

**BADMINTON ASIA**  
**MIXED TEAM**  
**CHAMPIONSHIP 2023**



**PROSPECTUS**

**Dubai, UAE**

**14<sup>th</sup> – 19<sup>th</sup> February 2023**

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<b>Date</b>	<b>Week 7 (6 Event Days)</b> <b>14<sup>th</sup> (Tuesday) – 19<sup>th</sup> (Sunday) February 2023</b>
<b>Venue</b>	<b>Dubai Exhibition Centre</b> Address: Expo City, Lehabab Street, Dubai, UAE Google Maps: <a href="https://goo.gl/maps/MnAeatFTHXZw8LRB6">https://goo.gl/maps/MnAeatFTHXZw8LRB6</a> No of Competition Courts: 4
<b>Practice Venue</b>	<b>Dubai Exhibition Centre</b> Address: Expo City, Lehabab Street, Dubai, UAE No of Courts: 6 (Practice) +2 (Warm Up)
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<b>Entries</b>	Member Associations are advised to submit their entries <b>ONLINE</b> at the link provided to <b>submit BOTH entries (By Team &amp; By Player Names)</b>

<https://bwf.tournamentsoftware.com/sport/tournament.aspx?id=22e15215-d1c3-461e-ac09-be56251cc792>

**Entry Deadline:**

- **Submission for Entry (By team): Tuesday, 27<sup>th</sup> Dec 2022**
- **Submission for Entry (By Players): Friday, 20<sup>th</sup> Jan 2023**

Kindly contact **BWF** at [s.ramachandran@bwf.sport](mailto:s.ramachandran@bwf.sport) or [hj.yee@bwf.sport](mailto:hj.yee@bwf.sport) for the username and password if required. The online entry page will close immediately on the entry closing date at 23:59 hours, Badminton Asia Headquarters time (+08:00h GMT).

1. All late submissions, including technical errors, will **not be accepted**.
2. All entries **MUST** be submitted by ranking order
3. **No changes** to the entries are allowed except for withdrawal after the entry deadline.
4. All entries **MUST** only be submitted through your Members Association.
5. Badminton Asia has the right to reject entries of any Member Associations if entry is considered against the interest of the Championship and/or contains a condition unresolved by the entry deadline.
6. Badminton Asia has the right to reject entries of any Member Association if it violates BWF STATUTES GCR 6: International Representations.

For members who are having technical difficulties, kindly contact **Ms. Belle** at [belleng@badmintonasia.org](mailto:belleng@badmintonasia.org) **before the entry deadline** provided above.

After the closing date, the BWF Online Entry System will notify all participating Member Associations confirming receipt of final entries. Receipt of this notification is conclusive evidence of receipt of entries before the deadline. The Member Associations should contact **Ms. Belle** immediately if such notice is not received.

**Eligibility**

All Member Associations of Badminton Asia are entitled to take part.

**Responsibility,  
Withdrawals &  
Penalties**

Every Member Association participating in the Badminton Asia Mixed Team Championship shall be responsible for all expenses its players and officials incurred, including travel, hotel accommodation, and other expenses.

**Withdrawal Penalty**

1. If a Member Association withdraws a team from the Championship after the entry dateline (By team) before the draw, for any reason whatsoever, such a Member Association shall automatically be penalized with an administrative fine of US\$ 1,000.00 per team.
2. If a Member Association withdraws a team from the Championship after the draw for any reason whatsoever, the Member Association shall automatically be penalized with an administrative fine of US\$ 3,000.00 per team.

