

# FZ FORZA ALPES INTERNATIONAL U19

## INVITATION

**SANCTIONED BY :** Badminton World Federation – Badminton Europe

**PRESENTED BY :** Fédération Française de Badminton

**TITLE SPONSOR :** FZ FORZA

**ORGANISED BY :** Ligue Auvergne-Rhône-Alpes de Badminton

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**TOURNAMENT WEBSITE :** Essential informations on the competition, catering, transport, hotel accommodation, ticketing and more on can be found on our website :

<http://fzalpiu19.eu>

**REFEREE :** John op het Veld – Netherlands – [johveld@badminton.nl](mailto:johveld@badminton.nl)

**DEPUTY REFEREE :** Jean-Marc CHANCEREL – France – [jeanmarc.chancerel@gmail.com](mailto:jeanmarc.chancerel@gmail.com)

## LEVEL OF THE TOURNAMENT

**LEVEL :** Junior International Series

**VENUE :** Salle Everest, 180 boulevard de Charavines 38500 Voiron – SE FRANCE

**GENERAL INFORMATION :** The tournament will be played in accordance with the Laws of Badminton and the Competition Regulations of BWF. The tournament will also be played on the basis of the BEC Junior Circuit Regulation.

**BEC JUNIOR CIRCUIT :** The FZ FORZA Alpes International is part of the Badminton Europe Junior Circuit 2019 organised by Badminton Europe. You can find all the competitions of this circuit and some details on [www.badmintoneurope.com](http://www.badmintoneurope.com)

**CATEGORY :** U19

**SCHEDULE :**

- Friday, 17 May 2019, starting at 10.00 a.m
- Saturday, May 18th 2019, starting at 10.00 a.m
- Sunday, 19 May 2019, starting at 09.00 a.m

- Team Manager Briefing -> Thursday, 16 May at 8.00 p.m
- Umpires Briefing -> Thursday, 16 May at 9.00 p.m

#### *ELIGIBILITY :*

- French players have to be members of the FFBaD
- Non-French players have to be members of an association affiliated to BWF
- All players must have been born in 2001 or later, according to BWF regulation

## REGISTRATION

**CLOSING DATE :** Entries must arrive no later than Tuesday, 16 April 2019 at 11:59 p.m (GMT +08:00). No entries will be accepted after this deadline. Entries must be made **on BWF Tournament website.**

**BWF ID NUMBER :** To register, your player must have an existing BWF ID number. If this is not the case, a number must be obtained from the BWF before the closing date. We strongly advise you to do this as long as possible in advance so that BWF has time to process the request and provide an ID number.

**DRAW SIZE :** U19 MS = 64, WS = 64, MD = 32, WD = 32, XD = 48

**LIMITATION :** It is mandatory every event in a particular BEC Junior Circuit tournament to have at least 8 competitors (i.e. actual competitors, not merely entries. If the required number is not met, this particular event will not count towards any ranking).

In accordance with BWF's General Competition Regulations, an event must contain at least one entry from a Member Association other than the host Association (FFBaD). If an event does not contain at least one entry from a Member Association other than the host Association, this particular event will not count towards any ranking.

**PLAYING SYSTEM :** Knock-out system for all events

#### **ENTRY FEES :**

**Singles : 30 € per player per event**

**Doubles : 25 € per player per event**

**Payable in advance by each Federation. Federations will receive an invoice for the entry fees of all their players.**

Federations must pay in euros to :

*Bank : Crédit Agricole Sud Rhône-Alpes*

*IBAN : FR76 1390 6006 4585 0473 9382 050*

*BIC : AGRI FR PP 839*

*Beneficiary : FZ FORZA Alpes International Entries*

According to the BEC Junior Circuit Regulation 12.1 :

The Member Association that enters a player/pair into a BEC Junior Circuit tournament is responsible for paying the entry fees for that player/pair. The entry fees become due if a player is entered and has not withdrawn when the entries closing date passes. It is recommended that the entry fees are paid by bank transfer, but the organizers can accept credit cards at the competition.

**SEEDS AND DRAW** : Seeding and draws will be carried out by Badminton Europe on Tuesday 30 April 2019.

**VISA** : It is the Member Association's responsibility to secure visas for their players, if needed. We advise you to make all the necessary arrangements for obtaining visas as early as possible.

**INSURANCE** : The organisation will not be held liable for injuries or damage to equipment. Each participant must have adequate personal insurance cover.

**PLAYER AND COACH ACCREDITATIONS** : Once you have entered, you must request your accreditations on our official website. All players must have an accreditation during the competition in order to access all areas. We will accept coach accreditations for up to one coach accreditation for three players.

