



Bahrain Junior International Series 2024

(U15 & U19)

17th - 22nd September 2024

Manama, Kingdom of Bahrain

The Indian Club, Bahrain

Prospectus

Bahrain Junior International Series 2024

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 / Tournament Director	Mr. Arunachalam Thirunavukkarsu Call / WhatsApp: +973-35007544
Referee	Mr. Sayan Buddhavana (THA) Email: boyonono@hotmail.com
Local Referee	TBC
Sanctioned by	Badminton World Federation & Badminton Asia
Date	17th (Tuesday) – 22nd (Sunday) September 2024
Venue	The Indian Club, Bahrain Road No. 825, Zubara Avenue, Manama, Kingdom of Bahrain
Entry Fee	USD \$ 20 (per event, per person) Entry fees must be paid at the venue on the first day of the event
Entries	<p>Member Associations are advised to submit your entries ONLINE at the link provided: https://bwf.tournamentsoftware.com/tournament/711D12B8-744A-4E8D-A55B-94544D915FD8</p> <p>Entry Deadline: Tuesday, 20th August 2024</p> <p>Kindly contact BWF at s.ramachandran@bwf.sport or hj.yee@bwf.sport 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).</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. All late submissions including technical error will not be accepted.2. All entries MUST be submitted by ranking order3. No changes to the entries is allowed except for withdrawal after the release of the M&Q Report.4. All entries MUST only be submitted through your Members Association. <p>For members who are having technical difficulties, kindly contact Mr. Haziq at haziq@badmintonasia.org before the Entry Deadline provided above.</p> <p>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 Wednesday, 21 August 2024 by noon BWF Headquarters time (+08.00h GMT) following close of entries.</p> <p>If no objection is received by BWF by Thursday, 22 August 2024, 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.</p>

Tentative Timetable	Day	Date	Start Time	Court/s	Program
	Monday	16 September 2024	18:00 Hours 19:00 Hours	-	Technical Officials Briefing Team Managers Meeting
	Tuesday	17 September 2024	08:30 Hours	2	Preliminary Rounds (Qualifying draw & Main Draw)
	Wednesday	18 September 2024	08:30 Hours	2	Preliminary
	Thursday	19 September 2024	08:30 Hours	2	Preliminary
	Friday	20 September 2024	08:30 Hours	2	Quarter Finals
	Saturday	21 September 2024	12:00 Hours	2	All Semi Finals
	Sunday	22 September 2024	16:00 Hours	2	All Finals
<p>*Alterations due to TV coverage or Times and order of play may be changed at the discretion of the Tournament Referee.</p> <p>*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.</p>					
Events & Draw Size	Events (U19, U15)	Entries - Main Draw		No. of Entries - Qualifying draw	
		Direct	Qualifiers		
	Men's Singles	24	8	16	
	Women's Singles	12	4	8	
	Men's Doubles	12	4	8	
	Women's Doubles	12	4	8	
Mixed Doubles	12	4	8		
<p>Entries beyond the number specified above (according to BWF Junior ranking) will automatically go on a reserve list. You will be informed about the status of your entries.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Players must be members of a Member Association affiliated to the BWF. 2. Open for players according to the BWF-age-limit 3. Each Player are allowed to participate in a maximum of 3 Event Category (1 Singles, 1 Doubles and 1 Mixed) 4. Players are allowed to participate in different age groups so long as they follow the age eligibility below. 5. Players are not allowed to participate in the same event of different age groups <p>Example: Allowed - U19 MS, U15 MD, U15 XD Not Allowed – U19 MS, U15 MS</p> <p>*Under 19* All players must be under 19 years old throughout the calendar year of the tournament. i.e. born on or after 1st January 2006. The minimum age for all players shall be 12 years old, i.e. born on or before 31st December 2012.</p> <p>*Under 15* All players must be under 15 years old throughout the calendar year of the tournament. i.e. born on or after 1st January 2010. The minimum age for all players shall be 10 years old, i.e. born on or before 31st December 2014.</p>					
Format of Play	<p>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.</p>				
Prize Money & Medals	<p>NO Prize Money. Trophies will be rewarded to all winners & runners up. Medals will be awarded to Semifinalists.</p>				

