KaBal International Karviná 2020

Part of the Badminton Europe Elite Circuit
International Series Tournament

12th MARCH – 15th MARCH 2020

ORGANISER  Kabal team Karviná, z.s. and Czech Badminton Federation

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VENUE  Sportovní hala STA RS Karviná, s.r.o. Karola Śliwky 783/2a, 733 01 Karviná-Fryštát, Czech Republic, GPS 49°51'18.811"N, 18°32'18.576"E
www.stars-karvina.cz

WEB SITE  www.kabalteam.cz/international2020
EVENTS

Men's and women's singles, men's and women's doubles, and mixed doubles

The Championships will comprise of the following number of entries in the main tournament:

- Men's Singles (MS) 32
- Women's Singles (WS) 32
- Men's Doubles (MD) 24
- Women's Doubles (WD) 24
- Mixed Doubles (XD) 24

The number of players in/from the qualification is subject to the final number of entries. Minimum number of entries: It is required that every event in a particular BEC Elite Circuit tournament has at least 8 competitors (i.e. actual competitors, not merely entries). If the required number of competitors is not met, this particular event shall not count towards any ranking, i.e. BEC Elite Circuit Ranking and BWF World Ranking.

COURTS

5 courts Pro court

SHUTTLES

Oliver APEX 200

PROVISIONAL SCHEDULE

- Thursday MARCH 12th 09:00 Qualification
- Friday MARCH 13th 09:00 First and second round
- Saturday MARCH 14th 09:00 Quarter-finals
  16:00 Semi-finals
- Sunday MARCH 15th 09:00 Finals

The final frame schedule shall be made at least 20 days before the start of the tournament and shall be published on the organiser’s website.

DRAW

The Draw will be made by Badminton Europe.

ENTRIES

All entries must be made through BWF Online Entry System http://bwf.tournamentsoftware.com/sport/tournament?id=C69C59A7-B407-4122-97A6-336AF0348E69 Entries must be submitted no later than 11 February 2020 at 23:59 BWF HQ time (16:59 CET)

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, please contact the BWF office well
in advance of the tournament, so that the players concerned can get a BWF ID-number before the closing date of the tournament.

**No late entries will be accepted.**

Compliance with 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.”

**ELIGIBILITY**

Participation in the KaBaL International Karviná 2020 is open to members of any Member Association recognized by the BWF.

Following entries are not acceptable:
1. received after the closing date
2. made on an individual basis

**ENTRY FEES**

EUR 50,- in singles and EUR 80,- per pair in doubles

**PAYMENT**

The Member Association that enters a player into a BEC Elite Circuit tournament is responsible for paying the entry fees for that player. The entry fees become due if a player is entered and has not been withdrawn when the entry deadline passes.

The entry fees will not be refunded in the case of a withdrawal. For all the withdrawn players the organisers can invoice the entry fee to the relevant Member Association.

If no payment has been received after the deadline has passed the organizers will forward the invoice with the registration of deliverance and the copy of the original entry together with the original invoice to BADMINTON EUROPE. Every unpaid invoice for entry fees sent to BADMINTON EUROPE by a tournament organiser following the above-mentioned procedure, shall result in an additional administrative fine of 100,00 EUR for the Member Association who is addressed in the invoice.

If a player/pair is listed on a “Reserve List”, no entry fee is to be paid before being promoted to the Main Draw or Qualification draw.

Before the withdrawal deadline has passed, a promotion from the "Reserve List" to the Main Draw or Qualification draw is obligated and will be done automatically, unless the respective player/pair has withdrawn from the "Reserve List" beforehand.

After the withdrawal deadline has passed, the organisers must have such a promotion confirmed in writing by the association/associations of the respective player/pair.
before it takes place. Only when this confirmation has been given, the player/pair is considered as an entry.

Organisers are allowed to refuse entries if Member Associations or their players have outstanding fees from a previous year.

No alteration, except withdrawal, can be made to the entries after the close of entries in accordance with BWF Competition Regulations 15.1.

