Hours      | 2       | All Semi Finals    |                |
|                          | Sunday  | 17 <sup>th</sup> November 2024 | 13:00 Hours      | 1       | All Finals         |                |
|                          | *Alterations due to TV coverage or any other reasons to the order of play is possible at the discretion of the <b>Referee.</b> *All events are on strict timetable system; match will be forfeited if the player/players are not present during the time of play when their match is scheduled. |                                |                  |         |                    |                |
| <b>Events &amp; Draw</b> | Event   | Entries - N                    | <b>Main Draw</b> | No. of  | <b>Entries</b> -   |                |
| Size                     |   | Direct                         | Qualifiers       | Qualify | ying draw          |                |
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| Size |  |  |
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| Event              | Entries - | No. of Entries - |                 |
|--------------------|-----------|------------------|-----------------|
|                    | Direct    | Qualifiers       | Qualifying draw |
| Men's Singles      | 24        | 8                | 32              |
| Women's<br>Singles | 12        | 4                | 16              |
| Men's Doubles      | 12        | 4                | 16              |
| Women's<br>Doubles | 12        | 4                | 16              |
| Mixed Doubles      | 12        | 4                | 16              |

#### **Format of Play**

Rally Point System: 3 x 21 points,

Play will be in accordance with the Laws of badminton as mentioned on the web site of BWF.

### **Prize Money & Medals**

Total Prize Money of US\$ 5,000 (tax free) will be distributed at the Prize Giving Ceremony, copy of passport is required for verifications purposes.

|    | Event                | Champion   | Runner-up                             | Semi-finalists |
|----|----------------------|------------|---------------------------------------|----------------|
| *  | Men's Singles        | USD \$ 450 | USD \$ 300                            | USD \$ 125     |
| *  | Women's Singles      | 0.02 ψ 400 | υ υ υ υ υ υ υ υ υ υ υ υ υ υ υ υ υ υ υ | 0 0 D Ψ 120    |
| ** | Men's Doubles        |            |                                       |                |
| ** | Women's Doubles      | USD \$ 450 | USD \$ 300                            | USD \$ 125     |
| ** | <b>Mixed Doubles</b> |            |                                       |                |

#### \* - Per Player, \*\*- Per Pair

The organizer will pay the prize money in cash at the prize giving Ceremony to the players/pairs competing in the finals.

Trophies will be rewarded to all winners & runners up. Medals will be awarded to semifinalists.





| <b>Key Dates</b>               |   |  |  |  |
|--------------------------------|---|--|--|--|
|                                | Entry closing   | Tuesday, 15th October 2024             |  |  |
|                                | Main and Qualifying List, Qualification Draw Seeding  | Tuesday, 15 <sup>th</sup> October 2024 |  |  |
|                                | and Promotions – World Ranking date   | Tuesday, 15 October 2024               |  |  |
|                                | M & Q Publish Date  | Friday, 18th October 2024              |  |  |
|                                | Main Draw Seeding – World Ranking date  | Tuesday, 22 <sup>nd</sup> October 2024 |  |  |
|                                | Seeding Report Publish date   | Friday, 25 <sup>th</sup> October 2024  |  |  |
|                                | Last date for Withdrawals Without Penalty   | Monday, 28 <sup>th</sup> October 2024  |  |  |
|                                | Draw  | Tuesday, 29th October 2024             |  |  |
|                                | * All Documents can be found in Badminton Asia Website:   |  |  |  |
|                                | https://badmintonasia.org/calendar/bahrain-international-seri   | ies-2024/                              |  |  |
| Shuttles                       | Li-Ning / Yang Yang (TBC)   |  |  |  |
| Withdrawals                    | The management of withdrawals will be run in accordance w   | vith BWF GCR 13 and 14.                |  |  |
|                                | Member Associations can withdraw their entries through the system until the last date of withdrawal without penalty (see  | * *                                    |  |  |
|                                | Withdrawals made after this date will incur a penalty in accordance with the BWF Table of Offences and Penalties (BWF Statute 2.5).   |  |  |  |
|                                | Please ensure that the Tournament Referee and Host Organizer are notified immediately in  |  |  |  |
|                                | writing, clearly stating the reason for the withdrawal.  Referee: Mr. Uday Sane (IND) Email: uday9823063110@yahoo.co.in   |  |  |  |
|                                | Deputy Referee: Mr. Arunachalam T., Email: alsaialuminium.bh@gmail.com  |  |  |  |
|                                | Tournament Director: Mr. Anil Kumar Koliyadan; Email: <a href="mailto:bhseries2024@gmail.com">bhseries2024@gmail.com</a>  |  |  |  |
|                                | If a Member Association needs to withdraw any entries once players have arrived in the host   |  |  |  |
|                                | city, notification of withdrawal must be made by the Team Manager in person to the  |  |  |  |
|                                | Tournament Referee and must also be confirmed in writing t  | o:                                     |  |  |
| Competition Rules & Regulation | Relevant Badminton World Federation Regulations shall be  | applicable to this competition.        |  |  |
| Clothing &<br>Advertising      | Clothing and advertising will be permitted in accordance wit<br>Badminton World Federation. (GCR 20 - 24)   | th the competition regulations of      |  |  |
|                                | The player's name on the back of clothing shall be identical Last Name (or an abbreviation thereof) in the BWF Player dathe family name, surname or similar name under the respection Member count. (GCR 23.3)  | atabase. Last Name is defined as       |  |  |
|                                | MANDATORY CLOTHING REGULATIONS  1. Name of player is MANDATORY from the first day 2. From Quarter Finals onwards, doubles partners must 3. From Quarter Finals onwards, opposing players must different colors. | wear clothing of the same colour.      |  |  |





