



**Badminton  
Confederation  
Africa**



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## CAMEROON INTERNATIONAL 2018

On behalf of the **Badminton Federation of Cameroon (BFC)**, we have the pleasure to invite your Association to participate in the Cameroon International 2018 (International Series) which will be held from Thursday 14 to Sunday 17 June 2018 in Yaoundé. Information on the tournament are as follows:

<b>EVENT</b>	<b>CAMEROON INTERNATIONAL 2018 International Series USD 10,000</b>
<b>VENUE</b>	<u>Palais des sports de Yaoundé</u> Yaoundé  Practice sessions can be arranged on arrival upon request and will be subject to court availability.
<b>DATES</b>	Thursday 14 to Sunday 17 June 2018
<b>EVENTS</b>	Men's Singles, Women's Singles, Men's Doubles, Women's Doubles and Mixed Doubles
<b>VISA</b>	Application for visa must be made to the Cameroon Embassy in your country. Support letter will be provided upon request from your association.  For those who do not have Cameroon Embassy in their country, visas can be obtained on arrival at the Yaoundé International Airport. Players and Official are requested to send all relevant documents (Passport Copy, Air Ticket, etc) to BFC by <b>22 May 2018</b> for visa on arrival.

ACCOMMODATION	<p>(1) <u>Hôtel Mirador</u> Yaoundé</p> <p>Price (Full board – Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Double Room: <b>USD 50 / Person</b></li> <li>▪ Single Room: <b>USD 65 / Person</b></li> </ul> <p>(2) <u>Azur Hotel</u> Yaoundé</p> <p>Price (Full board – Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Double Room: <b>USD 60 / Person</b></li> <li>▪ Single Room: <b>USD 75 / Person</b></li> </ul> <p>Check in/out at the hotel is 12h00. The accommodation and meals charges must be paid immediately upon arrival. Hotel reservations are made <b>ONLY</b> through the organization committee.</p>	
	ENTRY FEE	\$50 per participant (Non-African)
AIRPORT	Yaoundé Nsimalen International Airport <i>Airport Code : NSI</i>	
	Douala International Airport <i>Airport Code : DLA</i>	
REFEREE	Karin Bester – RSA (BWF Accredited Referee) Email: <a href="mailto:karinbester79@gmail.com">karinbester79@gmail.com</a>	
SHUTTLECOCK	RSL Tourney Number 1 (BWF Approved)	
LOCAL TRANSPORTATION	Local transportations will be provided free of charge to participants and officials provided that all transfer information are sent at least 7 days from arrival.	
	The Hotels are approximately 20 km from the Airport and the Badminton Hall is 3 km from the Hotel.	
TEMPERATURE	In June, the temperature varies around 25°C during the day and at night it's around 22°C.	
KEYS DATES		
	Closing date of entries	Tuesday 15 May 2018
	Main and Qualifying Report World Ranking date	Thursday 17 May 2018
	Main and Qualifying Report publish on BCA webpage	Friday 18 May 2018
	Seeding Report World Ranking date	Thursday 24 May 2018
	Seeding Report publish on BCA webpage	Friday 25 May 2018
	Last day of withdrawal without penalty	Monday 28 May 2018
	DRAW	Tuesday 29 May 2018

<b>PRIZE MONEY (USD 10,000)</b>	<b>Rank</b>	<b>MS</b>	<b>WS</b>	<b>MD</b>	<b>WD</b>	<b>XD</b>
	<b>Winner</b>	1200	1200	400	400	400
				400	400	400
	<b>Runner up</b>	650	650	200	200	200
				200	200	200
	<b>Semi</b>	250	250	75	75	75
				75	75	75
	<b>Semi</b>	250	250	75	75	75
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	<b>Quarter</b>	100	100	No Prize Money		
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<b>ENTRIES</b>	<p>All entries must be made by using the BWF Online Entry System. Entries must be submitted no later than <b>Tuesday 15 May 2018 at 23h59 BWF HQ (Kuala Lumpur) time (GMT + 08.00)</b></p> <p>For online entries, Member Associations must log on to the Cameroon International 2018 at:  <a href="https://www.tournamentsoftware.com/sport/tournament.aspx?id=464A662D-1322-4EAF-A4C0-CE7F2EE5F140">https://www.tournamentsoftware.com/sport/tournament.aspx?id=464A662D-1322-4EAF-A4C0-CE7F2EE5F140</a></p> <p>No entry form is needed to submit by online entry system. You require a username and password to submit your entries online. This can be obtained from BWF by contacting Mr Ramachandran <a href="mailto:s.ramachandran@bwfbadminton.org">s.ramachandran@bwfbadminton.org</a>.</p> <p>All entries must be confirmed by the National Association. Organizers are allowed to refuse entries if players are on the current BWF banned list. No late entries will be accepted.</p>
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<b>DRAW SIZES</b>	<b>Event</b>	<b>Entries – Main Draw</b>		<b>No. of Entries – Qualifying draw</b>
		<b>Direct</b>	<b>Qualifiers</b>	
	<b>Men's Singles</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>64</b>
	<b>Women's Singles</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>32</b>
	<b>Men's Doubles</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>16</b>
	<b>Women's Doubles</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>16</b>
	<b>Mixed Doubles</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>16</b>

