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**YONEX-SUNRISE DR.AKHILESH DAS GUPTA MEMORIAL
75TH INTER STATE – INTER ZONAL &
84TH SENIOR NATIONAL BADMINTON CHAMPIONSHIPS 2019-20
AT LUCKNOW, UTTAR PRADESH FROM 27TH APRIL TO 3RD MAY 2020
(Men & Women)**

Date:22-01-2020

OFFICIAL CIRCULAR

- Organizer** :: Uttar Pradesh Badminton Association
- Sanctioned by** :: Badminton Association of India
- Dates** :: 27th & 28th April- Inter State Team Championship
29th April to 3rd May 2020 – Individual Championship
- Venue** :: BBD U.P. Badminton Academy
Near Lohia park, Vipin Khand, Gomti Nagar, Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh 226010
- Prize Money** :: Rs. 50 Lakhs (50 Lakhs) shall be paid to the Players.
10 Lakhs – Team Championships
40 Lakhs – Individual Championships

Events	Winners	Runners Up	Semi-finalists	Quarter finalists	PQF
MS	3,25,000	1,70,000	1,25,000	1,10,000	1,20,000
WS	3,25,000	1,70,000	1,25,000	1,10,000	1,20,000
MD	3,45,000	1,70,000	1,22,000	1,30,000	
WD	3,45,000	1,70,000	1,22,000	1,30,000	
XD	3,45,000	1,70,000	1,22,000	1,30,000	

- Events** :: Men's Singles, Women's Singles, Men's Doubles, Women Doubles & Mixed Doubles
Each Member Association shall be entitled a quota of entries as mentioned below.
The Member Associations have to claim the quota by specifying the entries and additional entries while sending their entries.

In case of Senior Nationals, the Member Association shall be entitled to following quota of entries

Condition	No.of Entries		
	Singles	Doubles	Mixed Doubles
All Member Associations in each category	Two	One	One
Host Member Association additional entries in each category	Two	One	One



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Top 12 Ranked players in Singles Ranking & Top 6 Ranked pairs in Doubles Ranking are eligible. (On the last date of receipt of entries)	Top 12 Ranked	Top 6 ranked	Top 6 ranked
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In pair events both players should have Top 6 only. Partnership with points will not be considered.

Inter State Zonal

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Zonal Semi Finalists in Singles and Finalists in Doubles & Mixed Doubles 	4 in Singles	2 in Pair event.	2 in pair event.
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BWF Ranking

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Below 50 ranking as per the list (On the last date of receipt of entries) 			
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Inter Institutional Zone:

Winners of Mixed Team Event is eligible to participate in Senior Nationals Team Championships.

In individual events : Team winners and Runner up are eligible to send 2 Singles, 1 Double and 1 Mixed Doubles in Senior Nationals besides Finalists in all Individual events are eligible for Senior Nationals.

- BAI & BWF eligible ranked players should send their entries through the respective Members Associations before the last date of entries.
- In case of absentees further ranked players are not eligible in their quota.
 - The Host Association is eligible to participate in this year Team Championships.

SUPER DRAW : SUPER DRAW Fixtures – Priority to top ranked players.

The procedure for placement of Top ranked players has been as follows.

Men's Singles & Women's Singles

Top 8 players shall be given placement directly to pre quarter finals as per BWF ranked below 50 and BAI ranked players.

Men's Doubles / Women's Doubles & Mixed Doubles

Top 4 ranked players as per BWF below ranked 50 and BAI Top ranking shall be placed directly in to Quarter finals.

Eligibility players :

The list of eligible players shall be released as per the BWF/ BAI ranking as on 20th March 2020

Mixed Team Championship :: Inter- Zonal Inter State Team Championship shall be played for the following.

- Men's Singles
- Women's Singles
- Men's Doubles
- Women Doubles
- Mixed Doubles

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NOMINATION OF TEAMS FOR A TIE (TEAM EVENT)

1. No player shall play in more than two events.
2. Each competing Member Association is responsible for determining the criteria and method of selecting players for nomination, and for nominating players, to represent its Association.
3. Each manager in the managers' meeting shall submit 3 Men singles and 3 Women Singles, 3 Combination of Men , Women, Doubles and 3 Combination of Mixed Doubles in order of team championships. The same ranking order shall be valid for all ties throughout the competition, subject to the maximum players if not more than 5 in each category . For example one player can be nominated in singles / doubles / Mixed Doubles but he or she can play only in two events. For combination purpose a player may be nominated in 3 events but he/she can participate in two events only. Referee is authorized to take the final decision with the consultation of respective manager. In doubles, each team shall play its one pair according to the previously submitted ranking order.
4. No substitution of player/pair shall be permitted under any circumstances once the team nominated for the competition.
5. Each tie shall be decided by the best of 5 matches as follows.
 - One Men Singles
 - One Women Singles
 - One Men's Doubles
 - One Women's Doubles
 - One Mixed Doubles.
6. Each manager shall handover the players nomination form to the Referee as per the order of merit during managers meeting. (With pair combination).Play in each tie shall be stopped when the tie is decided.
7. No substitution shall be permitted by the Referee after the draw is completed.
8. Play in each tie shall be stopped whenever the tie is decided in 3 matches. It may be 3-0, 3-1 or 3-2 matches.
9. If a player withdrawn in singles, he/ she permitted to participate in pair event in the same tie.
10. Any change of sequence in order of play in the following tie shall be informed to the Referee in writing before two hours of the commencement of the tie. (1st or 2nd) or Otherwise , the Referee will continue with order of Merit submitted by the Manager during managers meeting before commencement of Tournament.
11. The referee shall inform such changes to the opponent team immediately
12. Players who withdraws in one tie is permitted to play in the next tie.

