



## RSL Lithuanian Junior 2020, Part of Badminton Europe U19 Circuit

Junior International Series

September 4 – 6, 2020  
Vilnius, LITHUANIA

**Venue:**  
Delfi Sport Center, Ozo str. 14C, Vilnius, Lithuania

**Organiser:**  
Lithuanian Badminton Federation

**Local organiser:**  
CAPITAL BADMINTON CLUB  
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**Referee:**  
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**Official e-mail for all entries and orders:** [info@cbc.lt](mailto:info@cbc.lt)

**Website:** [www.badminton.lt](http://www.badminton.lt)

**Events:**  
Men's Singles (48 in main draw)  
Women's Singles (48 in main draw)  
Men's Doubles (32 in main draw)  
Women's Doubles (32 in main draw)  
Mixed Doubles (32 in main draw)

**Key dates:**  
**Entries close:** Tuesday, August 4, 2020 6:59 PM (GMT +03:00)  
**Withdrawal without penalty:** Monday, August 17, 2020 11:59 PM (GMT +03:00)  
**Draw date:** Tuesday, August 18, 2020  
The draw will be made by Badminton Europe

**Team managers meeting:**

September 3, 2020,  
19:00 – 20:00,  
Hotel Art City Inn,  
J.Jasinskio str. 14, Vilnius

**Umpires Briefing:**

September 3, 2020,  
20:00 – 21:00  
Hotel Art City Inn,  
J.Jasinskio str. 14, Vilnius

**Deadline for hotel bookings:** August 18, 2020

**Deadline for booking transportation:** August 18, 2020

**Play schedule:**

All competitors must be prepared to play at the times determined for the events for which they have entered. The Order of Play is as follows:

4 courts/3 days	Round 64	Round 32	Round 16	QF	SF	Final
MS - 48	16	16	8	4	2	1
WS - 48	16	16	8	4	2	1
MD - 32	-	16	8	4	2	1
WD - 32	-	16	8	4	2	1
XD - 32	-	16	8	4	2	1
<b>Total</b>	<b>88</b>		<b>84</b>		<b>15</b>	

**Friday, September 4:** preliminary rounds from 10:00 to 20:00

**Saturday, September 5:** preliminary rounds and 10:00 to 20:00

**Sunday, September 6:** Semi – finals from 9:00 to 15:00

The schedule will be confirmed by the referee and can be changed depending on TV requirements. The final frame schedule (with the exact planned conclusion of all matches) shall be made at least 20 days before the start of the tournament and shall be published on the organiser's website. Tournament system will be K.O. system, according to the Laws of Badminton and Competition Regulations of the BWF.

The presentation to all winners and runners-up will take place at the prize giving ceremony following the conclusion of the relevant final. Only winner and runner-up must be present at the prize giving ceremony. Players are reminded when booking flights home on Sunday that the finals may not finish until 3 pm, depending on the start time and also that they may be selected for doping testing – they should therefore book their flights accordingly.

**Entry fees:**

Singles: 25€ per player  
Doubles: 20€ per player

**Payments:**

All payments (entry fee, transfer fee and etc.) must be paid at accreditation via wire transfer to:

CAPITAL BADMINTON CLUB  
IBAN account No: LT72 2140 0300 0264 9070  
LUMINOR NORDEA BANK  
SWIFT NDEALT2X

**Prize money:** There is no prize money for this tournament.

**Shuttles:** RSL Classic Tourney

**Courts:** Games will be played on 4 courts (wooden floor), 2 courts will be reserved for players' lounge zone and warm up.

**Entries:**

All entries must be made by using the BWF Online Entry System. Using this link of tournamentsoftware:  
<https://bwf.tournamentsoftware.com/sport/tournament?id=D192B1A0-D6E3-4E12-8D9A-21F947A4DBDC>

Entries must be submitted no later than August 4, 2020 at 23.59 BWF HQ time (GMT +08.00) All participants need to have the BWF-ID.

Compliance with GCR 7.9: "In making or authorising entries, the Member concerned is reconfirming its acceptance, and acceptance by the Players being entered, of the BWF's regulations and Disciplinary processes."

