## Kawasaki Vietnam International Series 2016









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#### **OFFICIAL INVITATION**

May, 27<sup>th</sup> 2016

To: All members of the Badminton World Federation

Re: Kawasaki Vietnam International Series 2016

Dear Sir/Madam,

On behalf of Vietnam Badminton Federation we have the pleasure to invite you to send players to participate in the Kawasaki Vietnam International Series 2016 (BWF Sanctioned International Series with US\$6,000 prize money) which will be held 28th September to 2nd October 2016 at Bac Ninh Sports Stadium in Bac Ninh Province.

We look forward to welcoming your team to Bac Ninh Province.

Yours sincerely

LE THANH SANG

Vice President/ General Secretary

# Kawasaki Vietnam International Series 2016 (Section A)

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		Badminton World Federation (BWF) Badminton Asia			
Dates					
Note: Member Associations are advised to log on to <a href="http://bwf.tournamentsoftware.com/sport/tournament.aspx?id=3ED5A997-FEB7-4AF5-BA69-CF12F68F8590">http://bwf.tournamentsoftware.com/sport/tournament.aspx?id=3ED5A997-FEB7-4AF5-BA69-CF12F68F8590</a> and submit entries		Dates of Event	of	28 <sup>th</sup> September to 2 <sup>nd</sup> October 2016	
You will require a username and password to submit your entries and this can be obtained from the BWF: please contact Mr. Shan at <a href="mailto:s.ramachandran@bwfbadminton.org">s.ramachandran@bwfbadminton.org</a> . The online entry page will close immediately on the entries closing date at 23:59 hours BWF Headquarters time (+08:00h GMT) and you are required to submit the entries on time. Late entries will not be accepted.  No entry forms are required by Member Association. All entries must be submitted online only.		Closing	<b>Date</b>	30 <sup>th</sup> August 2016 (Tuesday)	

After the closing date, the BWF Online 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. The Member Associations should contact BWF immediately if such notice is not received by the Wednesday (next day of the entries closing date) by noon BWF Headquarters time (+08.00h GMT) following close of entries. If no objection is received by BWF by Thursday (second day after the entries closing day) 23.59 hours BWF Headquarters time (+08.00h GMT) following the close of entries, the entries shall be deemed to be correct. No complaints / objections shall be entertained after this point.

## **Events and Draw Size**

Event		Entries	
	Main Draw	Qualifiers	Qualifying Round
Men's Singles	48	16	64
Women's Singles	24	8	32
Men's Doubles	24	8	32
Women's Doubles	24	8	32
Mixed Doubles	24	8	32

- All entries must be submitted online only.
- Entries close on 30<sup>th</sup> August 2016 (Tuesday). Late and incomplete entries will be rejected.
- Player(s) without BWF ID numbers are requested to contact your National Association accordingly.
- National Associations will be notified whether their players have been accepted directly into the Main Draw or if they are required to play in the qualifying rounds once entries are evaluated after the closing date. The information will be published and updated on Badminton Asia website:

http://badmintonasia.org/tournaments.php

#### Provisional Schedule

Day	Date	Play
Wednesday	28th Sep	Qualifying Rounds
Thursday	29th Sep	Main Draws
Friday	30th Sep	Main Draws
		Quarter-Finals (MS/WS/MD/WD/XD)
Saturday	1st Oct	Semi-Finals (MS/WS/MD/WD/XD)
Sunday	2 <sup>nd</sup> Oct	Finals (MS/WS/MD/WD/XD)

Note: The Schedule is subject to confirmation by the Referee.

### Format of Play / Scoring System

Rally Point System: 3 x 21 points

## Prizes

US\$ 6,000/. The distribution of Prize Money will be as per the General Competition Regulations of BWF.

## Medals

Medals for all winners & runners up

	Event	Champion	Runner-up	Semi-finals	Quarter-finals	Last 16
*	Men's Single Women's Single	USD\$450	USD\$228	USD\$87	USD\$36	USD\$21
** ** **	Men's Doubles Women's Doubles Mixed Doubles	USD\$474	USD\$228	USD\$84	USD\$43.5	USD\$22.5

<sup>\*</sup>Per Player, \*\* Per Pair

## **Section B**

Key Dates & Regulations that come with it respectively		
Main Round	Will be based on BWF World Rankings dated 1st September 2016	
Seeding	Will be based on BWF World Rankings dated 8th September 2016	
Draw	Will be conducted by Badminton Asia on 13th September 2016	
Withdrawals without Penalty	11 <sup>th</sup> September 2016	

### **Competition Rules & Regulations**

The Regulations for International Series and the General Competition Regulations of BWF shall be applicable to the Championship.

