

— OFFICIAL PROSPECTUS —

Invitation to

# YONEX INTERNATIONAUX DE FRANCE DE BADMINTON 2021

HSBC BWF World Tour Super 750

26<sup>th</sup> to 31<sup>st</sup> October 2021

Stade Pierre de Coubertin, Paris

Prize Money: **US\$ 600,000**

Dear Member Associations,

The French Federation of Badminton (FFBaD) is proud to invite your players to compete in the “**YONEX INTERNATIONAUX DE FRANCE DE BADMINTON 2021**” (*YONEX FRENCH OPEN 2021*), from 26<sup>th</sup> to 31<sup>st</sup> October 2021, in Paris Coubertin Stadium, which is part of the prestigious HSBC BWF World Tour Super 750.

This letter, of 14 pages, which includes all the general information concerning the event, contains important details that should also be brought to the attention of the Team Managers as well as the players.

You will find posted on the BWF website right now or soon the document below:

- Accreditation form
- Safety protocol form







You can find online right now or soon the following documents:

- [Visa Request form](#)
- [Practice court reservation form](#)
- **Accommodation reservation link to be communicated on Friday, September 3, 2021**

Yohan PENEL, President of the FFBaD



## 1. General Details

<b>Organiser</b>	<p><b>FEDERATION FRANÇAISE DE BADMINTON (FFBAD)</b>            9-11 avenue Michelet            93583 Saint-Ouen Cedex - France            Phone: +33 1 49 21 08 97 / +33 6 50 39 37 57</p> <p>E-mail: <a href="mailto:info@yonexifb.com">info@yonexifb.com</a>            Website: <a href="http://www.yonexifb.com">www.yonexifb.com</a> (event) / <a href="http://www.ffbad.org">www.ffbad.org</a> (federation)</p> 
<b>Sanction</b>	<p><b>BADMINTON WORLD FEDERATION (BWF)</b>            Website: <a href="http://www.bwfbadminton.com">www.bwfbadminton.com</a>            Circuit website: <a href="http://bwfworldtour.com/">http://bwfworldtour.com/</a></p> 
<b>Date</b>	<p>Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> to Sunday 31<sup>st</sup> October 2021</p>
<b>Competition Venue</b>	<p><b>STADE PIERRE DE COUBERTIN</b>            82, AVENUE GEORGES LAFONT            75016 PARIS – FRANCE</p>
<b>Media Links</b>	<p>Championships website: <a href="https://www.yonexifb.com/">https://www.yonexifb.com/</a></p> <p>  @FFBaD                 Fédération Française Badminton   @FFBaD                 @FFBaD         </p>
<b>Referee Team</b>	<p><b>Referee:</b>            Ian ROSS (ENG) / Email: <a href="mailto:ian.ross.uk@gmail.com">ian.ross.uk@gmail.com</a></p> <p><b>Deputy Referee:</b>            Diraj GOONEADRY (MRI) / Email: <a href="mailto:diraj.goonoadry@intnet.mu">diraj.goonoadry@intnet.mu</a></p> <p><b>Local Deputy Referee:</b>            Sébastien BOURDIN (FRA) / Email: <a href="mailto:sebastien.bourdin@ffbad.org">sebastien.bourdin@ffbad.org</a></p>
<b>Useful Contact</b>	<p>Pierre LUSSET            Event manager            Phone: +33 6 50 39 37 57            E-mail: <a href="mailto:info@yonexifb.com">info@yonexifb.com</a></p> <p>Eric LISSILLOUR            Competition director            E-mail: <a href="mailto:info@yonexifb.com">info@yonexifb.com</a></p>

<p><b>Insurance coverage</b></p>	<p>Players and all members of the national delegation shall hold valid insurance for damages of any nature caused to third parties. Such insurance shall cover bodily injury, including medical and hospitalization expenses incurred in the host country, as well as all expenses and costs associated to repatriating the injured party to its country of residence.</p>
<p><b>Indemnity</b></p>	<p>To the extent permitted by applicable law, all players and members of the national delegation shall release the BWF, the Tournament Organizer, and their respective officers, officials, employees, agents and representatives, from any and all liability, damage, loss, cost or expense that such players and members of the national delegation may incur as a result or in connection with their participation to the Tournament.</p>
<p><b>Participant Agreement for Use of Photographs and Videos</b></p>	<p>Players and all members of the national delegation shall agree to give the BWF and the Tournament Organizer full television and motion picture rights, including permission to film players and members of the national delegation during all matches and activities around the Tournament, for any commercial, news or other purpose together with the right to transfer such right, including without compensation.</p>

