



— OFFICIAL PROSPECTUS —

Invitation to:

**V MEXICAN
INTERNATIONAL CHALLENGE 2025**

BWF Grade 3 Tournament

May 07th – 11th 2025

CODE 2, Guadalajara, Jalisco.

Prize Money: **US\$ 17,500**



Subject: V Mexican International Challenge 2025 – BWF Grade 3 Tournament

Dear Member Associations,

We are pleased to extend an invitation to your players for their participation in the V Mexican International Challenge 2025. The tournament will take place from May 07th to 11th 2025, at the CODE Alcalde Seccion II, located in the city of Guadalajara, Jalisco, Mexico.

Below, you will find the entry details and event information. If you require any additional information or assistance, please reach out to the tournament director of V Mexican International Challenge 2025. We eagerly anticipate your presence in Mexico, in May 2025.

Ing. Francisco Javier Orozco Flores
PRESIDENT
Federacion Mexicana de Badminton





1. General Details

Organizer	Federacion Mexicana de Badminton Mexico Ing. Francisco Javier Orozco – PRESIDENT of FEMEBA femeba2012@gmail.com
Sanction	Badminton World Federation
Date	07 th – 11 th May 2025
Competition Venue	CODE Alcalde Seccion II Magisterio 1549-A ZIP. 44270, Col. Guadalupana Nte. Guadalajara, Jalisco Mexico
Referee Team	Referee: Ian Counter (USA) Email: icounter@gmail.com Deputy Referee: Local Deputy Referee: TBC Gerardo Sanchez (MEX)
Useful Contacts	Tournament Operation Manager Alejandro Lopez events.femeba@gmail.com Mobile: +52 449 125 3310
Insurance coverage	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 with repatriating the injured party to its country of residence.
Indemnity	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.
Participant Agreement for Use of Photographs and Videos	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.



2. Entry Details

Regulations (Conditions of Play)	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.																										
Scoring System	<p>Please note that this tournament will be played as follows: Best of the three games to 15 points, Statutes, Section 4.1.4: ALTERNATIVE LAWS OF BADMINTON.</p> <p>https://extranet.bwf.sport/docs/document-system/81/1466/1470/Section%204.1.4%20-%20Alternative%20Laws%20of%20Badminton%20-%20V1.0.pdf</p>																										
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Online Entry – International Entries

Entries must be submitted no later than: Tuesday April 08th, 2025 at 23:59 hrs. (GMT + 08:00).
In the following link:

<https://bwf.tournamentsoftware.com/tournament/53D79877-BAA1-4E0F-9F08-845CD0E405D5>

Players must have a BWF ID number. If necessary, the MA can create the BWF ID through the online entry system.

Entry Fee

Entry fee: US\$180.00 per player.

Paid in **ONLY IN CASH** before beginning of tournament, preferably at the end of Team Managers Meeting. If entry fee is not paid according to the regulation, the players concerned will not be allowed to play.

The member association that enters a player into a circuit tournament is responsible for paying the entry fees for that player.

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 COUNTER (USA)

Email: icounter@gmail.com

Host Organizer Contact: JAVIER OROZCO

Email: femeba2012@gmail.com

3. Tournament Details





Prize Money

A prize fund of USD\$ 17,500 will be distributed in accordance with regulations, and awarded as per the table below.

	Winner	Runner Up	Semi Finalists
Men's Singles	\$ 1,575.00	\$ 700.00	\$ 350.00
Women's Singles	\$ 1,575.00	\$ 700.00	\$ 350.00
Men's Doubles	\$ 2,100.00 *	\$ 910.00 *	\$ 420.00 *
Women's Doubles	\$ 2,100.00 *	\$ 910.00 *	\$ 420.00 *
Mixed Doubles	\$ 2,100.00 *	\$ 910.00 *	\$ 420.00 *

* Per Pair

Tournament Information

(QR CODE)

For details and further information of the tournament, you can join the WhatsApp group through the next QR CODE.





