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# PRESENTATION OF AIRBADMINTON

AIRBADMINTON – THE NEW OUTDOOR GAME OF BWF

## 1. What is AirBadminton?

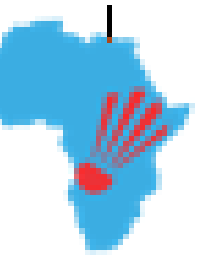
AirBadminton, the new game developed by the Badminton World Federation (BWF) is designed to create opportunities for people of all ages and abilities to play badminton on different surfaces including hard, grass and sand surfaces in parks, gardens, streets, playgrounds and beaches around the world.

This game has its main goal, to increase the popularity of badminton which is a fun and inclusive game. It has the same objectives as badminton and as any other sports improve the physical components such as speed, endurance, strength, agility, balance, coordination, and flexibility.

AirBadminton also prevents stress, reduces the risk of myopia in children and helps to eliminate the risk of other health problems.





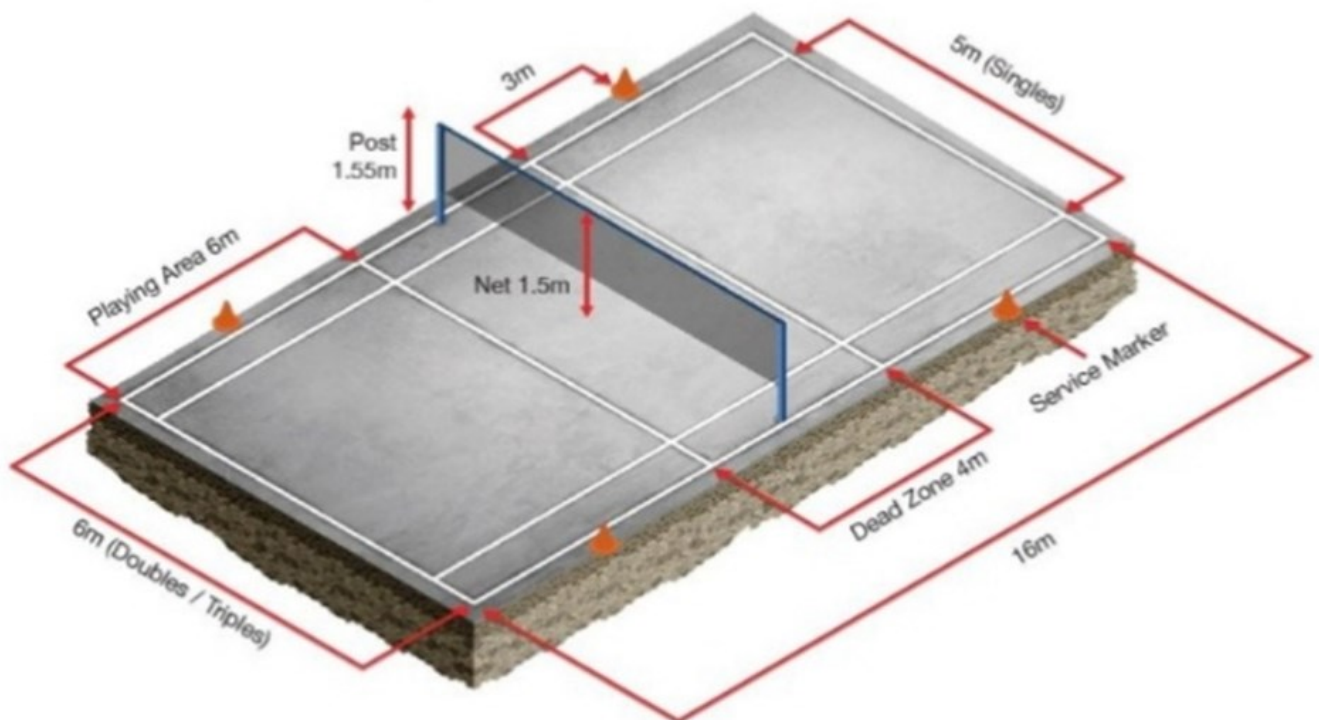


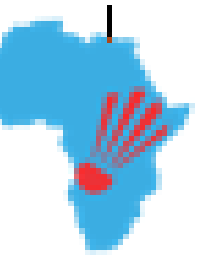
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## 2. Where can i play AirBadminton?

AirBadminton can be played on rectangular and symmetric land with 2 meters of dead zone each side from the net. If the AirShuttle touch the ground on this area, it's a fault. It can be played on three different surfaces such as : hard, grass and sand.

