



Pan Am Male & Female Cup 2022
February 17th to 20th, 2022
Acapulco – Mexico

Organizers:

BADMINTON PAN AM CONFEDERATION

Events

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Tournament Organization & Venue

FEDERACION MEXICANA DE BADMINTON

National Tournament

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VENUE

Name: Hotel EXPO Mundo Imperial
Address: Boulevard Barra Vieja #3 Colonia Plan de los amates,
Riviera Diamante Acapulco, Guerrero, México C.P. 39931
Phone: 800 090 9900

Eligibility:

Participation in this Continental Championship is open to all Member Associations affiliated with Badminton Pan Am, and in accordance with BWF Regulations.

Proof of citizenship (Passport) is mandatory

Referees:

Referee: Ms. Dionne Haynes (BAR)
Email: dionasha@gmail.com

Deputy Referee: TBC

Rules:

This event is organized under Badminton Pan Am Regulations and procedures, the BWF regulations will apply.

This event will award world ranking points as a Team Continental Event.

Key Dates:

Entry for Team Nomination

Closing Date: Tuesday January 18th, 2022

Player Nomination

Closing Date: Tuesday February 1st, 2022

Team Withdrawal

Without penalty Monday February 14th, 2022

Draw date: Wednesday February 16th, 2022, at Team Managers Meeting.



Online Entry Link:

<https://bwf.tournamentsoftware.com/sport/tournament.aspx?id=C8EB8FC6-B132-4142-A164-7CDB9E078673>

If you have any issue with the entry link, please contact BPAC as soon as possible

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, each Member Association can create their own BWF ID-numbers through the **Online Entry System**.

No late entries and substitutions will be accepted

For late withdrawal, the withdrawal notification must include the reason for withdrawal takes place after the draw is made, it must be supported by medical certificate.

If the withdrawal arises after your player arrive at Acapulco, notification of withdrawal must be made by the Team Manager in person to the Referee, or Deputy, and must be confirmed in writing.

Shuttles: YONEX Aerosensa 50 Speed 3

Allowed Entries per Country:

Participant Countries:

Male Team: **Minimum 4 players maximum 10 players**

Female Team: **Minimum 4 players maximum 10 players**

Official Coaches:

As per BPAC regulations, each participant Member Association must appoint an official Coach or Coaches (maximum of two) for continental event (Team Continental / Individual).

If the participating Member Association chooses to not appoint an official coach, the participating Member Association must send an official letter to BPAC appointing a maximum of two of its participant players as coaches plus one as a Team Manager.



“Players appointed as a Team Managers or Coaches by their Members Association, must fulfil all the regulations contained in BWF Statutes Section 2.2.6 Coaches and Educators Code of Conduct”

Only Players appointed as a Coaches by their Member Association can be in the Field of Play as a Coach.

Team Managers Meeting:

Date: Wednesday February 16th, 2022
Time: 10:00h
Place: Hotel Mundo Imperial

As per BWF Regulations, participating Member Associations must ensure that they have a representative at this meeting. It is compulsory for the Member Association’s Team Manager and or Representative attend the Team Managers Meeting. Failing to attend the meeting, would mean the Member Association is liable to be fined as per BWF Regulations.

Umpires’ Briefing:

Date: Wednesday February 16th, 2022
Time: 11:30h
Place: Hotel Mundo Imperial

Expected Schedule:

Wednesday 16th: Team Managers Meeting at 10:00h
Thursday 17th: Main Draws at 09:00h
Friday 18th: Main Draws at 09:00h
Saturday 19th: Semifinals at 10:00h
Sunday 20th: Finals at 10:00h

Exact schedule will e informed at Team Managers Meeting

Entry Fee:

Cost: US\$300.00 per participation Team

Entry fees will be collected in cash **right after the Team Managers Meeting**, if entry fee is not Paid prior the play, the team will be prevented from participating.



Tournament participation COVID-19 Protocols

All participants, players, coaches, managers, Technical Officials and other tournament staff, must present a PCR COVID-19 test (negative result) within the last three days before the beginning of the competition (Team Managers Meeting)

This result must be sent to the following email events@badmintonpanam.org

With this we can ensure that all participants at the beginning of the tournament are COVID-19 free with a certain security.