## 2. Entry Details

<b>Regulations (Conditions of Play)</b>	<p>This tournament will be run in accordance with, but not limited to, the Badminton World Federation (BWF) Statutes, General Competition Regulations (GCR), and BWF World Tour Regulations. In the event of any dispute, the decision of the Tournament Referee will be final.</p> <p>This tournament will strictly enforce the Clothing, Equipment, and Advertising Regulations as outlined in the BWF GCR 20 – 24. This includes restrictions of certain colors for shirts, shorts, and skirts to avoid issues with virtual advertising on TV courts, as per GCR 21.7.</p>																								
<b>Scoring System</b>	<p>Best of three games to 21 points, as per the Laws of Badminton (BWF Statute 4.1)</p>																								
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contact the BWF at the following email address: [s.ramachandran@bwfbadminton.org](mailto:s.ramachandran@bwfbadminton.org)

The entry deadline is Tuesday, September 14, 2021 at 23:59, BWF Headquarters time (+08:00 GMT). Late entries will not be accepted.

After the entry deadline, the BWF Online Group Entry System will send notification to all participating Member Associations confirming receipt of final entries.

Receipt of this notification is the conclusive evidence of receipt of entries before the deadline.

Member Associations should contact BWF immediately if such notice is not received by Wednesday, September 8, 2021 at 12:00 BWF Headquarters time.

If no objection is received by BWF by Thursday, Thursday, September 9, 2021 at 23:59 BWF Headquarters time, the entries shall be deemed to be correct. No complaints/objections will be entertained after this point.

#### Withdrawals

The management of withdrawals will be run in accordance with BWF GCR 13 and 14.

Member Associations can withdraw their entries through the BWF Online Group Entry system until the last date of withdrawal without penalty (see Key Dates Section).

Withdrawals made after this date will incur a penalty in accordance with the BWF Table of Offences and Penalties (BWF Statute 2.5).

Please ensure that the Tournament Referee and Host Organizer are notified immediately in writing, clearly stating the reason for the withdrawal.

If a Member Association needs to withdraw any entries once players have arrived in the host city, notification of withdrawal must be made by the Team Manager in person to the Tournament Referee, or Deputy Referee(s), and must also be confirmed in writing to:

Referee: Ian ROSS (ENG) / Email: [ian.ross.uk@gmail.com](mailto:ian.ross.uk@gmail.com)

Host Organiser Contact: Pierre LUSSET & Eric LISSILLOUR ; Email: [info@yonexifb.com](mailto:info@yonexifb.com)

Players on Reserve List that wish to be considered for promotion, must submit pre-arrival negative COVID-19 RT-PCR test certificate to [teamservices@yonexifb.com](mailto:teamservices@yonexifb.com) and [events.admin@bwfbadminton.org](mailto:events.admin@bwfbadminton.org) dated 72 hours prior to arrival in France. This also includes players based in France. This test is at the player's own cost. If the pre-arrival negative test certificate has not been submitted for a player on the Reserve List, the next eligible reserve (i.e. reserve who has submitted pre-arrival certificate) will be contacted instead.

All reserve players must arrive in France and undertake the arrival test at the official hotel no later than Sunday, 24 October 2021 at 7:00 PM.

