#### **Closing Date: 7 February 2023**

23.59 hours BWF Headquarter time (+08.00 hours GMT)









# YONEX German Junior 2023

The 40th INTERNATIONAL JUNIOR BADMINTON CHAMPIONSHIPS OF GERMANY

### **Junior International Grand Prix**

Part of the World Junior Ranking 2023
Part of Badminton Europe Junior Circuit 2023

Prize Money 2.000 EUR

## 8 to 12 March 2023 Berlin

sanctioned by BADMINTON WORLD FEDERATION

presented by GERMAN BADMINTON ASSOCIATION

organized by SG EMPOR BRANDENBURGER TOR BERLIN

#### **VENUE**

Große Halle des Sportforums Berlin -(Sportarena Sportforum Berlin) - 6 courts Weißenseer Weg 53 D - 13053 Berlin

Six YONEX courts will be used.

#### **ORGANIZER and TORUNAMENT DIRECTOR**

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#### **SCHEDULE**

This is a preliminary schedule and subject to changes based on the number of entries!!

	round 128	round 64	round 32	round 16	QF	SF	Finals
MS - 128	64	32	16	8	4	2	1
WS - 128	64	32	16	8	4	2	1
MD - 64		32	16	8	4	2	1
WD - 64		32	16	8	4	2	1
XD - 96	32	32	16	8	4	2	1
Total	128	128	128	76		15	
	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday		Sunday	

Expected playing time: Wednesday to Saturday 09.00 to 22.00 hours, Sunday 09.00 to 15.00 hours.

The final schedule will be created after the entry deadline. It is our first priority to split semi-finals and finals completely on two days (Saturday and Sunday)

#### **TEAM MANAGERS MEETING**

at City Hotel Berlin East (former Holiday Inn Berlin City East)

#### **GENERAL**

YONEX German Junior 2023 is part of the World Junior Ranking 2023 and the Badminton Europe Junior Circuit 2023.

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 Junior Circuit Regulations.

#### **ELIGIBILITY**

- 1. German players must have a legal playing certificate.
- 2. Foreign players have to be members of an association affiliated to the BWF.
- Open for players according to the current Badminton Europe-/ BWF-age-limit (born on or after 1 January 2005).

#### **ENTRIES**

Each player is allowed to play in 3 events.

The amount of entries which can be accepted in each event are: 128 in Men's and Women's singles 64 in Men's & Women's doubles 96 in Mixed doubles

If the amount of entries exceeds the amount listed above, a selection of entries will be made in accordance with regulation 6.1.5 of the Badminton Europe Junior Circuit Regulations.

Entries must be done in order of strength and must include the date of birth.

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.

#### **ONLINE-ENTRY**

All entries must be made by using the BWF Online Entry System.

Players cannot be entered unless they already have a BWF ID-number. 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.

<u>Entries must be submitted no later than Tuesday 7 February 2023 at 23.59 hours BWF Headquarter time (GMT + 08.00 hours)</u>. You are required to submit the entries on time and late entries will not be accepted.

Member Associations are advised to log: YONEX German Junior 2023:

https://bwf.tournamentsoftware.com/tournament/4E87CABC-56B7-4ABD-8ADF-4D3202FA280B

#### **Compliance with General Competition Regulations Clause 7.9**

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."

BWF Member Associations can use their existing online entry login and password to submit the entries. For those who had not submitted any entries by online entry can find more information here: https://corporate.bwfbadminton.com/players/entries/

German Badminton Association is not allowed to accept any late entries so it is imperative that entries are submitted on time in the Online Entry System.

#### **ENTRY FEE**

Singles 38 EUR

Doubles 28 EUR per competitor

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.

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.

You will receive an invoice for your payment when the draw is conducted. Each Member will receive one invoice with the total of entered players. It is not possible single players pay separately.

Entry Fee must be paid in advance by bank transfer, latest on 1st March 2023.

For cash payment an additional administrative fee of € 10,00 per payment is applicable.

Please find the needed details as follows:

Account holder	SG EBT Berlin 1952 e.V.			
Address of account holder	Samariterstrasse 19/20			
	10247 Berlin			
	Germany			
Bank	Hypo Vereinsbank			
Address of bank	Friedrichstraße 60			
	10117 Berlin			
	Germany			
Account-No.	601829509			
IBAN	DE36 1002 0890 0601 8295 09			
BIC-/Swift-Code	HYVEDEMM488			
Reason for payment	YONEX German Junior 2023			

#### **DRAW**

Seeding and draw will be done by Badminton Europe. Draw date: Tuesday 21 February 2023.