Eligibility	All entries must be submitted by Member Association		
Shuttles for Event	Kawasaki Team 3		
Clothing & Advertising	Clothing and advertising will be permitted in accordance with the competition regulations of Badminton World Federation.		
Team Managers Meeting	27 <sup>th</sup> Sep: <b>17:00hrs</b> Team Managers' Meeting <b>18:00hrs</b> Technical Officials Briefing		

	Venue: Bac Ninh Sports Stadium
	Note: As per BWF Regulations, the Team must be represented in the Managers' Briefing.  "It is compulsory that all team managers must attend the team managers meeting .Failing to attend the meeting they are liable to be fined as per regulation Part III Section 1B, Appendix 11 "Offences and Penalties" .Member Associations can make a request someone to represent them at the meeting as long as the Referee knows in advance that is acceptable"
On Court Officials	
Referee	Mr. Lui Wan Swee (MAS) Email: wslui168@gmail.com
Deputy Referee	Ms. Hoang Thi Thu Ha (VIE) Email: hoangha1606@gmail.com
On Court Doctor	An On Court Doctor will be on duty throughout the competition at the tournament venue.
Entry Fee	No entry fees shall be charged.

## **Section C**

## Visa Application

All players and officials who require visa to enter Vietnam and needed assistance, kindly submit full name/passport number/ date of issue & expiry/ date and place of birth to Vietnam Badminton Federation by email <a href="mailto:secretariat36vbf@gmail.com">secretariat36vbf@gmail.com</a> or by fax +84 4 37336046 no later than 31st August 2016.

## Official Hotel / Rates / Payment

Official Hotel	Room Type	Rates
Bac Ninh Royal Hotel Nguyen Van Cu Road, Vo Cuong Ward, Bac Ninh City, Vietnam Tel: +84 241 3692222	<b>Standard</b> (Single rooms and Twin rooms)	USD50 per night/per room/ (with breakfast & Wi- fi Internet)

#### **Bac Ninh Hotel**

34 Ly Thai To Street, Ninh Xa Ward, Bac Ninh City

#### Standard

(Single rooms and Twin rooms)

USD50 per night/per room/ (with breakfast & Wi- fi Internet)

#### The Organizers have secured the above hotel for the event.

#### Booking conditions:

Fill out the Hotel Reservation Form with the necessary details no later than 5<sup>th</sup> September 2016 and email to Vietnam Badminton Federation. Reservation comes in first come first served basis.

Room allocation will be confirmed and done in order of receipt of booking form. No guarantee can be given with respect to late booking.

For reservation, please contact: Vietnam Badminton Federation, email: secretariat36vbf@gmail.com

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Transport	Airport transfer will be provided starting from 26 <sup>th</sup> September to 3 <sup>rd</sup> October 2016, only from <i>Noi Bai International Airport</i> to the official hotel upon request;  Ground transportation to and from the tournament/training venue will be provide to participants who is staying at the official hotel ONLY;  Please send the Fight detail Form to Vietnam Badminton Federation by 15 <sup>th</sup> September 2016 so that organizer can arrange airport pick up;  Teams who choose not to stay in the official hotel or are unable to get rooms at the official hotel due to late submission of hotel requisition, have to arrange for their own transportation.
Practice Sessions	Practice sessions will be arranged upon arrival.  Name of Venue: Complex Hall of Bac Ninh Youth Cultural Place Add: 319 Han Thuyen Road, Vu Ninh Ward, Bac Ninh city, Vietnam  Duration and available timing: From 27th September to 2nd October 2016

### **Indemnity & Insurance**

Any participating associations and its delegated competitors / officials should agree to indemnity and not hold the organizing committee accountable for and against any claims for personal injury, financial loss, death or property damage, in any form, arising out of or in any way resulting from the participation in, postponement or cancellation of the said tournament.

The organiser will NOT be responsible for any injury sustained, at any time, by any player or official arising from his participation in these Championships. Any costs incurred for medical treatment and / or hospitalisation shall be borne by the Member Association of the player / official concerned.

Please ensure that your players & team officials possess the requisite insurance coverage to meet current requirements.

### **Officials Contact**

For any further clarification / assistance, please contact <a href="mailto:secretariat36vbf@gmail.com">secretariat36vbf@gmail.com</a>