	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>3. If a Member Association fails to show up at the Championship (No Show) for any reason whatsoever, the Member Association shall automatically be penalized with an administrative fine of US\$ 5,000.00 per team.</li> <li>4. If a team of a Member Association arrives late or departs early for any reason whatsoever and affects the team's ability to play or complete their scheduled matches or ties, such Member Association shall be penalized by an administrative fine of US\$ 1,500.00 per team.</li> <li>5. If a medal-winning team of the Member Association is not present at the medal ceremony for any reason whatsoever, the Member Association shall be penalized by an administrative fine of US\$ 1,500.00 per team.</li> </ol> <p><b><u>Withdrawals</u></b></p> <p><b>If a player is confirmed Positive in COVID- 19 test, the player will be immediately withdrawn from participation.</b></p>
<p><b>Nomination of Teams</b></p>	<p>Each competing Member Association shall nominate to Badminton Asia the players whose team will be selected as follows:</p> <p>Teams shall be required to play ties comprising of:</p> <p><b>Mixed Team:</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. One Men's Singles</li> <li>2. One Women's Singles</li> <li>3. One Men's Doubles</li> <li>4. One Women's Doubles</li> <li>5. One Mixed Doubles</li> </ol> <p><b>Each team shall nominate:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <b>Not less than four (4) players. (2 Men, 2 Women)</b></li> <li>● <b>Not more than Sixteen (16) players. (8 Men, 8 Women)</b></li> </ul>
<p><b>Constitution of Ties &amp; Teams</b></p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Each tie shall be decided by the results of Two (2) singles and three (3) doubles matches.</li> <li>2. In the Group stage, all five (5) matches of each tie shall be played.</li> <li>3. In the Knock out stage, each tie shall be stopped when the tie is decided.</li> <li>4. No player shall play more than two matches in a tie.</li> <li>5. Each team must nominate a minimum of Four (4) Players for each tie. (2 Men and 2 Women)</li> </ol>

**Format of Play**

Badminton Asia Mixed Team Championship shall be played in two stages:

- a) **Group Stage (Qualifying Stage):** Round Robin within groups.
- b) **Knockout Stage (Final Stage):** Top Two (2) teams from each group will advance to the knockout stage in Quarter Finals, Semi-finals and finals.

**A draw of the knockout stage will be made after the completion of the last match of the Group Stage.**

The condition of the draw is that the teams from the same group shall not be drawn to meet in the first round in the knockout stage.

Example of Group Stage:

	Ranking Order	Members	Seed
	1	Member A	1
	2	Member B	2
	3	Member C	3
	4	Member D	4
	5	Member E	
	6	Member F	
	7	Member G	
	8	Member H	
	9	Member I	
	10	Member J	
	11	Member K	
	12	Member L	

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Group C
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Group D
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**Methodology of the Group Stage Draw**

1. If there are a total of 12 Teams, they will be drawn into 4 Groups (Group A, Group B, Group C, and Group D)
2. Draws shall be conducted by Badminton Asia.
3. The top 2 ranked teams shall be dealt with as follows:  
No. 1 placed at the top of Group A

1	Member A
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No. 2 placed at the top of Group D

2	Member B
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4. The other ranked teams shall be dealt with as follows:

No. 3 and No. 4 will be drawn by lot at the top of Group B and C

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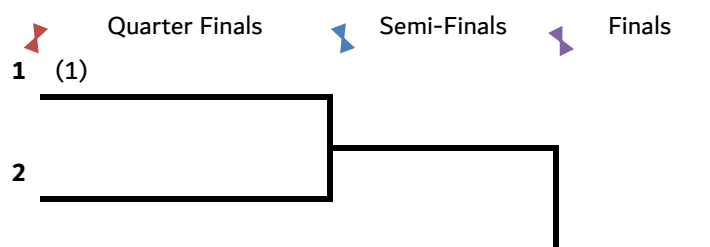
No. 5 to 8 will be drawn by lot at the second position of the groups

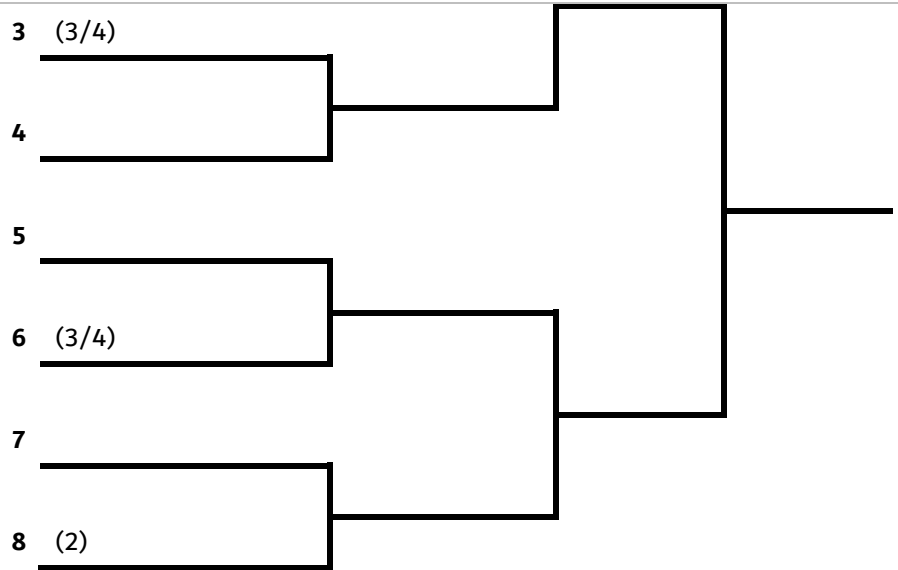
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No. 9 to 12 will be drawn by lot at the third position of the groups.

