OFFICIAL INVITATION

Organizer : Bangladesh Badminton Federation (BBF)
Sanctioned by : Badminton World Federation (BWF), Badminton Asia
Dates : 10 to 15 December 2019
Venue : Shaheed Tajuddin Ahmed Indoor Stadium
        Paltan, Dhaka, Bangladesh
Prize Money : USD $25,000/- (subject to with holding taxes as per regulations of Government of Bangladesh) the distribution of Prize Money will be as per Regulations of BWF.

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* - Per Player, **- Per Pair

Events : The Championships will consist 5 categories of Individual Events:

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Eligibility : 1. Players have to be members of a Member Association affiliated to the BWF.
2. Participants should not be below 14 years old.
3. Participants must register with BWF ID.

Closing Date of Entries : Tuesday, 12th November 2019

Member Associations are advice to log on to YONEX-SUNRISE Bangladesh International Challenge 2019 at http://bwflive.tournamentsoftware.com/sport/tournament?id=25B65C68-8226-4346-8167-5A88440A2E83 and 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 at s.ramachandran@bwfbadminton.org. 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. For members having technical issues with entries, member association may contract Ms. Belle at belleng@badmintonasia.org before the deadline of entry.

No entry forms are required by Member Association. All entries must be submitted online 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 Associations 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 be entertained after this point.

Key Dates:

- **World Ranking Date for M&Q:** Tuesday, 12th November 2019
- **Seeding Date:** Tuesday, 19th November 2019
- **Last Date of Withdrawal without penalty:** Monday, 25th November 2019
- **Draw Date:** Tuesday, 26th November 2019


**Regulations**: The General Competition Regulations of BWF shall be applicable to the Championships. In the event of any dispute, the decision of the Tournament Referee will be final.

**Scoring System**: All Matches will be played using 3 Games x 21 Points Scoring System.

**Shuttles**: YONEX AS 30

**Administration**

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Email : Shamimhasanbac@gmail.com

Calendar and Schedules

Order of play :

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<td>Tuesday</td>
<td>10.12.2019</td>
<td>09.00 Hrs</td>
<td>Opening Ceremony/Qualifying Round/1st Round</td>
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<td>Wednesday</td>
<td>11.12.2019</td>
<td>09.00 Hrs</td>
<td>Round of 32</td>
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<td>Thursday</td>
<td>12.12.2019</td>
<td>09.00 Hrs</td>
<td>Round of 16</td>
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<td>Friday</td>
<td>13.12.2019</td>
<td>09.00 Hrs</td>
<td>Quarter Finals</td>
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<td>Saturday</td>
<td>14.12.2019</td>
<td>15.00 Hrs</td>
<td>Semifinals</td>
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<td>Sunday</td>
<td>15.12.2019</td>
<td>13.00 Hrs</td>
<td>Finals (will be Telecast Live)</td>
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- Alterations due to TV-coverage are possible and will be announced by the Referee. The above order of play may be changed at the discretion of the Referee.
- All events will be on strict timetable system. Competitors who are not ready to play at the time for which their match is scheduled will be scratched.

Team Manager’s Briefings : Monday 9 December, 2019 at 18.00 hours (local time) at the venue.

- As per BWF Regulations, the Team must be represented in the Managers’ Briefing.
- Member Associations must appoint ONE team manager to facilitate communication.

Technical officials’ Briefing : Monday 9 December, 2019 at 19.00 hours (local time) at the venue.

Practice Schedule : Requests should be sent in the prescribed format before the date specified in the form. The Referee will approve the practice schedule.

Accommodation

Booking : Please fill in the attached registration form giving details of team members as well as individuals and forward to forward to Amir Hossain Bahar badminton.bangladesh@gmail.com CC: bbf.dhaka@gmail.com before 14 November 2019.

