YONEX Dutch Junior International 2020
Junior Grand Prix Tournament

CONDITIONS
The tournament will be played in full accordance with the Laws of Badminton, the Competition Regulations (see https://corporate.bwfbadminton.com/statutes/), and the tournament is also played according to the Badminton Europe Junior Circuit regulations.

In the event of any dispute, the Referee's decision shall be final.

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Venue: Badmintonhall DEGIRO-hal
Badmintonplein 1
2023 BW Haarlem, The Netherlands

Referee: Mircea Solymosi, mirceasolymosi@gmail.com

Team manager’s meeting: Tuesday 25th February at 20:30 in the venue


Schedule: This is a preliminary schedule and is subject to changes, based on number of registrations.

Wednesday 26th February: MS R128, WS R128.
Thursday 27th February: MS R64, MD R64, WD R64 and XD R128.
Friday 28th February: WS R64, XD R64, MS R 32, WS R32, MD R32 and WD R32.
Saturday 29th February: XD R32 and all events R16 and R8.
Sunday 1st March: All semi-finals and all finals.

Expected playtime Wednesday-Saturday: 09:00-22:00, Sunday: 10:00-17:00.
Entry closing date:

a. Entries closing date Tuesday 28 January 2020 - 23.59 hours BWF headquarters time, (+ 08:00 GMT).

b. After the closing date, the BWF Online Entry System will send a notification confirming reception of final entries to all participating Member Associations. Receipt of this notification is the conclusive evidence of reception of entries before the deadline.

c. The online entry page will close immediately at the time stated above. Late entries will not be accepted.

Entries:

a. Competitors must be members of a member Association of the BWF. Participation is restricted to players born in the year 2002 or later. (This is the same age limit as used by the German Junior).

b. The maximum number of competitors (players/pairs) accepted in the tournament is for: MS - WS 128, MD - WD 64, and for XD 96.

c. If the amount of entries exceeds the maximum amount as listed above in section b, a selection of entries will be made in the following order:

i. Points on the BWF World Junior Ranking.

ii. Foreign players without points on the BWF World Junior Ranking, drawn by lots (no country can have 2 (two) players/pairs without points participating before all entered countries have at least 1 (one) player/pair without points participating).

iii. Home nation players in order of strength as listed by their Member Association.

iv. The selection of entries shall be done by BADMINTON EUROPE.

d. Entries must be done in order of strength.

e. All entries must be made by using the BWF Online Entry System: https://bwf.tournamentsoftware.com/sport/tournament?id=645F6C26-8F9F-4146-8403-FA639C26511A

f. Competitors and officials who need visa for the Netherlands should send an application for visa not later than 9 January 2020, to the Tournament Committee. We cannot accept entries needing visa without such an application.

g. Entry fees are €32,00 per competitor for the singles and €45,00 per pair for the doubles. 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 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.

Payment can be done prior to the start of the tournament by bank transfer according to payment instructions provided by email after registration.

At the venue, cash payment of all fees due is possible before the start of the tournament. For cash payment an additional administrative fee of € 10,00 per payment is applicable.

h. When none of the events has at least 8 competitors, the tournament is cancelled.

i. BADMINTON EUROPE nor Badminton Nederland nor BC Duinwijck is liable for any costs incurred by third persons (players, coaches, umpires, team managers etc.) because of an event not having enough competitors to count for the rankings.

j. It is required that every event in a particular BEC Junior 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.

In accordance with regulation § 9.4 in BWF Statutes, Section 5.3.3.2: World Junior Ranking System, an event must contain at least one entry from a Member Association other than the hosting Association. If an event does not contain at least one entry from a Member Association other than the hosting Association, this particular event shall not count towards any ranking.

k. Compliance with General Competition Regulations 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.”

**Seeding and drawing**

Seeding will be done by Badminton Europe. The draw will be made by Badminton Europe on Tuesday 11 February 2020.

**System of play**

All events will be played according to a knockout system.

**Match conditions**

a. Competitors must be prepared to play 15 minutes before scheduled time. No exception will be made to this rule.

b. Yonex Aerosensa 50 shuttlecocks will be used exclusively. Shuttles will be free of charge.

c. An umpire and a service judge will be appointed for each match.

d. During the tournament, a physiotherapist will be available for the competitors, free of charge.
e. The tournament will be played in a venue with 6 courts on a floor with only badminton lines.

f. After each final there will be a price giving ceremony for all players who played the semi finals in that event. Prices for the winner and the runner up will be a medal (gold-silver) and an envelope with € 200 for the winner of MS and WS, € 100 for the runner up of MS and WS. Winners of MD, WD and XD receive an envelope with € 200 for the winning pair and € 100 for the runner up pair. The losers of the semi finals receive a bronze medal. All players of the semi finals must be present at the price giving ceremony.

**Clothing and advertising**

a. Clothing worn by players during play has to be acceptable badminton sports clothing. Each article of clothing may be of any colour or combinations of colours. Colour, design, lettering and advertising on clothing shall be regulated by BWF Statutes, Section 5.2.3: Junior Tournament Regulations § 12 to 16. A player violating these regulations shall be penalised by an administrative fine of 50,00 EUR.

b. It is mandatory for the semi-finals and finals that partners in doubles wear the same colour of the T-shirt and shorts/skirts. Failing to do so shall result in an administrative fine of 50,00 EUR.

**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/](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 matches.

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

The Tournament Committee has options on the following accommodations. All prices in Euros for Bed & Breakfast. VAT and Tourist Tax excluded.

For booking these accommodations please use the hotel form provided on: https://dutchjunior.com/entry-forms

Van der Valk Hotel Haarlem Zuid, Toekanweg 2, 2035 LC Haarlem (5,3 km from hall)
Youth Hostel Stay Okay Jan Gijzenpad 3, 2024 CL Haarlem, (2,7 km from hall)
Hotel Ibis Styles Haarlem City, A W F Idenburglaan 2, 2024 AX Haarlem (0,4 km from hall)

Hotel forms have to be submitted before 31st of January

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Transportation

Transport from Schiphol Airport, Schipholgebouw, Evert v/d Beekstraat 202, 1118 CP Schiphol (official point) to the official hotels and venue are free of charge, exclusively if accommodation is booked via the booking form provided on: https://dutchjunior.com/entry-forms.