Presents:

Croatia VALAMAR Junior Open 2021

Junior International Series
World Junior Rankings Tournament
Part of Badminton Europe Junior Circuit 2021

Dubrovnik - Croatia
2-4 April 2021

sanctioned by the BADMINTON WORLD FEDERATION
presented by the CROATIAN BADMINTON ASSOCIATION
organized by BK DUBROVNIK

Closing Date: Tuesday, 2 March 2021, 4:59 PM (GMT +02:00)
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GENERAL
Croatia VALAMAR Junior Open 2021 is World Junior Ranking Tournament and part of the Badminton Europe Junior Circuit 2021.
The tournament will be played in accordance with the Laws of Badminton and the Junior Competition Regulations of BWF as well as with the Badminton Europe Junior Circuit Regulations.

SCHEDULE
Friday, 2 April 2021  09:00 hours
Saturday, 3 April 2021  09:00 hours
Sunday, 4 April 2021  09:00 hours

Details will follow with a Time-Schedule. Time-Schedule can be subject to changes.
TEAM MANAGERS MEETING

Thursday, 1 April 2020  20:00 hours
Location/Address: Asimon hall/Hotel Valamar LaCroma, Iva Dulčića 34

We kindly ask for a response.

ELIGIBILITY

Open for players born in 2003 or later.
Croatian players must be a part of Croatian Badminton Association official list.
Foreign players have to be members of an Association of the BWF.

COURTS:
5 YONEX court mats

SHUTTLECOCKS
YONEX AS-50 shuttle will be used.

CLOTHING

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.

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.

ENTRIES

Each player is allowed to play in 3 events.

The number of entries that can be accepted in each event are:

- 64 in Men’s and Women’s singles
- 32 in Men’s and Women’s doubles
- 48 in Mixed doubles

If the number of entries exceeds the number listed above, a selection of entries will be made in accordance with regulation 6.1.5 of the Badminton Europe Junior Circuit Regulations.

Entries must be done in order of strength and must include the date of birth.
It is required that every event in a particular BEC Junior Circuit tournament has at least 8 competitors in the first published version of the main draw. 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 other than the hosting Member. If an event does not contain at least one entry from a Member other than the hosting Member, this particular event shall not count towards any ranking.

**ONLINE ENTRIES**

All entries must be made by using the BWF Online Entry System.

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.

Entries must be submitted no later than **Tuesday, 2 March 2021, 4:59 PM (GMT +02:00)**.

You are required to submit the entries on time and late entries will not be accepted.


Croatian Badminton Association is not allowed to accept any late entries so it is imperative that entries are submitted on time using the Online Entry System.

**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."

**ENTRY FEES**

Singles: 30 EUR per player
Doubles: 25 EUR per player/event

The Member that enters a player/pair into a Badminton Europe 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 fee should be paid in advance of the tournament by bank transfer. Organiser can accept cash payment at the tournament office, latest on Friday, 2 April 2021.
Payment details:

Bank: OTP bankad.d.
Address of bank: Domovinskog rata 3, 23 000 Zadar, Croatia
BIC (Swift) code: OTPVHR2X
IBAN: HR8024070001100024300
Accountowner: Badmintonski Klub DUBROVNIK

PRACTICE
Practice will be possible on Thursday, 1 April 2020 from 12:00 to 22:00 hours
Please send your practice request before 15 March 2020 to:
rgaljer69@gmail.com
Practices schedule will be published prior to your arrival.

DRAW
Seeding and draw will be done by Badminton Europe on Tuesday 16 March 2021.

WITHDRAWALS
Before the withdrawals without penalty date, please use the online entry system to withdraw players. After the withdrawal without penalty date has passed (15 March 2021 23:59 CET), please ensure that the Organizer is informed immediately when a player has to withdraw, together with the reason, to the following e-mail:

rgaljer69@gmail.com ; alexander1996@abv.bg; divix.blacky@gmail.com

INSURANCE
To be arranged individually by participants.

DRUG TESTING
According to Croatian law and BWF Anti – Doping Regulations drug testing my be carried out on a random basis at any time during the tournament.

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 on the Prevention of the Manipulation of Competition) 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/

LIVE STREAMING

Main court: http://www.badminton-dubrovnik.hr/

PRIZES

Cups, medals and practical prizes for the finalist and semi – finalist in each event.

LOCAL TRANSFER

The organizer will provide transport only between the Dubrovnik Airport and the official hotels on arrival and departure days. The fee of the transportation is 20 EUR per person includes both directions.

The organizer also offers a free transport between the official hotels and the sports hall 60 minutes before the start of the competition each day, then every two hours, and return to the official hotels after the last match.

The organizer is not able to offer free transport for those players and officials who are not staying in the official hotels.

Send your travel details to:
HOTEL ACCOMMODATION

The offer of the accommodation is valid until the completion of hotel capacities

Valamar Club Dubrovnik and Tirena are the ideal 3*hotels for sports activities.

38,00 € per person per night on halfboard basis in double/twin room
35,00 € per person per night on halfboard basis in triple room
65,00 € per night on halfboard basis in “double/twin for single use” room
BB reduction: 5,00 Eur per person per day

Offer for 4* NN (Valamar Lacroma Dubrovnik/Valamar Argosy)

- Rooms are on request

50,00 € per person per night on halfboard basis in double/twin room
82,00 € per night on halfboard basis in “double/twin for single use” room
BB reduction: 7,00 Eur per person per day

Both (3* and 4* hotel) offers include:

- Accommodation in double/twin or “dbl for sgl use” room
- Rich buffet breakfast and dinner with “show cooking”
- City tax and VAT
- Located in the lavish Mediterranean garden on the coast of the Babinkuk peninsula and near the historical heart of the city of Dubrovnik and its beautiful surrounding beaches. A wide selection of entertainment and sports activities, close to the beach and a large outdoor swimming pool with separate children's pool, and breakfast and dinner with a rich selection of Mediterranean specialties, make these hotels ideal place for rest and relaxation but also for active types who want to spice up their holidays with some sports and nature walks.
**Payment:** in advance, according to our proforma invoice

**Notes:**

- Rates are per person per night in €
- Rates are valid for up to 5 days prior and after the tournament
- Tourist tax is 10 HRK per day, payable at the hotel reception
- Parking for auto/van is additionally charged 50,00 HRK per day in 3* hotels and 60,00 HRK per day in 4* hotels, Mini BUS/BUS 300 HRK per day, payable at the hotel reception

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- Tirena: Iva Dulčića 36, 20000 Dubrovnik
- Valamar Club: Iva Dulčića 38, 20000 Dubrovnik
- LaCroma: Iva Dulčića 34, 20000 Dubrovnik
- Argosy: Iva Dulčića 140, 20000 Dubrovnik

**VISA**

It is the responsibility of any nation or player needing a visa to travel to Croatia to make sure that visa applications are made before 1 March 2021. Please send the full name, date of birth, passport number (as shown on passport), date of issue, place of issue and date of expiry for players and officials to the following address: [crobad@cba.hr](mailto:crobad@cba.hr). Croatian Badminton Association will be unable to send supporting letters at a late stage.

**WWW / INTERNET**

You will find Croatia Valamar Junior Open 2021 on the internet as follows:

- [www.badminton-dubrovnik.hr](http://www.badminton-dubrovnik.hr)
Welcome to historical city of Dubrovnik
King’s landing

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