



25th - 30th August 2026

Hue, VIETNAM

Prospectus



FELET Vietnam International Series 2026

Organizer	Vietnam Badminton Federation Address: 36 Tran Phu Street, Ba Dinh Ward, Hanoi City, Vietnam Tel: + 84 24 37379085 Email: info@vbf.net.vn
Host Organizer	Hue City Department of Culture and Sports Address: 8 Ly Thuong Kiet Street, Thuan Hoa Ward, Hue City Tel: + 84 2343 823024
Main Contact Person / Tournament Manager	Email: vietnamseries.vie@gmail.com
Referee	Ms. Fariba Madadi (IRI) Email: Madadi_fariba@yahoo.com
Deputy Referee	Ms. Hoang Thi Thu Ha (VIE) Email: hoangha1606@gmail.com
Sanctioned by	Badminton World Federation & Badminton Asia
Date	25th (Tuesday) - 30th (Sunday) August 2026
Venue	Name: Hue City Sports Center Arena Address: 01 Ha Huy Tap Road, Vy Da Ward, Hue City
Entry Fee	<p>Singles: US\$ 50 Per Player Doubles: US\$ 40 Per Player (US\$ 80 Per Pair) Online transfer /cash upon arrival.</p> <p><u>Bank Transfer Details</u></p> <p>Bank Name : Joint - Stock Commercial Bank for Foreign Trade of Vietnam - Operation Centre (Vietcombank) Address of Bank : 191 Ba Trieu Street, Hai Ba Trung Ward, Hanoi, Vietnam Bank SWIFT Code : BFTVVNVX Beneficiary Account Name : VIETNAM BADMINTON FEDERATION Beneficiary Address : 36 Tran Phu Street, Ba Dinh Ward, Hanoi, Vietnam Account Number : 001.1.37.1428500</p> <p>Note: Entry fees must be transferred online /paid in cash at the tournament before the first scheduled match.</p> <p>Member Associations will be received invoice for all entries as confirmation on Wednesday, 19th August 2026 with payment due by Monday, 24th August 2026. A receipt will be issued after having received the full payment from Member Associations.</p> <p>The Member Association that enters a player into the tournament is responsible for paying the entry fees for that player. The entry fees become due if a player is entered and has not been withdrawn when the entry deadline passes. The entry fees will not be refunded in the case of a withdrawal.</p> <p>Failing which may result in the players being removed from participation.</p> <p>Kindly send to Ms. Tang Huyen by email: vietnamseries.vie@gmail.com for more information for online payment procedures or invoices.</p>

Member Associations are advised to submit your entries **ONLINE** at the link provided:
<https://bwf.tournamentsoftware.com/tournament/1F6D30A3-B1E9-4E46-A98F-82E4345642A5>

Entry Deadline: Tuesday, 28th July 2026

Kindly contact **BWF** at technicalevents@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).

1. All late submissions including technical errors will **not be accepted**.
2. All entries **MUST** be submitted by ranking order
3. **No changes** to the entries are allowed except for withdrawal after the close of entries until the draw has been made.
4. All entries **MUST** only be submitted through your Members Association.

For members who are having technical difficulties, kindly contact **Mr. Haziq** at haziq@badmintonasia.org before the Entry deadline provided above.

After the closing date, the BWF Online Entry System will send a 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 (the 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 (the 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.

Entries

Tentative Timetable

Day	Date	Start Time	Court/s	Program
Monday	24 th August 2026	15:00 Hours	-	Technical Officials Briefing
Monday	24 th August 2026	16:00 Hours	-	Team Managers Meeting
Tuesday	25 th August 2026	08:30 Hours	4	Qualifying Round/ Preliminary Rounds
Wednesday	26 th August 2026	08:30 Hours	4	Preliminary Rounds
Thursday	27 th August 2026	09:00 Hours	4	Preliminary Rounds
Friday	28 th August 2026	09:00 Hours	4	Quarter Finals
Saturday	29 th August 2026	09:00 Hours	2	All Semi Finals
Sunday	30 th August 2026	09:00 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 a strict timetable system, match will be forfeited if the player is 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 to the Laws of Badminton as mentioned on the web site of BWF.

