



ITALIAN JUNIOR 2023

24-26 FEBRUARY

**JUNIOR INTERNATIONAL CHALLENGE TOURNAMENT
ENTRY DEADLINE: 24TH JANUARY**

Dear badminton friends,

your players are invited to compete in the "Italian Junior 2023" tournament in Milan. Please find enclosed all the necessary information. This tournament is sanctioned by Badminton Europe as part of the Badminton Europe Junior Circuit.

Tournament Organizer: Federazione Italiana Badminton
Viale Tiziano, 70 - 00196 - Rome
eventi@badmintonitalia.it
Phone: +39 0683800708/717
Website: www.badmintonitalia.it

Referee: Laufey Sigurdardottir (ISL) laufeySIG.referee@gmail.com

Venue: PALABADMINTON
Address: Via Giovanni Cimabue, 24 - 20148 - Milan

Dates of the Event: 24-26 February

6 courts / 3 days	Round 64	Round 32	Round 16	QF	SF	Final
MS – 64	32	16	8	4	2	1
WS – 64	32	16	8	4	2	1
MD – 32	-	16	8	4	2	1
WD – 32	-	16	8	4	2	1
XD – 48	16	16	8	4	2	1

Date	N. Matches
FRIDAY 24 February	128
SATURDAY 25 February	98
SUNDAY 26 February	9

Schedule:

February 24 start 9:00 a.m.
February 25 start 9:00 a.m.
February 26 start 9:00 a.m.

Shuttles: RSL Classic Tourney

Courts: 6 YONEX court mats

Draw: will be made by Badminton Europe on Tuesday 7 February 2023

Events: Men's Singles, Women's Singles, Men's Doubles, Women's Doubles, Mixed Doubles. Entry Limits: MS 64, WS 64, MD 32, WD 32, XD 48.

The organizers and BEC reserve the right to limit the amount of accepted entries, not to exceed 128 matches per day as per the Badminton European Junior Circuit Regulations 6.1.4.

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.

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.

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.

Competition:	<p>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.</p> <p>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.</p>
Eligibility:	<p>All Badminton players born in 2005 or later who are eligible to play for BWF Member.</p>
Key Dates:	<p>entry open: November 16, 2022 entry deadline: January 24, 2023 withdrawal deadline without penalty: February 6, 2023 at 23h59 CET</p>
Entry Deadline:	<p>January 24, 2023 at 23.59 BWF HQ time (16.59 CET).</p>
Entries:	<p>All entries must be made by using the BWF Online Entry System: https://bwf.tournamentsoftware.com/tournament/12FFB526-EA1B-4ECB-831F-DFAFE9C2EE76</p> <p>Entries must be submitted no later than Tuesday, January 24 at 23.59 BWF HQ TIME (GMT +08.00). Players can't be entered unless they already have a BWF ID-number.</p> <p>In case you wish to enter players who do not have a BWF ID-number, please contact the BWF office well in advance of the tournament, so that the players concerned can get a BWF ID-number before the closing date of the tournament.</p> <p><u>Compliance with General Competition Regulations Clause 7.9</u> GCR 7.9: <i>"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."</i></p>
Entry Fees:	<p>Singles: 45.00 €/player Doubles: 40.00 €/player per event</p> <p>The Entry Fee must be paid to: Federazione Italiana Badminton - Viale Tiziano, 70 - 00196 - Rome Bank: Banca Nazionale del Lavoro - Ag. CONI Account n°: 5171 IBAN: IT03U0100503309000000005171 - SWIFT Code: BNL I I TRR NOT LATER THAN: February 6, 2023</p>

Please send a copy to: silviavitali@badmintonitalia.it

Bank charges etc. have to be paid by the National Association and will not be accepted by the Federazione Italiana Badminton. The Member that enters a player/pair into a BEC Junior 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.

No cash payment will be accepted.

The 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.

Withdrawals:

Before the withdrawals without penalty date, please use the online entry system to withdraw players. After the withdrawal without penalty date has passed (6 February 2023 23:59 CET), please ensure that the Organizer is informed immediately when a player has to withdraw, together with the reason, to the following e-mail:

eventi@badmintonitalia.it and laufeysig.referee@gmail.com.

Visa:

After entering a player(s) in the tournament it is the Member Nation's responsibility to secure visas for their players.

If you need Visa for Italy please ask the Federazione Italiana Badminton not later than Wednesday **January 25th, 2023 ONLINE VISA FORM application, just click the link or copy and paste to your browser:**

<https://badmintonitalia.jotform.com/223181314366956>

Tournament website:

<https://www.badmintonitalia.it/it/gare-ed-eventi/manifestazioni-eventi-fiba/event/1397.html>

Practice courts:

6 courts are available in the main hall on Thursday February 23 from 3:00 pm to 9:00 pm. **ONLINE PRACTICE FORM Application, just click the link or copy and paste to your browser:**

<https://badmintonitalia.jotform.com/223181995539973>

Official Hotel:

Hotel Novotel Milano Ca' Granda

Viale Suzzani 13 - 15, 20162 Milano

DUS: € 105,00 + €5,00 city tax person / day*

Double room: € 120,00 + €5,00 city tax person / day*

Triple room: € 140,00 + €5,00 city tax person / day*

*Breakfast included

Booking:

H1140-RE@ACCOR.COM

Referring to the event.

Room availability and free cancellation until December 31, 2022. Minors are not allowed to sleep alone in one room. Reservation allowed only with Credit Card; Payment is accepted at check-in.

