



**XI SANTO DOMINGO OPEN 2021**  
**March 22<sup>nd</sup> to 26<sup>th</sup>**  
**Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic**  
**A BWF GRADE 3 – International Series**

**Sanctioned by:** Badminton World Federation  
Badminton Pan Am

**National Organization:** Federacion Dominicana de Badminton  
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**Tournament Dates:**

March 22<sup>nd</sup> to 26<sup>th</sup>

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**Venue:** “Palacio del Voleibol”  
Centro Olimpico – Santo Domingo

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**Events:** Men’s Singles, Women’s Singles, Men’s Doubles, Women’s Doubles, Mixed Doubles

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**Prize Money: Prize Money Distribution USD \$5,000.00**

| Event / Position | 1st Place | 2nd Place | 3rd Place* | 3rd Place* |
|------------------|-----------|-----------|------------|------------|
| Men’s singles    | \$450.00  | \$200.00  | \$100.00   | \$100.00   |
| Women’s singles  | \$450.00  | \$200.00  | \$100.00   | \$100.00   |
| Men’s doubles    | \$600.00  | \$260.00  | \$120.00   | \$120.00   |
| Women’s doubles  | \$600.00  | \$260.00  | \$120.00   | \$120.00   |
| Mixed doubles    | \$600.00  | \$260.00  | \$120.00   | \$120.00   |

(\*) Per pair



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**Medals:** Winner: Gold Medal  
Runners Up: Silver Medal  
Losing Semifinalists: Bronze Medal

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**Entry Limits:**

**Men's Singles:** Main Draw 32 – Qualifying 32  
**Women's Singles:** Main Draw 32 – Qualifying 32  
**Men's Doubles:** Main Draw 32 – Qualifying 32  
**Women's Doubles:** Main Draw 32 – Qualifying 32  
**Mixed Doubles:** Main Draw 32 – Qualifying 32

**System:** Knockout

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**Referee:** Juan José Valencia (MEX)  
**Email:** [juanjvalencia@gmail.com](mailto:juanjvalencia@gmail.com)

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| <b>Draft Schedule:</b> | Team Managers Meeting | March 22 <sup>st</sup> at 10:00h |
|                        | Qualification rounds  | March 22 <sup>st</sup> at 13:00h |
|                        | Main Draws            | March 23 <sup>st</sup> at 10:00h |
|                        | Main Draws            | March 24 <sup>st</sup> at 10:00h |
|                        | Semi-finals           | March 25 <sup>th</sup> at 10:00h |
|                        | Finals                | March 26 <sup>th</sup> at 10:00h |

**\*Final schedule will be published following the draw\***

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**Practice Schedule:** Send practice schedule request to: [santodomingoopen@gmail.com](mailto:santodomingoopen@gmail.com)

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**Entry Fee:** **US\$150.00**

Entry fees are to be paid in cash in advance of the tournament, or at the time of registration.

The Member Association that enters a player/pair into a BWF 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.

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**Entries:** All entries must be made by using the BWF Online Entry System:  
<https://bwf.tournamentsoftware.com/sport/tournament?id=F4C4D4F3-20DA-422A-AB17-18C31566B5B7>

Players cannot be entered unless they already have a BWF ID-number. In case you wish to enter player(s) who do not have a BWF ID-number, each MA can create the ID through the Online Entry System. Entries must be submitted to BWF no later than **Tuesday March 2<sup>nd</sup> 2021 at 23:59h BWF Headquarters time (GMT + 08:00h). Late entries will not be accepted.**

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**Key dates:**

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| Entry closing date:                | Tuesday, February 23 <sup>th</sup> 2021  |
| M&Q World Ranking Report:          | Tuesday, February 23 <sup>th</sup> 2021  |
| M&Q published on BPAC website:     | Friday, February 26 <sup>th</sup> 2021   |
| Seeding report:                    | Tuesday, March 2 <sup>nd</sup> 2021  |
| Published report:                  | Friday, March 5 <sup>th</sup> 2021   |
| <b>Withdrawal without Penalty:</b> | <b>Monday, March 8<sup>th</sup> 2021 at 23:59h GMT (+08:00) BWF HQ, Kuala Lumpur – Malaysia.</b> |
| Draw Date:                         | Tuesday, March 9 <sup>th</sup> 2021  |

