



**DENMARK  
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Presented by VICTOR



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Super 750



# Invitation

Jyske Bank Arena 18-23 October 2022  
[denmarkopen.dk](http://denmarkopen.dk)

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omgivelser**  
– stadig i Odense

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The Badminton Denmark international tournament since 1936  
part of the HSBC BWF World Tour Super 750

18-23 October 2022

Prize Money: **US\$ 750,000**

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Dear Member Associations,

Please find enclosed all the necessary information for the DENMARK OPEN 2022 presented by VICTOR.





As per March 2022 Denmark have no Covid-19 restrictions.

However, everyone needs to follow news of possible reinstatement of any restrictions at any point in time before and during Denmark Open 2022. You can follow <https://en.coronasmitte.dk/> for more information.

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**Badminton Denmark**



## 1. General Details

<b>Organiser</b>	Badminton Denmark, Broendby Stadion 20, DK-2605 Broendby T: +45 70 60 50 76 E: <a href="mailto:event@badminton.dk">event@badminton.dk</a> W: <a href="http://www.denmarkopen.com">www.denmarkopen.com</a>
<b>Sanction</b>	Badminton World Federation
<b>Date</b>	18-23 October 2022
<b>Competition Venue</b>	Jyske Bank Arena Ørbækvej 350 DK-5220 Odense SØ Denmark
<b>Media Links</b>	Championships website: <a href="http://www.denmarkopen.com">www.denmarkopen.com</a>   @Badmintondk  @Baddk  Badminton Denmark  @Badmintondenmark
<b>Referee Team</b>	<b>Referee:</b> Girish Natu (IND) / Email: <a href="mailto:girishnatu@gmail.com">girishnatu@gmail.com</a>  <b>Deputy Referee:</b> Yves Côté (CAN) / Email: <a href="mailto:yves38.bdmntn@gmail.com">yves38.bdmntn@gmail.com</a>
<b>Useful Contacts</b>	Badminton Denmark Office E: <a href="mailto:event@badminton.dk">event@badminton.dk</a>  Nicolaj Knudsen, Event Assistant E: <a href="mailto:nikn@badminton.dk">nikn@badminton.dk</a>  Brian Bach Moesgaard, Director of Event E: <a href="mailto:brmo@badminton.dk">brmo@badminton.dk</a>
<b>Insurance coverage</b>	Players and all members of the national delegation shall hold valid insurance for damages of any nature caused to third parties. Such insurance shall cover bodily injury, illnesses including but not limited to positive COVID 19 cases, medical and hospitalization/quarantine expenses incurred in the host country, as well as all expenses and costs associated to repatriating the injured/ill party to its country of residence. Please check to make sure you have adequate insurance in place.





<b>Indemnity</b>	To the extent permitted by applicable law, all players and members of the national delegation shall release the BWF, the Tournament Organiser, and their respective officers, officials, employees, agents and representatives, from any and all liability, damage, loss, cost or expense that such players and members of the national delegation may incur as a result or in connection with their participation to the Tournament.
<b>Participant Agreement for Use of Photographs and Videos</b>	Players and all members of the national delegation shall agree to give the BWF and the Tournament Organiser full television and motion picture rights, including permission to film players and members of the national delegation during all matches and activities around the Tournament, for any commercial, news or other purpose together with the right to transfer such right, including without compensation.

## 2. Entry Details

<b>Regulations (Conditions of Play)</b>	<p>The DENMARK OPEN presented by VICTOR will be run in accordance with, but not limited to, the Badminton World Federation (BWF) Statutes, General Competition Regulations (GCR), and BWF World Tour Regulations. In the event of any dispute, the decision of the Tournament Referee will be final.</p> <p>These tournaments will strictly enforce the Clothing, Equipment, and Advertising Regulations as outlined in the BWF GCR 20 – 24. This includes restrictions of certain colours for shirts, shorts, and skirts to avoid issues with virtual advertising on TV courts, as per GCR 21.7.</p> <p>In addition, all BWF notified COVID-19 guidelines and protocols will also apply.</p>																
<b>Scoring System</b>	Best of three games to 21 points, as per the Laws of Badminton (BWF Statute 4.1)																
<b>Instant Review System</b>	The Instant Review System (IRS) will available on Court 1, and is regulated as per BWF Statute 4.1.8.																
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### Draws

Event	Maximum Entries in Main Draw
Men's Singles	32
Women's Singles	32
Men's Doubles	32
Women's Doubles	32
Mixed Doubles	32

### Online Entry – International Entries

Entries for this tournament must be done by the Member Association using the BWF Online Group Entry system, using the following link:

<https://bwf.tournamentsoftware.com/tournament/FD1C4D79-6704-43B7-BB54-647E3A155F62>

If the Member Association requires a username and password to access the system, please contact the BWF at the following email address:

[s.ramachandran@bwf.sport](mailto:s.ramachandran@bwf.sport) or [hj.yee@bwf.sport](mailto:hj.yee@bwf.sport)

The entry deadline is Tuesday, 6 september 2022 at 23:59, BWF Headquarters time (+08:00 hrs GMT). Late entries will not be accepted.

