



**BADMINTON
CONFEDERATION
AFRICA**

MAURITIUS

INTERNATIONAL

2023

20th – 23rd July

National Badminton Centre

Rose Hill, Mauritius

International Series Tournament
(USD 5,000 Prize Money)

*Part of the BWF World Ranking
Part of BCA Circuit*



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Local Organisers	<p>Mauritius Badminton Association</p> <p>Email: badminton@intnet.mu Tel: +230 454 5158</p> <p>Local Organising Committee (President)</p> <p>Email: sharmanun@gmail.com Tel: +230 5756 1668</p>
Events	<p>There will be Men's Singles, Women's Singles, Men's Doubles, Women's Doubles and Mixed Doubles.</p>
Referee	<p>Referee: Johan de KLERK (RSA)</p> <p>Email: skilliedeklerk@gmail.com</p> <p>Deputy Referee: Yassan SAIRALLY</p> <p>Email: y_sairally@yahoo.com</p>
Venue	<p>National Badminton Centre (9 Courts) – Rose Hill</p> <p>Practice sessions can be arranged upon request and will be subject to court availability.</p>
Shuttlecock	<p>TBA (BWF Approved Shuttles).</p>
Entry Fee	<p>\$60 per event (Non-African Players only).</p>
Team Managers Meeting	<p>Wednesday 19th July 2023 @ 18:00hrs in the meeting room of the official Hotel or the venue. These schedules are subjected to change, please contact the organisers for more details.</p>
Entries	<p>All Entries must be submitted using the BWF Online Entry System no later than Tuesday 20th June 2023 at 23h59 BWF HQ (Kuala Lumpur) time (GMT+8). Member Association must log on to the Mauritius International 2023 at:</p> <p>https://bwf.tournamentsoftware.com/tournament/BFC1C15F-7C09-42C4-B7D8-4332A9BF0F6C</p> <p>If you require a username and password to submit your entries online, please contact Mr. Shan Ramachandran, Assistant Events Manager, s.ramachandran@bwf.sport or contact the BCA for African countries.</p> <p>No late entries will be accepted.</p>

Tournament Schedule

Day / Date	Time	Play
Thursday 20 July	As from 9hrs	Qualifying rounds and/or Round 32 Main draw
Friday 21 July	As from 9hrs	Round 32 and Round 16 (MS, WS, MD, WD, XD)
Saturday 22 July	09h00 14h30	All Quarter-Finals (MS, WS, MD, WD, XD) All Semi-Finals (MS, WS, MD, WD, XD)
Sunday 23 July	As from 11hrs	Finals (MS, WS, MD, WD, XD)

(All times are subject to change; detailed schedule will be published after the draw)

Key Dates

Closing date of entries	Tuesday 20 Jun 2023
Main and Qualifying Report World Ranking date	Tuesday 20 Jun 2023
Main and Qualifying Report publish on BCA webpage	Friday 23 Jun 2023
Seeding Report World Ranking date	Tuesday 27 Jun 2023
Seeding Report publish on BWF webpage	Friday 30 Jun 2023
Last day of withdrawal without penalty	Monday 03 Jul 2023
DRAW	Tuesday 04 Jul 2023

**Withdrawal and
No-Shows**

Deadline for withdrawals of players, without penalty, is on **Monday 03 July 2023**.

According to BWF General Competition Regulations: Any withdrawal after Monday 03 July 2023, immediately preceding the draw, for any reason, or No-Show, renders the Member Association Concerned liable to an amount of USD 150 and USD 500 respectively.

Prize Money (USD 5,000)

Rank	MS	WS	MD	WD	XD
Winner	600	600	400	400	400
Runner Up	325	325	200	200	200
Semi (Per pair)	125	125	75	75	75
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Quarter	50	50	No Price Money		
Quarter	50	50			
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Draw Size

Event	Entries – Main Draw		No. of Entries – Qualifying draw
	Direct	Qualifiers	
Men's Singles	24	8	64
Women's Singles	24	8	64
Men's Doubles	32	-	-
Women's Doubles	32	-	-
Mixed Doubles	24	8	16

Visa

For countries with Mauritian Embassy

While many countries are exempt of Visa requirements, you are requested to visit the website https://passport.govmu.org/passport/?page_id=605. Support letter will be provided upon request from your association.

