



## INVITATION

### III GUATEMALA FUTURE SERIES 2022

November 8 - 13, 2022

Guatemala, Guatemala City

1	<b>Sanctioned By</b>	<b>Badminton World Federation and Badminton Pan Am</b>
2	<b>National Organization</b>	Federación Nacional de Bádminton de Guatemala Event Manager: <b>Mr. Daniel Humblers</b> Address: Coliseo Deportivo, Ciudad de los Deportes, zona 5 Guatemala Telephone: +502 38750421 e-mail: tecnicabadguate@gmail.com
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4	<b>Venue</b>	<b>GIMNASIO TEODORO PALACIOS FLORES</b> Address: 12 AVENIDA Y 01005 Guatemala GUATEMALA, Guatemala
5	<b>Events</b>	1) Men Singles 2) Women Singles 3) Men Doubles 4) Women Doubles 5) Mixed Doubles
6	<b>Medals &amp; Prize</b>	Winners – Gold Medal Runners-up – Silver Medal Losing Semi-finalists – Bronze Medal
7	<b>Entry Limits</b>	In singles: 32 in Qualifying draw and 32 in main draw. In doubles: 32 in Qualifying draw and 32 in main draw.
8	<b>System</b>	Knock-out
9	<b>Referee</b>	Mr. PJ Williams (TTO) E-mail: <a href="mailto:pjwill57@gmail.com">pjwill57@gmail.com</a>
10	<b>Time Schedule (as expected)</b>  <b>The exact timetable will be presented after draw</b>	<b>Wednesday – November 9<sup>th</sup>.</b> – Technical Meeting 10:00hs – at Gimnasio Teodoro Palacios Flores. <b>Wednesday – November, 9<sup>th</sup>.</b> – Qualification Round – Start 12:00 hrs. (if necessary) <b>Thursday – November, 10<sup>th</sup>.</b> – First Round Matches – Start 09:00 hrs., and Opening Ceremony 15:30 hrs., following by continues first round matches



		<p><b>Friday – November, 11th.</b> – Tournament continues – Main Draws</p> <p><b>Saturday – November, 12<sup>th</sup>.</b> – Semifinals</p> <p><b>Sunday – November, 13th.</b> – Finals</p>
11	<b>Entries: Online entry only</b>	<p>Please use this link for Entries on line.</p> <p><a href="https://bwf.tournamentsoftware.com/tournament/9BCD5E7D-D5A9-4FC2-9EBF-CCD119B6E00D">https://bwf.tournamentsoftware.com/tournament/9BCD5E7D-D5A9-4FC2-9EBF-CCD119B6E00D</a></p> <p>All Entries must be made by using the BWF Online Entry System. Entries must be submitted no later than <b>Tuesday, October 11<sup>th</sup>, 2022</b> at 23:59 hrs. (GMT +8:00).</p> <p>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, since July of 2014 each MA can create the ID through Online Entry System.</p>
12	<b>Entry closing date</b>	<b>Tuesday, October 11th, 2022</b>
13	<b>M&amp;Q World Ranking report</b>	<b>Tuesday, October 11th, 2022</b>
14	<b>M&amp;Q Publish on BPAC web site</b>	<b>No later than Friday, October 14th, 2022</b>
15	<b>Ranking for Seeding Main Draw</b>	<b>Tuesday, October 18th, 2022</b>
16	<b>Seeding Publish on BPAC web site</b>	<b>No later than Friday, 21st, 2022</b>
18	<b>Withdrawal Without Penalty</b>	<b>Monday, October 24<sup>th</sup>, 2022 11:59 PM (GMT +8:00) BWF HQ Kuala Lumpur Malaysia</b>
19	<b>Draw date</b>	<b>Tuesday, October 25th, 2022</b>
20	<b>Entry fees</b>	<p>US\$ 100.00 per player (not event)</p> <p><b>Paid in cash before beginning of tournament. We will not accept old dollar bills. If entry fees are not paid according to the regulations, the players concerned are not allowed to play.</b></p> <p><b>The member association that enters a player into a circuit tournament is responsible for paying the entry fees for that player.</b></p>
21	<b>Shuttles</b>	<b>YONEX AEROSSENSA 30</b>
22	<b>Courts</b>	<b>3 Court mats for competition and 2 for warm up.</b>
23	<b>Conditions</b>	The draw will be conducted under the BWF Competition Regulations.
24	<b>Withdrawals</b>	<p>Please ensure that the organizer will be informed immediately when a player has to withdraw, together for the reason.</p> <p><b>Attention:</b> Any withdrawal after the Monday immediately preceding the draw, for any reason whatsoever, renders the Member Association concerned liable to an amount of \$ 150.00 for the inconvenience caused by the withdrawal (as defined in BWF General Competition Regulations).</p> <p><b>Monday, October 24<sup>th</sup>, 2022 11:59 PM (GMT +8:00) BWF HQ Kuala Lumpur Malaysia</b></p>