Key Dates	Entry closing	Tuesday, 20 August 2024
	Main and Qualifying List, Qualification Draw Seeding and Promotions – World Ranking date	Tuesday, 20 August 2024
	M & Q Publish Date	Friday, 23 August 2024
	Main Draw Seeding – World Ranking date	Tuesday, 27 August 2024
	Seeding Report Publish date	Friday, 30 August 2024
	Last date for Withdrawals Without Penalty	Monday, 9 September 2024
	Draw	Tuesday, 10 September 2024
<p>* All Documents can be found in Badminton Asia Website: https://badmintonasia.org/calendar/bahrain-junior-international-series/</p>		
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Withdrawals	<p>The management of withdrawals will be run in accordance with BWF GCR 13 and 14.</p> <p>Member Associations can withdraw their entries through the BWF Online Group Entry system until the last date of withdrawal without penalty (see Key Dates Section)</p> <p>Withdrawals made after this date will incur a penalty in accordance with the BWF Table of Offences and Penalties (BWF Statute 2.5).</p> <p>Please ensure that the Tournament Referee and Host Organizer are notified immediately in writing, clearly stating the reason for the withdrawal.</p> <p>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 to:</p> <p>Referee: Mr. Sayan Buddhavana (THA) Email: boyonono@hotmail.com</p> <p>Deputy Referee: TBC</p> <p>Tournament Director: TBC</p>	
Competition Rules & Regulation	<p>The Junior Tournament Regulations (BWF Statutes, Section 5.2.3) shall be applicable to the Championship. The General Competition Regulations (BWF Statutes, Section 5.1) and Badminton Asia Junior Circuit Tournament Regulations will apply except where specific provisions are contained in the Junior Tournament Regulations. Where there is any conflict or apparent conflict, the Junior Tournament Regulations shall take precedence. In the event of any dispute, the decision of the Tournament Referee will be final.</p>	
Clothing & Advertising	<p>Clothing and advertising will be permitted in accordance with the competition regulations of Badminton World Federation. (GCR 20 - 24)</p> <p>The player's name on the back of clothing shall be identical with the name registered as the Last Name (or an abbreviation thereof) in the BWF Player database. Last Name is defined as the family name, surname or similar name under the respective naming protocol of the Member count. (GCR 23.3)</p> <p><u>MANDATORY CLOTHING REGULATIONS</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Name of player is MANDATORY from the first day of the event. 2. From Quarter Finals onwards, doubles partners must wear clothing of the same colour. 3. From Quarter Finals onwards, opposing players must wear clothing of significantly different colors. 	
On Court Doctor	<p>On Court Doctor will be on duty throughout the competition at the tournament Venue.</p>	
Doping Control	<p>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.</p> <p>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).</p> <p>For more information about anti-doping, please visit the BWF website: https://corporate.bwfbadminton.com/integrity/anti-doping-overview/</p>	

Badminton Integrity	<p>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.</p> <p>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.</p> <p>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(es).</p> <p>For more information, please refer to BWF’s website: https://corporate.bwfbadminton.com/integrity/anti-match-fixing-overview/</p>
Compliance with GCR 7.9	<p>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.”</p>
Technical Officials Briefing	<p>16 September 2024 (Monday) at 18:00 Hours Venue: The Indian Club, Bahrain</p>
Team Managers Meeting	<p>16 September 2024 (Monday) at 19:00 Hours Venue: The Indian Club, Bahrain</p> <p>* As per BWF Regulations, Each Team must be represented in the Team Managers Meeting. Failing to attend may result in penalty.</p>
Visa Application	<p>Contingents requiring visa for entry into Bahrain, are required to email copies of their passport, their photo to arrange visas.</p> <p>(The passport copy, photo and visa application forms must be sent no later than Sunday, 25th August 2024, to Mr. Arunachalam by email: juniorseriesbh24@gmail.com)</p>
Hotel / Accommodation Reservation	<p><u>IMPERIAL SUITES HOTEL</u> Address: Building No. 36, Road no: 820, Block 308, Qudaibya, Manama, Kingdom of Bahrain.</p> <p>7-Minutes’ walk from Venue.</p> <p><u>Rates:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Superior Room – Single Occupancy with BB = BD.23/Night • Superior Room – Double Occupancy with BB = BD.28/Night • All above charges are per night inclusive of breakfast <p>For Hotel Reservations Email : juniorseriesbh24@gmail.com</p>
Transportation	<p>For Airport Pick up & Drop-off, Email: juniorseriesbh24@gmail.com</p>
Practice Sessions	<p>Practice sessions from 15th & 16th September 2024 will be arranged upon arrival.</p> <p>Venue: The Indian Club, Bahrain</p>

Indemnity & Insurance	<p>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.</p> <p>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.</p> <p>All Teams are to check and ensure their players & officials are medically fit to participate in this tournament.</p>
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Important Deadlines	Datelines		Contact	
	Entry Deadline	Tuesday 20 August 2024	Online Entry Link https://bwf.tournamentsoftware.com/tournament/711D12B8-744A-4E8D-A55B-94544D915FD8	
	Visa Letter & Passport copies	Sunday 25 August 2024	Mr. Arunachalam juniorseriesbh23@gmail.com	
	Flight Details	Sunday 25 August 2024	juniorseriesbh24@gmail.com	
	Hotel Reservation			
	M&Q Publish Date	Friday 23 August 2024	Badminton Asia Website https://badmintonasia.org/calendar/bahrain-junior-international-series/	
	Seeding Report Publish Date	Friday 30 August 2024		
	Last Date of Withdrawal without Penalty	Monday 9 September 2024		
Draw's Report	Tuesday 10 September 2024			