#### **CLOTHING**

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.

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.

#### **SHUTTLECOCKS**

YONEX AEROSENSA AS-50 shuttles will be used.

#### **PRIZES**

The winners, runners-up and semi-finalists will receive winner-certificates and medals/trophies.

#### **PRIZE MONEY**

The total prize money is 2.000 EUR.

	MS	WS	MD	WD	XD
Winner	150 EUR	150 EUR	200 EUR	200 EUR	200 EUR
Runner-up	80 EUR	80 EUR	140 EUR	140 EUR	140 EUR
Semi-finalist	40 EUR	40 EUR	60 EUR	60 EUR	60 EUR

The prize money will be given in cash at the ceremony.

#### **HOTEL and HOTEL BOOKING**

The official tournament hotel will be:

City Hotel Berlin-East (former Holiday Inn Berlin City East) Landsberger Allee 203 13055 Berlin

Room rates: Single room: 89 € per night

Double room: 109 € per night Tripe room: 129 € per night

This official hotel is located only 400 m distance from the venue.

The organiser will not provide transport from any other hotel to the venue!!

All details and needed information (payment, cancellation) you will find in the hotel booking form.

Please send your hotel booking before 12th February 2023 to: hotel@german-junior.de

#### **VISA**

It is the responsibility of any nation or player if a visa is needed to travel to Germany to send the **visa** applications before 31st January 2023 to thomas.lohwieser@badminton.de

Please let us know all needed details by using the Visa Application Form.

German Badminton Association will be unable to send supporting letters at a late stage. It also could be problem for German Embassies to issue "last minute" visas.

#### TRANSPORT / TRAVEL DETAILS

Transport from Berlin Brandenburg Airport (BER) or railway-station Ost-Bahnhof (East-Station) or Hauptbahnhof (Main-Station) will be organised free of charge.

The local organiser cannot provide any transport between Dutch Junior and Berlin. There are good flight connections between Amsterdam airport and Berlin Brandenburg Airport (BER) with Dutch Airline KLM and low-cost airline easyJet (several links per day).

Please send your Transport Form before 28th February 2023 to: transport@german-junior.de

#### **PRACTICE**

Practice at the main venue will be possible as follows:

Monday 6 March 2023 15.00 - 22.00 hours Tuesday 7 March 2023 08.00 - 15.30 hours

and only for nations arriving on Tuesday afternoon:

Tuesday 7 March 2023 15.30 - 22.00 hours

For your inquiry please use the practice request form, where you can also will find more information.

Please send your practice request before 28th February 2023 to thomas.lohwieser@badminton.de

Practice Schedule will be published prior your arrival.

#### **ACCREDITATION**

The organiser will provide all players and team officials with accreditation cards. All associations and German county regional teams as well as clubs are asked to complete the accreditation form and send it back to <a href="mailto:thomas.lohwieser@badminton.de">thomas.lohwieser@badminton.de</a> before 28<sup>th</sup> February 2023. Accreditation cards will only be provided for players, coaches, physiotherapists and official team-members.

It is mandatory to present this accreditation card when entering the venue. It will be not possible to enter the venue without accreditation card.

The accreditation cards will be handed out at the team Managers Meeting. If a team cannot participate in the team managers meeting (for example due to late arrival), the cards must be picked up on Wednesday (first day of competition) at the entry to the venue (preferred as team package). If someone is coming on his own she/he must present an official ID-card.

#### **DOPING CONTROL**

According to German anti-doping law doping control may be carried out on a random basis at any time.

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: <a href="https://corporate.bwfbadminton.com/integrity/anti-doping-overview/">https://corporate.bwfbadminton.com/integrity/anti-doping-overview/</a>

#### **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: <a href="https://corporate.bwfbadminton.com/integrity/anti-match-fixing-overview/">https://corporate.bwfbadminton.com/integrity/anti-match-fixing-overview/</a>

#### Covid-19

You can find up-to-date information about the COVID-19 situation in Berlin and the applicable regulations online here: <a href="https://www.berlin.de/corona/en/measures/directive/">https://www.berlin.de/corona/en/measures/directive/</a>.

Information on entry restrictions, testing and quarantine requirements in Germany can be found online here <a href="https://www.auswaertiges-amt.de/en/coronavirus/2317268">https://www.auswaertiges-amt.de/en/coronavirus/2317268</a>.

If necessary an actual Covid-19guide-line for YONEX German Junior 2023 will be published due in time in advance of the event.

#### WWW / Internet

You will find YONEX German Junior 2023 on the internet as follows: www.german-junior.de