## COMPETITION

**COURTS** : 5 courts on Friday and Saturday then 2 courts on Sunday

All the courts will be named with our sponsors names.

**SHUTTLES** : FZ FORZA VIP.

The shuttle speed will be decided by the Referee.

**PRIZES** : Cups and prizes will be given to the winners and runners-up of each event.

**MEDICAL TEAM** : A physiotherapist will be available during the competition. The service will be free.

**DRUG TESTING** : Drug testing may be carried out on a random basis at any time during and shortly after the tournament.

**WARM-UP :** Players will be allowed to train on competition courts on Thursday 16 May from 6.00 p.m to 9.30 p.m, on a rota basis – for this, associations are kindly requested to register on our official website. The same system will be used during the tournament.

On Friday, 17 May and Sunday 18 May, an other venue (5 min by foot) will be available with 3 courts. Exercise machines will still be available in the waiting area.

**CLOTHING REGULATIONS :** Clothing design, lettering and advertising shall be regulated by BWF statutes, section 5.2.3 : Junior Tournament Regulations 12 to 16 and Badminton Europe Circuit Regulation 13.

Please refer to BEC Junior Circuit Regulations for all informations regarding names, design and advertising on player clothes.

**TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE OVERVIEW :**

5 courts/3 days	Round 64	Round 32	Round 16	Quarter Finals	Semi Finals	Finals
<b>MS – 64</b>	32	16	8	4	2	1
<b>WS – 64</b>	32	16	8	4	2	1
<b>MD – 32</b>		16	8	4	2	1
<b>WD – 32</b>		16	8	4	2	1
<b>XD – 48</b>	16	16	8	4	2	1
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>112 (DAY 1)</b>		<b>108 (DAY 2)</b>		<b>15 (DAY 3)</b>	

The final schedule might change depending on the number of entries and will be published shortly after the entry list.

**OFFICIALS :**

Referee : John op het Veld – Netherlands – [johveld@badminton.nl](mailto:johveld@badminton.nl)

Deputy referee : Jean-Marc CHANCEREL – FRA - [jeanmarc.chancerel@gmail.com](mailto:jeanmarc.chancerel@gmail.com)

The organiser will train line judges who will officiate during the competition.

**TICKETS :**

Tickets can be purchased on our official website. Day tickets, week-end passes days or 3 passes are available. **We kindly warn you there is a limited quantity of tickets.**

## HOW TO GET TO VOIRON

**MAIN POINTS OF ARRIVAL** : International Airport of Lyon Saint-Exupéry or Voiron train station.

**BY PLANE** : The International Airport of Lyon Saint-Exupéry is located 45 minutes' drive from the venue.

**BY TRAIN** : The Voiron train station is located in the centre of Voiron.

**TRANSPORT TO THE VENUE AND HOTELS** : **The organiser will provide shuttle buses for transfers between Lyon Saint-Exupéry and the venue/hotels.**

To use our bus shuttle service, please fill in the transport reservation form available on our official website. The service will be provided free of charge to players and officials who send us the transport reservation form by mail at [contact@fzalpiu19.eu](mailto:contact@fzalpiu19.eu) before the beginning of the competition.

**Any additional shuttles that have to be organised without bookings will be charged at the rate of 200,00 € per shuttle for Lyon Saint-Exupéry airport.**

**If your point of arrival is Voiron train station, no shuttle will be provided.** You can reach Kyriad Voiron on foot (5 minutes) and the venue and Tremplin Sport Formation by taking the public bus service : *Ligne 1 – Direction Blanchisseries – Stop « Brunerie »*. More details of the route and bus timetables are available on our official website.

If your arrival at Voiron train station is scheduled **after 8.30 p.m**, please let the organiser know and a shuttle will be provided to access Tremplin Sport Formation (public bus service doesn't work after this time).

**WEIGHT-TRAINING ROOM AND COLD BATHS** : You can book the access to weight-training and cold baths on the same site as the venue (5 min on foot, near the bedrooms). This option costs 40 € per player for the entire competition (Friday to Sunday). A minimum of 10 users is required for these areas to be open. If you paid for this option and the areas are closed, a 100% refund will be paid.

## HOTELS

The organisation has selected 2 official hotels. Rooms will be distributed on a first come first served basis.