### 3. Tournament Details

<b>Prize Money</b>	<p>A prize fund of USD\$600 000 will be distributed in accordance with BWF Statute 5.3.5, and awarded as per the table below.</p> <table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse; text-align: center;"> <thead> <tr> <th style="background-color: #d9e1f2;"></th> <th style="background-color: #d9e1f2;">Winner</th> <th style="background-color: #d9e1f2;">Runner Up</th> <th style="background-color: #d9e1f2;">Semi Finalist</th> <th style="background-color: #d9e1f2;">Quarter Finalist</th> <th style="background-color: #d9e1f2;">Last 16</th> <th style="background-color: #d9e1f2;">Last 32</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td style="background-color: #d9e1f2;">Men's Singles</td> <td>\$42,000</td> <td>\$20,400</td> <td>\$8,400</td> <td>\$3,300</td> <td>\$1,800</td> <td>\$600</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="background-color: #d9e1f2;">Women's Singles</td> <td>\$42,000</td> <td>\$20,400</td> <td>\$8,400</td> <td>\$3,300</td> <td>\$1,800</td> <td>\$600</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="background-color: #d9e1f2;">Men's Doubles (pair)</td> <td>\$44,400</td> <td>\$21,000</td> <td>\$8,400</td> <td>\$3,750</td> <td>\$1,950</td> <td>\$600</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="background-color: #d9e1f2;">Women's Doubles (pair)</td> <td>\$44,400</td> <td>\$21,000</td> <td>\$8,400</td> <td>\$3,750</td> <td>\$1,950</td> <td>\$600</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="background-color: #d9e1f2;">Mixed Doubles (pair)</td> <td>\$44,400</td> <td>\$21,000</td> <td>\$8,400</td> <td>\$3,750</td> <td>\$1,950</td> <td>\$600</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>		Winner	Runner Up	Semi Finalist	Quarter Finalist	Last 16	Last 32	Men's Singles	\$42,000	\$20,400	\$8,400	\$3,300	\$1,800	\$600	Women's Singles	\$42,000	\$20,400	\$8,400	\$3,300	\$1,800	\$600	Men's Doubles (pair)	\$44,400	\$21,000	\$8,400	\$3,750	\$1,950	\$600	Women's Doubles (pair)	\$44,400	\$21,000	\$8,400	\$3,750	\$1,950	\$600	Mixed Doubles (pair)	\$44,400	\$21,000	\$8,400	\$3,750	\$1,950	\$600													
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- Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> of October: 8:00 to 18:00
- Sunday 31<sup>st</sup> of October: 9:00 to 13:00

• Booking/Reservation information:

- For Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> of October & Monday 25<sup>th</sup> of October reservation, please fill [THE ONLINE FORM](#) with all the details and submit your needs before Friday, October 8, 2021
- From Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> of October, requests should be made with the Team Liaison Officer while arriving in Paris.

**Competition Courts Information:**

- Schedule: available for training on Monday, October 25, 2021, 8:00 to 23:00, except the TV court between 12:00 to 14:00 booked for technical tests.
- Booking/Reservation Information: Please fill [THE ONLINE FORM](#) with all the details and submit your needs before Friday, October 8, 2021
- Contact: [teamservices@yonexifb.com](mailto:teamservices@yonexifb.com)
- Court Mat Color: green.

**Transport Information:**

Dedicated buses will be available for transfers from the official hotels to the venue and practice hall throughout the week.

**Procedure:**

Courts will be allocated under the referee control on an equitable basis, taking into account the number of entries per Member Association, arrival date and time, PCR test date and time, match schedule, and Team Manager preferences.

Requests for October 24<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup> should be made using the [THE ONLINE FORM](#). From October 26<sup>th</sup>, requests should be made with the Team Liaison Officer while arriving in Paris.

Although every effort will be made to meet requirements, we cannot guarantee to accommodate all requests.

Before the arrival in Paris, the organization will send the approved schedule to team managers for the first two days.

**Player Facilities**

**Player Lounge Information:**

- Location: level -1 of the venue, next to the warm-up courts.
- Schedule: available on training and competition hours
- Facilities Description: rest area, food service, internet connection available

	<p><b>Stringing Services:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Location: Yonex public booth &amp; Yonex showroom</li> <li>• Schedule: available on training and competition hours</li> <li>• Cost: Yonex Strings will be available free of charge for players sponsored by Yonex. Players with other racquets will be charged 21 € incl taxes as well as players with Yonex rackets but without Yonex logo printed on it.</li> </ul> <p><b>Eco-responsibility:</b></p> <p>In order to promote an eco-friendly event, kindly note that the tournament will not provide bottle of water during the competition. Players are asked to come with their own sports bottle to be filled in with the fresh water fountains available on site.</p>
<p><b>Team Managers' Meeting</b></p>	<p>The Team Managers' Meeting will be held at the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Date: Monday, October 25, 2021</li> <li>• Time: 17:00</li> <li>• Location: Coubertin Stadium</li> </ul> <p>It is mandatory for all participating Member Associations (represented by designated Team Manager) to attend the Team Managers' Meeting. Member Associations will be penalized for failing to attend, in accordance with the BWF Table of Offences and Penalties (BWF Statute 2.5).</p> <p>Member Associations are allowed to request representation by another Member Association, provided that the Tournament Referee is notified in advance and approves.</p>
<p><b>Umpire Briefing</b></p>	<p>The Umpire Briefing will be held at the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Date: Monday, October 25, 2021</li> <li>• Time: 16:00</li> <li>• Location: Coubertin Stadium</li> </ul>
<p><b>Presentation Ceremonies</b></p>	<p>All prize ceremonies will take place on Sunday, October 31, 2021, immediately after the conclusion of each final. Medals/trophies/other will be presented to all champions and finalists.</p> <p>In accordance with Player Commitment Regulations (BWF Regs 5.3.6), all players participating in the finals of a tournament must attend the final ceremonies directly after the match or must follow the instructions given by the organizers regarding ceremony protocol.</p> <p>No equipment, including rackets and flags, are allowed to be brought onto the podium. Clothing worn during the ceremony must be in accordance with the BWF GCR.</p>
<p><b>Accreditation</b></p>	<p>Access to Tournament venues and other services is provided through personalized and photographic accreditation.</p> <p>In order to facilitate the accreditation process, kindly fill in the accreditation form and email the</p>

