



# **MONGOLIA INTERNATIONAL CHALLENGE 2019**

**25<sup>th</sup> -30<sup>th</sup> June, 2019**

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**OFFICIAL INVITATION**

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**ULAANBAATAR  
MONGOLIA**

1. **ORGANIZER:**

**MONGOLIAN BADMINTON ASSOCIATION**

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2. **DATE:**

**25<sup>th</sup> (Tue.) - 30<sup>th</sup> (Sun.) June, 2019**

3. **REFEREES:**

Referee: Mr. Tomoharu SANO (JPN)  
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Deputy Referee: Mr. Zulbaatar Galkhuu (MGL)  
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4. **TOURNAMENT VENUE:** National Sports Centre

Address: Mongolia, Ulaanbaatar,  
Baga toiruu, 4<sup>th</sup> Kuhoroo

5. **PROVISIONAL TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE:**

DAY	DATE	STARTING TIME	ROUND
Tuesday	25 <sup>th</sup> June	9:00	Qualifying / Preliminary rounds
Wednesday	26 <sup>th</sup> June	10:00	Preliminary rounds
Thursday	27 <sup>th</sup> June	10:00	Preliminary rounds
Friday	28 <sup>th</sup> June	10:00	Quarter Finals
Saturday	29 <sup>th</sup> June	12:00	Semi Finals
Sunday	30 <sup>th</sup> June	14:00	Finals

The starting time and rounds to be played may be changed at the discretion of the Referee.

- NOTE:
- The schedule is subject to confirmation by the Referee.
  - Alterations due to TV-coverage or any other reason are possible and will be announced by the Referee.

- **All events will be on a strict timetable system. Competitors who are not ready to play at the time for which their match is scheduled will be scratched.**

**6. PRIZE MONEY: US\$25,000 (BWF Grade 3 International Challenge Event)**

- Payment is subject to the local tax law 5%.
- Medals will be awarded to all Winners, Runners-Up and 2 Third Placings.
- It is compulsory for all Winners and Runners-Up to attend the Prize Giving Ceremony.  
( BWF Statutes, Section 5.3.6)
- Following is the distribution of prize money:

Events	Winners	Runners-Up	Semi-Finalists	Quarter-Finalists	Last 16
MS	US\$ 1875	US\$ 950	US\$362.5	US\$ 150	US\$ 87.5
WS	US\$ 1875	US\$ 950	US\$362.5	US\$ 150	US\$ 87.5

MD (Pair)	US\$ 1975	US\$ 950	US\$ 350	US\$ 181.25	US\$93.75
WD (Pair)	US\$ 1975	US\$ 950	US\$ 350	US\$ 181.25	US\$93.75
XD (Pair)	US\$ 1975	US\$ 950	US\$ 350	US\$ 181.25	US\$93.75

**7. EVENTS:**

Events			Entries		Max Entries for Qualifying Rounds
			Main Draw	Qualifiers	
Men's	Singles	(MS)	24	8	16
Women's	Singles	(WS)	24	8	16
Men's	Doubles	(MD)	24	8	16
Women's	Doubles	(WD)	24	8	16
Mixed	Doubles	(XD)	24	8	16

- Players may be requested to play in qualifying rounds on Tuesday, 25<sup>th</sup> June 2019, when more entries than the above are received.:
- Players may be on reserves when more than acceptable entries received.

**8. ENTRY: **Entry Closing Date: Tuesday, 28<sup>th</sup> May 2019****

- Member Associations are advised to log on to layers may be on reserves when more than acceptable entries received. to **Mongolia International Challenge 2019:**

<http://bwf.tournamentsoftware.com/sport/tournament.aspx?id=941D6D53-E65C-444A-80D7-439EF549E94A> submit the entries online.

- You will require a username and password to submit your entries and this can be obtained from the BWF. Please contact Mr. Shanmugam: [s.ramachandran@bwfbadminton.org](mailto:s.ramachandran@bwfbadminton.org).
- The online entry page will close immediately on the entries closing date at 23:59 hours Badminton Asia Headquarters time (+08:00h GMT) and you are required to submit the entries on time. Including technical error of the system, late entries will not be accepted.
- In case of technical error, kindly contact Ms Belle Ng at [belleng@badmintonasia.org](mailto:belleng@badmintonasia.org) before the entry dateline.
- No entry forms are required, all entries must be submitted by National Associations only.
- 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 Association 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 not be entertained after this point.

