









# VICTOR JOT U17 2019

Organised by OLVE Badminton (Belgium) **Easter 2019: 19/04 - 20/04 - 21/4** 

Dear sports friends,

OLVE Badminton club (Edegem, near Antwerp, Belgium) has the honour to invite you to our Victor JOT. The tournament will take place during the Easter weekend of 2019, which is April 19th, 20th and 21st of 2019.

This tournament is part of Badminton Europe U17 Circuit.

At the same time, in the same venue and one close by, we also organise an U11, U13 and U15 tournament. For more information on these events, please visit our <u>website</u>.

Important: Due to Badminton Europe regulations, the U17 tournament will take place
Friday -> Sunday, while the U11 -> U15 tournament will, as usual take place Saturday ->
Monday. Please take this into account when booking flights, hotels etc.

# **Age Groups**

U17: Born 2003 or later

# **Sports Hall**

Den Willecom in the centre of Edegem (near Antwerp). Address: Terelststraat 2, 2650 Edegem, Belgium

Courts

Friday: 11 courts

Saturday & Sunday: 5 courts

# **Tournament**

#### **Format**

All disciplines will be played in knock out.

#### **Shuttles**

Victor Maxima

### **Schedule**

Friday 19th April 2019 15h00 - 22h00: Preliminary rounds Saturday 20th April 2019 9h00 - 22h00: Preliminary rounds Sunday 21st April 2019 9h00 - 18h00: Semi finals and finals











	Round 64	Rount 32	Round 16	QF	SF	F
MS	Friday	Saturday	Saturday	Saturday	Sunday	Sunday
WS	Friday	Saturday	Saturday	Saturday	Sunday	Sunday
MD		Friday	Saturday	Saturday	Sunday	Sunday
WD		Friday	Saturday	Saturday	Sunday	Sunday
XD	Friday	Friday	Saturday	Saturday	Sunday	Sunday

### **Team Managers meeting**

Friday April 19th 2019 at 13h30 in the cafeteria of sports hall Den Willecom

# **Closing Dates**

Entries: 19/03/2019, 23h59 BWF headquarters time (GMT +8) (More info in next section)

Flight arrangements 2/04/2019

Cancellations:

Hotels: Will be communicated upon reservation

§12.1. of the BEC U17 Circuit Regulations: "The Member Association that enters a player/pair into a BEC U17 Circuit tournament is responsible for paying the entry fees for that player/pair. The entry fees become due if a player is entered and has not been withdrawn when the entry deadline passes. It is recommended that the entry fees are paid by bank transfer, but the organisers can accept cash payments at tournaments."

# **Entries**

#### Regulations

The maximum amount of entries we accept is:

MS & WS: 64 MD & WD: 32

XD: 48

If the amount of entries exceeds the maximum amounts listed above, a selection of entries will be made by Badminton Europe based on the European U17 ranking.

Entries must be done via the BWF online entry system, using the following link: <u>BWF Online</u> <u>Entry</u>. All entries have to be performed by a BWF member association.











For hotel, food or transport information or bookings, please e-mail us at info@juniorolvetournament.be.

#### **Draw**

The draw will be made by Badminton Europe on Tuesday, 02/04/2019.

### **Minimum amount of competitors**

Whether an event counts for the U17 ranking is subject to BEC U17 circuit Regulation 2.3, which says: "It is required that every event in a particular BEC U17 Circuit tournament has at least 8 competitors (i.e. actual competitors, not merely entries). If the required number of competitors is not met, this particular event shall not count towards any ranking. In accordance with regulation 9.4 in BWF Statutes, Section 5.3.3.2: World Junior Ranking System, an event must contain at least one entry from a Member Association other than the hosting Association. If an event does not contain at least one entry from a Member Association other than the hosting Association, this particular event shall not count towards any ranking."

# **Sleeping accommodation**

For sleeping accommodations, we can offer you a few hotels where you'll get a discount. Please note that hotels in Belgium in general don't always offer separate beds in double/twin rooms. If this is a requirement, please check with us or the hotel.