For Countries without Mauritian Embassy

You can apply for Visa, at least 1 month before the tournament (**free**) here: https://passport.govmu.org/passport/?page_id=620

Airport	Sir Seewoosagur Ramgoolam International Airport Airport Code: <i>MRU</i>
Accommodation	<p><u>1. Gold Crest Hotel – Quatre Bornes</u> Price (Full board – Breakfast, lunch and dinner)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Single Room: USD 100 / Person / Night ▪ Double Room: USD 80 / Person / Night <p><u>2. Gold Beach Hotel – Flic en Flac (Beach Side Hotel)</u> Price (Full board – Breakfast, lunch and dinner)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Single Room: USD 140 / Person / Night ▪ Double Room: USD 90 / Person / Night <p>Reservations have to be made with the Organisers. 50% of all accommodation charges should be paid to the host, Mauritius Badminton Association, by bank transfer by Monday 10th July latest and the rest on arrival. Check-in at the hotel is as from 14h00 and check-out is at 11h00.</p> <p>The hotels have been certified COVID-19 compliant.</p>
Transportation	<p>Transport will be provided from Airport to the official hotels only.</p> <p>Transportation to and from the venue will be provided free of charge to Participants and Officials for the official hotels only. Gold Crest Hotel is approximately 40 minutes' drive time from the Airport and 10 minutes' drive time from the venue. For Gold Beach Hotel, drive time from the Airport is approximately 1 hour and about 30 minutes' drive time from the venue.</p> <p>COVID-19 protocols will be respected for Airport transfers and daily shuttles to and from the venue.</p>
Temperature	In July, the temperature varies around 21°C during the day and at night it's around 17°C.
Medical Services	The organisers will provide medical personnel at all times in the hall for the duration of the tournament.
Insurance	Participants must arrange their own insurance for health, travel and property, including Covid-19 related costs. The organisers will not be responsible for any medical cost.

BWF ID	<p>Players cannot be entered unless they already have a BWF ID number. In case you wish to enter players, who don't have a BWF ID - number, you can now generate new BWF IDs for your players via Tournament Software.</p> <p>If you need help to generate new BWF IDs, please contact BWF or BCA (for African Countries) well in advance of the tournament, so that the players concerned can be assigned BWF ID numbers before the closing date of the tournament.</p>
Doping Control	<p>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.</p> <p>Athletes are responsible for any substance found in their body. Before an athlete takes any medications, they could check with their doctor, and if necessary, get a Therapeutic Use Exemption (TUE).</p> <p>For more information about Anti-Doping, please visit the BWF Website: https://corporate.bwfbadminton.com/integrity/anti-doping-overview/</p>
Clothing and Advertising	<p>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 the BWF. In applying these regulations, the decision of the Referee shall be final.</p>
Badminton Integrity	<p>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.</p> <p>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.</p> <p>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).</p> <p>For more information, please refer to BWF's website: https://corporate.bwfbadminton.com/integrity/anti-match-fixing-overview/</p>

<p>Conditions</p>	<p>The tournament will be played on knock-out system and in full accordance with the General Competition Regulations of the BWF and the instructions of Badminton Confederation Africa.</p> <p>Competitors must be prepared to play at the times determined for the events for which they have entered. All prizes will be distributed during the official prize giving ceremony after the finals.</p> <p>Players shall not plan their departure before the prize giving ceremony; the organisers will not award medals or prize money before the finals.</p> <p>According to the BWF General Competition Regulations, there is no world ranking points for an international tournament with less than 8 entries in (MS, WS, MD, WD, XD). In such a case, the tournament maybe cancelled, and the organisers will not take any responsibility for any arrangements that may have been already made.</p> <p><u>Compliance with General Competition Regulations Clause 7.9</u> GCR 7.9: "In making or authorizing entries, the Member concerned is reconfirming its acceptance, and acceptance by the Players being entered, of the BWF's regulations and Disciplinary processes."</p>
<p>Covid-19 Restrictions</p>	<p>There are no longer any Covid-19 entry restrictions for travel to Mauritius. Passengers are no longer required to have a Covid-19 vaccination certificate or a Covid-19 negative test result to enter the country. Quarantine restrictions have also been lifted.</p> <p>All persons entering the country will have to complete and submit the All-in-One Travel Digital Form at https://safemauritius.govmu.org/</p> <p>At the competition venue, players and their entourage are <u>encouraged</u> to respect sanitary and hygiene measures including social distancing, wearing of masks and others.</p>
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