



Australia Para-Badminton International

20-25 November 2018

Leisuretime Centre - Geelong
Victoria - Australia



Part I - Event Information

Event Dates	20th – 25th November 2018					
Sanctioning	Badminton World Federation					
Organiser	Organiser: Badminton Australia & Badminton Oceania Event Director: Julie Carrel Telephone: +64 21 760327 Email: julie@oceaniabadminton.org Website: www.oceaniabadminton.org					
Competition Venue	The Branch Stadium & Badminton Geelong Stadium, Leisuretime Sports Precinct 262/268 Anakie Rd, Norlane, Victoria 3214, Australia					
Entries - Closing Date	Tuesday 2 October 2018 (11:59 PM Kuala Lumpur time)					
Entries email address	entries@bwfbadminton.org Entries will only be accepted on the Official Entry Form and from BWF Member Associations, Associate Members or Organisations recognised by the BWF. All entries need to be submitted to the above email address. These entries will be received by the BWF appointed Technical Delegate (TD). When submitting your entries, please ensure that you add the name of the event in the subject title of the email. Please ensure you received a confirmation email from the TD that your entry has been accepted. If this is not done, entries will not be accepted by the Technical Delegate.					
Classification form submission date	Tuesday 2 October 2018 (11:59 PM Kuala Lumpur time)					
Link to Forms	http://bwfcorporate.com/para-badminton/classification/classification@bwfbadminton.org					
Classification Email	classification@bwfbadminton.org You must confirm with the Chief Classifier of your document submission. Failure to submit classification forms by the date stated above may affect the entry of the player. Forms must be submitted in PDF format.					
Referee	Jean Louis Kehlhoffner (FRA): Email - jlouiskehl@gmail.com					
Deputy Referee	Heng Ah Neoh (MAS): Email - neoheng@yahoo.com					
Technical Delegate	Teo Kian Joo (MAS)					
Chief Classifier	Dr Bang Heui Je (KOR)					
Events	Wheelchair classes		Standing classes			Short Stature
	WH 1	WH 2	SL 3	SL 4	SU 5	SS 6
Men's Singles	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Women's Singles	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Men's Doubles	① ← <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> → ①		② ← <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> → ②		③ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ③	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Women's Doubles	① ← <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> → ①		④ ← <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> → ④			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Mixed Doubles	① ← <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> → ①		④ ← <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> → ④			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

The following rule will apply for doubles and mixed:					
Sign	Event	Sport Class	Points	Combinations Permitted	NOT Allowed
①	Men's Double Women's Double Mixed Double	WH 1 & WH 2	A maximum of 3 points	WH 1 + WH 2 (WH 1 + WH 1)	WH 2 + WH 2
②	Men's Double	SL 3 & SL 4	A maximum of 7 points	SL 3 + SL 4 (SL 3 + SL 3)	SL 4 + SL 4 SL 3 + SU 5 SL 4 + SU 5
③	Men's Double	SU 5	No limitation	SU 5 + SU 5 (or all other combinations)	
④	Women's Double Mixed Double	SL 3 to SU 5	A maximum of 8 points	SL 3 + SU 5 SL 4 + SL 4 (SL 3 + SL 4 SL 3 + SL 3)	SL 4 + SU 5 SU 5 + SU 5

Minimum Entries	If there are less than four (4) entries or less than three (3) represented countries in a particular event, then events may be combined – Sport Classes and or men & women – in accordance with Para-Badminton Competition Regulation 5.1.5.1.	
Entry Fee	<p>AUD 175 per person for athletes AUD 125 per person for coach, team manager, official, physiotherapist or accompanying person.</p> <p>Entry fees are non-refundable if the person does not attend the competition or is classified as NE. Fees are refunded if there are not enough entries to have a competition.</p> <p>Any accompanying person staying at the official accommodation must pay an entry fee. Without payment of the entry fee a person cannot use the services provided by the fee: accommodation including breakfast, ground transportation, lunch, opening function and any other additional services the event may provide.</p> <p>Lunch will be provided every day at the venue from Wednesday 21 November – Sunday 25 November, for all people who have paid an entry fee. Lunch will be a “typical Australian” lunch (filled roll or sandwich, muffin, fruit).</p> <p>All entry fees must be paid by Tuesday 9th October 2018.</p>	
Accommodation	<p>See Part II – Accommodation, Transport and Visa.</p> <p>All accommodation payments must be made as instructed in the Accommodation – Hotel section below by Tuesday 9th October 2018.</p>	
Bank Details	Bank Name:	AUSTRALIA AND NEW ZEALAND BANKING GROUP LTD
	Account Holder Name:	BADMINTON AUSTRALIA
	Account Number:	303154576
	IBAN:	013332303154576
	SWIFT-CODE	ANZBAU3M
	Address:	687 Glenferrie Road, Hawthorn, Victoria 3122, Australia