9. **SCORING SYSTEM:** The best of 3 games Rally Point scoring system (3 ×21 points)

10. **SERVICE LAWS:** **Fixed Service Height Laws will be implemented.**

11. **SHUTTLECOCKS:** TBC

12. **PRACTICE VENUE:** National Training Centre “B” Hall

- Practice Courts: 2 Courts
- Practice Schedule; Practice schedule will be provided on arrival.

- Practice Shuttlecocks: Each participating Member Association will be provided practice shuttlecocks during Tournament in accordance with Badminton Asia Grade 3 Tournament Regulations. (12.4)

### 13. IMPORTANT MEETINGS: Conducted by the Referee on 24<sup>th</sup> June 2019

TYPE of MEETING	DATE	TIME	VENUE
<b>Team Manager's Meeting</b>	Monday <b>24<sup>th</sup> June, 2019</b>	<b>14:00</b> Hours	<b>Chinggis Khaan Hotel</b> ( The Official Hotel )
<b>Umpire's Briefing</b>	Monday <b>24<sup>th</sup> June, 2019</b>	<b>15:00</b> Hours	<b>Chinggis Khaan Hotel</b> ( The Official Hotel )

**NOTE:** As per BWF Regulations, the team must be represented in the Manager's Meeting.

- " It is compulsory that all team managers must attend the team manager's Meeting. Failing to attend the meeting they are liable to be fined as per BWF Statutes Chapter 2 – Section 2.5 "Tables of Offences and Penalties" (Section 2.2.6. Coaches and Educators Code of Conduct 4.3 ; Team Manager Role)  
  
Member Associations can make a request someone to represent them at the meeting as long as the Referee knows in advance that is acceptable".

### 14. KEY DATES:

- **Seeding and Draw : will be conducted by Badminton Asia.**

<b>Entry Closing Date:</b>	28 <sup>th</sup> May 2019
<b>World Ranking Date for M&amp;Q:</b>	28 <sup>th</sup> May 2019
<b>Qualifying Draw Seeding:</b>	
<b>Publish Date for M&amp;Q Report:</b>	31 <sup>st</sup> May 2019
<b>World Ranking Date for Main Draw Seeding:</b>	4 <sup>th</sup> June 2019
<b>Last Day of Withdrawal without Penalty:</b>	10 <sup>th</sup> June 2019
<b>Draw Date:</b>	11 <sup>th</sup> June 2019

### 15. WITHDRAWALS:

- Notification of withdrawal(s) with reason must be given immediately to the Organizer by fax or e-mail. (Please ensure that the organizer will be informed immediately when a

player has to withdraw)

- Withdrawal(s) made after **10th June 2019** due to injury or illness must be supported by a Medical Certificate.
- Any withdrawal after the Monday immediately preceding the draw, for any reason whatsoever, renders the Member Association concerned liable to an amount of USD 150.00 per a player / pair to the BWF.
- Any player not showing up at the tournament, without having been withdrawn in advance, renders the Member Association concerned liable to an additional amount of USD 500.00 for the “no show” as defined in BWF General Competition Regulations (BWF Statutes, Section 5.1).

## **16. RULES & REGULATIONS:**

- The Competition shall be played in accordance with BWF **STATUTES**
  - (1) CHAPTER 1 GOVERNANCE
  - (2) CHAPTER 2 ETHICS
    - Section 2.2 **Code of Conduct**
      - Section 2.2.4 Players Code of Conduct
      - Section 2.2.5 Technical Officials Code of Conduct
      - Section 2.2.6 Coaches and Educators Code of Conduct
    - Section 2.4. Code of Conduct in Regulation to Betting, Wagering and Irregular Match Results
  - (3) CHAPTER 3 JUDICIAL PROCESSES
  - (4) CHAPTER 4 RULES OF THE GAME
    - Section 4.1. **Laws of Badminton**
      - Section 4.1.1. Instruction to Technical Officials (ITTO)
  - (5) CHAPTER 5 TECHNICAL REGULATIONS
    - Section 5.1. **General Competition Regulations (GCR)**

## **17. CLOTHING & ADVERTISING:**

- The BWF General Competition Regulations regarding Clothing and Advertising shall be strictly followed.

