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2018 **MACAU**  
Open Badminton



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澳門羽毛球世界羽聯世界巡迴賽

30<sup>th</sup> October to 4<sup>th</sup> November 2018





**1) Organizer:**

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**2) Sanctioned By:**

**Badminton World Federation (BWF)**

**3) Dates:**

30<sup>th</sup> October to 4<sup>th</sup> November 2018

**4) Competition Venue:**

**Tap Seac Multisport Pavilion Macau**

Address : Rua de Ferreira do Amaral, Macau

**5) Referees:**

Referee: Julie Carrel (NZL); Email: [julie.carrel.nz@gmail.com](mailto:julie.carrel.nz@gmail.com)

Deputy Referee: Surasak Songvarakulpan (THA); Email: [surasak.bat@gmail.com](mailto:surasak.bat@gmail.com)

**6) Prize Money: US\$150,000**

(Distribution of prize money is in accordance with BWF Regulations).

Events	Winners	RunnersUp	Semi-finalist	Quarter finalists	Last 16
MS	11,250	5,700	2,175	900	525
WS	11,250	5,700	2,175	900	525
MD (Pair)	11,850	5,700	2,100	1,087.5	562.5
WD (Pair)	11,850	5,700	2,100	1,087.5	562.5
XD (Pair)	11,850	5,700	2,100	1,087.5	562.5

**Medals for all winners, runners-up and two third-placing.**

**7) Events:**

Event	Entries		Max Entries for Qualifying Round
	Main Draw	Qualifiers	
Men's Singles	28	4	16
Women's Singles	28	4	8
Men's Doubles	28	4	8
Women's Doubles	28	4	8
Mixed Doubles	28	4	8

**8) Eligibility:**

All BWF member associations.



**9) Entries Closing Date: 25<sup>th</sup> September 2018**

1. Member Associations are advised to log on to 2018 Macau Open Badminton at: <https://bwf.tournamentsoftware.com/sport/tournament.aspx?id=1E3283ED-B678-42A1-BE6B-0E1E8A8C662D> and submit the entries online.
2. You will require a username and password to submit your entries and this can be obtained from the BWF: please contact S. Ramachandran at [s.ramachandran@bwfbadminton.org](mailto:s.ramachandran@bwfbadminton.org).
3. The online entry page will close immediately on the entries closing date at 23:59 hours BWF Headquarters time (+08:00h GMT) and you are required to submit the entries on time. Late entries will not be accepted.
4. No entry forms are required by Member Association. All entries must be submitted online only.
5. 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.
6. The Member Associations should contact BWF immediately if such notice is not received by Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> September 2018 (next day of the entries closing date) by noon BWF Headquarters time (+08.00h GMT) following close of entries.
7. If no objection is received by BWF by Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> September 2018 (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.

**10) Seedings / Draw: Seeding and draw will be conducted by BWF using the following dates:**

World Ranking Date for M&Q	– 27 <sup>th</sup> September 2018
Publish M&Q	– 28 <sup>th</sup> September 2018
Seedings Date	– 4 <sup>th</sup> October 2018
Publish Seeding Report	– 5 <sup>th</sup> October 2018
Last Date for withdrawal without penalty	– 8 <sup>th</sup> October 2018
Date for Draw to be done	– 9 <sup>th</sup> October 2018

**11) Tentative Schedule:**

Day	Date	Starting Time	Rounds	Courts
1	30 <sup>th</sup> October	09:00	Qualifying Rounds & R32 – XD	4
2	31 <sup>st</sup> October	09:00	R32 - MS, WS, MD, WD, XD	4
3	1 <sup>st</sup> November	12:00	R16	3
4	2 <sup>nd</sup> November	12:00	Quarter-Finals	3
5	3 <sup>rd</sup> November	12:00	Semi-Finals	1
6	4 <sup>th</sup> November	12:00	Finals	1

- 4 pairs from Qualifying Round of XD will play their first round on Day2.
- The above schedule is subject to change at the discretion of the Referee and the Organizer.



**12) Rules & Regulations:**

This tournament is run following the BWF General Competition Regulations, including GCR 20-24 for players clothing and the BWF World Tour Regulations. In the event any dispute, the decision of the Tournament Referee will be final.

**13) Shuttlecock:**

Protech – Masterpiece

**14) Doping Test:**

**Dope testing** will be conducted via random and targeted testing throughout the tournament. Please consult BWF anti-doping regulations for more information.

**15) On-court Doctor:**

There will be on-court doctors on duty throughout the competition at the tournament venue.

**16) Team Managers' Meeting:**

The Team Managers' Meeting will be conducted on 29<sup>th</sup> October at 1500hrs, located at Tap Seac Multisport Pavilion Macau, Room B229.

