



BABOLAT GERMAN U17 OPEN 2021

(part of the Badminton Europe U17 circuit)

GERMANY * BERGISCHE GLADBACH-REFRATH, 10/11/12/13 June 2021

Organizer	German Badminton Federation (Deutscher Badminton-Verband) and TV Refrath Badminton Email: german-u17-open@tv-refrath.de Tournament website: www.german-u17-open.de Tournament director: Heinz Kelzenberg +491632376046 – kelzenberg@tv-refrath.de																														
Referee	Markus Schwendtner, Germany: markus-schwendtner@web.de																														
Key Dates	Closing date for entries: Tuesday, 11th of May 2021 at 23.59 BWF HQ time (GMT +08.00) Withdrawal deadline: Monday, 24th of May 2021 at 23.59 (GMT +01.00) Date for the draw: Seeding and draw will be made by Badminton Europe on 25th of May Managers Meeting: Thursday 10th of June 2021 9:30 am at the tournament venue																														
Venue	Halle Steinbreche, Steinbreche 1, 51427 Bergisch Gladbach (Refrath), Germany COURTS – 6 courts (2 mats + 4 regular courts)																														
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Events	All five events will be played in simple K.O.. Each competitor can enter in one single event, one men's doubles or women's doubles event and one mixed doubles event. The number of entries that can be accepted in each event are: MS - 96, WS - 96, MD - 48, WD - 48, XD – 64																														
Entries	<p><i>All entries must be made until Tuesday 11th of May by using the BWF Online Entry System.</i></p> <p><i>Entries can only be made by the federations!</i></p> <p>See tournament list: https://bwf.tournamentsoftware.com/sport/tournament?id=F21F4B97-014F-4DA4-B073-1F60473521C3</p> <p><u>Compliance with General Competition Regulations Clause 7.9</u></p> <p>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."</p> <p>2.3 In accordance with regulation § 9.2 and § 9.3 in BWF Statutes, Section 5.3.3.2: World Junior Ranking System, an event must contain at least 8 (eight) competitors in the first published version of the main draw. If the required number of competitors is not met in the first published version of the main draw, this particular event shall not count towards any ranking.</p> <p>In accordance with regulation § 9.4 in BWF Statutes, Section 5.3.3.2: World Junior Ranking System, an event must contain at least 1 (one) entry from a Member other than the hosting Member in the first published version of the main draw. If an event does not contain at least 1 (one) entry from a Member other than the hosting Member in the first published version of the main draw, this particular event shall not count towards any ranking.</p> <p>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.</p> <p>6.1.6 If the amount of entries exceeds the maximum amount as listed in § 6.1.1- 6.1.4, a selection of entries will be made in the following order: 1) Points on the European U17 Ranking. 2) Foreign players without points on the European U17 Ranking, drawn by lots (no country can have two players/pairs without points participating before all entered countries have at least one player/pair without points participating). * 3) Home nation players in order of strength as listed by their</p>																														

