



TOYOTA International Challenge 2024

**26th – 31st March 2024
Nakhon Ratchasima , THAILAND**

Prospectus

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Referee	Ms. AU, Man Fung Simon (HKG) Email : simon.au.hk@outlook.com				
Deputy Referee	Mr. (THA) Email :				
Sanctioned by	Badminton World Federation & Badminton Asia				
Date	(Week 13) Tuesday, March 26th – Sunday, March 31st 2024				
Venue	Terminal Hall Address: 99 Mittraphap Rd, Nai Mueang, Mueang Nakhon Ratchasima District, Nakhon Ratchasima 30000				
Entry Fee	US\$ 40 (Per Player)				
Entries	<p>Member Associations are advised to submit your entries ONLINE at the link provided : https://bwf.tournamentsoftware.com/tournament/B7B9B1F8-B149-442C-93DC-A0D70EC2C12B</p> <p>Entry Dateline: Tuesday, February 27, 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 order 3. 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 Ms. Belle at belleng@badmintonasia.org before the Entry Dateline 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 (next day of the entries closing date) by noon BWF Headquarters time (+08.00h GMT) following close of entries.</p> <p>If no objection is received by BWF by Thursday (second day after the entries closing day) 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	25 th March 2024	16:00 Hours	-	Technical Officials Briefing
	Monday	25 th March 2024	17:00 Hours	-	Team Managers Meeting
	Tuesday	26 th March 2024	08:30 Hours	4	Preliminary Rounds
	Wednesday	27 th March 2024	08:30 Hours	4	Preliminary Rounds
	Thursday	28 th March 2024	11:00 Hours	4	Preliminary Rounds
	Friday	29 th March 2024	11:00 Hours	3	Quarter Finals
	Saturday	30 th March 2024	11:00 Hours	2	All Semi Finals
	Sunday	31 st March 2024	11:00 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 Referee.				

	*All events are on strict timetable system, match will be forfeited if the player are not present during the time of play when their match is scheduled.					
Events & Draw Size	Event		Entries - Main Draw		No. of Entries - Qualifying draw	
			Direct	Qualifiers		
	Men's Singles		48	16	32	
	Women's Singles		24	8	16	
	Men's Doubles		24	8	16	
	Women's Doubles		24	8	16	
	Mixed Doubles		24	8	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\$ 25,000 will be distributed at the Prize Giving Ceremony, copy of passport is required for verifications purposes.					
		Event	Champion	Runner-up	Semi-finalists	Quarter-finalists
	*	Men's Singles				
	*	Women's Singles				
	**	Men's Doubles	US\$ 2,000	US\$ 1,200	US 500	US\$ 200
	**	Women's Doubles				
	**	Mixed Doubles				
	* - Per Player, ** - Per Pair The organizer will pay the prize money in cash during the prize giving Ceremony to the Finalists Medals will be rewarded to all winners & runners up					
Key Dates	Entry closing				Tuesday, February 27, 2024	
	Main and Qualifying List, Qualification Draw seeding & Promotions – World Ranking date				Tuesday, February 27, 2024	
	M & Q Publish Date				Friday, March 1, 2024	
	Main Draw Seeding – World Ranking date				Tuesday, March 5, 2024	
	Seeding Report Publish date				Friday, March 8, 2024	
	Last date for Withdrawals Without Penalty				Monday, March 11, 2024	
	Draw				Tuesday, March 12, 2024	
	* All Documents can be found in Badminton Asia Website : https://badmintonasia.org/tournaments/badminton-asia-event-calendars/toyota-gazoo-racing-international-challenge-2024					
Shuttles	Yonex AS 50					
Withdrawals	The management of withdrawals will be run in accordance with BWF GCR 13 and 14.					
	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)					
	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 Organiser are notified immediately in writing, clearly stating the reason for the withdrawal. 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, or Deputy Referee(s), and must also be confirmed in writing to:					