Part II – Accommodation, Transport and Visa

Accommodation	<p>Deakin University, Geelong Waterfront (1 Gheringhap St, Geelong VIC 3220)</p> <p>* 8km from the competition venue</p> <p>* 21km from Avalon Airport (GEL)</p> <p>* 81km from Melbourne Airport (MEL)</p>	
	Rates	<p>AUD 600 – per Single Room in a Shared Apartment – note there are no double rooms available.</p> <p>This covers the period in: 20 November, out 26 November. If accommodation is required prior to this date own arrangements will need to be made.</p> <p>If a person wishes to leave prior to 26 November; the rate remains at AUD 600.</p> <p>If a person wishes to extend their stay they need to make their own arrangements, with the exception of those involved in the Oceania Championships who may remain until 28 November (additional AUD 200 charge).</p> <p>Each person has a private bedroom and share a fully equipped kitchen, spacious living and dining room, and bathrooms with other housemates. Apartments range from 6 to 8 bedrooms. Each bedroom has its own secure entry door.</p> <p>Included is food for a self-prepare continental style breakfast; the food selection and provision will be managed and provided by the event organisers.</p> <p>All prices include transfers from airport to Deakin University Apartments (and return).</p> <p>All hotel payments must be made by Tuesday 9th October 2018 after this date no payments are refundable.</p>
	Contact Person:	Lynne Nixey
	Phone	+64 21 526603
	Email	lynne@oceaniabadminton.org
Website	http://www.deakin.edu.au/locations/geelong-waterfront-campus	
Booking conditions:	<p>Bookings and payment must be made and confirmed by Tuesday 9th October 2018. The organisers cannot guarantee availability and the same rates after this date. Refunds will only be made if another person is able to be accommodated in the room which is cancelled, otherwise no refunds will be given. All refunds will be subject to an AUD 20 administration fee.</p>	
Arrival – Airport	<p>Avalon Airport (GEL) - 80 Beach Rd, Lara VIC 3212 (21km to the official accommodation)</p> <p>OR</p> <p>Melbourne Airport (MEL) - Departure Dr, Melbourne Airport VIC 3045 (81km to the official accommodation)</p>	

Transportation	<p>Transportation will only be provided to/from Avalon Airport or Melbourne Airport and Deakin University, Waterfront Geelong (official accommodation).</p> <p>Transportation service upon arrival will only be provided on: Tuesday 20th and Wednesday 21st November.</p> <p>Transportation service for departure will only be provided on: Sunday 25th and Monday 26th November.</p> <p>Transportation Manager: Lynne Nixey Email: lynne@oceaniabadminton.org Phone Number: +64 21 526603</p> <p>The transportation form must be returned by Tuesday 9th October 2018 – requests after this date may not be accepted.</p>
Visa	<p>Visa application letters will be sent upon request to the organiser: admin@badminton.org.au. The deadline for submitting visa requests is Tuesday 9th October 2018.</p>

Part III - Regulations

The competition will be organised and run in accordance with the Classification Regulations, Para-Badminton Regulations, General Competition Regulations and Laws of Badminton. The below are a few reminders of important regulations. Please see the BWF website for the full details.

Minimum Entries	If entries are not sufficient for a group draw followed by a knock-out draw, a single group format shall apply.
Combinations	If there are less than four (4) entries or less than three (3) represented countries in a particular event, the events may be combined in accordance with the Para-Badminton Competition Regulation 9.1.5 – see bwfcorporate.com/statutes/
Withdrawals	<p>All withdrawals should be confirmed to the Referee, TD and Tournament Organiser in writing as soon as possible – at least 7 days before first competition day.</p> <p>Technical Delegate: entries@bwfbadminton.org</p> <p>Penalties may apply to withdrawals received within 7 days of the first competition day. Any withdrawal must be accompanied by the appropriate certification</p>
Conditions of play	The tournament will be played in accordance with BWF Laws of Badminton and Para-Badminton Competition Regulations – see the BWF website http://bwfcorporate.com/statutes/
Readiness to Play	All events will be run on a strict time scale. <u>Competitors must be ready to play 30 minutes before the scheduled match time.</u> If players are not ready to play at the scheduled time they will be disqualified. Any changes to the schedule of play will be announced by the Referee.
Warm-up / practice	On court, warm up time is limited to a maximum of 2 minutes.
Entry	Entries can only be accepted on the Official Entry Form.
Modifications	In case of modifications or to give the Organisers additional information - write these on the Official Entry Form and resend this by email.
Acceptance of entries	Entries can only be accepted from BWF Members and a national or regional Para-Badminton organisation recognised by the BWF.