Advertising on clothing and colour of clothing shall be regulated by General Competition Regulations **20 to 24.** In particular, the following shall be noted;

- MANDATORY CLOTHING REGULATIONS

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 colours.

- On Player clothing, the Player's name 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. ( G.C.R. 23.3 )

- The name of the player's country on the back of the shirt is Optional.
- It is **MANDATORY** for doubles partners to wear clothing of the same colour from the Quarter Finals onwards.
- It is **MANDATORY** that, from the Quarter Finals onwards, the opposing pair the opposing players / pairs in each match wear clothing of significantly different colours from each other.

( **PREPARATIONS FOR THE QUARTER FINALS ONWARDS** )

Please prepare **SOME SETS OF CLOTHING OF SIGNIFICANTLY DIFFERENT COLOURS** in case.

In individual and team championships if the opposing Players / Pairs involved in a match are not wearing significantly different coloured clothing, the Player / Pair ranked lower (in the first M & Q Report) will be required to wear clothing of a significantly different colour.

Where both Players / Pairs have the same or no ranking the Player or Pair listed lower in the first M&Q report made for the Tournament will be required to change the colour of clothing.. ( GCR 21.6., BWF STATUTES Section 5.1. )

- Lettering shall be in CAPITAL LETTERS in the ROMAN ALPHABET and shall be placed, as close to horizontal as possible, near the top of the shirt.

Lettering must be a minimum height of **6 centimeters** and a maximum height of **10 centimeters**. ( 6 cm to 10 cm )

- Lettering sequence on the shirt from top to bottom shall be ; .  
Player Name  
County Name ( **5 cm** if present )  
Advertisement ( **5 cm** if present )

**18. DISPUTE:**

- In matters involving disputes over the plays throughout the Tournament, the Referees decision s will be the final.

**19. DOPING CONTROL:**

- Doping Test may be conducted randomly throughout the tournament.

**20. ON - COURT DOCTOR:**

- On-Court doctor will be on duty throughout the competition at the tournament venue.

**21. PRESS INTERVIEW:**

- Players must attend press interviews immediately after their respective matches and any other requested time ( e.g. press conference, training session, etc ) whenever necessary.

**22. ACCOMMODATION:**

**Chinggis Khaan Hotel ( Official Hotel )**

Address: Tokyo Street 10, Ulaanbaatar 49,  
MONGOLIA

TEL: +976 7000 0099

FAX: +976 1131 2788

- Room Rate: 5 ( Five ) star

<b>Room</b>	<b>Rate</b>
Single Room	100 USD / night (include breakfast)
Double Room	60 USD per person / night (include breakfast)

- Hotel Reservation:

Please submit the Hotel Reservation Forms no later than **5<sup>th</sup> June 2019** to e-mail [sukhenkhtuya@gmail.com](mailto:sukhenkhtuya@gmail.com)

**23. TRANSPORTATION:**

- For the team booking rooms at the official hotel through the organizer, complimentary shuttle services will be provided from Chinggis Khaan International Airport to the hotels. Please send your travel details to at e-mail ( [mba@badminton.mn](mailto:mba@badminton.mn) )



no later than **5<sup>th</sup> June 2019** to e-mail: [sukhenkhtuya@gmail.com](mailto:sukhenkhtuya@gmail.com)

**24. VISA:**

- **Landing visa request for NON EMBASSY COUNTRIES REQUIRED**

no later than **20<sup>th</sup> May 2019**

- **Official visa request letter FOR MONGOLIAN EMBASSY LOCATED COUNTRIES**

no later than **20<sup>th</sup> May 2019**

- Visa application details:

Passport copies

Pictures soft copy

Application form /attached/

**25. INDEMNITY & INSURANCE:**

- 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.
- 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.

**26. CONTACT PERSON:**

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