	<p>Referee: Ms. AU, Man Fung Simon (HKG) Email : simon.au.hk@outlook.com</p> <p>Deputy Referee: (THA) Email :</p>
Competition Rules & Regulation	Relevant Badminton World Federation Regulations shall be applicable to this competition.
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	On Court Doctor will be on duty throughout the competition at the tournament Venue.
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	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 Officials Briefing	<p>25th March 2024 (Monday) at 16:00 Hours Venue : Terminal Hall</p>
Team Managers Meeting	<p>25th March 2024 (Monday) at 17:00 Hours Venue : Terminal Hall</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>All players and officials require a visa to enter Thailand, please complete the Visa form by National Association and return to Ms.Sitla (May) by</p> <p>E-mail : Maybeztla@gmail.com, not later than Monday, 26 February 2024.</p>																
Hotel / Accommodation Reservation	<p>Official Hotel</p> <table border="1" data-bbox="316 365 1390 651"> <thead> <tr> <th rowspan="2">Hotel</th> <th>Room Rate</th> <th rowspan="2">Address</th> </tr> <tr> <th>Single/ Twin</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Centre Point Hotel Terminal 21</td> <td>US\$ 100</td> <td>99 Thanon Mittraphap, Tambon Nai Mueang, Mueang Nakhon Ratchasima District, Nakhon Ratchasima 30000</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Fortune Hotel Korat</td> <td>US\$ 80</td> <td>311 Mitraphap Rd. T.Naimuang Amphoe Muang Nakhon Ratchasima 30000</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p>Reservation should be made by completing the attached Hotel Reservation Form and must be send to Ms.Sitla (May) by e-mail : Maybeztla@gmail.com, not later than Monday, 26 February 2024. Any booking and changes after this date will be subjected to room availability and higher rates.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Plus bank service charge \$30 USD per transaction. <p>Remark:</p> <p>Check-in time is at 14:00 hours on the day of arrival. We are unable to guarantee any early check -in arrivals unless arrangements have been made to pre-block for one night earlier.</p> <p>Guaranteed Early Check In</p> <table data-bbox="316 1070 919 1099"> <tr> <td>Before 12:00 hrs</td> <td>1 night room charge</td> </tr> </table> <p>Check-out time is at 12:00 hours on the day of departure. Any request for check-out later than 12:00 hrs on the day of departure is subject to room availability.</p> <p>Guaranteed Early Check out</p> <table data-bbox="316 1238 962 1317"> <tr> <td>Between 12:00 - 18:00 hrs</td> <td>50% of the room charge</td> </tr> <tr> <td>After 18:00 hrs</td> <td>1 night room charge</td> </tr> </table> <p>Confirmation</p> <p>We will send you a confirmation and provides you the hotel details after closing date or after having received your confirmation email.</p> <p>Cancellation Fees</p> <p>No cancellation for all confirmed booking (Guarantee booking apply)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cancellations of the rooms cannot be made at the check-in. Injuries, visa problems or sickness are not valid reasons for cancellation of rooms. • All damages to property of hotels or venues resulting from the stay of a national (regional) delegation shall be charged to the National federation and paid in full. <p>An early departure / Amendment of dates after check in shall be subjected to the 100% cancellation fees.</p>	Hotel	Room Rate	Address	Single/ Twin	Centre Point Hotel Terminal 21	US\$ 100	99 Thanon Mittraphap, Tambon Nai Mueang, Mueang Nakhon Ratchasima District, Nakhon Ratchasima 30000	Fortune Hotel Korat	US\$ 80	311 Mitraphap Rd. T.Naimuang Amphoe Muang Nakhon Ratchasima 30000	Before 12:00 hrs	1 night room charge	Between 12:00 - 18:00 hrs	50% of the room charge	After 18:00 hrs	1 night room charge
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Transportation	<p>Airport transport to be provide from Suvarnabhumi Airport and Donmueang Airport, for players that booked and stay at official hotel upon request only.</p> <p>Please complete the transportation form to Ms.Sitla (May) by e-mail : Maybeztla@gmail.com, not later than Monday, 26 February 2024. Official hotel is walking distance to the venue.</p> <p>No transportation will be provided if the form is submitted after the due date.</p>																

Practice Sessions	<p>Practice courts will be available from 24 to 29 March 2024</p> <p>Please complete the transportation form to Ms. Sitla (May) by e-mail : Maybeztl@gmail.com, not later than Monday, 26 February 2024.</p>																										
Accreditation	<p>Players and Team Officials are required to wear passes to enter the tournament venue. Kindly complete the Accreditation Form and email to Ms.Sitla (May) by e-mail : Maybeztl@gmail.com, not later than Monday, 26 February 2024.</p>																										
Indemnity & Insurance	<p>Any participating associations and its delegated competitors / officials should agree to indemnity and not hold the organizing 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.</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.</p> <p>Please ensure that your players & team officials possess the requisite insurance coverage to meet current requirements.</p>																										
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