<p><b>BWF ID</b></p>	<p>Players cannot be entered unless they already have a BWF ID-number. In case you wish to enter players who do not have a BWF ID-number, you can now generate new BWF IDs for your players via Tournament Software.</p> <p>If ever you need help to generate new BWF IDs, please contact BWF or BCA (for African countries) well in advance of the tournament, so that the players concerned can be assigned BWF ID-numbers before the closing date of the tournament.</p>															
<p><b>SCHEDULE OF PLAY</b></p>	<table border="1" data-bbox="520 562 1465 1115"> <thead> <tr> <th>Day</th> <th>Date</th> <th>Play</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Thursday</td> <td>14 Jun</td> <td>Qualifying Rounds / Round 32 Main Draw</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Friday</td> <td>15 Jun</td> <td>Matches round 32 and round 16 (MS/WS/MD/WD/XD)</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Saturday</td> <td>16 Jun 09h00 14h30</td> <td>All Quarter-Finals (MS/WS/MD/WD/XD) All Semi-Finals (MS/WS/MD/WD/XD)</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Sunday</td> <td>17 Jun</td> <td>Finals (MS/WS/MD/WD/XD)</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p><i>(All times are subject to change, detailed schedule will be published after the draw)</i></p>	Day	Date	Play	Thursday	14 Jun	Qualifying Rounds / Round 32 Main Draw	Friday	15 Jun	Matches round 32 and round 16 (MS/WS/MD/WD/XD)	Saturday	16 Jun 09h00 14h30	All Quarter-Finals (MS/WS/MD/WD/XD) All Semi-Finals (MS/WS/MD/WD/XD)	Sunday	17 Jun	Finals (MS/WS/MD/WD/XD)
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<p><b>TEAM MANAGERS' MEETING</b></p>	<p><b>Wednesday 13 June 2018 @ 18h30</b> in the meeting room of the official Hotel or the hall. These schedules are subject to change, please contact the organisers for more details.</p>															
<p><b>WITHDRAWALS</b></p>	<p>Withdrawal of players without penalty is <b>Monday 28 May 2018</b>. Players withdrawing after Monday 28 May 2018 or no-show will have to pay a fine of US\$ 150 and US\$ 500 respectively.</p>															
<p><b>INSURANCE</b></p>	<p>Participants must arrange their own insurance for health, travel and property. The organisers will not be responsible for any medical costs.</p>															
<p><b>CONDITIONS</b></p>	<p>The tournament will be played on a knock-out system and in full accordance with the General Competition Regulations of the BWF and the instructions of Badminton Confederation Africa. Competitors must be prepared to play at the times determined for the events for which they have entered.</p> <p>Players shall not plan their departure less than four (4) hours after their last match is plan to conclude. Such a player/pair shall lose all the ranking points gained and Badminton Confederation Africa shall propose to BWF that the gained BWF ranking points are removed.</p>															

	<p>According to the BWF General Competition Regulations, there is no world ranking points for an International with less than 8 entries in (MS, WS, MD, WD and XD). In such a case, the tournament may be cancelled and the organisers will not take any responsibility for any arrangements that may have been already made.</p>
<p>CONTACTS</p>	<p><b><u><a href="#">Badminton Federation of Cameroon</a></u></b>  Email: <a href="mailto:odetta252000@gmail.com">odetta252000@gmail.com</a>   <a href="mailto:badfecam@yahoo.fr">badfecam@yahoo.fr</a>  Phone: +237 677701924   +237 699525121   +237 677425254</p> <p><b><u><a href="#">Badminton Confederation Africa</a></u></b>  Email: <a href="mailto:bcaedoo@gmail.com">bcaedoo@gmail.com</a>  Phone: +23057149100</p>

We are at your complete disposal for any additional information you may need, don't hesitate to contact us.

Yours faithfully,




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