

# BADMINTON ASIA - WEST ASIA (Under 17 & Under 15) REGIONAL JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIPS 2024 (Mixed Team & Individual Event)

# **PROSPECTUS**

Muscat, Oman 7<sup>th</sup> -12<sup>th</sup> October 2024

| Organizer      | Badminton Asia Unit 1016, 10th Floor, Block A, Damansara Intan, Jalan SS20/27, 47400, Petaling Jaya, Selangor, MALAYSIA Tel: +603 7733 8962/ +603 7733 8964 E-mail: belleng@badmintonasia.org Website: badmintonasia.org  |
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| Host Organizer | Oman Racket Sports Committee Address. Box 434, P.C 123 Al Seeb, Muscat. Tel: +968 99455202 Email: westasiaoman@gmail.com, abdulraheim@gmail.com   |
| Date           | 6 Event Days<br>7 <sup>th</sup> (Monday) - 12 <sup>th</sup> (Sunday) October 2024   |
| Venue          | Sultan Qaboos Complex, Main Sports Hall<br>Bowsher, Muscat, Oman.   |
|                | Member Associations are advised to submit their entries <b>ONLINE</b> at the link provided to <b>submit BOTH entries</b>  |
|                | Mixed Team Event <a href="https://bwf.tournamentsoftware.com/sport/tournament.aspx?id=9cbd8a18-27cd-4049-bca2-3a3ee38aca7d">https://bwf.tournamentsoftware.com/sport/tournament.aspx?id=9cbd8a18-27cd-4049-bca2-3a3ee38aca7d</a>  |
|                | Individual Event <a href="https://bwf.tournamentsoftware.com/tournament/704B38AD-F6A6-45D5-B5AB-5325480D6317">https://bwf.tournamentsoftware.com/tournament/704B38AD-F6A6-45D5-B5AB-5325480D6317</a>  |
|                | Entry Deadline<br>Submission for Entry: Tuesday, 10 <sup>th</sup> September 2024  |
|                | Kindly contact <b>BWF</b> at <u>s.ramachandran@bwf.sport</u> or <u>hj.yee@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 p.m. Badminton Asia Headquarters time (+08:00h GMT).   |
| Entries        | <ol> <li>All late submissions including technical error will not be accepted.</li> <li>All individual entries MUST be submitted by ranking order</li> <li>No changes to the entries is allowed except for withdrawal after the entry deadline.</li> <li>All entries MUST only be submitted through your Members Association.</li> <li>Badminton Asia has the right to reject entries of any Member Associations, if entry is considered against the interest of the Championships and/or contains a condition unresolved by the entry deadline.</li> <li>Badminton Asia has the right to reject entries of any Member Associations, if it violates BWF STATUTES GCR 6: International Representations</li> </ol> |
|                | For members who are having technical difficulties, kindly contact <b>Mr. Paul Roukoz</b> at <a href="mailto:paul.roukoz@badmintonasia.org">paul.roukoz@badmintonasia.org</a> <b>before the entry deadline</b> 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 Wednesday (next day of the entries closing date) by noon BWF Headquarters time (+08.00h GMT) following close of entries.   |
|                | 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.  |