The Member Association that enters a player into a Circuit tournament is responsible for paying the entry fees for that player. The entry fees must be paid at the same times as the entries are submitted. The entry fees become due if a player is entered and has not been withdrawn when the entry deadline passes.

Entry fees will not be refunded in the case of a withdrawal. For all the withdrawn players the organisers can invoice the entry fee to the relevant Member Association.

The invoice for entry fees must have a deadline for the payment and the information that if no payment has been received after the deadline has passed, the organisers will forward the invoice with the registration of deliverance and the copy of the original entry together with the original invoice to BADMINTON EUROPE. All this must be done within 2 (two) months after the end of the tournament.

If a player/pair is listed on a "Reserve List", no entry fee is to be paid before being promoted to the Main Draw or Qualification draw. Before the withdrawal deadline has passed, a promotion from the "Reserve List" to the Main Draw or Qualification draw is obligated and will be done automatically, unless the respective player/pair has withdrawn from the "Reserve List" beforehand.

After the withdrawal deadline has passed, the organisers must have such a promotion confirmed in writing by the association/associations of the respective player/pair before it takes place. Only when this confirmation has been given, the player/pair is considered as an entry.

Men's (MS) and women's (WS) single, men's (MD) and women's (WD) double and mixed doubles (XD). According to BWF rules, players born 2002 or later can be accepted. The maximum number of competitors accepted in the tournament are: 48 players in men's and women's single n / 32 pairs in men's and women's double / 32 pairs in mixed doubles. All events will be played in KO system.

No qualification will be played before the main draw. In accordance with regulation 2.3 it is required that every event in a particular BEC 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.

BADMINTON EUROPE is not liable for any costs incurred by third persons (players, coaches, umpires, team managers etc.) because of an event not having enough competitors to count for the rankings.

**Withdrawals:**

Any withdrawal after closing date immediately preceding the draw, for any reason whatsoever, renders the Member Association concerned liable to an amount of US \$150.00 for the inconvenience caused by the withdrawal (as defined in BWF General Competition Regulations).

Any player not showing up at the tournament, without having been withdrawn in advance, renders the Member Association concerned liable to an additional amount of US\$ 500,00 for the inconvenience caused by the "no show" (as defined in BWF General Competition Regulations).

### **Clothing / Advertising:**

Clothing and advertising will be permitted in accordance with BEC Junior Circuit

### **Regulation 13**

13.1 Colour, design, lettering and advertising on clothing shall be regulated by BWF Statutes, Section 5.2.3: Junior Tournament Regulations § 12 to 16. A player violating these regulations shall be penalised by an administrative fine of 50,00 EUR. 13.2 It is mandatory for the semi-finals and finals that partners in doubles wear the same colour of the T-shirt and shorts/skirts. Failing to do so shall result in an administrative fine of 50,00 EUR.

### **Badminton Integrity:**

Section 2.4 of the BWF Statutes (Code of Conduct in Relation to Betting, Wagering and Irregular Match Results) relates to anticorruption and anti-match manipulation, and this code applies to all participants at this tournament. 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. Every person has an obligation to report to the BWF any approaches by anyone to gather inside information or to change the outcome of a matches. For more information, please refer to BWF's website:

<https://corporate.bwfbadminton.com/integrity/anti-matchfixing-overview/>

### **Doping control:**

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. Athletes are responsible for any substance found in their body. 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:

<https://corporate.bwfbadminton.com/integrity/antidopingoverview/>

### **Insurance:**

The Organisers decline responsibility and covering of costs for possible injuries or other damages. It is up to participants to insure themselves. Member Association and/or Organiser may be liable for claims originating from the damages incurred by the participants and/or any other persons, arising from or in connection to the particular BEC Junior Circuit tournament, according to local Law. BADMINTON EUROPE is not liable for any such claims, actions, damages, costs or expenses of any nature whatsoever, including but not limited to injury or loss to person or property, arising out of or in any way related, directly or indirectly, to the particular BEC Junior Circuit tournament. It is recommended that Member Associations and/or Organisers purchase a proper Insurance Policy that would cover their potential legal liability.