Prize Money & Medals	Total Prize Money of US\$ 10,000 (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	US\$ 900	US\$ 600	US\$ 250
	*	Women's Singles	US\$ 900	US\$ 600	US\$ 250
	**	Men's Doubles	US\$ 900	US\$ 600	US\$ 250
	**	Women's Doubles	US\$ 900	US\$ 600	US\$ 250
	**	Mixed Doubles	US\$ 900	US\$ 600	US\$ 250
	* - 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 Main and Qualifying List – World Ranking date			Tuesday, 28th July 2026	
	M & Q Publish Date			Friday, 31st July 2026	
	Last date for Withdrawals Without Penalty			Monday, 17th August 2026	
	Seeding Report – World Ranking date Draw			Tuesday, 18th August 2026	
	* All Documents can be found in Badminton Asia Website				
	Badminton Asia Website https://badmintonasia.org/calendar/felet-vietnam-international-series-2026/				
	BWF Fansite (Schedule & Results): https://bwfbadminton.com/tournament/5851/felet-vietnam-international-series-2026/info				
Shuttles	FELET NO.2 - ORANGE				
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:				
	Referee: Ms. Fariba Madadi (IRI)	Email: Madadi_fariba@yahoo.com			
	Deputy Referee: Ms. Hoang Thi Thu Ha (VIE)	Email: hoanghal606@gmail.com			
	Tournament Manager: Mr. Le Thanh Ha;	Email: vietnamseries.vie@gmail.com			
Competition Rules & Regulation	Relevant Badminton World Federation Regulations shall be applicable to this competition.				
	Seed Withdrawal Movement will be implemented in this tournament You may refer to BWF STATUTES General Competition Regulation 11.3				

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 country. (GCR 23.3)</p> <p><u>MANDATORY CLOTHING REGULATIONS</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Name of the player is MANDATORY from the first day of the event. 2. From Quarterfinals onwards, doubles partners must wear clothing of the same colour. 3. From Quarterfinals onwards, opposing players must wear clothing of significantly different colours.
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>24th August (Monday) at 15:00 Hours Venue: Competition Hall</p>
Team Managers Meeting	<p>24th August (Monday) at 16:00 Hours Venue: Competition 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

Contingents requiring visa for entry into Vietnam, are required to email copies of their passport, their photo to arrange visas.

Any visa support letter issued by the tournament host does not guarantee entry into **Vietnam**, the final decision is made the Government of VIETNAM

The passport copy, photo and visa application forms must be sent no later than **Tuesday, 4th August 2026**, to **Mrs. Tang Huyen** by email: vietnamseries.vie@gmail.com

Could apply for an E-Visa via the link: <https://evisa.gov.vn/>

Notes on visa exemptions:

- Citizens of Belarus, South Korea, Japan, Germany, Denmark, Russia, Norway, Finland, France, Sweden, Spain, Italia, when entering Vietnam within 45 days.
- United Kingdom when entering Vietnam within 45 days. (excluding British passport holders abroad - BNO)
- Citizens of Brunei, Myanmar when entering Vietnam within 14 days
- Citizens of Philippines when entering Vietnam within 21 days
- Citizens of Cambodia, Indonesia, Kyrgyzstan, Laos, Thailand, Kazakhstan when entering Vietnam within 30 days
- Malaysia when entering Vietnam within 30 days (For tourism; participate in news and press activities; go on official business; visit relatives; trade negotiations; invest; attend sports activities; attend conferences and seminars)
- Singapore when entering Vietnam within 30 days (Entry is not for the purpose of profitable operations)
- Chile, Panama when entering Vietnam within 90 days (Entry is not for the purpose of profitable operations)

The tournament host and hosting Member will only communicate with a Member. The hosting Member will only provide a visa support letter if the form is completed accurately and comprehensively, and supporting documentation is provided, where requested.