|             | Day  | Date                          | Time                           |           | Play                 |
|-------------|--|-------------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------|----------------------|
|             | Sunday 6   | 6 <sup>th</sup> October 2024  | 16:00 Hrs                      |           | l Officials Briefing |
|             | <u>-</u>   |                               | 17:00 Hrs                      |           | anagers Meeting      |
|             | Monday   | 7 <sup>th</sup> October 2024  | 09:00 Hrs                      |           | ents Day 1           |
|             | Tuesday  | 8 <sup>th</sup> October 2024  | 09:00 Hrs                      | Team Ev   | ent Day 2            |
|             |  | 9 <sup>th</sup> October 2024  | Morning Session<br>09:00Hrs    | Team Ev   | ent Semi-Finals      |
|             | Wednesday  | 9 October 2024                | Afternoon Session<br>14:00 Hrs | Team Ev   | ent Final            |
| Tentative   | Thursday   | 10th October 2024             |                                | Individua | al Event Day 1       |
| Timetable   | Friday   | 11th October 2024             | 09:00 Hrs                      | Individua | al Event Day 2       |
| Timetable   | Cotundor   | 12 <sup>th</sup> October 2024 | Morning Session<br>09:00Hrs    | Individua | al Semi-Finals       |
|             | Saturday   | 12" October 2024              | Afternoon Session<br>14:00 Hrs | Individua | al Finals            |
|             | *The above schedule may be changed at the discretion of the <b>Referee/ Badminton Asia</b> .  *All events/ ties will be run on a strict timetable system. Player(s) or pair(s) who are not ready to play at their scheduled time or arriving late for a match will be considered as no-show.   |                               |                                |           |                      |
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| Eligibility | Member Associations of Oman, United Arab Emirates, Saudi Arabia, Qatar, Bahrain, Kuwait, Lebanon, Syria, Palestine, Jordan, Iraq and Yemen are Eligible  |                               |                                |           |                      |
|             | A Mixed Team will be formed with:  - Under 17 - Maximum of 4 Players (2 Men's & 2 Women's)  - Under 15 - Maximum of 4 Players (2 Men's & 2 Women's)  Events: MS, WS, MD, WD & XD  Mixed Team Championships will be played in two stages:  a) Group Stage (Qualifying Stage): Round Robin within groups of Two (2): All Five (5)  Events will be played |                               |                                |           |                      |
|             | b) <b>Knock Out Stage (Final Stage):</b> Top Two (2) teams from each group will advance to the knock out stage in Quarter Finals, Semi-finals and finals: Best of Three (3) shall win the tie  |                               |                                |           |                      |
|             | Example of Group Stage Draw (All 5 Events will be played):   |                               |                                |           |                      |
|             |  | Ranking<br>Order              | Members                        | Seed      |                      |
| Team Event  |  | 1                             | Member A                       | 1         |                      |
| Team Lyent  |  | 2                             | Member B                       | 2         |                      |
|             |  | 3                             | Member C                       | 3         |                      |
|             |  | 4                             | Member D                       | 4         |                      |
|             |  | 5                             | Member E                       |           | 1                    |
|             |  | 6                             | Member F                       |           |                      |
|             |  | 7                             | Member G                       |           |                      |
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Group D

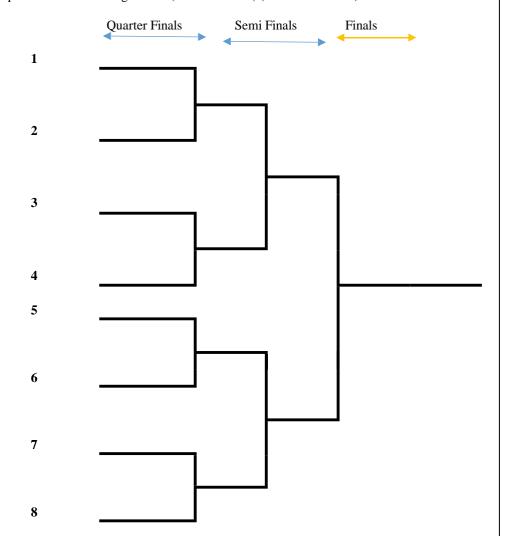
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## **Group Stage Draw's Methodology**

- 1. Team of 6 will be Drawn into 2 Groups (Group A, Group B)
- 2. Draws shall be conducted by Badminton Asia.
- 3. Top 2 ranked teams shall be dealt with as follows:
  - **I.** Seed No. 1 placed at the top of Group A
  - **II.** Seed No. 2 placed at the top of Group D
  - **III.** Seed No 3 & 4 will be drawn into the top position of B & C
- **4.** The other ranked teams shall be randomly drawn into the remaining positions.
- 5. Top 2 from each group will automatically be promoted into the Final Stage

Example of Knock Out Stage Draw (Best of Three (3) shall win the tie):



# **Important Note:**

Badminton Asia reserves the right to determine the number of group(s) and the size of each group for the Group Stage to be decided based on the number of participating teams.

Badminton Asia reserves the right to determine the size of the draw for the Knock-Out Stage accordingly based on the number participating teams.