**TREMLIN SPORT FORMATION** : Tremplin Sport Formation is located on the same site as the venue. All rooms are a 3 minute walk from the venue. The establishment offers comfortable rooms (twin and three persons mainly), breakfast and dinner (half board). A special is offered, for the nights of Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

Hotel address : 180 boulevard de Charavines 38500 VOIRON

**Availability : 40 rooms and only 10 for Sunday evening. Prices are per one night**

- **Single room : 66 € per person with breakfast (06:30 a.m -> 08:30 a.m) and dinner (7.00 p.m -> 9.30 p.m)**
- **Twin room : 60 € per person with breakfast (06:30 a.m -> 08:30 a.m) and dinner (7.00 p.m -> 9.30 p.m)**
- **Room for three : 60 € per person with breakfast (06:30 a.m -> 08:30 a.m) and dinner (7.00 p.m -> 9.30 p.m)**

See our official website for photos of the accomodation.

**KYRIAD VOIRON** : Kyriad is located 10 minutes' drive from the venue in Voiron town centre. The hotel has top-of-the range rooms (singles and twins) with TV, free Wi-Fi. The hotel provides breakfast and dinner (half board). A special price is offered for the nights of Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

Hotel address : 72 cours Becquart Castelbon 38500 VOIRON

**Availability : 20 rooms and only 10 for Sunday evening. Prices are per one night**

- **Single room : 95 € per person on Thursday then 80 € per person until Sunday with breakfast (06:30 a.m -> 09:00 a.m) and athletes' dinner (7.00 p.m -> 10.00 p.m) included**
- **Twin room : 63 € per person on Thursday then 55.50 € per person until Sunday with breakfast (06:30 a.m -> 09:00 a.m) and sportive athletes' (7.00 p.m -> 10.00 p.m) included**

No shuttle will be provided from this hotel so access to the venue will be by public bus service, except on Sunday when the buses do not run. Please contact the organisation during the competition to arrange for a shuttle on the Sunday. Public bus service will be free of charge for players and coaching staff during the competiton, upon presentation of accreditations.

See our official website for photos of the accommodation.

### BOOK YOUR HOTELS :

Please book your hotel using the hotel reservation form on our official website and send it by e-mail to [contact@fzalpiu19.eu](mailto:contact@fzalpiu19.eu)

**No shuttle or bus service will be organised for other hotels.**

**The hotels will NOT accept direct reservations.**

## PAYMENT OF ACCOMMODATION COSTS

**REFUND :** After the draw has been made, accommodation costs will not be refunded.

**PREPAYMENT :** 100% of the total accommodation costs must be paid before 2 May 2019 by bank transfer. Federations must pay in euros to :

*Bank : Crédit Agricole Sud Rhône-Alpes*

*IBAN : FR76 1390 6006 4585 0473 9382 050*

*BIC : AGRI FR PP 839*

*Beneficiary : FZ FORZA Alpes International Hotel accommodation*

Your registration will be confirmed upon receipt of payment. Fail to pay the full accommodation costs up-front will result in your reservation being cancelled and you will have to arrange your own accommodation.

**CANCELLATION :** The following cancellation fees apply :

No cancellation fees until 20 April 2019

50% cancellation fees from 20 April to 30 April 2019

No refunds will be made after 30 April 2019, date of the draw.

**EARLY DEPARTURES :** There will be no refunds on accommodation if you leave earlier than announced.

**We kindly ask you to inform us as soon as possible of your arrival and departure information on the reservation forms (transport, hotel) to enable us to organise your travel in the best conditions.**

## MEALS

Breakfast and dinner will be taken at the official hotels throughout the competition.

For lunches, a catering service will be available at the venue with a large range of warm and cold athlete meals, sweet and savoury products and beverages throughout the competition.

The list of our meals and snacks available can be found on our website. The catering service will start on the Friday and on Sunday, around noon. Packed lunches for the return journey can be provided upon request.

**NB : in case you cannot arrive in Voiron before 9.30 p.m on the day of your arrival, please inform us and we will provide dinner.**

**PAYMENT METHOD AT THE VENUE CATERING SERVICE :** Upon arrival, you will have to buy pre-paid cards for a value of 10 € or 20 €. The value of each purchase will be deducted from the card. Outstanding credit will be refunded in cash only before your departure.

**RESTAURANTS :** We inform you that Voiron is a small town and restaurants are often closed after 9.30 p.m, even at weekends.

## FOLLOW US

**OFFICIAL WEBSITE :** All essential information on [fzalpiu19.eu](http://fzalpiu19.eu)

**FACEBOOK :** Follow the news about the competition on FZ FORZA Alpes International

**TWITTER :** Follow the news about the competition on FZ FORZA Alpes International

**YOUTUBE :** Some videos of the competition on FZ FORZA Alpes International on our official channel : Ligue Auvergne-Rhône-Alpes de Badminton

**GET YOUR TICKETS :** Tickets for the competition on [fzalpiu19.eu](http://fzalpiu19.eu)