**VISA**

If you need Visa please ask the Czech Badminton Federation badminton@cuscz.cz for the official invitation letter. It is advised to arrange the Visa in time.

**BANK DETAILS**

ORGANIZER: Kabal team Karviná, z.s.

Cihelní 2400/20, 735 06, Karviná

BANK: FIO banka, a.s., v Celnici 1028/10, 117 21 Praha 1

Account no. 2500286235/ (Bank code) 2010

BIC: FIOBCZPPXXX

IBAN: CZ442010000002500286235

SWIFT: FIOBCZPP

**WITHDRAWALS**

Please ensure that the organizer will be informed immediately when a player has to withdraw, preferably together with the reason.

**Attention:** Any withdrawal after the Monday immediately preceding the draw, for any reason whatsoever, renders the Member Association concerned liable to an amount of US$ 150,00 for the inconvenience caused by the withdrawal (as defined in BWF General Competition Regulations).

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 US$ 500,00 for the inconvenience caused by the “no show”.

**PRIZE MONEY €9,085- (US$ 10,000.-)**

Player’s prize money will be taxed with 15% according to the Czech tax law and paid out in EUR according to the official exchange rate valid on November 15th 2019 (date of issue of this invitation: 1 USD = 0,9049 EUR). The Organizer shall pay the prize money cash during the closing ceremony. The prize money will be awarded only to
those finalists who attend the closing ceremony. The prize money for the semi-finalist will be awarded after the match.

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*= per pair

CEREMONIES

Players are not allowed to wear hats or caps during the presentation ceremonies. Rackets may not be carried during presentations. Tracksuits, or clothing as worn during play, will be allowed. No other form of advertising will be permitted. This regulation will be strictly enforced by our stewards prior to each ceremony.

CONDITIONS OF PLAY

The Tournament will be conducted under the BWF General Competition Regulations and in accordance with the Badminton Europe Elite Circuit Regulations.

Players shall not plan their departure less than 2 (two) hours after their last match is planned to conclude. If a player is unable to compete due to early departure, he/she will be penalised by removal of Elite Circuit ranking points and shall not be awarded prizes or prize money. BADMINTON EUROPE shall propose to BWF that the gained BWF ranking points are also removed.

ADVERTISING & CLOTHING

Colour, design, lettering and advertising on clothing shall be regulated by BWF General Competition Regulations § 20 to 24. Any breach of these regulations will be forwarded to BWF.

It is mandatory that partners in doubles wear the same colour of the T-shirt and shorts/skirts at all time during play in both the qualification and the main draw. Failing to do so shall result in an administrative fine of 100,00 EUR.

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 matches.
For more information, please refer to BWF’s website: https://corporate.bwfbadminton.com/integrity/anti-match-fixing-overview/

INSURANCE
To be arranged individually by participants. 
During the tournament a doctor will be present in the hall. 
Member Association and/or Organiser may be liable for claims originating from the damages incurred by the participants and/or any other persons, arising from or in connection to the particular BEC Elite Circuit tournament, according to local Law. BADMINTON EUROPE is not liable for any such claims, actions, damages, costs or expenses of any nature whatsoever, including but not limited to injury or loss to person or property, arising out of or in any way related, directly or indirectly, to the particular BEC Elite Circuit tournament. It is recommended that Member Associations and/or Organisers purchase a proper Insurance Policy that would cover their potential legal liability.

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/

KEY DATES
Entry deadline: 11 February 2020
World Ranking date for M&Q-report: 11 February 2020
Date for publication of M&Q-report: 14 February 2020
World Ranking date for seeding/draw: 18 February 2020
Last day for Withdrawal without Penalty: 24 February 2020
Date for the draw: 25 February 2020
Team managers meeting: will be held on 11 March 2020 at 8.00 p.m. at the Venue

MEDIA
All journalists who want to visit the tournament must ask for accreditation in advance by February 28th 2020
e-mail: kabal@kabalteam.cz

BADGES
Entry to the arena for players and officials will be controlled
by colour coded name badges. Badges will be issued to all nominated players on arrival to the venue.