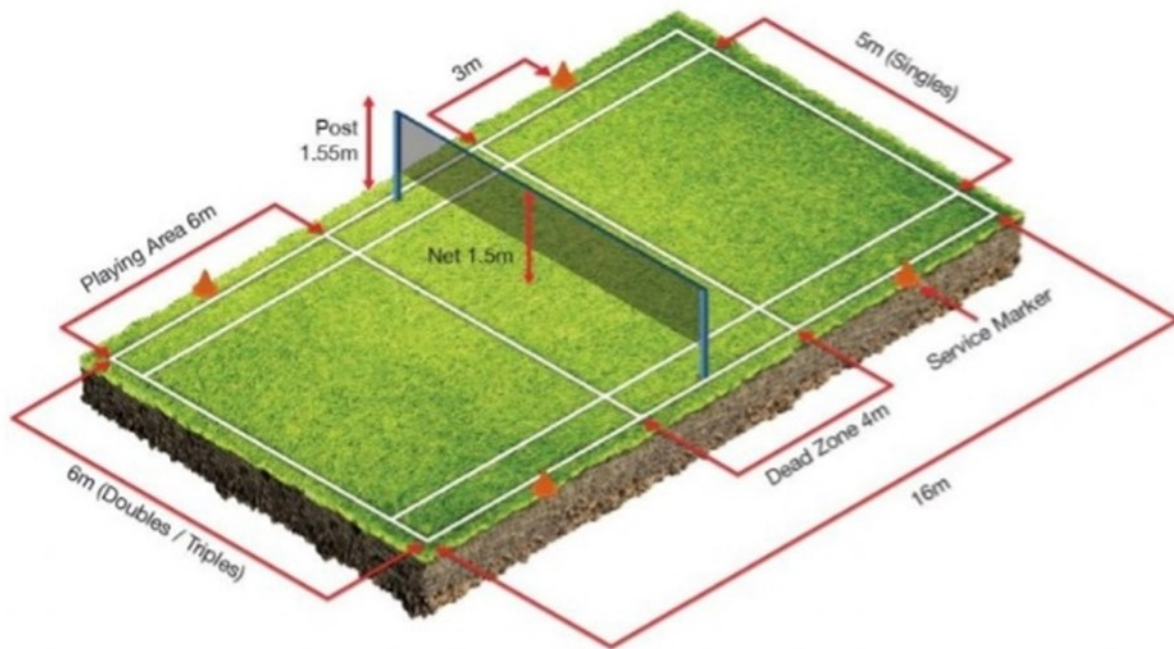
- **Hard surface**



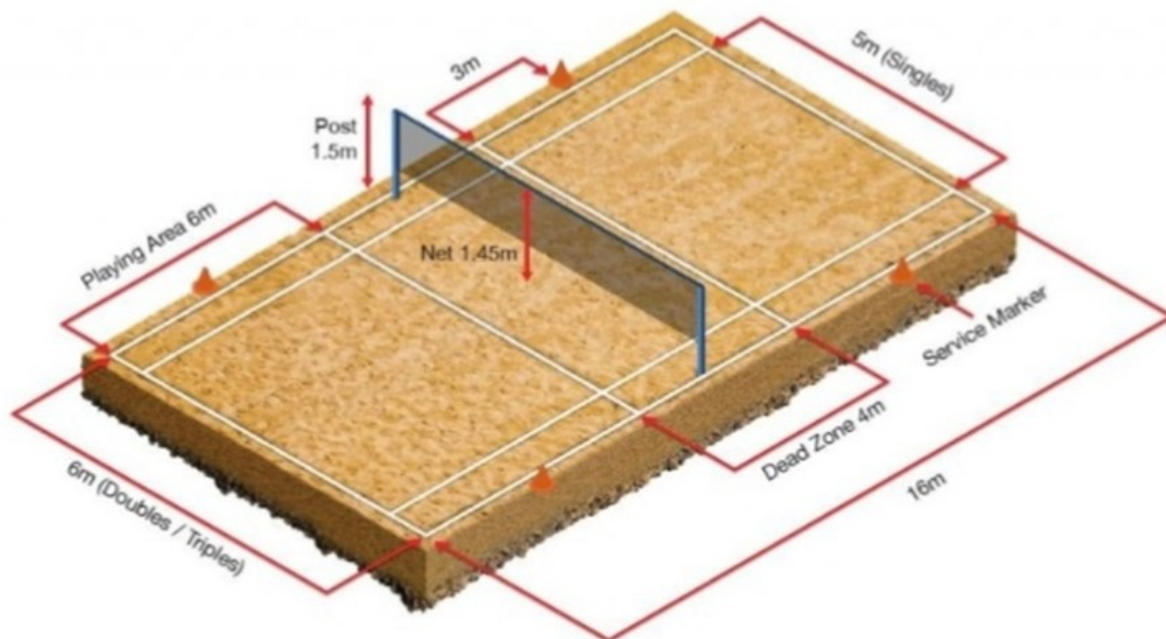


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- **Grass surface**



- **Sand surface**






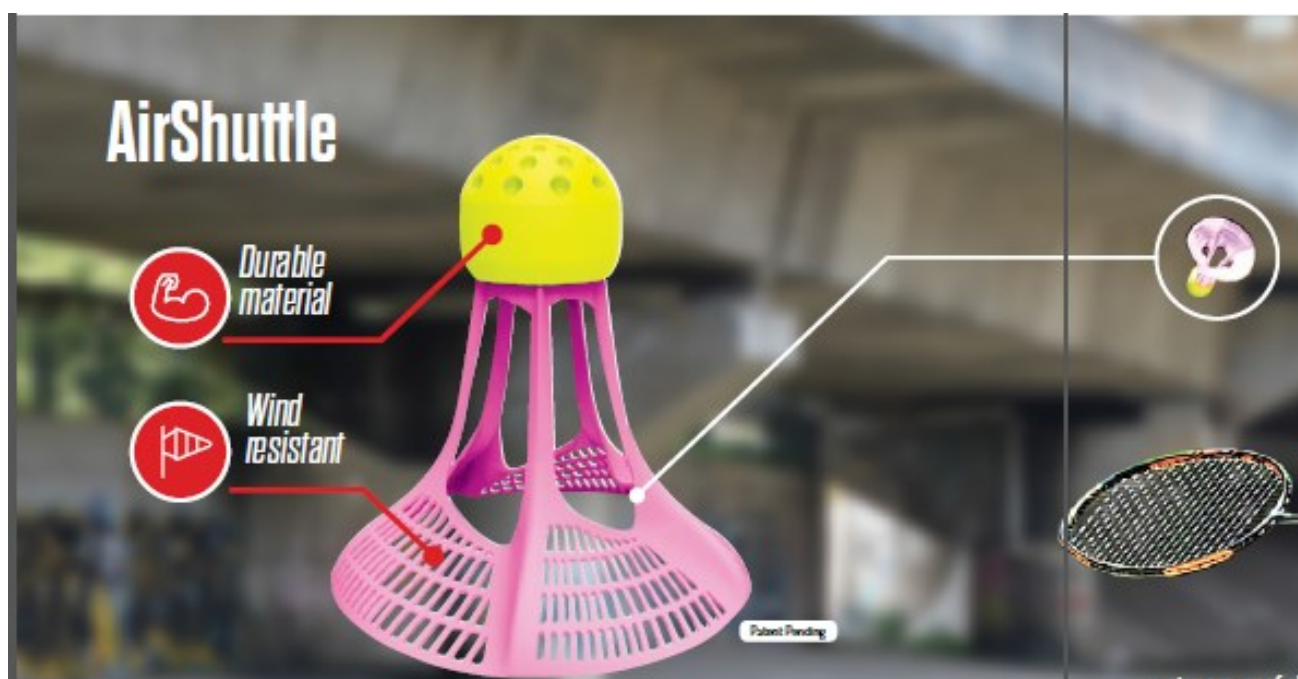


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### **3. What equipment is required to play AirBadminton?**

Setting up an AirBadminton court is very simple. You need two net posts, one net and 5cm width tapes to draw the court.

Equipment required to play AirBadminton are rackets (same as traditional badminton racket), a  specific shuttle (AirShuttle). It is possible to play AirBadminton with existing shuttlecocks, but the game and court have been specially developed based on the characteristics of the AirShuttle which is easy to play outdoor. We recommend that AirBadminton be played with AirShuttle as soon as its available on the market as this game provide a lot of fun and enjoyment.




AirShuttle has been designed to be played outside taking into consideration wind and other climatic conditions.




#### 4. Which are the different Events that can be played in AirBadminton?

Events played in AirBadminton are : Men's Singles, Women's Singles, Men's Doubles, Women's Doubles, Mixed Doubles and Triples.

Triples is played by teams of three, each containing a minimum of one female player.  are not allowed to hit two consecutive strokes. This rule creates more movement and increases the tactical elements of the game.



#### 5. AirBadminton regulations?

The badminton regulation  apply for AirBAdminton except in triples event (as mentioned above in part 4).



## 6. Who can play AirBadminton?

AirBadminton can be played by anyone, regardless of age, ability, gender, and level of experience. It is also an inclusive sport for people with disabilities and para-badminton players.



## 7. Inclusion of AirBadminton in Shuttle Time program

The Badminton Confederation Africa considers AirBadminton as a precious tool in the promotion of Badminton. BCA with the approval of the Badminton World Federation is including AirBadminton as a module in the development program of Shuttle Time.

As the AirBadminton shuttle will be available in a few months, we recommend all MA's to encourage the promotion of AirBadminton as soon as possible using the synthetic one available on the market.

**For more information about AirBadminton please visit :**

**BWF website (Development) :** <https://development.bwfbadminton.com> (ctrl+click)