form and photograph of players and officials (format: jpeg, 50-100Ko, portrait format) to: [teamservices@yonexifb.com](mailto:teamservices@yonexifb.com).

**Deadline: Tuesday, October 5, 2021.**

The number of complimentary accreditations passes available for Team Officials is dependent on the number of competing players from the same Member Association:

Number of Member Association Players	Number of Team Officials Accreditations
Three (3) or less	1
Four (4) to Seven (7)	2
Eight (8) to 15	3
16 or more	4

Where separate Academies or Groups exist, the full allowance will firstly be given to the registered Member Association representatives as referenced in the BWF Statutes. Beyond this, the Academies or Groups must agree who is responsible for the charges and pay prior to receiving the passes.

A limited number of additional accreditations passes for approved Team Officials will be available for purchase at a fee of 150 Euros (incl. VAT), charged to the respective Member Association, and payable at the tournament.

The fee to replace any lost or damaged accreditation passes will be 150 Euros (incl. VAT) on each occasion, charged to the respective Member Association.

The tournament reserves the right to refuse entry into any accredited venue or area or service (e.g. transportation) as a result of damaged or missing accreditation.

The fraudulent use of accreditation is strictly prohibited, and will result in access rights being removed, and penalties being applied.

The cost of the COVID-19 tests for additionally accredited Team Officials must be met by the respective Member Associations. The cost is **70 €** per test (TBC), charged to the Member Association.

#### Medical Services

A medical officer and physiotherapist service will be available during the tournament, from the 26<sup>th</sup> of October 2021, free of charge to players.

Ice will be available on demand on October 24<sup>th</sup>, 25<sup>th</sup> and 26<sup>th</sup> to Team Liaison Officer.

#### Anti-Doping

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>
<p><b>Badminton Integrity</b></p>	<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:  <a href="https://corporate.bwfbadminton.com/integrity/anti-match-fixing-overview/">https://corporate.bwfbadminton.com/integrity/anti-match-fixing-overview/</a></p>
<p><b>Compliance with General Competition Regulations Clause 7.9</b></p>	<p>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>

## 4. Travel & Visa Details

<p>Transport</p>	<p>Due to COVID-19, all transportation must be booked by the organizer in advance of arrival into France. It is essential that you do not use public transport during your time in France.</p> <p>Complimentary transportation will be provided by the tournament between the official venues: competition venue, official hotel(s), practice venue, and the following transportation hubs:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Airports: Paris Charles de Gaulle Airport (CDG), Orly Airport (ORY),</li><li>• Train stations: Gare de Lyon, Gare d’Austerlitz, Gare du Nord, Gare de l’Est, Gare Saint Lazare.</li></ul> <p>Transport requests should be made through our Accommodation &amp; Transport partner SPARTNER after booking your accommodation and <b>no later than Tuesday, October 5, 2021, to <a href="mailto:transport@yonexifb.com">transport@yonexifb.com</a></b>.</p>
<p>Visas</p>	<p>If a visa is required to enter France, we can provide a letter of invitation to assist with your application.</p> <p>Please complete the <a href="#">VISA SUPPORT REQUEST FORM</a> online <b>no later than Friday, September 17, 2021</b>.</p> <p>The tournament host and hosting Member Association will only communicate with a Member Association, and the hosting Member Association will only provide a visa support letter if the form is completed accurately and comprehensively, and supporting documentation is provided, where requested.</p> <p>The tournament host and hosting Member Association accepts no responsibility for withdrawals made due to late or refused visa applications.</p> <p>It is the responsibility of the Member Association to apply for the necessary visas in sufficient time, and all matters should be directed to the Embassy in charge.</p> <p>Any visa support letter issued by the tournament host does not guarantee entry into France; the final decision is made the Government of France.</p>