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Example of Knock Out Stage:





#### 1.1 Knock Out Stage Draw's Methodology

The Teams will be dealt with as follows:

- I. Seeds 1 and 2 will be placed in Positions 1 and 8
- II. Seeds 3 and 4 will be drawn into Positions 3 and 6
- III. The remaining teams will be drawn into Positions 2, 4, 5, and 7 accordingly.
- IV. Teams from the same group will not be drawn to play in the First Round (Quarter Finals) in the knockout draw.

\* The teams from the same group shall not be drawn to meet in the first round in the knockout stage.

#### **Important Note:**

- Badminton Asia reserves the right to determine the number of groups and the size of each group for the Group Stage to be decided based on the number of participating teams.
- Badminton Asia reserves the right to determine the size of the draw for the Knockout Stage accordingly based on the number of participating teams.
- Badminton Asia reserves the right for final decision for any matter related to the Championship.

<b>Seeding</b>	<p>Seeding will be done by Badminton Asia based on BWF World rankings. The date of the world ranking to be used will be in accordance with the dates stipulated in the <b>Timeline</b> above.</p> <p>Total Ranking Points of each event will be calculated based on the highest ranked Men's Singles, Women's Singles, Men's Doubles, Women's Doubles, and Mixed Doubles from each member association, and seeding will be calculated by comparing the total ranking points of each member to determine the overall strength of the team. An example of a Seeding Chart is given below :</p> <table border="1" data-bbox="336 517 1490 1010"> <thead> <tr> <th rowspan="2">Ranking Order</th> <th rowspan="2">Members</th> <th colspan="5">Ranking/Points</th> <th rowspan="2">Total Points</th> <th rowspan="2">SEED</th> </tr> <tr> <th>Men's Singles</th> <th>Women's Singles</th> <th>Men's Doubles</th> <th>Women's Doubles</th> <th>Mixed Doubles</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td rowspan="2">1</td> <td rowspan="2">A</td> <td>3</td> <td>5</td> <td>7</td> <td>1</td> <td>7</td> <td rowspan="2">349,525.00</td> <td rowspan="2">1</td> </tr> <tr> <td>74,767.00</td> <td>72,238.00</td> <td>70,610.00</td> <td>74,640.00</td> <td>57,270.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td rowspan="2">2</td> <td rowspan="2">C</td> <td>8</td> <td>10</td> <td>13</td> <td>3</td> <td>10</td> <td rowspan="2">297,048.00</td> <td rowspan="2">2</td> </tr> <tr> <td>68,354.00</td> <td>56,925.00</td> <td>48,440.00</td> <td>72,579.00</td> <td>50,750.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td rowspan="2">3</td> <td rowspan="2">B</td> <td>6</td> <td>14</td> <td>28</td> <td>5</td> <td>6</td> <td rowspan="2">275,144.00</td> <td rowspan="2">3</td> </tr> <tr> <td>71,738.00</td> <td>47,406.00</td> <td>34,830.00</td> <td>62,110.00</td> <td>59,060.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td rowspan="2">4</td> <td rowspan="2">D</td> <td>4</td> <td>17</td> <td>22</td> <td>21</td> <td>22</td> <td rowspan="2">241,997.00</td> <td rowspan="2">4</td> </tr> <tr> <td>73,807.00</td> <td>45,715.00</td> <td>40,990.00</td> <td>40,900.00</td> <td>40,585.00</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p>In cases where there are rankings that are unavailable, the ranking points will be taken as zero</p>	Ranking Order	Members	Ranking/Points					Total Points	SEED	Men's Singles	Women's Singles	Men's Doubles	Women's Doubles	Mixed Doubles	1	A	3	5	7	1	7	349,525.00	1	74,767.00	72,238.00	70,610.00	74,640.00	57,270.00	2	C	8	10	13	3	10	297,048.00	2	68,354.00	56,925.00	48,440.00	72,579.00	50,750.00	3	B	6	14	28	5	6	275,144.00	3	71,738.00	47,406.00	34,830.00	62,110.00	59,060.00	4	D	4	17	22	21	22	241,997.00	4	73,807.00	45,715.00	40,990.00	40,900.00	40,585.00
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<b>Order of Play</b>	<p>There are seven permissible orders of play:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1.1 Men's Doubles – Women's Singles – Men's Singles – Women's Doubles – Mixed Doubles</li> <li>1.2 Men's Singles – Women's Singles – Men's Doubles – Women's Doubles – Mixed Doubles</li> <li>1.3 Mixed Doubles – Men's Singles – Men's Doubles – Women's Singles – Women's Doubles</li> <li>1.4 Mixed Doubles – Men's Singles – Women's Singles – Men's Doubles – Women's Doubles</li> <li>1.5 Mixed Doubles – Women's Singles – Men's Singles – Women's Doubles – Men's Doubles</li> <li>1.6 Women's Singles – Men's Singles – Women's Doubles – Men's Doubles – Mixed Doubles</li> <li>1.7 Men's Doubles – Women's Doubles – Men's Singles – Women's Singles – Mixed Doubles</li> </ol>																																																																						
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<b>Competition Rules &amp; Regulation</b>	<p>Relevant Badminton World Federation, BWF Sudirman Cup regulations, BWF Major Event's Tournament Regulations, and Badminton Asia Regulations shall apply to this competition.</p>																																																																						
<b>Qualifying for BWF Sudirman Cup</b>	<p>The top 4 (Semi-Finalists) teams from this Championship will qualify for the BWF Sudirman Cups Finals. If the trophy-holding and/or Host Member Association also take part and occupy a qualifying position in its respective Continental stage, the next one or two highest-ranked teams (excluding the above) from the World rankings in the same continent would also qualify.</p> <p><i>Note: Kindly refer to BWF Statutes for Sudirman Cup or BWF Major Event Tournament Regulations</i></p>																																																																						