| On Court<br>Doctor   | On Court Doctor will be on duty throughout the competition at the tournament Venue.  |
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| 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 be samples.  Athletes are responsible for any substance found in their body. Before an athlete takes medication, they should check with their doctor, and if necessary, get a Therapeutic UExemption (TUE).  For more information about anti-doping, please visit the BWF website: <a href="https://corporate.bwfbadminton.com/integrity/anti-doping-overview/">https://corporate.bwfbadminton.com/integrity/anti-doping-overview/</a> |  |
| Badminton<br>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, shall 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 matche(s).  For more information, please refer to BWF's website: <a href="https://corporate.bwfbadminton.com/integrity/anti-match-fixing-overview/">https://corporate.bwfbadminton.com/integrity/anti-match-fixing-overview/</a> |
| Compliance with GCR 7.9  | GCR 7.9: "In making or authorizing entries, the Member concerned is reconfirming its acceptance, and acceptance by the Players being entered, of the BWF's regulations and Disciplinary Processes."  |
| Technical<br>Officials<br>Briefing   | 11 <sup>th</sup> November 2024 (Monday) at 18:00 Hours<br>Venue: The Indian Club, Bahrain  |
| Team Managers<br>Meeting   | 11 <sup>th</sup> November 2024 (Monday) at 19:00 Hours Venue: The Indian Club, Bahrain  * As per BWF Regulations, Each Team must be represented in the Team Managers Meeting. Failing to attend may result in penalty.   |





| Hotel /<br>Accommodation<br>Reservation | All of the expenditures (Hotel and Food) must be borne by the respective National Association/Federation of Participants. Hotel Booking is done through the organizer.  Hotel Diva  Address: Building 879, Road 2414, Block 324, Juffair, Kingdom of Bahrain. Tel: (+973)-39307158 / 36688755  |
|---|--|
|   | 1 Bedroom (single Occupancy): BHD 30.300/- per night 1 Bedroom (double Occupancy): BHD 34.300/- per night  * All charges above are per night inclusive of breakfast  For Reservation, please submit your reservation forms to Mr. Arunachalam by email: bhseries2024@gmail.com latest by (Monday, 4th November 2024)   |
| Transportation                          | Transport will be provided by the organizer from <b>Bahrain International Airport</b> ( <b>BAH</b> ) to the official hotel and from official hotel to the hall. Flight Details Form should be sent to the following email no later than <b>Monday</b> , 4 <sup>th</sup> <b>November 2024 Attn: Mr. Arunachalam</b> by email: <a href="mailto:bhseries2024@gmail.com">bhseries2024@gmail.com</a>  |
| Practice<br>Sessions                    | Address: The Indian Club, Road No. 825, Zubara Avenue, Manama, Kingdom of Bahrain  Practice session will be arranged at the tournament venue on 10 <sup>th</sup> & 11 <sup>th</sup> November 2024  Based on arrival times of players.  |
| Indemnity & Insurance                   | Any participating associations and its delegated competitors / officials should agree to indemnity and not hold the Organizer, Host Organizer, and their respective organizing committee, officers, officials, employees, agents, and representative accountable for and against any claims for all liabilities, damage, 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 organizer will NOT be responsible for any injury sustained, at any time, by any player or official arising from his participation in these Championships. 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. All Teams are responsible for their players, coaches, official's health and fitness. |
|   | All Teams are to check and ensure their players are medically fit to play in this tournament.  |





#### **Important Deadlines Deadlines** Contact **Online Entry Link:** 15<sup>th</sup> October **Entry Deadline** https://bwf.tournamentsoftware.com/tour 2024 nament/29C3F0F8-9B88-4D5F-BD1B-8 21st October Visa Letter bhseries2024@gmail.com 2024 4th November 2024 **Flight Details** bhseries2024@gmail.com 4th November 2024 **Hotel Reservation** bhseries2024@gmail.com **M&Q Publish** 18<sup>th</sup> October **Date** 2024 **Seeding Report** 25th October **Publish Date** 2024 **Badminton Asia Website: Last Date of Withd** 28th October https://badmintonasia.org/calendar/bahrai rawal without 2024 n-international-series-2024/ Penalty 29th October **Draw's Report** 2024