**TRAVEL**

Organizer provides transfer between the airport and the official hotel to those who have booked accommodation at the official hotel. Competitors from abroad are requested to inform the transport manager at kabal@kabalteam.cz of **time and date** of arrival, **flight no.**, etc. before arrival, according to the enclosed information or fill the Transfer Form: https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSe68eKhFk5QJ4--KjfNSJeZrY_2cMy53diOqnF8Xj-IWfjd9w/viewform?usp=sf_link

**Transportation (pick up):** Will be provided as a courtesy from Leos Janacek Airport Ostrava and Katowice Airport to the official hotels only.

**SHUTTLE TRANSPORT**

Transport between the venue and the official tournament hotels will be arranged. The shuttle bus will run according to a time schedule.

**LUNCH AND DINNER**

It will be possible to buy lunch and dinner in the restaurants of the official hotels. A small snack-bar will be opened in the hall for players and visitors.

**NON OFFICIAL TRANSPORT**

Players who do not have booked official accommodation we can arrange transport from Ostrava Mošnov Airport and Katowice Airport.

- Ostrava Airport Minibus up to 8 people 100€/BUS
- Ostrava Airport Bus up to 20 people 150€/BUS
- Katowice Airport Minibus up to 8 people 130€/BUS
- Katowice Airport Bus up to 20 people 175€/BUS

**PRACTICE FACILITY**


Practice court can be arranged before the start of the tournament, please note that the venue is fully booked during the tournament and we will start preparing the hall at 16:30 on Wednesday MARCH 11th. During the tournament there will be 1 practice court at the venue, schedule and booking will be available at the tournament reception desk.

**FORCE MAJEURE**

The organising Member Association can cancel a tournament in case of force majeure. Such cancellation must be announced at least 15 days before the start of the tournament. If a cancellation is announced less than 15 days before the start of the tournament, then the Member Association organising the tournament is liable for any expenses incurred by third persons (players, coaches, umpires, team managers etc.). BADMINTON EUROPE is not liable for any costs incurred by third persons because of a cancellation of a tournament.
ACCOMMODATION

All payments for accommodation must be transferred to the bank account of organiser Kabalteam Karviná.
BANK: FIO banka, a.s., v Celnici 1028/10, 117 21 Praha 1
Account no. 2500286235/ (Bank code) 2010
BIC: FIOBCZPPXXX
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Accommodation Booking Form
https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdr8QoER1L3F82j0pAOSTV4zOVkYcfDURre2yfe_SDLWv8heg/viewform?usp=sf_link

Hotel SPORT***, Karviná
Hotel Sport
Karola Śliwy 783/2a
733 01 Karviná-Fryštát

3-star hotel, distance from venue approx. 0 km (directly connected to the sports hall)

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Minimum stay 2 nights.

Prices include breakfast.
BOOKING: accommodation@kabalteam.cz
**Penzion Jelen***, Karviná**  
Penzion Jelen  
Zámecká 1942/7a  
733 01 Karviná – Fryštát  

3-star hotel, distance from venue approx. 0,5 km

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Minimum stay 2 nights.

Prices include breakfast.  
**BOOKING:** accommodation@kabalteam.cz

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**Hotel Dakol***, Petrovice u Karviné**  
Hotel Dakol,  
Petrovice u Karviné 153, 73572  

3-star hotel, distance from venue approx. 6 km (free shuttle bus will be provided)

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Minimum stay 2 nights.

Prices include breakfast.  
**BOOKING:** accommodation@kabalteam.cz
Hotel Zámeček Petrovice  ****, Petrovice u Karviné

Hotel Zámeček Petrovice,  
Prstná 1  
Petrovice u Karviné 153, 73572

4-star hotel, distance from venue approx. 6 km (shuttle bus will be provided)

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Minimum stay 2 nights.
Prices include breakfast.
BOOKING:  
accommodation@kabalteam.cz

PLEASE NOTE: Accommodation is first come first serve as we have a limited number of rooms available at the advertised price. Invoices will be sent to the person who makes the booking and only one invoice will be supplied per room.