25	<b>Visa</b>	Important for all players who need visa for Guatemala. Please request immediately from Badminton Guatemala National Federation an official INVITATION LETTER and apply as soon as possible. (e-mail: <a href="mailto:tecnicabadguate@gmail.com">tecnicabadguate@gmail.com</a> ). <b>Necessary to indicate the full name and Passport number.</b>
26	<b>Airport</b>	Aeropuerto Internacional La Aurora, Guatemala City (5.1 km away from the hotel) Airport code: <b>GUA</b>
27	<b>Accommodation</b>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Official Hotel</b> (Bookings must be made directly with the hotel)</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Conquistador Hotel</b> Vía 5 4-68 zona 4, Guatemala <a href="http://www.hotelconquistador.com.gt">www.hotelconquistador.com.gt</a></p> <p>Single room standard with breakfast: <b>USD 77.00</b> Twin room standard with breakfast: <b>USD 93.00</b> Triple room standard with breakfast: <b>USD 127.30</b> Note: Rates quoted are per room and per night. Includes gym, Wi-Fi and pool access.</p> <p>Check-in Time: 3pm / Check out Time: 12 hours' noon. Breakfast time - 6:30am to 10:30am</p> <p><b>Terms &amp; Conditions:</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Early check-in or any late check-out may be requested and is subject to room availability.</li><li>2. For late check-out: between 12:00 – 18:00 hrs are 50% of the room charge. After 18:00 hrs are one (01) night room charge.</li><li>3. Any early departure or amendment of dates after check-in shall be subject to 100% cancellation fee.</li><li>4. Airport transfer and daily shuttle service (to and from official hotel and tournament venue) will be made available.</li></ol> <p><b>Cancellation policy:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Groups must be canceled 15 days before the arrival of the group.</li><li>- In high occupancy season, it will be RACK rate and must prepay their rooms, THERE WILL BE NO REFUNDS.</li></ul>
28	<b>Transportation</b>	Transportation will be arranged only if the team stays at the official hotel, schedule will be delivered at the arrival of the teams.
29	<b>Uniforms</b>	According to BPAC regulations for all tournaments the player's name and country on the back of the shirts, is recommended for Country. (WBF GCR, referring player's clothing, designs, advertising, and lettering).
30	<b>Medical service</b>	Medical support (doctor and physiotherapist) will be available at the venue.
31	<b>Medical insurance</b>	<b>To be arranged individually by participants.</b>
32	<b>Doping Control</b>	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>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: <a href="https://corporate.bwfbadminton.com/integrity/anti-doping-overview/">https://corporate.bwfbadminton.com/integrity/anti-doping-overview/</a></p>
33	<b>Badminton Integrity</b>	<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 of 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: <a href="https://corporate.bwfbadminton.com/integrity/anti-match-fixing-overview/">https://corporate.bwfbadminton.com/integrity/anti-match-fixing-overview/</a></p>
34	<b>General Regulations</b>	<p><b><u>Compliance with General Competition Regulations Clause 7.9</u></b></p> <p>GCR 7.9: <i>"In making or authorizing 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>
35	<b>Covid-19 Protocols:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• The competitions will be held with public, social distancing is mandatory. The use of a mask is mandatory according to the specifications by the Ministry of Public Health and Social Assistance of Guatemala. Access to the competition facility will be for PLAYERS, COACHES, STAFF AND THE GENERAL PUBLIC.</li><li>• To enter the country it is necessary to have a vaccination card with at least 2 doses administered. Quarantine is not necessary.</li><li>• The assembly of the game carpets will be carried out with a distance of at least 2 meters between game courts, always seeking distance for the competitors.</li><li>• Each participant must show their NEGATIVE result of the COVID 19 test, it is MANDATORY to have taken it with a maximum range of 72 hours prior to their participation.</li><li>• The use of a mask for coaches, technical officials and STAFF will be mandatory at all times, with the exception of the PLAYERS, during the duration of the MATCHES.</li></ul>

For any other request please contact:

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