Hotel Details: Package-1

Hotel Purbani International Ltd.
1, Dilkusha C/A, Dhaka-1000, Bangladesh
Phone: +880 2 9552229, email: info@hotelpurbaniltd.com
www. hotelpurbaniltd.com

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Breakfast is complementary.
Hotel Details: Package-2

Hotel Rahmania International
28/1-C Toyenbee Circular Road, Motijheel, Dhaka – 1000, Bangladesh
Phone: +880 2 9587182-3, email: info@hoteltherahmanianintl.com
www.hoteltherahmanianintl.com

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Above special room rates for Yonex-Sunrise Bangladesh International Challenge - 2019

Kindly note the following:
- There are limited rooms available hotel. The allotment will be made on first come first serve basis.
- Hotel reservations and payment have to be made ONLY through the Organizer.
- We will be able to provide accommodation only to those persons registered with us on the requisite form. No guarantee can be given with respect to late booking and may not be considered on this special rates.

Full Advance Payment to be made:
- On receipt of your hotel booking request, we will raise official invoice for processing the hotel booking payment.
- Full payment must be received by cash upon arrival to Bangladesh Badminton Federation. If payment is made after this date, an automatic surcharge of 10% will be levied upon the total payable amount.
- Possible reservations of extra rooms at the time of check-in will also be surcharged with 10%.
- Payment received in our back should be net of Bank Charges. If bank charges, if any, deducted shall be reimbursed to the Organizing committee at the time of check in.
- NO exceptions will be made.
- Please send us a copy of the Remittance advice for easy tracking of the remittance.

Cancellation Fees:
- Cancellation fees shall be charged for any cancellation, part or full, made 30 days prior to the date of arrival. The cancellation fees as per the percentages shown below shall be charged as a percentage of the entire tariff charged by the hotel for the rooms cancelled.

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<td>Up to 30 days before the date of arrival</td>
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<td>From 10 days before the date of arrival or no show</td>
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- Cancellations of the rooms cannot be made at the check-in. Injuries, visa problems or sickness are not valid reasons for cancellation of rooms.
- 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.

Check-in / Check-outs, Deposits:
- The check-in and check-out time will be as specified in the above table respectively.
- Early Check-in / late check-out will be charged as per the rules of the hotel.
- The security deposit at the time of check-in to cover extras during stay shall be paid directly to the hotel as per the Hotel Rules.
• It is forbidden to cook in all hotels in Bangladesh. Any misconduct will lead automatically into costs which we will have to billed / charged the concerned National Federation.

Services

Transport: Free Airport transfers from **Hazrat Shah Jalal International Airport**, Dhaka will be provided to all the players/officials who stay in the official hotel ONLY.

It is advisable to arrive at the **Hazrat Shah Jalal International Airport, Dhaka** You are required to Transportation Reservation Form and send it to Mr. Amir Hossian Bahar by email: badminton.bangladesh@gmail.com, with CC: bbf.dhaka@gmail.com before deadline 14 November 2019.

Transport from the Official Hotels to the Venue will also be provided.

Teams who choose not to stay in the hotel (as listed above) or are unable to get rooms at the official hotel due to late submission of hotel requisition, have to arrange for their own transportation for transfers.

Visa: Contingents requiring visa for entry into Bangladesh, are required to furnish their personal details in the enclosed format to enable us to send an official invitation letter for processing of the visa. The forms must be sent so as to Mr. Amir Hossian Bahar by email: badminton.bangladesh@gmail.com, with CC: bbf.dhaka@gmail.com before dateline 9 November 2019.

• You must apply for your visa at least 21 working days before it is needed, to allow time for your application to be processed.

• Please note, the letter of invitation we provide does not guarantee entry into Bangladesh and the final decision is made by the Bangladesh Embassy in your country. It is the responsibility of the applicant to ensure that they apply for their visa in sufficient time. Any issues with the visa application need to be dealt with directly to the Embassy who is dealing with your application.

• We accept no responsibility for withdrawals made due to late visa applications. Where required, courier costs to post letters of invitation will be recharged to your association.

Other matters:

Doping control: 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.

• 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).

