



INVITATION
“VIII SANTO DOMINGO OPEN 2017”
SANTO DOMINGO-DOMINICAN REPUBLIC
24-27 OCTOBER 2017

1	Sanctioned by	Badminton World Federation and Badminton Pan Am
2	National Organization	Generoso Castillo President – Dominican Badminton Federation: FEDERACION DOMINICANA DE BADMINTON
3	Tournament Organization & Venue	Tournament Director: Generoso Castillo Phone number: +(809)8461299, +(849)6326642 e-mail: gcastillofedobad@gmail.com Pabellón de Virgilio Travieso Soto (Centro Olímpico Juan Pablo Duarte) Santo Domingo
4	Eligible Players	Players all ages who are eligible to play for BWF Member Associations.
5	Events	Men's singles, Women's singles, Men's doubles, Women's doubles, Mixed doubles
6	Entry limits	In singles: 32 in main draw. In doubles: 32 in main draw.
7	System	Knock-out
8	Referee	Mr. Trevor MacCain (JAM)
9	Medals	Winner, Runner Up, 3/4th Places



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		International Series				
10	Prize Money \$8000.00	Event	1st Place	2nd Place	3rd Place	3rd Place
		MS	USD\$ 720.00	USD\$ 320.00	USD\$ 160.00	USD\$ 160.00
		WS	USD\$ 720.00	USD\$ 320.00	USD\$ 160.00	USD\$ 160.00
		MD*	USD\$ 960.00	USD\$ 416.00	USD\$ 192.00	USD\$ 192.00
		WD*	USD\$ 960.00	USD\$ 416.00	USD\$ 192.00	USD\$ 192.00
		XD*	USD\$ 960.00	USD\$ 416.00	USD\$ 192.00	USD\$ 192.00
11	Time Schedule (as expected)	Monday, 23 October, 2017	Technical Meeting (In the venue)	12:00 hrs.		
		Monday, 23 October, 2017	Qualifying Rounds (if needed)	15:00 hrs.		
		Tuesday, 24 October, 2017	Main Draws (Two sessions)	10:00hrs.		
		Wednesday, 25 October, 2017	Main Draws / Quarter Finals	10:00 hrs.		
		Thursday, 26 October, 2017	Semifinals	10:00 hrs.		
		Friday, 27 October, 2017	Finals	10:00hrs.		
		Saturday, 28 October, 2017	City Tour	10:00 hrs.		
The exact timetable will be presented after draw.						
12	Entries: Online entry only	All entries must be made by using the BWF Online Entry System.				
		Link: https://bwf.tournamentsoftware.com/sport/tournament.aspx?id=E5DEDB4E-DD6D-4AED-8126-A271C569C7B2				
		Entries must be submitted no later than: Tuesday September 26 th , 2017 at 23:59h (GMT +08.00) , BWF HQ, Kuala Lumpur No late entries will be accepted.				
		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.				
13	Entry closing date	<u>Tuesday : September 26, 2017</u>				
14	M&Q world Ranking Report	<u>Thursday : September 28, 2017</u>				



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15	M&Q Publish on BPAC web site	<u>Friday : September 29, 2017</u>
16	Ranking for Seeding Main Draw	<u>Thursday : October 05, 2017</u>
17	Seeding	<u>Friday : October 6, 2017</u>
18	Draw	<u>Tuesday : October 10, 2017</u>
19	Entry fees	Entry fee: US\$80.00 per player. Paid in cash before beginning of tournament, If entry fees are not paid according to the regulations, the players concerned are not allowed to play. The member association that enters a player into a circuit tournament is responsible for paying the entry fees for that player.
20	Shuttles	YONEX AS
21	Courts	4 court mats
22	Conditions	The draw will be conducted under the BWF General Competition Regulations.
23	Withdrawals	Please ensure that the organizer will be informed immediately when a player has to withdraw, together with the reason. Attention: Any withdrawal after the Sunday 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). Withdrawal without penalty: Sunday October 8th, 2017 at 23:59h (GMT +08.00), BWF HQ - Kuala Lumpur
24	Visa	Important for all players who need visa for Dominican Republic. Please request immediately from Federación Dominicana de Badminton an official INVITATION LETTER and apply as soon as possible. (e-mail: DOMINICAN REP Generoso Castillo" <gcastillofedobad@gmail.com)



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25	Transportation	<p>Dominican Badminton Federation will give free transportation from the airport to the official Hotel, and the venue (Daily) Only if the hotel reservation is done through the Organizing Committee. You should aim to arrive at Las Americas International Airport PS. Charge for transportation of delegation members not staying at the official hotel will be US\$ 70.00 per person.</p>
26	Accommodation	<p><u>TOURNAMENT OFFICIAL HOTEL</u> Courtyard Marriott Santo Domingo Hotel (Beakfast included) Single Occupancy – US\$ 102.00 per person per night Double Occupancy - US\$ 56.00 per person per night Triple Occupancy - US\$ 49.00 per person per night Quad Occupancy – US\$ 39.00 per person per night</p> <p>Olympic Village (Community Lodging of the National Olympic Committee) Double, Triple, Quadruple, up to (Teams 12pers, 24pers) Occupancy US\$ 40.00 per person per night (with Three Meals included)</p>
27	Bank Transfer Info	<p>For Hosting request please contact: Linabel Cordones santodomingoopen@gmail.com Tel. 809-9067569, 809-8461299, 8496326642 (Whats App)</p> <p>GENECA EMPRESARIAL (TRAVEL AND HOSTING AGENCY) Beneficiary Bank Banco de Reservas de la República Dominicana Swift BRRDDOSD Account Number: 2400074270 Nombre del Beneficiario: GENECA EMPRESARIAL y ASOCIADOS, EIRL Dirección Banco: Av. Winston Churchill esq. Porfirio Herrera, Piantini Santo Domingo, Rep. Dominicana Direccion Beneficiario: Calle César Cano 255. El Millón, Santo Domingo, Rep. Dominicana</p> <p>For any other request please contact: Mr. Generoso Castillo, President of the Dominican Badminton Federation E-mail: gcastillofedobad@gmail.com, fedobadrd@gmail.com</p>
28	Medical service	<p>A doctor and a physician will be present in the sports hall during the tournament.</p>
29	Insurance	<p>To be arranged individually by participants.</p>



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