**Tentative Timetable**

Day	Date	Time	Play
Monday	13 <sup>th</sup> Feb (Monday)	14:00 Hrs	Technical Officials Briefing
Monday	13 <sup>th</sup> Feb (Monday)	15:00 Hrs	Team Managers Meeting
Tuesday	14 <sup>th</sup> Feb (Tuesday)	TBC	Group Stage
Wednesday	15 <sup>th</sup> Feb (Wednesday)	TBC	Group Stage
Thursday	16 <sup>th</sup> Feb (Thursday)	TBC	Group Stage
		After completing the last match of the group match	Knock Out Stage Draw
Friday	17 <sup>th</sup> Feb (Friday)	TBC	Quarter Finals/Group Stage
Saturday	18 <sup>th</sup> Feb (Saturday)	TBC	Semi-Finals
Sunday	19 <sup>th</sup> Feb (Sunday)	TBC	Finals

\* Alteration due to TV coverage and/ or any other reasons are possible and will be announced by the Referee. The above schedule may be changed at the discretion of the **Referee**.

\*All events/ ties will be run on a strict timetable system. Player(s) or pair(s) who are not ready to play at their scheduled time or arriving late for a match will be considered as a no-show.

**Prize Presentation Ceremony**

The winning team is entitled to call themselves the **Badminton Asia Mixed Team Champion**.  
Challenge Trophy will be awarded to the Champion Team.  
Medals will be awarded to all winners, runners-up, and 2 Semi-Finalist.  
(20 medals shall be awarded per team)