After the entry deadline, the BWF Online Group 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.

Member Associations should contact BWF immediately if such notice is not received by Wednesday, 7 september 2022 at 12:00 hrs BWF Headquarters time.

If no objection is received by BWF by Thursday, 8 september 2022 at 23:59 hrs BWF Headquarters time, the entries shall be deemed to be correct. No complaints/objections will be entertained after this point.

### Online Entry – Hosting Member Association Entries

Eligible player wishing to enter through the hosting Member Association must follow a different process to international entries.

Danish players need to register on [Badmintonplayer.dk](http://Badmintonplayer.dk) by 04 September 2022.



## Withdrawals

The management of withdrawals will be run in accordance with BWF GCR 13 and 14.

Member Associations can withdraw their entries through the BWF Online Group Entry system until the last date of withdrawal without penalty (see Key Dates Section).

Withdrawals made after this date will incur a penalty in accordance with the BWF Table of Offences and Penalties (BWF Statute 2.5).

Please ensure that the Tournament Referee and Host Organiser are notified immediately in writing, clearly stating the reason for the withdrawal.

If a Member Association needs to withdraw any entries once players have arrived in the host city, notification of withdrawal must be made by the Team Manager in person to the Tournament Referee, or Deputy Referee(s), and must also be confirmed in writing to:

DENMARK OPEN presented by VICTOR Referee: Girish Natu (IND) / Email: [girishnatu@gmail.com](mailto:girishnatu@gmail.com)

Host Organiser Contact: Nicolaj Knudsen; Email: [event@badminton.dk](mailto:event@badminton.dk)

## 3. Tournament Details

### Prize Money

A prize fund of USD\$750,000 will be distributed for the DENMARK OPEN presented by VICTOR, in accordance with BWF Statute 5.3.5, and awarded as per the table below.

No tax deduction.

	Winner	Runner Up	Semi Finalist	Quarter Finalist	Last 16	Last 32
Men's Singles	\$52,500	\$25,500	\$10,500	\$4,125	\$2,250	\$750
Women's Singles	\$52,500	\$25,500	\$10,500	\$4,125	\$2,250	\$750
Men's Doubles	\$55,500*	\$26,250*	\$10,500*	\$4,687.50*	\$2,437.50*	\$750*
Women's Doubles	\$55,500*	\$26,250*	\$10,500*	\$4,687.50*	\$2,437.50*	\$750*
Mixed Doubles	\$55,500*	\$26,250*	\$10,500*	\$4,687.50*	\$2,437.50*	\$750*

\* – per pair



### Competition Schedule

Day	Event	Round	Courts	Doors Open	Start	End
Tuesday 18 Oct	MS/WS/MD/WD/XD	First	3	08:00	09:00	22:30
Wednesday 19 Oct	MS/WS/MD/WD/XD	First	3	08:00	09:00	22:30
Thursday 20 Oct	MS/WS/MD/WD/XD	Second	3	08:00	09:00	22:30
Friday 21 Oct	MS/WS/MD/WD/XD	Quarter	2	11:00	12:00	22:30
Saturday 22 Oct	MS/WS/MD/WD/XD	Semi	1	09:00	10:00	20:00
Sunday 23 Oct	MS/WS/MD/WD/XD	Finals	1	11:00	12:00	17:00

Times and order of play may be changed at the discretion of the Tournament Referee, and all end times are approximate.

ALL FINALISTS FROM ANY GRADE 2 TOURNAMENT HELD IN THE WEEK BEFORE, WILL PLAY THEIR FIRST ROUND MATCHES ON WEDNESDAY.

### Official Shuttle

VICTOR Master ACE

### Practice Facilities

#### Practice Facility Information:

Six practice courts will be available upon request from Sunday, 16 October 2022 for DENMARK OPEN presented by VICTOR.

Teams can request practice courts in advance. Upon arrival, please confirm the practice plan made by the organisers. Requests for practice courts in the practice hall can also be made at the Championships office upon arrival.

#### Competition Courts Information:

Practice in the Main Hall will be available on Monday, 17 October between 09:00-22:00 hrs.

The practice schedule in the Main Hall will be prepared according to team's arrival details and size.

Booking/Reservation Information: [click here](#).