Hotel Lido

Via Privata Riccardo Galli 8 – 20148 Milano

Single rooms € 110,00 + €5,00 city tax person / day*
Double room: € 150,00 + €5,00 city tax person / day*
Triple room: € 180,00 + €5,00 city tax person / day*
*Breakfast included

Booking:

info@lidohotelmilano.com

Referring to the event.

Room availability and free cancellation until January 9, 2023.

B&B Hotel Central Station

Via Napo Torriani, 9 – 20124 Milano

Single rooms € 110,00 + €5,00 city tax person / day*
Double room: € 130,00 + €5,00 city tax person / day*
Triple room: € 150,00 + €5,00 city tax person / day*
*Breakfast included

Booking:

bb_6036@hotelbb.com

Referring to the event.

Room availability and free cancellation until December 31, 2022. Minors are not allowed to sleep alone in one room. Reservation allowed only with Credit Card; Payment is accepted at check-in.

Local Transport:

The hotel **Novotel Ca Granda** is 30' distance from the sporthall by underground [link](#)

The hotel **Lido** is 10' distance from the sporthall by underground [link](#) or 15', walking distance [link](#)

The hotel **B&B Hotel Central Station** is 30' distance from the sporthall by underground [link](#)

ACCREDITATION: <https://badmintonitalia.jotform.com/223183099484969>

The organization will provide for the subway tickets from the **official hotels** to the sport hall roundtrip for:

- February 23rd from the official point of arrival PalaBadminton to the Official Hotels.
- February 23rd for the participation to the Team Manager's Meeting and for those who booked practice courts.
- during tournament days (24 - 26 February 2023) for players in the tournament and coach roundtrip (Official Hotel – PalaBadminton).

Tickets will be given only for those who book the official hotel booking directly through the contacts in the invitation, not through other websites. It is mandatory to fill out **ACCREDITATION** form in order to send us the tickets request that will be collected during the Team Manager's Meeting.

Official Point Of Arrival:	PalaBadminton Via Giovanni Cimabue, 24, 20148 Milano, Italia
Team Manager's Meeting:	February 23, 2023 in a signposted room at the tournament venue: TEAM MANAGER'S meeting at 7.00 p.m.
Medical Service:	A doctor will be present in the hall during the tournament.
Meals:	In the venue there is a dining hall for meals and snacks.
Insurance:	The organizer declines responsibility and covering of costs for possible injuries or other damages. It is up to each participant to insure himself.
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/anti-doping-overview/
Badminton Integrity:	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. 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-match-fixing-overview/
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Conditions of play	The Tournament will be played in full accordance with the laws of Badminton and the Competition Regulations of BWF and Badminton Europe Junior Circuit Regulations.
Tournament Contact:	Marco Ciani Passeri eventi@badmintonitalia.it
Press Office:	Milagros Barrera ufficiostampa@badmintonitalia.it
Accommodation:	Hotel Novotel Milano Ca' Granda H1140-RE@ACCOR.COM Hotel Lido Milano info@lidohotelmilano.com B&B Hotel Central Station bb_6036@hotelbb.com
Visa:	Stefano Infantino stefanoinfantino@badmintonitalia.it
Entry Fees:	Silvia Vitali silviavitali@badmintonitalia.it

ACCREDITATION FORM: <https://badmintonitalia.jotform.com/223183099484969>

VISA FORM: <https://badmintonitalia.jotform.com/223181314366956>

PRACTICE COURT FORM: <https://badmintonitalia.jotform.com/223181995539973>

Please be aware that in case of event cancellation, due to the spread of COVID-19, the Federation will not be responsible of any kind of expenses made.

Welcome to Milano!

You can find up-to-date information about the COVID situation in Italy and the applicable regulations online at <https://infocovid.viaggiasesicuri.it/returningtoitaly.html>

Participants have to meet all requirements and conform to all applicable regulations by the local authorities, BADMINTON EUROPE and the organizers in order to participate in the tournament. Should the event be cancelled on short notice due to reasons beyond the control of both Badminton Europe and the Federazione Italiana Badminton (e.g. a decision of the local authorities), neither of them will be liable for any costs already incurred. It is strongly recommended that all participants book flight tickets with cancellation insurance.

Subway Line 1 • red line



PalaBadminton is here!

• From Malpensa Airport

• From Linate Airport

Official Point of Arrival

Venue PalaBadminton
Via Giovanni Cimabue, 24 – Milano (MI)

If you arrive at **Malpensa Airport** follow these instructions to reach the meeting point: departure from Terminal 1 and 2.

Get the “MALPENSA EXPRESS” direction “CADORNA” (approximately a 40 minutes ride). Trains leave every 30 minutes from the airport to Cadorna (at minutes 20 and 50). From 04.27 a.m. to 00.27 p.m*. (*) Journey by bus. Tickets are available between baggage claim and the train station at the automated ticket booth that says “Malpensa Express” at the top, or at the main ticket office near the train platforms.

Price of each ticket: €13.00. For Timetable information click here www.malpensaexpress.it

From Cadorna Station get the subway LINE 1 - red line, direction “RHO FIERA” and get off at “QT8”. Price of each ticket: €2,00.

If you arrive at **Linate Airport** follow these instructions to reach the meeting point: departure from domestic arrival.

Get the BUS 73 direction “DUOMO” and get off at “DUOMO” (approximately a 30 minutes ride).

Price of each ticket: €2,00.

Timetable: from 00.43 a.m. to 00.55 a.m. Every day, every 40 minutes.

Tickets are available at bar, newspaper kiosks, and other authorised sales points.

From “DUOMO” get the subway LINE 1 - red line, direction “RHO FIERA” and get off at “QT8”. Price of each ticket: €2,00.