• For more information about anti-doping, please visit the BWF website: https://corporate.bwfbadminton.com/integrity/anti-doping-overview/

Badminton Integrity: Section 2.4 of the BWF Statutes (Code of Conduct in Relation to Betting, Wagering and Irregular Match Results) relates to anti-corruption and anti-match manipulation, and this code applies to all participants at this tournament.
• To protect the integrity of BWF sanctioned tournaments, participants are not allowed to bet in any way on badminton matches, respect the principle of fair play, and shall not attempt to influence the course or result of a game or match.

• 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.

Compliance with GCR Clause 7.9

GCR 7.9: “In making or authorising entries, the Member concerned is reconfirming its acceptance, and acceptance by the Players being entered, of the BWF’s regulations and Disciplinary Processes.”

Media Obligations: The players will be required to fulfil the media obligations as per BWF norms.

Video Recording:

• Written authorisation in form of a sticker for the use of any video equipment only by coaches of the participating national associations must be obtained in advance from the Tournament Office. They must be clearly displayed on the cameras. Security will confiscate cameras set up in incorrect positions or without a pass.

• The recording can be done for such approved cameras from a limited number of pre-designated positions.

• Video footage captured must be used solely for training purposes by the Member Association and its coaching staff. Member Associations may be liable for any costs incurred by BWF if their video footage is used for any other purpose.

General Information

Contacts: For any further clarification / assistance, please contact Organizing Secretary.

Indemnity & Insurance: By sending the entry for the tournament clearly signify acceptance of participating associations and its delegated competitors / officials to the indemnity and not hold the organizing committee accountable for and or to have any recourse against any costs, claims or damages for personal illness, injury, death, financial loss, death or property damage, in any form at any location arising out of or in any way resulting from the participation in, postponement or cancellation of the said tournament.

The organiser will NOT be responsible for any illness, injury sustained, at any time, by any player or official arising from his / her participation in these Championships. Any costs incurred for diagnosis, consultancy, medical treatment (including any form of surgical procedure) and / or hospitalisation 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.

Players clothing Advertisement

• 1. In this tournaments the name of the player on the back of the shirt is a mandatory.

• 2. The name of the player’s country on the back of the shirt is optional.

3. A maximum of one advertisement may appear on each of the following locations; left sleeve, right sleeve, left shoulder, right shoulder, left collar, right collar, right chest, left chest and center chest. The shoulder is defined as the visible part of the shoulder on the front of the shirt. There
must be no more than five advertisements in total and National flags or emblems for the purpose of this regulation count as advertisements. Each advertisement, including National flags or emblems, must be 20 square centimeters or less.

Advertising contained in a band of uniform width not exceeding 10 centimeters on the front and not exceeding five centimeters on the backs. Such a band may be at any angle and may be on the front of the shirt, the back of the shirt, or both.

- Other Clothing

Each sock may carry two advertisements of 20 square centimeters or less.

Advertising on shoes is accepted subject to the make and model of shoe being available in the open market for at least three months prior to the tournament in which they are being worn.

Each other article of clothing may carry one advertisement of 20 square centimeters or less.

Clothing worn under player shirts, shorts, skirts or dresses, shall be known as ‘underclothing’ and not categorized as ‘articles of clothing’, and if visible must not display advertising.

Restrictions on the advertising

The advertisements in Regulations 23.2 and 23.3 may be the clothing manufacturer’s emblem or that of any sponsor.

Each advertisement shall only be of one organization or product.

The advertisements shall follow the International Olympic Committee principles and shall not contain any political, religious messages or anything which is not a commercial brand, registered mark or trade mark. (e.g. I don’t have a sponsor, I am nice, etc.).

Players displaying tattoos, paints, transfers or similar (which are not on clothing) may not display any tattoo, paint or transfer which is illegal, defamatory or commercial in nature or otherwise in breach of the principles relating to advertising on clothing outlined in 23.4.3.

Member Association advertising

Member Associations may use an area not exceeding fifty square centimeters on their players’ shorts or lower part of dresses or skirts.

Welcome to Beautiful Bangladesh!