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**Shuttles:** YONEX AS 40

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**Courts:** 3 Court mats

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**Withdrawals:** Please ensure that the organizer and BPAC are informed immediately when a player has to withdraw, together with the reason. Any withdrawal must be done through Online Entry System at the following link:  
<https://bwf.tournamentsoftware.com/sport/tournament?id=F4C4D4F3-20DA-422A-AB17-18C31566B5B7>

**Withdrawal without penalty: Monday 7<sup>th</sup> 2021 at 23:59 GMT (+08:00) BWF HQ, Kuala Lumpur – Malaysia**

Please ensure to send on time to

- Organizing Committee.  
[santodomingoopen@gmail.com](mailto:santodomingoopen@gmail.com)
  - BPAC Events: [events@badmintonpanam.org](mailto:events@badmintonpanam.org)
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**Visa:** Important for all players who need visa for Dominican Republic to request immediately, an official invitation letter and apply as soon possible.

**Email:** [gcastillofedobad@gmail.com](mailto:gcastillofedobad@gmail.com) Mr. Generoso Castillo

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**Airport:** International Airport of “Las Americas” in Santo Domingo, is the main point of arrival.

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**Transportation:** Dominican Bádmtion Federation will provide **mandatory** transportation from the airport to the official hotels, and the venue, for **ONLY** players and team members **mandatory registered** through the Organizing Committee. **Otherwise player wont be allow to play in the tournament because de COVID19 Health protocols.**

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**Uniforms:** According to BPAC regulations for all tournaments, the player’s name on the back of the shirt is mandatory and the country name on the back of the shirt is optional. (BWF GCR, referring player’s clothing, designs, advertising and lettering).

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**Medical:** Medical support will be available at the venue

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**COVID19 Protocol:** BWF COVID19 protocol will be applied highlighting:

- 1) Presentation of negative PCR test of less than 5 days maximum upon arrival in the country
- 2) Sanitation and temperature measurement daily when entering the venue and the hotel Bubble
- 3) Mandatory use of a mask in the venue and in the hotel, except at the time of play and in your room
- 4) Maintain a minimum distance of 1.5 meters with another person at all times
- 5) The Organizing Committee will provide the sanitation supplies during your stay in the venue and in the hotel bubble

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**Accommodation:** For hotel request please contact:

**Michael Spino (Ameropa) ([Ameropamail@gmail.com](mailto:Ameropamail@gmail.com))**

Ph: +1 809 7141515 , +1 809 5672765 

**Tournament Official Hotel: Barceló Lina Santo Domingo Hotel** (Breakfast included)

| ROOM             | RATE                                 |
|------------------|--------------------------------------|
| Single occupancy | US\$102.00 per person per night      |
| Double occupancy | US\$68.00 per person per night       |
| Triple occupancy | Not available this Year<br>(COVID19) |
| Quad occupancy   | Not available this Year<br>(COVID19) |

**Ps.**

**According to the Bubble COVID-19 protocol the only hotel permitted is the OFFICIAL Barceló Lina Santo Domingo Hotel**

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**Bank transfer Info:** Beneficiary bank: JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A.  
Swift: CHASUS33  
Account Number: 1854802569  
Beneficiary Name: Daira Estrada / Miguel Espino Bank  
Address: New York, New York 10005.  
For Domestic Wire Transfers: the Chase routing/transit number (021000021)

**For any other request please contact:**

Mr. Generoso Castillo, secretary general of the Dominican Badminton Federation.

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**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 medication, they should check with the 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/antidopingoverview/>

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**Badminton Integrity:**

Section 2.4 of the BWF Statutes (Code of conduct in Relation to Betting, Wagering and Irregular Match results) relates to anticorruption 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 be in any way on badminton matches, respect the principle of fair play, and shall not attempt 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:

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**Compliance with**

**GCR Clause 7.9:** GCR 7.9: "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"