<b>Key Dates</b>	<b>Week</b>	<b>Day/Date</b>	<b>Days from the start of the tournament</b>	<b>Action</b>
	Week 0	<b>On the completion of Group Play in the Competitions</b>		Conducting the <b>Draw for Knock Out Stage (17th Feb)</b> as soon as the Team Strength for Knock Out Stage is determined
	Week 3	<b>31st Jan 2023</b>	<b>14</b>	Draw
	Week 4	<b>20th Jan 2023</b> (Friday)	25	Submission for Entries <b>by Players</b> (Online Entries)
	Week 4	<b>17<sup>th</sup> January 2023</b> (Tuesday)	28	World Ranking Date to decide the Seeding of the Group Stage (Team Strength)
	Week 7	<b>27th Dec 2022</b> (Tuesday)	49	Submission for Entry <b>by Team</b> (Online Entries)
	All relevant documents can be found on Badminton Asia Website as follows: <a href="https://badmintonasia.org/tournaments/badminton-asia-event-calendars/badminton-asia-mixed-team-championships-2023">https://badmintonasia.org/tournaments/badminton-asia-event-calendars/badminton-asia-mixed-team-championships-2023</a>			
<b>Clothing &amp; Advertising</b>	<p>Clothing and advertising will be permitted in accordance with the competition regulations of the Badminton World Federation. <b>(GCR 20 - 24)</b></p> <p>On player clothing, the player's name, if used, shall be identical to the name registered as the Last Name (or an abbreviation thereof) in the BWF Player database, and if desired, the initial(s) of the name(s) registered as the First Name in the BWF Player database. The Last Name is defined as the family name, surname, or similar name under the respective naming protocol of the Member country <b>(GCR 23.3)</b>.</p> <p><b><u>MANDATORY CLOTHING REGULATIONS</u></b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. The name of the player and Country is MANDATORY from the first day of the event.</li> <li>2. All participating teams must wear team colors. That is, each player must wear the same color and design of shirts and shorts (or equivalent articles of clothing) throughout a tie.</li> <li>3. Opposing players must wear clothing of significantly different colors.</li> </ol>			
<b>On Court Doctor</b>	On Court Doctor will be on duty throughout the competition at the tournament Venue.			
<b>Player's Obligation</b>	<p><b>Media Obligations</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. The players will be required to fulfill the media obligations as per BWF norms.</li> <li>2. Player(s) must attend any media press conference and/ or interview before and/or after matches and/ or whenever they are required to do so.</li> </ol>			

	<p>3. Failure to fulfill Media obligations will be subject to BWF Penalty.</p> <p><b>Functions</b></p> <p>Players will be required to attend any activities and/ or functions whenever the host organizer or Badminton Asia requests them, so long as the player(s) is not scheduled to play in any matches at the same period of time.</p>																					
<p><b>Team Managers Meeting</b></p>	<p><b>13<sup>th</sup> Feb 2023 (Monday) at 15:00 Hours.</b></p> <p>Venue: Conference Room, Rove (Official Hotel), Expo City</p> <p>As per BWF Regulations, each Team/member association must be represented in the Managers' Meeting. Member Associations must appoint ONE (1) team manager to facilitate communication.</p> <p>It's compulsory that all team managers must attend the team managers' meeting. Teams Failing to attend the meeting are liable to be fined as per BWF Statutes. Member Associations can request someone to represent them at the meeting if the Referee knows in advance that this is acceptable.</p>																					
<p><b>Technical Officials Briefing</b></p>	<p><b>13<sup>th</sup> Feb 2023 (Monday) at 14:00 Hours.</b></p> <p>Venue: Conference Room, Rove (Official Hotel), Expo City</p>																					
<p><b>COVID 19 Protocols</b></p>	<p><b>Restrictions &amp; Covid Protocol:</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Present a valid COVID-19 vaccination certificate, reflecting that the passenger is fully vaccinated with a vaccine approved by the World Health Organisation (WHO) or the UAE. The certificate must contain a QR code.</li> <li>2. Mandatory insurance to be taken by all attendees of the championship*</li> <li>3. Valid Tourist Visa &amp; Valid return ticket to be presented at the airports.</li> <li>4. Mandatory to follow all the rules and regulations as per the UAE law.</li> </ol> <p>*Participants are advised to arrange their insurance for health, travel, and COVID-19 emergencies.</p>																					
<p><b>Visa Application</b></p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>UAE Visa Guidelines</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. <b>GCC Citizens</b></li> </ol> <p><b>Citizens of GCC countries</b> can travel to UAE without a visa.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>2. <b>Visa-free entry for certain nationalities (valid for 30 days).</b></li> </ol> <p>Passport holders of the below countries do not require any pre-arranged visas. Your passport will be stamped with a free-of-charge, 30-day visit visa after arriving at the Dubai International airport.</p> <table border="1" data-bbox="339 1697 1528 2022"> <tr> <td>Andorra</td> <td>Australia</td> <td>Brunei</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Canada</td> <td><b>China</b></td> <td><b>Hong Kong, China</b></td> </tr> <tr> <td><b>Japan</b></td> <td><b>Kazakhstan</b></td> <td><b>Macau, China</b></td> </tr> <tr> <td><b>Malaysia</b></td> <td>Mauritius</td> <td>Monaco</td> </tr> <tr> <td>New Zealand</td> <td>The Republic of Ireland</td> <td>San Marino</td> </tr> <tr> <td><b>Singapore</b></td> <td colspan="2">The United Kingdom of Great Britain &amp; Northern Ireland</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Vatican City</td> <td>Ukraine</td> <td>The United States of America</td> </tr> </table>	Andorra	Australia	Brunei	Canada	<b>China</b>	<b>Hong Kong, China</b>	<b>Japan</b>	<b>Kazakhstan</b>	<b>Macau, China</b>	<b>Malaysia</b>	Mauritius	Monaco	New Zealand	The Republic of Ireland	San Marino	<b>Singapore</b>	The United Kingdom of Great Britain & Northern Ireland		Vatican City	Ukraine	The United States of America
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### 3. 90-day visit visa requirement