Requirements to enter to Mexico:

It is recommended that all Tournament participants (Players, Coaches, Managers, TOs and others) which are coming from abroad Mexico travel by air, so in this way the access to the country will be less complicated, considering that control and overall sanitary measures are similar than the ones which are established in most countries, like the mandatory use of facemask, social distancing of 1.5 mts, wash hands constantly while the travel, the use of antibacterial gel and do not touch the face.

The **Acapulco International Airport** guarantee these general measures and at the same time will require to all travelers fulfil a form in which the Mexico government will ask for personal data as well travel history, declaring that you do not have any COVID-19 symptom and staying information in México.

In overall you must follow up strictly all guidelines established by the aviation authorities and airlines as well.

All participants must ensure that the PCR test results are between the 72 hours at the moment of your arrival.

Once you are out of the airport, a representative of the Organizing Committee will give you the indications to take the transportation shuttle to the hotel, one of the indications to consider are:

- All luggage will be disinfected prior it goes into the vehicle.
- All passengers must be aware of their personal belongings at every time and also must put their luggage into the transportation vehicle.
- Your luggage under any circumstances will handle by third people (driver or assistant)
- Before to go into the bus, you will receive antibacterial gel and must sit on specific market chairs.

Antigen test will be taken upon participants arrival



Test for Team Entourage

For detailed information please check the Participation protocols document on tournament website

Clothing regulation:

In accordance with Badminton Pan Am Circuit Regulations, **Title 15. Player Uniforms, Lit 15.2** For all Pan Am Continental Events (Team, Individual and Junior), **it is mandatory** to have the Player's name and the country name on the back of the shirt.

Visa Request:

Important to all Associations in need of visa for Mexico, please request immediately from **Mexico Badminton Association** an official invitation letter and apply as soon as possible.

Contact person: Mrs. Alejandra Orozco
Email: femeba2012@gmail.com

Transportation:

Official International Airport: "Acapulco" international Airport Acapulco – Guerrero, Mexico

Internal Transportation:

Complementary shuttle transportation will be available to and from the airport to the official hotel tournament hotel. Mexico Badminton Association will offer transportation from the Airport to the official Hotel and Venue.

***Once flight arrival and departure times are confirmed, please email the tournament organizers at: femeba2012@gmail.com and events@badmintonpanam.org**

Anti-doping:

Anti-doping will be conducted in accordance with BWF and WADA regulations. Please consult the BWF website for further information, and to view the current WADA Prohibited List. Please note that athletes must complete a TUE application process to apply for authorization to take medications which fall under the Prohibited List – before they take medication.

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 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: <https://corporate.bwfbadminton.com/integrity/anti-doping-overview/>

Badminton Integrity:

Section 2.4 of the BWF Statutes (Code of Conduct in Relation to Anti-doping will be conducted in accordance with BWF and WADA regulations. Please consult the BWF website for further information, and to view the current WADA Prohibited List. Please note that athletes must complete a TUE application process to apply for authorization to take medications which fall under the Prohibited List – before they take medication.

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: <https://corporate.bwfbadminton.com/integrity/anti-match-fixing-overview/>

Compliance with General Competition Regulation 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.”

Tournament website & Social media:

- <http://www.badmintonpanam.org/?p=8820>
- <http://www.facebook.com/badmintonpanamoficial/>
- <https://twitter.com/panambadminton>

Accommodation:

To preserve and guarantee as much as possible the safety and health of all participants (Players, Managers, TOs and Tournament Staff), it is **mandatory** that all participant teams book at the official hotel.

Teams or players who do not stay at the official hotel will not be allowed to participate at this tournament

Official Hotel:

Hotel Mundo Imperial – Acapulco

Booking code: 13709-1/G897

DESCRIPTION	RATE ONLY FOR ROOM
Single Room (1 person)	US\$ 140.00
Double Room (2 people)	US \$ 170.00
Triple Suite (3 people)	US \$ 205.00

Services and benefits include:

- Accommodation in accordance with the selected room type.
- Breakfast at restaurant or designated area.
- Lunch at restaurant or designated area.
- Dinner at restaurant or designated area.
- Taxes are included.
- Resort services are included
- Resort gym access.
- Kids club access