Court Mat Color: Green

Practice in the Main Hall after Monday, 17 October 2022 will be coordinated with the referee and tournament management.

#### Warmup Courts Information:

There are three warmup courts in the warmup area.



	<p><b>Practice Shuttles Information:</b></p> <p>Each player will be given three shuttlecocks free for the practice session. Additional shuttlecocks can be purchased.</p>
<p><b>Player Facilities</b></p>	<p><b>Player Lounge Information:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Location: Warm up area</li> <li>• Schedule: During Play</li> <li>• Facilities Description: Lounge.</li> </ul> <p><b>Stringing Services:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Location: Warm up area</li> <li>• Schedule: During Play</li> <li>• Cost: 10 Euro if you bring you own string</li> <li>• Other: 15 Euro if you do not have you own string.</li> </ul>
<p><b>Team Managers' Meeting</b></p>	<p>The Team Managers' Meeting will be held at the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Date: Monday, 17 October 2022</li> <li>• Time: 19:00 hrs</li> <li>• Location: The venue</li> </ul> <p>It is mandatory for all participating Member Associations (represented by designated Team Manager) to attend the Team Managers' Meeting. Member Associations will be penalised for failing to attend, in accordance with the BWF Table of Offences and Penalties (BWF Statute 2.5).</p> <p>Member Associations are allowed to request representation by another Member Association, provided that the Tournament Referee is notified in advance and approves.</p>
<p><b>Umpire Briefing</b></p>	<p>The Umpire Briefing will be held at the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Date: Monday, 17 October 2022</li> <li>• Time: 18:00 hrs</li> <li>• Location: The venue</li> </ul>
<p><b>Presentation Ceremonies</b></p>	<p>All prize ceremonies will take place on Sunday, 23 October 2022, immediately after the conclusion of each final. Medals/trophies/other will be presented to all champions and finalists.</p> <p>In accordance with Player Commitment Regulations (BWF Statue 5.3.6), all players participating in the finals of a tournament must attend the final ceremonies directly after the match or must follow the instructions given by the organisers regarding ceremony protocol.</p>





No equipment, including rackets and flags, are allowed to be brought onto the podium. Clothing worn during the ceremony must be in accordance with the BWF GCR.

The Challenge Trophies held for the year by the winners will not become their property.

## Accreditation

Access to Tournament venues and other services is provided through personalised and photographic accreditation.

Please use the following link, [click here](#).

The number of complimentary accreditations passes available for Team Officials is dependent on the number of competing players from the same Member Association:

Number of Member Association Players	Number of Team Officials Accreditations
Three or less	1
Four to Seven	2
Eight to 15	3
16 or more	4

If more officials accompany your team, a limited number of additional accreditations passes for approved Team Officials will be available for purchase at a fee of USD\$ 150, EURO 140 or DKK 1.000, charged to the respective Member Association, and payable at the Championships Office on arrival. PLEASE PAY WITH CASH in the Championships Office, WE DO NOT TAKE CREDIT CARD.

All accredited individuals must follow all BWF and local notified COVID-19 guidelines and protocols.

The fee to replace any lost or damaged accreditation passes will be USD\$ 150, EURO 140 or DKK 1.000 on each occasion, charged to the respective Member Association.

The tournament reserves the right to refuse entry into any accredited venue or area or service (e.g. transportation) as a result of damaged or missing accreditation.

The fraudulent use of accreditation is strictly prohibited, and will result in access rights being removed, and penalties being applied.

Entry (accreditation) to the arena for players and officials will be controlled by colour coded name badges (id-cards). Badges will be issued to all nominated players and officials.

Please complete the form, [click here](#)



Submission deadline date: 09 September 2022 17.00hrs (GMT+1)

Please note that failure to submit this form by the above date may result in lengthy queues upon your arrival at the venue.

For further information, please feel free to contact Event Assistant:  
Nicolaj Knudsen, Tel: +45 70 60 50 76, [nikn@badminton.dk](mailto:nikn@badminton.dk)

#### Medical Services

A medical officer and physiotherapist service will be available throughout the tournament during hours of play, free of charge to players. An appointment system will operate to ensure equal opportunities for all players. Teams can use plinths with their own physiotherapist as well.

#### Anti-Doping

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 Competitions) 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, shall 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(es).

For more information, please refer to BWF's website:

<https://corporate.bwfbadminton.com/integrity/anti-match-fixing-overview/>

#### 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."*



## 4. Travel & Visa Details

### Transport

Complimentary transportation will be provided by the tournament between the official venues: competition venue, official hotel(s), practice venue (if separate from the competition venue), and the following transportation hub:

- Copenhagen Airport
- Odense train station

Competitors are requested to route their arrival and return flights to/from Copenhagen Airport, the only airport we will have a free of charge transport service in place.