COVID-19 Protocols

Pre-Travel requirements

Quarantine / Self-isolation

Pre-Travel requirements & quarantine/self-isolation protocol:

	Proof of vaccination (EMA authorised vaccine)	Specific document issued by the French government	Boarding control	Border control	Isolation/Quarantine
<b>Every participant has to be registered by the Team Manager on the "Safety Protocol form" to be sent before Monday, September 20<sup>th</sup> 2021 to <a href="mailto:teamservices@yonexifb.com">teamservices@yonexifb.com</a></b>					
<b>Coming from a green country</b> (Who have been in for at least 14 days)	Vaccinated	-	-	<a href="#">Statement of honor to show</a>	-
	Not vaccinated	-	Negative PCR or antigenic test < 72h		-
<b>Coming from an "Amber/orange" country</b>	Vaccinated	-	Negative PCR test < 72h	<a href="#">Statement of honor to show</a>	-
	Not vaccinated	Required before departure	or Negative antigenic test < 48h	Random antigenic test + <a href="#">Statement of honor to show</a>	7 days self-isolation (including the tournament if part of the "bubble")
<b>Coming from a red country</b>	Vaccinated	Required before departure	Negative PCR or antigenic test < 48h	Antigenic test + <a href="#">Statement of honor to show</a>	7 days self-isolation (including the tournament if part of the "bubble")
	Not vaccinated				10 days strict quarantine in the hotel room
<p>EMA authorized vaccine (Pfizer – Comirnaty, Moderna, AstraZeneca – Vaxzevria, Johnson &amp; Johnson – Janssen, or AstraZeneca – Covishield) :</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Seven days after the second shot for two-shot vaccines (Pfizer, Moderna, AstraZeneca (Vaxzevria and Covishield));</li> <li>- Four weeks after the shot for one-shot vaccines (Johnson &amp; Johnson);</li> <li>- Seven days after the shot for vaccines administered to people who have already had COVID-19 (only one dose is necessary).</li> </ul> <p><b>People who are vaccinated as described above will not be considered as being "Vaccinated" by the French Authorities and must follow the rules specified for "Not vaccinated" people.</b></p>					
<p>Country classification:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- "Green list" countries or territories : Countries where no active viral circulation has been reported and no relevant variants identified. These are European area countries, plus Albania, Australia, Bahrein, Bosnia, Brunei, Canada, Hong-Kong, Israel, Japan, Jordan, Kosovo, Lebanon, Montenegro, New Zealand, North Macedonia, Saudi Arabia, Serbia, Singapore, South Korea, Taiwan, Ukraine, the United States, Union of Comoros and Vanuatu.</li> <li>- "Amber list" countries : Countries where active viral circulation in controlled proportions has been reported, albeit with no spread of relevant variants. These include all countries not featured on the "green" and "red" lists.</li> </ul>					

- *“Red list” countries : Countries where active viral circulation has been reported, including relevant variants. These include the following countries: Afghanistan, Algeria, Argentina, Bangladesh, Brazil, Colombia, Costa-Rica, Cuba, Democratic Republic of Congo, Indonesia, Maldives, Morocco, Mozambique, Namibia, Nepal, Oman, Pakistan, Russia, Seychelles, South Africa, Suriname and Tunisia.*

COVID-19 Protocols on the event and general information will be published by the end of September in order to provide the most recent information about the sanitary situation and the government restrictions the tournament host should expect for the end of October.

The tournament host will however in any case follow the BWF Covid Protocols in order to make the event as safe as possible for the participants. It will be mandatory to use official tournament transport services and stay at the official hotels during the tournament.

More information will be published here until the event.