Passport holders of the below countries will be stamped with a multiple entry 90-day visit visa, valid for six months from the date of issue and for a total stay of 90 days.

Citizens of the below European countries will also be eligible to apply for a pre-arranged visit visa if their 90-day visa on arrival has been fully utilized.

Argentina	Austria*	Bahamas Islands	San Marino
Barbados	Belgium*	Brazil	Slovakia*
Bulgaria*	Chile	Colombia	South Korea
Costa Rica	Croatia*	Cyprus	Switzerland*
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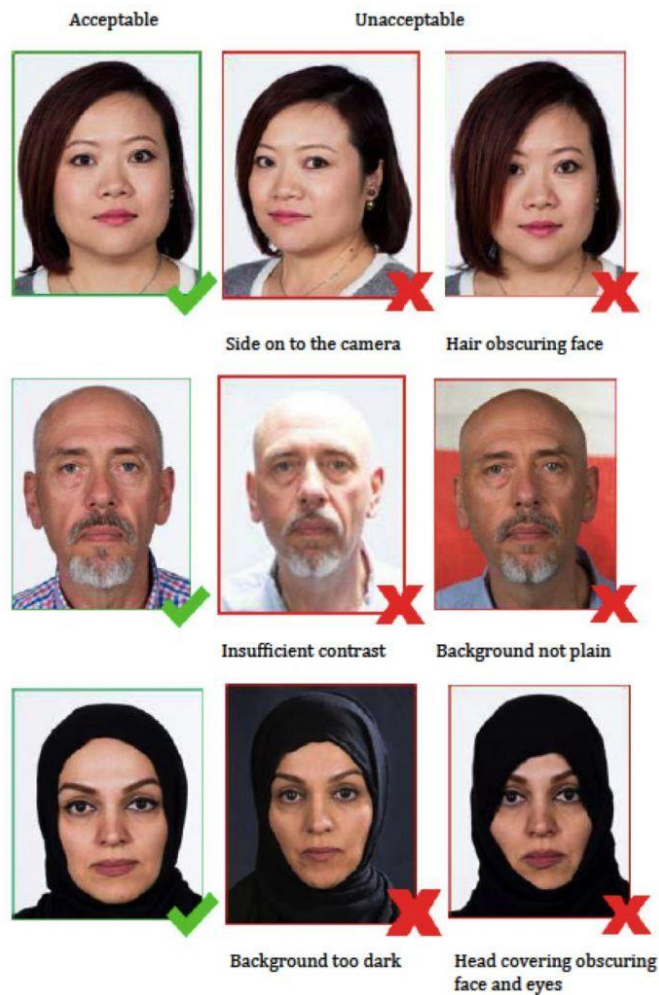
### 4. Procedure for obtaining UAE visa

Once you know that you require a visa to enter the UAE, see the steps below.

Step 1. (Before 25 <sup>th</sup> Jan 2023)	Step 2.	Step 3.
Fill in the form (for each team member) using the link <a href="https://www.badmintonasiachampionships.org/visa-registration-form/">https://www.badmintonasiachampionships.org/visa-registration-form/</a> & submit your response, passport copy, and personal picture.	<b>Before 25th Jan 2023</b> Contact Ms.Roopa Rajanna via email at <a href="mailto:bac@plutotravels.ae">bac@plutotravels.ae</a> keeping Ms. Anjalie in cc ( <a href="mailto:anjalie@bbsmc.org">anjalie@bbsmc.org</a> ) who will assist for the visa application and payment (~90 USD).	We will email the electronic visa to the Member Association in 5-7 days.
For any queries or assistance, contact Ms.Roopa Rajanna via email at <a href="mailto:bac@plutotravels.ae">bac@plutotravels.ae</a> keeping Ms. Anjalie in cc ( <a href="mailto:anjalie@bbsmc.org">anjalie@bbsmc.org</a> )		