"It is compulsory that all team managers must attend the team managers meeting. Failing to attend the meeting they are liable to be fined as per the Table of Offences and Penalties (BWF Statutes, Section 2.5) and following GCR 9.3.3. Member Associations can make a request someone to represent them at the meeting as long as Referee knows in advance that is acceptable."

**17) Technical Officials' Meeting:**

The Technical Officials' Meeting will be conducted on 29<sup>th</sup> October at 1630hrs, located at Tap Seac Multisport Pavilion Macau, Room B229.

**18) Welcome Dinner**

The Organizer will invite all the Teams Officials and Players to attend the Welcome Dinner on 29<sup>th</sup> October at 1900hrs, located at Grand Ballroom, Studio City, Macau.

**19) Press Interview:**

Players are required to attend **press interviews** immediately after their respective matches and at any requested time (e.g. press conference, practice sessions, etc.) whenever necessary.

**20) Practice Courts:**

- Practice schedule at the tournament venue will be prepared according to the teams' arrival details and size of each team. The Schedule will be decided by the Referee and not on a first come first served basis.
- Practice in the practice courts will be available from 28<sup>th</sup> October 2018. The Organizing Committee will prepare an overall equitable practice schedule, taking into considerations the size of each team and priority on a first-come-first-serve request basis.



- Practice sessions can be arranged upon request through the tournament secretariat at the hotel. However, this is subject to court availability. Team with players still in the competition will be accorded to higher priority in booking of practice/ training courts.

## 21) Official Hotel:

### Hotel Royal

Address: Estrada da Vitoria 2-4, Macau

Website: [www.hotelroyal.com.mo](http://www.hotelroyal.com.mo)

*[The Competition Venue and Practice Venue are within a short walking distance (around 3 mins) from the Hotel Royal.]*

### Special Room Rates for Players & Team Officials:

Single/Twin Room @ US\$160 nett per room per night inclusive of breakfast

### Reservations / Deposit / Cancellation:

- Hotel Reservation Form must be submitted to the Organizer no later than **4<sup>th</sup> October 2018** to email [macauopen.org@gmail.com](mailto:macauopen.org@gmail.com)
- Any Hotel Reservation Form submitted after 4<sup>th</sup> October 2018, Organizer cannot guarantee the special room rates and rooms availability.
- 100% of the total reservation amount should be made to the Organizer through bank transfer no later than **4<sup>th</sup> October 2018**. Room reservation will not be guaranteed if the Organizer does not receive the full payment.
- In case of any cancellation or modify or no show made after **4<sup>th</sup> October 2018**, the total price of the reservation will be charged.

## 22) Accreditation:

Players and Team Officials are required to wear passes to enter all venues at all times. Please return the Team Official Accreditation Form to email [macauopen.org@gmail.com](mailto:macauopen.org@gmail.com) no later than **18<sup>th</sup> October 2018**.

Accreditation passes will be issued to nominated team officials on the following scale:

- Teams with up to 10 Players - 3 Team Officials
- Teams with between 11-16 Players - 4 Team Officials
- Teams with between 17-25 Players - 5 Team Officials
- Teams with over 25 Players - 6 Team Officials

Note: Accreditation ID passes are for accompanying officials and any additional passes will have to be purchased at USD\$100 each.

## 23) Transportation:

Shuttle Transport will only be provided between the airport/ ferry pier/ Official Hotel upon arrival and departure. This shuttle service will only be applicable to the participants who have made the reservation through the Organizer.



**24) Flight Details:**

Teams are requested to inform and provide the Organizer their arrival date, time and flight number etc. before **18<sup>th</sup> October 2018**.

**25) Video Recording**

- Video recording within the playing arena is only permitted by players and Team Officials of competing Member Associations from clearly defined points using video accreditation passes. There are a limited number of these positions and passes available, and prior authorization must be obtained in advance, and accreditation must be clearly displayed on the cameras. The Championships reserves the right to remove any non-accredited items of equipment.
- Member Associations may be liable for any costs incurred by the BWF if their video footage is used for any other purpose.

**26) Indemnity & Insurance:**

Any participating member associations and its delegated competitors /officials should agree to indemnity and hold the organizing committee free and unaccountable for and against any claims for personal injury, death or property damage, arising out of or in any way resulting from the participation in the said tournament.

**Please ensure that your players and team officials are covered with the necessary insurance policy to meet the current requirements.**

**27) Visa:**

Visa for Macau can be applied upon landing. Please visit the Macau Government Tourist Office website for more information on getting to Macau.

Website: <http://en.macaotourism.gov.mo/index.php>