## 5. Accommodation Details

Rooms available	Rates (including breakfast & taxes)
<b>Mercure Paris Boulogne ****</b> 37 Place René Clair, 92100 Boulogne-Billancourt	Single occupancy: 201 € Twin occupancy: 225 €
<b>Radisson Blu Boulogne ****</b> 31-33 Avenue Edouard Vaillant, 92100 Paris	Single occupancy: 192 € Twin occupancy: 215 €
<b>Apparthotel Mercure Paris Boulogne ****</b> 63 Place René Clair, 92100 Boulogne-Billancourt	Single occupancy: 174 € Twin occupancy: 199 €
<b>Residhome Paris Issy Les Moulineaux ****</b> 22-24 Rue du Passeur de Boulogne, 92130 Issy-les-Moulineaux	Single occupancy: 112 € Twin occupancy: 147 € Triple occupancy: 179 €

Accommodation will be managed by our Accommodation & Transport partner SPARTNER through the following online reservation service:

**THE RESERVATION LINK WILL BE COMMUNICATED HERE ON FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 3, 2021**

Please submit your **needs before Friday, September 17, 2021**, through the online reservation service.

Rooms will be allocated on a first come, first served basis, taking into account the number of entries per Member Association, arrival date and time, and Team Manager preferences.

Due to COVID-19, all teams must stay at the official hotels and complete reservation through SPARTNER.

These hotels are not exclusive to guests attending the Tournament, but extensive measures have been put in place to separate service from the small number of other guests using the premises. All meals will be provided as room service, and breakfast is included in the rates. Lunch and dinner can be ordered through the hotel, or delivery app (Uber Eats, Deliveroo, Just Eat...).

SPARTNER will confirm payment requirements at time of booking confirmation.

For further support, please contact SPARTNER on: [accommodation@yonexifb.com](mailto:accommodation@yonexifb.com)

## 6. Media Details

<p><b>Player Media Obligations</b></p>	<p>It is a condition of entry into BWF sanctioned tournaments that each player, if requested by the BWF, host organizer, or other tournament official, is required to undertake a range of media activities. Please refer to the BWF Player Commitment Regulations for more information (BWF Statute 5.3.6).</p> <p>Member Associations should be prepared to facilitate the attendance of their player(s), if requested.</p>															
<p><b>Media Accreditation</b></p>	<p>Media wishing to attend this tournament must complete and submit the Media Accreditation Request Form available on <a href="#">our official website</a>, by <b>Tuesday, October 5, 2021</b>.</p> <p>Contact for any media enquiries: <a href="mailto:media@yonexifb.com">media@yonexifb.com</a>.</p> <p>Press accreditations will be issued for journalists and photographers.</p>															
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<p><b>Video Recording and Photography</b></p>	<p>Photography is not permitted within the competition venue at any time, and the tournament reserves the right to remove any items of equipment breaching this policy.</p> <p>The tournament will record all matches and teams can make a request to obtain this footage.</p> <p>The tournament reserves the right to remove any non-accredited items of equipment. Video footage captured must be used solely for training purposes by the Member Association and its coaching staff. Member Associations may be liable to any costs incurred by BWF if video footage is used for any other purpose.</p>															

## 7. KEY DATES, DEADLINES & CONTACTS

- **Entry Deadline:** Tuesday, September 14, 2021, online entry.
- **Main & Qualifying report:** Friday, September 17, 2021
- **Last Date of Withdrawal Without penalty:** Monday, October 4, 2021
- **Draw date:** Tuesday, October 5, 2021
  
- **General information:** [info@yonexifb.com](mailto:info@yonexifb.com)
- **Visa request deadline:** Friday, September 17, 2021, [ONLINE VISA REQUEST FORM](#)
- **Hotel reservation deadline:** Friday, September 17, 2021, [LINK TO BE COMMUNICATED ON SEPTEMBER 3, 2021](#)
- **Safety protocol form deadline:** Monday, September 20, 2021, [teamservices@yonexifb.com](mailto:teamservices@yonexifb.com)
- **Travel details:** Tuesday, October 5, 2021, [transport@yonexifb.com](mailto:transport@yonexifb.com)
- **Accreditation deadline:** Tuesday, October 5, 2021, [teamservices@yonexifb.com](mailto:teamservices@yonexifb.com)
- **Practice form:** Friday, October 8, 2021, [ONLINE PRACTICE COURT RESERVATION FORM](#)
- **Media enquiries:** [media@yonexifb.com](mailto:media@yonexifb.com)
  
- **Team managers meeting:** Monday, October 25, 2021, 17:00, Coubertin Stadium
- **Umpire briefing:** Monday, October 25, 2021, 16:00, Coubertin Stadium

Please to meet you soon in Paris!  
**French Badminton Federation**