#### **Tournament Hotels**

We have two tournament hotels:

- De Basiliek
  - Address: Trooststraat 10, 2650 Edegem
  - o Prices: €63 (Single) €86 (Double) €114 (Triple) €132 (Quadruple)
- Ter Elst
  - o Address: Ter Elststraat 310, 2650 Edegem
  - Prices: €80 (Single) €90 (Double) €110 (Triple)

If you want to book any of these, please check the hotels document for booking details. We don't provide transport to these hotels, as they are in walking distance from the sports hall.

#### **Preferred Hotels**

Besides our two tournament hotels, we were able to get great deals at some good hotels in the surroundings of Antwerp, not too far from the tournament scene. If needed, we organise transport to and from these locations.

Please check the hotels document for booking details. For all these hotels, we offer silver and gold transport options. More info about transport in the Prices section.

Our preferred hotels for 2019 are:

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- Hotel Drie Eiken, Edegem
- Crowne Plaza Hotel, Antwerp
- Tulip Inn, Berchem (Antwerp)
- Hotel Bristol International, Mortsel
- B-aparthotel, Antwerp

You can always find an up to date list of hotels in the Hotels section of our website.

#### Other hotels

If you need transport to/from another hotel, please check with us before booking, because some hotels take too much time to get to by bus. Especially the Antwerp city centre is not easily reachable by bus (or car for that matter).

### **Lunch & Dinner**

Near the sports hall, we provide lunch and dinner for players, coaches, parents,...

- Lunch is a combination of sandwiches, fruit and a drink.
- Dinner contains a main course, bread, a drink and dessert.

Food for vegetarians and people with special diets can also be arranged, please notify us in time so we can make the necessary arrangements.

Lunch and/or dinner have to be ordered in advance. Please keep in mind that there aren't many restaurants or eating establishments in the surroundings of the sports hall. We can't guarantee that ordering meals during the tournament will be accepted and it will be more expensive.

# Flights and airport transport

We need flight schedules from each team arriving by plane by April 2nd. All finals will be finished by 18h.

### <u>Visa</u>

If you need Visa for Belgium, please send us an <u>e-mail</u> for the official invitation letter. Do consider the fact that arranging Visa can take some time.











# **Prices**

All the prices underneath are indicative, and might still change slightly until 1/11/2018

About two weeks before the tournament starts, we will send you an invoice concerning all tournament fees. We prefer to have this invoice paid by bank transfer. At the tournament, you can still pay cash. We don't accept debit or credit cards.

Entry for the tournament (Shuttles included, price per player, per discipline) - Singles - Doubles and Mixed	17.00 Eur 13.50 Eur
Dinner	13.00 Eur
Dinner ordered during the tournament (If still available)	15.00 Eur
Lunch	6.50 Eur
Lunch ordered during the tournament (If still available)	8.50 Eur
Silver transport for the weekend to and from the sleeping accommodation  - Preferred hotels  - Non-preferred hotels  Silver transport option includes being brought to your hotel on Friday, and being brought to the sports hall before the tournament starts and back to your hotel once every day after the tournament ends. If you want extra transport (e.g. if you want to go to your hotel on Friday before a practise session), please let us know so we can plan	18.00 Eur 22.50 Eur
this and communicate the extra charge.  Non preferred hotels: Only applicable if we accept to do transport to the hotel. Please contact us before booking.	
Gold transport option The gold transport options includes transport during the entire weekend (Friday -> Monday) from and to your hotel at any time you choose. However, for practical reasons, we do have to take a margin of 1h. E.g. if you come to us at 17h00 for transport to your hotel, we'll make sure a car/bus leaves at the sports hall at 18h00 at the latest.  We only offer this option for our preferred hotels.	28 Eur
Transport Brussels Airport <-> Edegem (Return fare)	23.00 Eur
Transport Brussels South Airport (Charleroi) <-> Edegem (Return fare)	32.00 Eur











# **Portrait Rights**

During the tournament, it is licit to make tv-recordings, audio-recordings and pictures. Participation to this tournament means that there are no further approvals needed concerning the participants or officials. These tv-recordings, audio-recordings or pictures, can be divided by the holder of the publication- and broadcasting rights and can be used for live or taped tv programmes, internet, webcasting, radio, movies or diffusion through press and other similar media. OLVE Badminton vzw and every concerning photographer have the right to use the pictures or any other similar image, which are made of the player or official, during the tournament, to use for non commercial purposes.

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# We hope to welcome you in Edegem at Easter!

For the JOT team, Jeroen De Vries, Tournament Director