Badminton Asia reserves the right for final decision for any matter related to the championships

## **Individual Event**

Individual Event consist of two age group

Under 17 – MS, WS, MD, WD, XD Under 15 - MS, WS, MD, WD, XD

Full Knock Out Format will be used in all Individual Events using 3 x 21 Point Scoring System

| Events<br>(U17 / U15) | Maximum Entries Per<br>Member Association | Maximum Entries For<br>Host |
|-----------------------|---|-----------------------------|
| Men's Singles         | 2   | 3                           |
| Women's Singles       | 2   | 3                           |
| Men's Doubles         | 1   | 2                           |
| Women's Doubles       | 1   | 2                           |
| Mixed Doubles         | 2   | 3                           |

#### \*Under 17\*

All players must be under 17 years old throughout the calendar year of the tournament. i.e. **born on or after** 1st **January 2008.** The minimum age for all players shall be 14 years old, i.e. **born on or before 31st December 2010.** 

#### \*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 12 years old, i.e. born on or before 31st December 2012.

All players MUST have a BWF Player's ID before submission of the entries.

Players with no BWF ID must contact their National Association Accordingly.

All players **MUST** be the passport holder of the represented countries.

All players MUST meet the eligible age stated above.

## \*IMPORTANT NOTE\*

- Players are allowed to participate in a maximum of 4 events (One (1) Team, Three (3) Individuals) (Events MS, WS, MD, WD, XD)
- Players are not allowed to play in the same event of different age group

#### Example:

- If Player A participate in Under 17 MS, he is not allowed to participate in Under 15 MS
- If Player A participate in Under 17 MS, Players are allowed to participate in Under 15 MD and/or Under 15 XD, so long as the age eligibility has been met.
- For Players whom does not meet any of the requirements above, Badminton Asia had a right to immediately remove the player from participation

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| Key Dates                       | Week  | Day/Date Action                   |                                | Action                    |  |
|---------------------------------|---|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------|--|
|                                 | Week 1  | 1 <sup>st</sup> October 202       | 24                             | Draw                      |  |
|                                 | Week 2  | 17 <sup>th</sup> September 2      | 0024                           | World Ranking for Seeding |  |
|                                 | Week 3  | 10 <sup>th</sup> September 2      | 024                            | Entry Submission Deadline |  |
|                                 | All relevant documents can be found on Badminton Asia Website as follows: <a href="https://badmintonasia.org/calendar/badminton-asia-west-asia-regional-championships-2024/">https://badmintonasia.org/calendar/badminton-asia-west-asia-regional-championships-2024/</a>   |                                   |                                |                           |  |
| Clothing & Advertising          | Clothing and advertising will be permitted in accordance with the competition regulations of Badminton World Federation. (GCR 20 - 24)  |                                   |                                |                           |  |
|                                 | 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)   |                                   |                                |                           |  |
|                                 | MANDATORY (   | CLOTHING REGULATI                 | ONS                            |                           |  |
|                                 | <ol> <li>Name of player and Member is MANDATORY from the first day of the event.</li> <li>All participating teams must wear team colours. That is, each player must wear the colour and design of shirts and shorts (or equivalent articles of clothing) throughout 3. Opposing players must wear clothing of significantly different colours.</li> <li>It's Mandatory for doubles partners to wear pair shirts.</li> </ol> |                                   |                                |                           |  |
| On Court Doctor                 | On Court Doctor   | will be on duty throughout        | the competition at             | the tournament Venue.     |  |
| Referee                         | Ms. Fariba Madadi<br>Email: madadi_fariba@yahoo.com   |                                   |                                |                           |  |
| Deputy Referee                  | ТВС   |                                   |                                |                           |  |
| Technical<br>Officials Briefing | Date: 6 <sup>th</sup> October 2024 (Sunday) at 16:00 Hours.<br>Venue: Sultan Qaboos Complex (Lecture Room)  |                                   |                                |                           |  |
|                                 | Date: 6 <sup>th</sup> October 2024 (Sunday) at 17:00 Hours. Venue: Sultan Qaboos Complex (Lecture Room)   |                                   |                                |                           |  |
| Team Managers                   | As per BWF Regulations, the Team/member association must be represented in the Managers' Meeting.   |                                   |                                |                           |  |
| Meeting                         | Member Associations must appoint ONE (1) team manager to facilitate communication.  |                                   |                                |                           |  |
|                                 | It's compulsory that all team managers must attend the team managers meeting. Failing to attend the meeting are liable to be fined as per BWF Statutes. Members Associations can make a request someone to represent them at the meeting as long as the Referee knows in advance that is acceptable.  |                                   |                                |                           |  |
| Visa Application                | that is acceptable.  All players and officials require a visa to enter Oman, please complete the Visa form by Nation al Association and return to Ms. Atheer Al Ismail, by email: westasiaoman@gmail.com no late r than Friday 23 <sup>rd</sup> August 2024   |                                   |                                |                           |  |
| Hotel /                         | Official Hotel  |                                   |                                |                           |  |
| Accommodation<br>Reservation    |   | Room Rate                         |                                |                           |  |
|                                 | Hotel   | Single/<br>(Deluxe)<br>full board | Twin<br>(Deluxe)<br>full board | Address                   |  |