Request for Partner	<p>A registration for doubles can only be accepted with the name of the partner / pair or with "partner wanted" on the form if a partner is being requested.</p> <p>Any mixed nationality pairings, must be entered and approved by both represented countries.</p> <p>If confirmation is not received by both countries, the entry will not be accepted</p>
Clothing & Advertising	<p>See clothing Regulations Para-Badminton Competition Regulations 15, 16, 17. General Competition Regulations 19, 20, 21, 22, 23</p> <p>Note: Clothing regulations should be adhered to at this event. Failure to comply may affect an athlete's eligibility to go on court and compete.</p>
Awards	No matches will be played to determine 3rd/4th place.
Prizes	Medals will be awarded in accordance with PBGCR 3.3
Doping control	<p>Therapeutic Use Exemptions (TUE) – players who must take medications which contained Prohibited Substances, MUST seek permission to use these substances before they take these. TUE's MUST be approved 21 days before international competition. The forms are available on the BWF website (link)</p> <p>Anti-Doping tests are conducted at international competitions.</p> <p>More information on Anti-Doping can be found at; http://bwfcorporate.com/integrity/anti-doping/</p>
Shuttles	VICTOR Master No. 1
Media	Players should assist media wherever possible for photos and if this fits their training and competition schedule.
Photo and video material	BWF, Badminton Oceania and Badminton Australia have the right to use photographs, film material or any other image of players taken during events sanctioned by BWF.
Travel Advise	Players must refer to their own country's foreign office or immigration department for travel advises.
Insurance	Participants must take out their own travel, health and personal accident insurance.
Team Managers Meeting	<p>Date: Wednesday 21st November 2018</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Wednesday 21st November 2018 at 15:00 PM – Referee & Re-entry process • Wednesday 21st November 2018 at 20:00 PM – TD - Draw Process <p>Location: Leisuretime Centre, Geelong (competition venue)</p>

Part IV – Classification Regulations

Eligibility	<p>Any new player wishing to participate in this tournament will need to be classified according to the BWF Para-Badminton Classification Regulations.</p> <p>Players with a Sport Class Status New (New), R (Review), FRD (Fixed Review Date) or CNC (Classification Not Complete) must take part in Classification / Player Evaluation at the tournament.</p> <p>The medical forms for players with Sport Class Status N, R, FRD or CNC must be submitted together with the entries and should be emailed to classification@bwfbadminton.org</p>
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	<p>Player Medical Information Form and Player Evaluation Consent Form can be downloaded from the BWF website (link)</p> <p>Please submit your forms by: Tuesday 2 October 2018 (11:59 PM Kuala Lumpur time).</p> <p>You must confirm with the Chief Classifier of your document submission. Failure to submit classification forms by the date stated above may affect the entry of the player.</p> <p>(See PBGCR Section 5.5.5 – Para-Badminton Classification Regulations - http://bwfcorporate.com/statutes/)</p>
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Part V – Classification and Competition Schedules

Classification

Date	Comment	Start – End
Tuesday 20 November	<p>Arrival & Registration</p> <p>Classification Meeting (for those being classified the following day) Location: Deakin University, Geelong Waterfront</p> <p>This meeting is to register players who need to be classified before the tournament starts.</p> <p>It is also an opportunity to receive further information relating to the classification schedule and process taking place the following day on Wednesday 21st November.</p> <p>Every Team Manager who has players without a valid classification (new players and players to be re-classified) MUST attend this meeting.</p>	<p>Before 20:00</p> <p>20:00</p>
Wednesday 21 st November	Player Classification	09:00 – End
	Protest time starts when the list of classified players is published. Protests must be lodged within one hour of the list being published (Classification Regulations – clause 7.3.3) and be on the correct form (clause 7.3.4) – Form 3 – Classification Protest Form.	Depends on the end time of classification

Proposed Schedule

Date	Comment	Start – End
Tuesday 20 th November	<p>Arrival and Registration Day</p> <p>Player Registration - Classification</p> <p>Classification Meeting (for those being classified the following day) Please ensure that you arrive at Deakin University in good time for Player Registration.</p> <p>If you miss Player Registration, you will not be able to participate in the tournament.</p>	<p>All day</p> <p>Before 20:00</p> <p>20:00</p>
Wednesday 21 st November	<p>Registration for players who already have a valid BWF International Classification – Badminton Geelong Stadium</p> <p>Practice – Badminton Geelong Stadium</p> <p>Classification – Badminton Geelong Stadium</p> <p>Team Managers Meeting – Badminton Geelong Stadium</p>	<p>10:00 – 15:00</p> <p>10:00 – 17:00</p> <p>09:00 – 14:00</p> <p>15:00 – 16:00</p>

	Umpires Briefing – Badminton Geelong Stadium Team Managers meeting – Badminton Geelong Stadium	16:00 – 17:00 20:00
Thursday 22 nd November	Day 1 of Competition	09:00 – end
Friday 23 rd November	Day 2 of Competition	09:00 – end
Saturday 24 th November	Day 3 of Competition	09:00 – end
Sunday 25 th November	Day 4 of Competition, Finals and Medal Ceremonies	09:00 – end

Note - The scheduled times above may change depending on number of entries.

Any changes to the schedule times will be communicated before the event or announce at the Team Managers meeting. Players are responsible for managing their own travel schedule so they do not miss their last match(es) on Sunday and the medal ceremony.

It is highly recommended that players schedule their return flights/bus/train rides on Monday 26 November 2018.

BWF or the local organising committee will not be responsible if players/teams miss their flights/bus/train rides if it clashes with the tournament match schedule.