	<p><i>Member. *Non-European players are taken into consideration based on their BWF World Junior Ranking, comparing these to the Europeans that are ranked based on the European U17 Ranking as listed above. The selection of entries shall be done by BADMINTON EUROPE</i></p>
Training	<p>Wednesday: possibility of training 15-16 / 16-17 / 17-18 / 18-19 / 19-20</p> <p>Send Email to german-u17-open@tv-refrath.de</p>
Shuttles	Babolat Feather 1+
Entry Fee	<p>Singles: 35€ per player</p> <p>Doubles: 20€ per player per event (40€ each pair)</p> <p>Shuttles included!</p> <p>The entry fees are payable on our bank account before 1st of June for all players entered and not been withdrawn when the entry deadline passes! (May 11th):</p> <p>TV Refrath, Bank: Kreissparkasse Köln IBAN: DE94 3705 0299 0368 0025 59 BIC: COKSDE33</p> <p><i>There is also a possibility to pay the entry fees in the hall (only CASH in Euros).</i></p> <p><i>The member that enters a player into a BEC U17 Circuit tournament is responsible for paying the entry fees for that player. The entry fees become due if a player is entered and has not been withdrawn when the entry deadline passes.</i></p>
Prices	<p>Cups / practical prizes for the winner & finalist in each event,</p> <p>Prizes for the losers of the semi finals</p>
Medical Service	<p>A person of First Aid and physiotherapist service are present during the tournament.</p> <p>Physiotherapeutic treatment is free of charge.</p>
Visa	<p>After entering a player in the tournaments it's the Member's responsibility to secure visas for their players - if this is needed. Members must make sure that visa applications are made early enough. Demand to: german-u17-open@tv-refrath.de</p>
Transport	<p>There is a free Transport Service from the official point of arrival COLOGNE Airport (CGN) to the 3 official tournament hotels:</p> <p>Hotel REFRATHER HOF / Hotel ALT REFRATH / Hotel KÖLNER HOF REFRATH</p> <p>The distance between CGN and the hotels is only 11km, so for the Host it is an <u>option</u> to ask the teams to take a taxi after arrival. The taxi-fees will be refunded by the Host.</p> <p><u>Inquiries for Transport Service by email to german-u17-open@tv-refrath.de</u></p>
General	<p>Babolat German U17 International 2021 is part of the Badminton Europe U17 Circuit 2021. The tournament will be played in accordance with the Laws of Badminton and the General Competition regulations of BWF as well as with the Badminton Europe U17 Circuit Regulations 2021. The organizer declines responsibility and covering of costs for possible injuries or other damages. It is up to each participant to insure himself.</p>
Clothing	<p>Each article of clothing must comply with BWF Statutes, Section 5.2.3: Junior Tournament Regulations 12 to 16 and Badminton Europe U17 Circuit Regulation 13</p>
Doping Control	<p>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 body. Before an athlete takes any medication, they should check with their doctor, and if necessary, get a Therapeutic Use Exemption (TUE).</p> <p>For more information about anti-doping, please visit the BWF website: https://corporate.bwfbadminton.com/integrity/anti-doping-overview/</p>
Badminton Integrity	<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 a matches.</p> <p>For more information, please refer to BWF's website: https://corporate.bwfbadminton.com/integrity/anti-match-fixing-overview/</p>

Covid-19	The general safety regulations (German government) as well as the Badminton Europe sport-specific guidelines will be announced before the tournament. These regulations and guidelines must be observed by the participants, coaches, supervisors, spectators and all attendants. Failure to comply can result in disqualification and expulsion from the hall. The participants give their consent that their personal data will be stored in order to trace possible contacts in the event of a Covid-19 case.
Catering Service	Not yet decided because of the Covid-19-restrictions: Perhaps we can offer a warm lunch/dinner on the first 3 days of the tournament between 3:00 and 9:00 pm. The meals will be: PASTA with 2 different sauces, Salad, Dessert CHICKEN CURRY with rice, Salad, Dessert ASIAN NOODLES with vegetables, Dessert Total Price per meal: 12,- € The warm meals have to be booked in advance. Order Sheets will be sent to the teams / federations before the tournament. Booking: german-u17-open@tv-refrath.de

ACCOMMODATIONS

Official Tournament Hotels:

Name	Distance to hall	Email/Phone	Prices per night incl. breakfast	Capacity
Hotel Kölner Hof Refrath Lustheide 45a 51427 Bergisch Gladbach	1,4 km (walking distance)	info@koelnerhof-refrath.de +492204586980	Single Room max. 70 € Double Room max. 90 € (ask for 10% discount "TV REFRATH")	20 rooms
Hotel Refrather Hof Dolmanstraße 25 51427 Bergisch Gladbach	250m (walking distance)	info@refratherhof.de +492204404140	Single Room max. 70 € Double Room max. 90 € 3-bed room max 140,-€	15 rooms
Hotel Alt Refrath Kicke 11 51427 Bergisch Gladbach	900m (walking distance)	info@hotel-alt-refrath.de +49220464811	Single Room max. 70 € Double Room max. 90 €	6 rooms

Book directly at the hotels exclusively by mail or phone

Additional Hotel Offers for participants that come by car:

Name	Distance to hall	Email	Phone
Ibis Köln Airport Alter Deutzer Postweg 95 51149 Köln	8,5 km	H5008@accor.com	+49220335900
Ibis Budget Köln Porz Alter Deutzer Postweg 100 51149 Köln	8,5 km	H2669@accor.com	+4922033590
Ibis Köln Messe Brügelmannstr. 1, 50679 Köln	11 km	H3744@accor.com	+49221989310
Ibis Budget Köln Messe Brügelmannstr. 7, 50679 Köln	11 km	H7843@accor.com	+4922188745620
Ibis Leverkusen Lichstraße 72 51373 Leverkusen	17 km	H2090@accor.com	+49214830290
Ibis Budget Leverkusen Manforter Str.29 51373 Leverkusen	17 km	H2635@accor.com	+49214401062

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There is NO Shuttle Service between the Hall and these hotels.