|                                       | 1. Rozana Hotel   | US\$ 80 | US\$ 60/ per<br>person | Al Maha St, Muscat<br>133, Bowshar |     |
|---------------------------------------|---|---------|------------------------|------------------------------------|-----|
|                                       | For Reservation of the Official Hotel, kindly fill up the Accommodation Form attached and email to Ms. Atheer Al Ismail, by email: westasiaoman@gmail.com no later than Monday 26 <sup>th</sup> August 2024  IMPORTANT * Meals (breakfast, lunch, dinner) will be provided  Available Payment Option Pay By Credit Card Pay By Bank Transfer  |         |                        |                                    |     |
|                                       |   |         |                        |                                    |     |
|                                       |   |         |                        |                                    |     |
|                                       | Room Subsidy (Provided by Host)  Host will provide each team a maximum of 5 (Five) twin rooms (2 Pax per room up to 10 Pax – 8 players + 2 officials) with includes Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner for a Maximum of 7 Nights   |         |                        |                                    |     |
|                                       | Room Subsidy will only<br>team has less than 10 p   |         | gly, and rooms will    | be reduced proportionally if       | the |
| Airfare/<br>Transportation<br>by Road | Transportation costs to Oman and back to their respective country are full paid by the Member Association (sending party)   |         |                        |                                    |     |
| Transportation                        | Teams must arrive at Muscat International Airport (MCT)   |         |                        |                                    |     |
|                                       | Transportation between the airport, hotel and tournament venue will only be provided if the team has booked the official hotel(s) with the local host organizer.  |         |                        | am                                 |     |
|                                       | All teams must complete and send the transport form to Ms. Atheer Al Ismail, by email: westasiaoman@gmail.com no later than Monday 26th August 2024   |         |                        |                                    |     |
|                                       | No transportation will be provided if the form is submitted after the due date.   |         |                        |                                    |     |
| Accreditation                         | Please submit your Accreditation Forms to Ms. Atheer Al Ismail, by email: westasiaoman@gmail.com no later than Monday 26 <sup>th</sup> August 2024  |         |                        |                                    |     |
| On Court Doctor                       | On Court Doctor will be on duty throughout the competition at the tournament Venue.   |         |                        |                                    |     |
| 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:   |         |                        | de                                 |     |
| Compliance with                       | https://corporate.bwfbadminton.com/integrity/anti-match-fixing-overview/  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  |         |                        |                                    |     |
| GCR 7.9                               | Disciplinary Processes.   |         | is being entered,      | or are Divi a regulations          | unu |
| Indemnity &<br>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**

| Description                              | Datelines                                     |   |  |  |
|--|---|---|--|--|
| Online Entry                             | 10 <sup>th</sup> September<br>2024<br>Tuesday | Online Entry Link: (Mixed Team Event) https://bwf.tournamentsoftware.com/sport/to urnament.aspx?id=9cbd8a18-27cd-4049- bca2-3a3ee38aca7d  (Individual Event) https://bwf.tournamentsoftware.com/tourna ment/704B38AD-F6A6-45D5-B5AB- 5325480D6317 |  |  |
| Visa Application                         | 23 <sup>rd</sup> August 2024<br>Friday        |   |  |  |
| Hotel Reservation                        |   | Ms. Atheer Al Ismail Email: westasiaoman@gmail.com  |  |  |
| Transportation                           | 26 <sup>th</sup> August 2024<br>Monday        |   |  |  |
| Accreditation                            |   |   |  |  |
| M&Q Publish Date                         | 13 <sup>th</sup> September<br>2024<br>Friday  | Badminton Asia Website: https://badmintonasia.org/calendar/badminto n-asia-west-asia-regional-championships-20  |  |  |
| Seeding Report Publish<br>Date           | 20 <sup>th</sup> September<br>2024<br>Friday  | 24/   |  |  |
| Last Date of Withdrawa l without Penalty | 30 <sup>th</sup> September<br>2024<br>Monday  |   |  |  |
| Draws Report                             | 1 <sup>st</sup> October<br>2024<br>Tuesday    |   |  |  |