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13. Any player participating in two matches is entitled to a minimum interval of 20 minutes between them.

- Entries Closing Date** :: 1st April 2020
The Entries shall be received by BAI as per the existing system with a copy to Org. Secretary. The entries are to be received through **Affiliated Units only**. (Direct entries from the Players are not valid). Entries must be send to: entry@badmintonindia.org.
- Doubles Entries** :: States forwarding names for Doubles partnering player from different States should have NOC or otherwise names of same pair should come from both the States failing which the entry will not be considered and the entry fee will be forfeited. The respective State units are requested to obtain NOC from other State player before forwarding entry to BAI.
- Mode of Competition** :: All matches in Main draw shall be played on best of three games of 21 points in rally point system
- Regulations** :: The BAI Competition Regulations and General Competition Regulations shall be applicable.
In the event of any dispute, the decision of the Tournament Referee will be final.
- Clothing Regulation** :: Players must comply with General Competition Regulations 20 to 24 and will be applicable to the extent applicable.
- M&Q** :: M&Q List based on the BAI ranking list dated on 1st December 2019 and published on 8th April 2020

The list of participants in order of strength will be displayed on BAI website. It shall be the responsibility of the affiliated unit and the players to ensure that all the entries forwarded by the Affiliated Units appear in the M & Q (Main & Qualifying) List. After the Last date for withdrawals without penalty, no complaints shall be entertained for omission of any entry. BAI will not be responsible for any omissions of names thereafter.
- Withdrawals** :: 19th April 2020

If there are any withdrawals after the close of entries, it shall be intimated to BAI immediately by the Affiliated Units/ player before the closing date of withdrawal.
Any player failing to participate in any BAI approved tournaments after draw is made, is liable to pay Rs:1500/- for each event (one thousand five hundred) fine to BAI before participating in next tournament. No exemption under any grounds (including medical) will be allowed in payment of fine. No player is permitted to Participate in the next tournament without paying fine.

Referee shall submit the withdrawal list to BAI within 24 hours after Completion of the tournament to the Secretary (E), BAI. On receipt of the list Member Associations concerned shall collect the fine amount and forward to the Associations concerned.
- Draw** :: Inter State Draw will be made on 26th April 2020 at Venue.
Individual Draw will be made on 28th April 2020 at Venue.
- Shuttles** :: Yonex AS 30

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Order of play

Date	Session Start time	Draw	Round	Events	No. of Courts
27-04-2020	09.00	Inter State	Q.F	Mixed Team Championships	3
	17.00	Inter State	S.F	Mixed Team Championships	2
28-04-2020	11.00	Inter State	Finals	Mixed Team Championships	1
29-04-2020	09.00	Main	1 st Round	MS/WS/MD/WD/XD	8
	17.00	Main	2 nd Round	MS/WS/MD/WD/XD	8
30-04-2020	09.00	Main	3 rd Round	MS/WS/MD/WD/XD	8
	17.00	Main	4 th Round	MS/WS/MD/WD/XD	
01-05-2020	09.00	Main	SD PQF&QF	MS/WS/MD/WD/XD	5
	17.00	Main	QF	MS/WS	4
02-05-2020	01.00	Main	SF	MS/WS/MD/WD/XD	2
03-05-2020	13.00	Main	Finals	MS/WS/MD/WD/XD	1

Alterations are possible and the above order of play may be changed at the discretion of the Referee

PROTEST :: The fees for lodging protest of any kind shall be Rs. 1000/-. This fee shall be retained by the organizer of the event. Any protest shall be addressed to the Org. Secretary in writing within one hour after completion of the match or 4 hours before commencement of the match

TOURNAMENT COMMITTEE :: The President, BAI will nominate Three (3) Members to the Tournament Committee.
4 members shall be nominated by the Host Affiliated Unit.
Hon'ble President , Hon'ble General Secretary and Chairman, TC shall be the EX-officio Members of Tournament Committee.

The Secretary (Events), BAI shall be a Convenor.

These members shall be given facilities as specified in Annexure B & C of the Competition Regulations for attending the Nationals and meetings thereof,

EQUIPMENT SPONSOR: :: As per contract of BAI with Yonex, organisers shall be provided with limited Yonex Shuttlecocks. Additional shuttlecocks shall be purchased by the organiser.

Sponsorship guidelines will be forwarded separately and the same shall be strictly adhered to by the organiser.



FACILITIES

:: The organizers shall be responsible to provide free hospitality to the participating players, officials from each member Associations to the extent given below.

Particulars	No.of Players and the rates of facilities
Senior Nationals	Free hospitality to 8+2=10members including manager and coach
Extra Players shall pay	Rs:1000/- per day per head The organizers provide maximum 3 days coupons on payment.
Inter Zonal Mixed Team Winners	Eligible for free hospitality to 2 members extra.

The Host Affiliated Unit shall provide free lodging and boarding facilities for the tournament days plus one day before only. Lodging shall be provided on the following day of the completion of Tournament upto 12 noon. (No Boarding on the next day).

Every Member Association team taking part in the Nationals shall be responsible for all expenses incurred for their travel and other incidental expenses. Local Transport shall be provided by the organizers as per the timings pasted on the notice board.

REFEREE

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LINE JUDGES

:: It's mandatory to provide line judges.


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