While applying for your UAE visa, please note the below general rules:

- The Dubai visa photo size must be 43 mm x 55 mm (or, alternatively, 2 inches x 2 inches). In addition, it must be an electronic digital copy of the picture; it should be 300 pixels in width and 369 pixels in height.
- The uploaded Dubai visa photo size should not exceed 4 MB
- The file should be in PDF, PNF, or JPG format
- The photo should not be older than six months & It should be in color
- The photo background should be white
- The eye and face are clearly visible and in the center of the photograph
- A color copy of the applicant's passport must be submitted along with the application.
- Your passport should be valid for a minimum period of 6 months on the travel date.
- The passport should be machine readable (color scan copy, not by a mobile camera).
- Additional documents may be required, depending on your country of residence.







**Hotel /  
Accommodation  
Reservation**

**Official Hotel**

Hotel	Room Rate		Address
	Standard Rover Rooms (Cost per day)		
	Single Occupancy	Twin Occupancy	
Rove Hotel, Expo City	US\$ 135	US\$ 160	Rove Expo 2020 Expo City, Horizon Avenue, Dubai



**The Price above includes breakfast**

- The above rates are inclusive of a 10% service charge, 07% municipality tax, and breakfast at The Daily
- The above rates are inclusive of Tourism Dirham (USD 3.00) net per room per night
- The above rates are inclusive of 5% VAT.
- Lunch will be an additional USD 22 per person per meal
- Complimentary WIFI connection in all areas
- Rooms can only accommodate 2 adults + 1 child below 16 years

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Children aged 0 – 5.99 years stay and eat breakfast for free, based on existing bedding with paying adults.</li> <li>All Bookings are “first come, first served” basis; some teams may be reallocated if the desired hotel is full.</li> </ul> <p>For Reservation, kindly fill up the <b>Accommodation Form</b> and email it to <b>Ms. Swarupini Jaishankar</b> <a href="mailto:SJaishankar@rovehotels.com">SJaishankar@rovehotels.com</a> with cc to Ms. Meenu <a href="mailto:MeenuT@rovehotels.com">MeenuT@rovehotels.com</a> no later than <b>25<sup>th</sup> Jan 2023**</b></p> <p><b>Note:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Payment for the accommodation shall be completed on or before <b>30<sup>th</sup> Jan 2023</b>, after which the above rates will not be applicable.</li> <li>Shuttle buses are not required as the official hotel is within walking distance of the venue</li> </ul>
<b>Transportation</b>	<p>All teams should arrive at <b>Dubai International Airport (DXB)</b></p> <p>Airport Transportation will be provided for arrival and departure between the <b>Dubai International Airport (DXB)</b> and the official hotel(s). No airport pick-up shall be provided if the team does not book the official hotel(s) with the local host organizer.</p> <p>All teams should complete and submit the <b>Transportation Form</b> below  <a href="https://www.badmintonasiachampionships.org/transportation-form/">https://www.badmintonasiachampionships.org/transportation-form/</a></p> <p>Any queries can be directed to Ms.Roopa Rajanna via email at <a href="mailto:bac@plutotravels.ae">bac@plutotravels.ae</a> keeping Mr. George in cc (<a href="mailto:george.jayesh@bbsmc.org">george.jayesh@bbsmc.org</a>).</p> <p>** No transportation will be provided if the form is submitted after the dateline.</p>
<b>Practice Sessions</b>	<p>Practice will be available from <b>12<sup>th</sup> February, 2023</b> to <b>19<sup>th</sup> February 2023</b></p> <p>Kindly complete the <b>Practice Request Form</b> for preferred practice dates and send it to <b>Mr. Siraj Choori</b> by email <a href="mailto:info@uaebadminton.ae">info@uaebadminton.ae</a> no later than <b>6<sup>th</sup> February 2023</b></p> <p>The federation will prepare an overall equitable practice schedule, taking into consideration of the size and arrival details of each team from <b>Sunday, 12th Feb, 2023</b>. (When is the main court available for practice).</p> <p>The federation will publish the overall schedule after obtaining approval from the Referee.</p>
<b>Accreditation</b>	<p>Players and Team Officials are required to wear passes to enter the tournament venue.</p> <p>Kindly complete the <b>Accreditation Form</b> below:  <a href="https://www.badmintonasiachampionships.org/accreditation-form/">https://www.badmintonasiachampionships.org/accreditation-form/</a> no later than <b>30<sup>th</sup> January 2023 **</b> with passport-size photos of all players and team officials.</p> <p>Any queries can be directed to <b>Ms. Anjalie Antony</b> by Email at <a href="mailto:anjalie@bbsmc.org">anjalie@bbsmc.org</a> no later than <b>30<sup>th</sup> Jan 2023</b></p> <p>** Each country will be given a maximum of <b>Five (5)</b> accreditation for the officials. Extra requests are required to pay <b>USD 100/each</b>.</p>



