

12 - 18 FEBRUARY 2024 CAIRO - EGYPT











BCA Participation Grant	Each participating team (only) will be eligible to receive a financial assistance which will include travel and/or a hotel grant. The exact amount will be communicated to you after the entry deadline.	
	The seeding will be based on the BWF World Team Ranking and according to the BWF General Competition Regulations. The Referee's decision will be final.	
Team Managers Meeting and Draw	The <u>DRAW</u> of the Team Event Competition will be held during the Team Managers Meeting.	
	The Team Managers Meeting will be held on Sunday 11 th February 2024 @ 16:30hrs in the meeting room of the official hotel.	
Shuttlecock	TBC (BWF Approved Shuttlecocks).	
Venue	Cairo Stadium, Cairo (Courts TBC) Practice sessions can be arranged upon request and will be subject to court availability.	
Referee	Referee: TBA Email: Deputy Referee: TBA Email: Deputy Referee: TBA	
Technical Delegate	Faadil Sayed Email: f.sayed@badmintonafrica.com Phone: +230 5255 2009	
Events	 All Africa Men's & Women's Team Championships 2024 (Thomas & Uber Cups Africa Qualifications) All Africa Individual Championships 2024 All five events (MS, WS, MD, WD & XD) shall be played for the Individual Championships and shall count for the BWF World Ranking. 	
Local Organisers	Email: ebf1991@yahoo.com Office: +20 224 043 923 & +20 224 043 948 LOC Tournament Director: Dr Sherif Email: dr sherif78@hotmail.com Phone: +20 100 600 2629	
	Egyptian Badminton Federation Email: ebf1991@yahoo.com	





Member Associations can enter a maximum of one Men's Team and one Women's Team or both.

Each Team must be composed of MINIMUM four (4) players. If your team has less than four players, you will NOT be allowed to play the Team Event. BCA will give a maximum of 6 medals per winning team including, gold, silver and bronze medallists.

Team Composition & Regulations for Team Event

Each tie will be composed of five matches: 3 singles and two-level doubles. Teams winning three or more matches in any tie will be the winner. A player is not allowed to play more than 2 matches (one single and one double) per tie.

The order of play for each match will be decided by the Referee who's decision shall be final.

The format of the Team Event Competitions will be a group phase followed by a knock-out round.

All Entries must be submitted using the BWF Online Entry System.

(1) All Africa Men's & Women's Team Championships 2024

https://bwf.tournamentsoftware.com/sport/tournament.aspx?id=108 3DBA5-1209-497E-A8D4-965ECF7848C0

Deadline (Team Nomination): Tuesday 16 January 2024 at 23h59 BWF HQ (Kuala Lumpur) time (GMT +08:00)

Deadline (Player Nomination): Tuesday 23 January 2024 at 23h59 BWF HQ (Kuala Lumpur) time (GMT +08:00)

(2) All Africa Individual Championships 2024

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https://bwf.tournamentsoftware.com/tournament/8389008C-2C3C-

If you require a username and password to submit your entries online, please feel free to contact Mr Shan Ramachandran, Assistant Events Manager, s.ramachandran@bwf.sport.

All entries must be confirmed by the National Association. Organisers will refuse entries if players are on the current BWF banned list or if MAs are on the barred/suspension list.

Please note: No late entries will be accepted. Deadline for Withdrawal (Individual Event) is Monday 29 January 2024.

Entries





Regulations
(Individual Event)

Individual Event Entries				
Event	Host Country	Other Countries		
Men's Singles	6 Players	5 Players		
Women's Singles	6 Players	5 Players		
Men's Doubles	3 Pairs	2 Pairs		
Women's Doubles	3 Pairs	2 Pairs		
Mixed Doubles	4 Pairs	3 Pairs		

Tournament	Schedule

Day / Date	Time	Play
Sunday 11 February	Evening	Team Manager's Meeting
	Morning	Opening Ceremony
Monday 12 February	Afternoon	Team Events Group Stage
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Tuesday 13 February	Afternoon	Team Events Group Stage
	Evening	
Wednesday 14	Morning	Team Events Knock-Out Stage
February	Afternoon	Team Events Knock-Out Stage
Thursday 15 February	Afternoon	Team Events Finals
Friday 16 February	Whole Day	Individual Event
Saturday 17 February	Whole Day	Individual Event
Sunday 18	Morning	Semi-Finals
February	Afternoon	Finals

Airport

Cairo International Airport

Airport Code: CAI

Covid-19
Restrictions

There are no Covid-19 restrictions currently in place in Egypt.





	No visa on arrival
Visa	Application for visa must be made to the Egyptian Embassy in your country or a neighbouring country. Support letter will be provided upon request from your association. You must fill in the visa form and send a passport copy not later than Friday 12 th January 2024.
	You can apply online for a visa here: https://www.visa2egypt.gov.eg/ . Visa charge is USD 25.
Accommodation	Sonesta Hotel, Cairo Price (Full board – Breakfast, lunch and dinner) ■ Single Room: ≈ USD 160 / Person / Night ■ Double Room: ≈ USD 100 / Person / Night
	Reservations must be made with the BCA. Check in/out at the hotels are at 12h00. The accommodation and meal charges must be paid immediately upon arrival.
	Complete the Hotel Booking Form attached to the prospectus at latest Friday 12 th January 2024.
	Cancellation: Any room cancellation/amendment can be made up to 2 weeks prior to arrival date without any charge, within 10% of the total number of each group.
	No Show: Hotel will charge 1 night in case of no show.
	BCA will not be responsible for any charges/fees resulting from a booking cancellation or amendments not respected.
Transportation	Transportation to and from the venue will be provided free of charge to Participants for the official hotel only. Sonesta Hotel is 20 minutes' drive from the airport and the Badminton venue is less than 5 minutes' drive from the hotel.
	Complete the Airport Transfer Form attached to the prospectus at latest Friday 02 February 2024.
Accreditation	Complete the Accreditation Form attached to the prospectus at latest Friday 02 February 2024.
	Also, please send a passport size photo of each person in your delegation to the organisers and BCA.
Temperature	In February, the temperature varies around 22°C during the day and at night it's around 12°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	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.
	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.
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 medications, they could 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/
Clothing and Advertising	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.
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/





Conditions	The individual 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.
	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 (or during, depending on the host).
	Players shall not plan their departure before the prize giving ceremony; the organisers will not award medals before the finals.
	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.
	Compliance with General Competition Regulations Clause 7.9
	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."
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