### **Medical:**

A first aid nurse will be present in the Sports hall during the tournament and a medical doctor will be on call.

### **Imaging permissions:**

When a player is entered in a BWF-sanctioned event, television /broadcasting and still photography of that event is permitted at all associated venues (including raining/practice) without further need to seek the consent of the player of Member Association concerned. Television signals can be shown in any and all territories on live or recorded television, Internet, web casting, audio, film and other media of similar nature.

### **Stringing:**

Stringing service will be available during the tournament, the price for stringing will be 12 EUR with own strings and 17 EUR with bought strings.

### **Cancelation of the tournament:**

The organising Member Association can cancel a tournament in case of force majeure. Such cancellation must be announced at least 15 days before the start of the tournament. If a cancellation is announced less than 15 days before the start of the tournament, then the Member Association organising the tournament is liable for any expenses incurred

by third persons (players, coaches, umpires, team managers etc.). BADMINTON EUROPE is not liable for any costs incurred by third persons because of a cancellation of a tournament.

### **Visas:**

After entering player(s) in the tournament it is the Member Association's responsibility to secure visas for their players – if this is needed. The Tournament Organisers will do everything possible to enable the entered players to get a visa.

For assistance to the organisers of the visa paperwork, no later than August 4, 2020 information should be sent by e-mail: [gs@badminton.lt](mailto:gs@badminton.lt)

The following information on the foreigner being invited shall be given:

- name (-s) and surname;
- citizenship (nationality);
- date and place of birth;
- the address of the place of residence;
- the location (office) where the visa application will likely be submitted

### **Arrival:**

Official point of arrival is VNO – Vilnius International Airport

Special price per person 10 EUR for transportation from airport on arrival (from airport to hotel) and for departure (from hotel to airport) for players using the official tournament hotel.

Other Airports:

Kaunas international airport, [www.kaunas-airport.lt](http://www.kaunas-airport.lt)

Transfer from Kaunas to Vilnius (<https://www.ollex.lt/ekspresas/Kauno-oro-uostas/pirkti-bilieta#>), price 10 EUR per person one direction.

### **Transport from Venue to hotel:**

Transport will be provided only between the Official Tournament Hotel and the competition venue. Available for the duration of the event.

### **Official tournament hotel:**

Hotel Art City Inn Vilnius,  
J.Jasinskio str. 14, Vilnius, Lithuania  
[www.artcityinn.lt](http://www.artcityinn.lt)

4\* hotel services for 3\* hotel prices 10 min from venue.

- 40 EUR for a single room.
- 60 EUR for a double room, based on 2 sharing.
- 85 EUR for a triple room, based on 3 sharing.
- \*Price includes breakfast, free parking, WIFI, VAT.

For booking the hotel please use the accommodation reservation form. Payment for hotel should be done after confirmation, by bank transfer. Invoice will be send by contact person. All bookings must be made by August 18th, 2020 at the latest, or else reservations will be cancelled and players will be responsible for booking their own accommodation and arranging transport. Hotel cancellations made after the draw date will be non-refundable.

### **Contact person:**

Ramunas Kavaliauskas [info@cbc.lt](mailto:info@cbc.lt)

### **Meals:**

Restaurant ALOHA at venue hall, FOOD COURT with 12 restaurants 200 m from venue hall.

**Practice courts before the tournament:**

There is a possibility to train before the tournaments. Court rent for training from 08:00 to 22:00 for 10 € per hour per court. There are available 8 courts. Reservation must be made in advance. All requests for reservations should be sent to the official Tournament e-mail: [info@cbc.lt](mailto:info@cbc.lt)

**Why to visit Vilnius:**

[https://www.vilniuswithlocals.com/?gclid=EAlaIQobChMIxNiOvd2J4wIVzKsaCh2t7AY3EAAYASAAEgL1yfD\\_BwE](https://www.vilniuswithlocals.com/?gclid=EAlaIQobChMIxNiOvd2J4wIVzKsaCh2t7AY3EAAYASAAEgL1yfD_BwE)

**VIDEO from Lithuanian U17 International 2018 Badminton Championship**

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=NT6ZjgbApNo>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=EEfia7wTvvA>