<b>Doping Control</b>	<p>Doping Test may be conducted randomly throughout the tournament. 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 bodies. Therefore, before an athlete takes any medication, they should check with their doctor and, if necessary, get a Therapeutic Use Exemption (TUE). For more information about anti-doping, please visit the BWF website:  <a href="https://corporate.bwfbadminton.com/integrity/anti-doping-overview/">https://corporate.bwfbadminton.com/integrity/anti-doping-overview/</a></p>		
<b>Badminton Integrity</b>	<p>Section 2.4 of the BWF Statutes (Code of Conduct in Relation to Betting, Wagering, and Irregular Match Results) 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, 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 matches.</p>		
<b>Compliance with GCR 7.9</b>	<p>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>		
<b>Indemnity &amp; Insurance</b>	<p>Any participating associations and their delegated competitors/officials should agree to indemnify 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.</p> <p>The organizer 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 hospitalization shall be borne by the Member Association of the player / official concerned.</p> <p>Please ensure that your players &amp; team officials possess the requisite insurance coverage to meet current requirements. Additionally, participants are advised to arrange their insurance for health, travel, &amp; COVID-19.</p>		
<b>Important Deadlines</b>			
	<b>Description</b>	<b>Datelines</b>	<b>Contact</b>
	<b>Visa Enquiry</b>	25 <sup>th</sup> Jan 2023	<b>Ms.Roopra Rajanna, <a href="mailto:bac@plutotravels.ae">bac@plutotravels.ae</a></b> <b>Ms. Anjalie in cc (<a href="mailto:anjalie@bbsmc.org">anjalie@bbsmc.org</a>)</b>
	<b>Online Entries</b>	(By Team) Tuesday, 27 <sup>th</sup> Dec 2022 (By Players) Friday, 20 <sup>th</sup> Jan 2023	<b>Online Entry Link:</b> <a href="https://bwf.tournamentsoftware.com/sport/tournament.aspx?id=22e15215-d1c3-461e-ac09-be56251cc792">https://bwf.tournamentsoftware.com/sport/tournament.aspx?id=22e15215-d1c3-461e-ac09-be56251cc792</a>
<b>Hotel Reservation</b>	Forms by: 25th Jan 2023 Payment: 30th Jan 2023	<b>Ms. Swarupini, <a href="mailto:SJaishankar@rovehotels.com">SJaishankar@rovehotels.com</a></b> <b>Ms. Noba (Beyond Boundaries), <a href="mailto:noba@bbsmc.org">noba@bbsmc.org</a></b>	

	<b>Transportation</b>	30 <sup>th</sup> Jan 2023	<b>Ms.Roopaa Rajanna</b> , <a href="mailto:bac@plutotravels.ae">bac@plutotravels.ae</a> <b>Mr. George</b> in cc ( <a href="mailto:george.jayesh@bbsmc.org">george.jayesh@bbsmc.org</a> ).
	<b>Team Officials' Accreditation</b>	30 <sup>th</sup> Jan 2023	<b>Ms. Anjalie Antony</b> Email: <a href="mailto:anjalie@bbsmc.org">anjalie@bbsmc.org</a>
	<b>Practice Session</b>	6 <sup>th</sup> February 2023	<b>Mr. Siraj Choori</b> Email : <a href="mailto:info@uaebadminton.ae">info@uaebadminton.ae</a>
<p>Relevant Documents can be found on Badminton Asia Website:  <a href="https://badmintonasia.org/tournaments/badminton-asia-event-calendars/badminton-asia-mixed-team-championships-2023">https://badmintonasia.org/tournaments/badminton-asia-event-calendars/badminton-asia-mixed-team-championships-2023</a>.</p>			