The tournament host and hosting Member accepts no responsibility for withdrawals made due to late or refused visa applications.

It is the responsibility of the Member to apply for the necessary visas in sufficient time, and all matters should be directed to the Embassy in charge.

Hotel / Accommodation 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.

1. MUONG THANH HOLIDAY HOTEL (4 Star)

Address: 38 Le Loi Street, Thuan Hoa Ward, Hue City, Vietnam

Deluxe Twin room: US\$ 60 (35 rooms available)

Deluxe Twin room River View: US\$ 70 (10 rooms available)

Premium Deluxe King: US\$ 100 (5 rooms available)

2. White Lotus Hue Hotel (4 Star)

Address: 05-07 Hoang Hoa Tham Street, Hue City, Vietnam

Superior room - 01 King Bed: US\$ 60 (15 rooms available)

Deluxe room River View - 01 King Bed or 2 Single Bed US\$ 70 (15 rooms available)

Kindly note the following:

There are limited rooms available in the hotel. The allotment will be made on a first-come, first-served basis. Hotel reservations should be made ONLY through the Organizing Committee.

* All charges above are per night inclusive of breakfast;

* Free Wi-Fi internet access in room and public areas and Fitness Center, infinity swimming Pools;

	<p>* Check in time is from 2:00 PM, and check out time is at or before 12:00 PM (noon);</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Check in before 05:00am will be charged 100% of the prevailing rates; - Check in from 10:00am will be charged 50% of the prevailing rates; - Check out until: 18:00pm will be charged 50% of the prevailing rates; - Check out after: 18:00pm will be charged 100% of the prevailing rates; <p>We can only provide accommodation to those registered using the Hotel Request Form. no later than Monday, 3rd August 2026. No guarantee for the availability of rooms can be given for late bookings.</p> <p>For Reservation, please submit your reservation forms to Mrs. Tang Huyen by email: vietnamseries.vie@gmail.com</p> <p>Payment should be settled directly to the Organizer in cash only, can settled upon arrival at the hotel. No accept credit card.</p> <p>Cancellation Fees:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - No cancellation for all confirmed bookings (Guarantee booking applies) Cancellation of rooms cannot be made at check-in. Injuries, Visa problems or sickness are not valid reasons for cancellation of rooms. - No refund for all confirmed booking. - 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. - An early departure /Amendment of dates after check in shall be subjected to the 100% cancellation fees.
Transportation	<p>Transport will be provided by the organizer from Phu Bai International Airport (HUI) to the official hotel and from the official hotel to the hall during the tournament for participants who booked hotel through the organization.</p> <p>Kindly submit the Flight Details Form no later than Monday, 17th August 2026. Contact Person: Mrs. Tang Huyen by email: vietnamseries.vie@gmail.com</p> <p>Airport transport to be provide for players that booked and stay at the official hotel upon request only.</p> <p>Transport will be provided free of charge between PhuBai International Airport (PIA) to the official hotels, to the venue and back only for participants who booked hotel through the organization.</p> <p>Those who make their own hotel bookings (not through the LOC), transport will not be provided.</p> <p>No transportation will be provided if the Form is submitted after the due date.;</p>
Practice Sessions	<p>Practice sessions from 23rd to 30th August 2026 will be arranged upon arrival.</p> <p><u>Hue Tourism College Gymnasium</u></p> <p>Address: 01 Diem Phung Thi Road, Vy Da Ward, Hue City</p> <p>Practice session will be arranged at the tournament venue also on Sunday, 23rd August 2026</p> <p>Please complete and return this form to Mr. Nguyen Quang Kieu Khuyet at email: kieukhuyen@gmail.com and cc to vietnamseries.vie@gmail.com not later than Monday, 15th August 2026</p>
Accreditation	<p>Please submit your Accreditation Forms to Mrs. Tang Huyen by email: vietnamseries.vie@gmail.com latest by Friday, 14th August 2026</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.</p> <p>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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