If transport is routed to any other airport a charge for transport will be necessary.

Competitors from abroad are requested to inform the Badminton Denmark of time of arrival, flight no., etc. as soon as possible before arrival, according to the enclosed information.

To request transportation, please complete and submit the Transportation Request Form by Friday, 09 September 2022. [Click here](#)

### Visas

If a visa is required to enter Denmark, we can provide a letter of invitation to assist with your application.

Please complete and return the Visa Support Request Form by Friday, 09 September 2022. [Click here](#).

The tournament host and hosting Member Association will only communicate with a Member Association, and the hosting Member Association will only provide a visa support letter if the form is completed accurately and comprehensively, and supporting documentation is provided, where requested.

The tournament host and hosting Member Association accepts no responsibility for withdrawals made due to late or refused visa applications.

It is the responsibility of the Member Association to apply for the necessary visas in sufficient time, and all matters should be directed to the Embassy in charge.

Any visa support letter issued by the tournament host does not guarantee entry into Denmark; the final decision is made the Government of Denmark.



#### COVID-19 Protocols

As per March 2022 Denmark have no Covid-19 restrictions.

However, everyone needs to follow news of possible reinstatement of any restrictions at any point in time before and during Denmark Open 2022. You can follow <https://en.coronasmitte.dk/> for more information.

## 5. Accommodation Details

Official hotel(s)	Rates	Remarks
Hotel Odense Congress Center	Single room DKK 1.075 Twin room DKK 1.175	Ørbækvej 350, 5220 Odense SØ (The hotel is located close to the venue) Prices per night incl. breakfast
Hotel Odeon	Single room DKK 1.075 Twin room DKK 1.175	Odeons Kvarter 11, 5000 Odense C (The hotel is located in the city centre) Prices per night incl. breakfast
Hotel Plaza	Single room DKK 1.075 Twin room DKK 1.175	Østre Stationsvej 24, 5000 Odense C (The hotel is located in the city centre) Prices per night incl. breakfast

Accommodation Request must be submitted by Friday, 09 September 2022. Bookings entered later than September 9 cannot be honored. Reservation and cancelation deadline expires by September 9.

Booking procedure:

- Please [click here](#) to book your rooms.
- Please inform us the exact dates you need rooms, how many rooms etc.
- After submitting a booking request, you will receive a confirmation and at this point you will be asked to fill out all names of persons staying in the rooms.
- If we are fully booked on the available hotels before the deadline, other hotels will be made available.
- Bookings entered later than Friday 9 September can only be honored if available and will be subject to a prize increase per room per night.

Booking conditions:

- The hotel invoice for the total stay shall be paid upon booking.
  - A credit card will be required as payment when booking is completed.
  - A credit card will be required upon arrival as security for extra charges.
- All bookings are final, and refunds after this is not possible.
  - Neither in case of Injuries, visa problems or sickness etc.
- Generally, departure or transfer to another hotel must be completed before 12.00





o'clock on the same day.

- All damages to property of hotels or venues shall be charged to the relevant National Federation and payment in full is expected.
  - It is prohibited to use any kind of cooking appliances inside the hotel or in your rooms.

It is mandatory to stay at the official hotels as Covid restrictions may be reinstated at any time if the infection rate increases again. This would help us to be able to create a bubble, if needed.

## 6. Media Details

### Player Media Obligations

It is a condition of entry into BWF sanctioned tournaments that each player, if requested by the BWF, host organiser, or other tournament official, is required to undertake a range of media activities. Please refer to the BWF Player Commitment Regulations for more information (BWF Statute 5.3.6).

Member Associations should be prepared to facilitate the attendance of their player(s), if requested.

### Media Accreditation

Media wishing to attend this tournament must complete and submit the Media Accreditation Request Form, by Tuesday 11 October 2022

<https://volunteer.badmintonplayer.dk/media/welcomedia>

### TV Broadcast Schedule

Date	Number of matches	Time
Thursday, 20 October 2022	8	15.00-22.00
Friday, 21 October 2022	10	12.00-22.00
Saturday, 22 October 2022	10	10.00-20.00
Sunday, 23 October 2022	5	12.00-17.00

### Video Recording and Photography

Photography is not permitted within the competition venue at any time, and the tournament reserves the right to remove any items of equipment breaching this policy.

Video recording within the competition venue is only permitted by accredited players and team officials of participating Member Associations, from clearly defined positions using video accreditation passes. There a limited number of these positions and passes available, and prior authorisation must be obtained in advance from Championships office. Accreditation must be clearly displayed on the cameras.



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The tournament reserves the right to remove any non-accredited items of equipment.

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

