XI SANTO DOMINGO OPEN 2021
March 22\textsuperscript{nd} to 26\textsuperscript{th}
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\textsuperscript{nd} to 26\textsuperscript{th}

Venue:
“Palacio del Voleibol”
Centro Olímpico – Santo Domingo

Events:
Men`s Singles, Women`s Singles, Men`s Doubles, Women`s Doubles, Mixed Doubles

Prize Money: Prize Money Distribution USD $5,000.00

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(*) Per pair
Medals:
Winner: Gold Medal
Runners Up: Silver Medal
Losing Semifinalists: Bronze Medal

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

Referee: Juan José Valencia (MEX)
Email: juanjvalencia@gmail.com

Draft Schedule:
Team Managers Meeting
March 22nd at 10:00h
Qualification rounds
March 22nd at 13:00h
Main Draws
March 23rd at 10:00h
Main Draws
March 24th at 10:00h
Semi-finals
March 25th at 10:00h
Finals
March 26th at 10:00h

*Final schedule will be published following the draw*

Practice Schedule:
Send practice schedule request to: santodomingoopen@gmail.com
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 The entry fees become due if a player is entered and has not been withdrawn when the entry deadline passes.

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](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 2nd 2021 at 23:59h BWF Headquarters time (GMT + 08:00h)**. Late entries will not be accepted.

Key dates:

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

Shuttles:

**YONEX AS 40**
Courts: 3 Court mats

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 7th 2021 at 23:59 GMT (+08:00) BWF HQ, Kuala Lumpur – Malaysia

Please ensure to send on time to
• Organizing Committee. santodomingoopen@gmail.com
• BPAC Events: events@badmintonpanam.org

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 Mr. Generoso Castillo

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

Transportation: Dominican Bádminton 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 won’t be allow to play in the tournament because de COVID19 Health protocols.

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).
Medical: Medical support will be available at the venue

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

Accommodation: For hotel request please contact:
Michael Spino (Ameropa)  (Ameropamail@gmail.com)
Ph: +1 809 7141515, +1 809 5672765
Tournament Official Hotel: Barceló Lina Santo Domingo Hotel (Breakfast included)

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<td>Single occupancy</td>
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Ps. According to the Bubble COVID-19 protocol the only hotel permitted is the OFFICIAL Barceló Lina Santo Domingo Hotel
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.  
**Email:** gcastillofedobad@gmail.com, fedobadrd@gmail.com  
**Ph:** +1 809 8461299, +1 849 6326642 (WhatsApp), Office: +1 809 5440965

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/

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:  
https://corporate.bwfbadminton.com/integrity/anti-match-xingoverview/
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”