Competition Schedule	Day	Event	Round	Courts	Doors Open	Start	End
	Tuesday 06 th May, 2025	ALL PLAYERS	Practice Day	4	08:30 AM	09:00 AM	09:00 PM
	Wednesday 07 th May, 2025	MS/WS/MD/WD/XD	Qualifying Round	4	11:00 AM	2:00 PM	08:00 PM
	Thursday 08 th May, 2025	MS/WS/MD/WD/XD	Round of 32 Round of 16	4	09:00 AM	10:00 AM	09:00 PM
	Friday 09 th May, 2025	MS/WS/MD/WD/XD	Round of 16 Quarter Finals	4	09:00 AM	10:00 AM	09:00 PM
	Saturday 10 th May, 2025	MS/WS/MD/WD/XD	Semi Finals	2	09:00 AM	10:00 AM	04:00 PM
	Sunday 11 th May, 2025	MS/WS/MD/WD/XD	Finals	1	09:00 AM	10:00 AM	04:00 PM
Times and order of play may be changed at the discretion of the Tournament Referee, and all end times are approximate.							
Official Shuttle	YONEX, AS-50						
Practice Facilities	Practice Facility Information: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Location: CODE Alcalde Seccion II• Number of Courts: 4 Competition Courts / 2 Practice Courts• Schedule: ONLY May 06th 2025• Booking/Reservation information: events.femeba@gmail.com <p><i>THE FINAL SCHEDULE OF PRACTICE WILL BE PUBLISHED, ONCE THE REFEREE APPROVE IT.</i></p>						
Player Facilities	Stringing Services: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Location: Venue (All day available)• Cost:<ul style="list-style-type: none">USD \$15.00 (If you bring your own string)USD \$20.00 (If you do not have your own string)						
Team Managers' Meeting	The Team Managers' Meeting will be held at the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Date: Tuesday 06th May 2025• Time: 10:00 HRS• Location: TBA <p>Member Associations are allowed to request representation by another Member Association, provided that the Tournament Referee is notified in advance and approves.</p>						
Umpire Briefing	The Umpire Briefing will be held at the following:						



	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Date: Tuesday 06th May 2025• Time: TBC• Location: TBA
Presentation Ceremonies	<p>All prize ceremonies will take place on Sunday, 11th May 2025, immediately after the conclusion of all finals. Medals/trophies/other will be presented to all champions and finalists.</p> <p>In accordance with Player Commitment Regulations (BWF Statute 5.3.6), all players participating in the finals of a tournament must attend the final ceremonies and 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>
Accreditation	<p>Access to Tournament venues and other services are provided through personalized and photographic accreditation. Please fill the accreditation form (<i>Provided at Badminton-PANAM / BWF websites</i>) and send it before April 25th to ady_menap@hotmail.com</p> <p>The fee to replace any lost or damaged accreditation passes will be USD\$100 on each occasion, and must be paid ONLY IN CASH.</p> <p>The fraudulent use of accreditation is strictly prohibited, and will result in access rights being removed, and penalties being applied.</p>
Medical Services	<p>A medical officer and physiotherapist service will be available during the tournament, free of charge to players.</p>
Anti-Doping	<p>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> <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:</p> <p>https://corporate.bwfbadminton.com/integrity/anti-doping-overview/</p>



Badminton Integrity

Section 2.4 of the BWF Statutes (Code on The Prevention of The Manipulation of Competitions) 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, shall 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 match(es).

For more information, please refer to BWF's website:

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

Compliance with General Competition Regulations 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."

4. Travel & Visa Details

Transport

Transportation will be provided by the tournament (**ONLY WHEN BOOKING AT THE OFFICIAL HOTEL WITH THE OFFICIAL CONTACT STAFF**) between the official venues: competition venue, official hotel, and the following transportation hubs:

- Aeropuerto Internacional de Guadalajara, (Miguel Hidalgo y Costilla, IATA: GDL)

To request transportation, please complete and return the Transportation Request Form (Provided at Badminton-PANAM / BWF websites) **before April 25th 2025** to: events.femeba@gmail.com All changes or delays on any flight must be reported as soon as possible to WhatsApp number +52 229 508 5549 with Mr. Jose Alcantara, *Transport coordinator*.

Visas

Important for all players who need visa for MEXICO:

Please request immediately from Mexican Badminton Association an official INVITATION LETTER and apply as soon as possible: femeba2012@gmail.com

The tournament host and hosting Member Association accepts no responsibility for withdrawals made due to late or refused visa applications. 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. Any visa support letter issued by the tournament host does not guarantee entry into MEXICO; the final decision is made by the Government of Mexico.





5. Accommodation Details

Please check and find all the information about hotels below:

HOTEL	TYPE OF ROOM (USD RATES)		
	ROOM DETAILS	RATE PER NIGHT	ADRESS
Country Hotel and Suites	1 double bed	Single or Double USD\$ 75.00	Av. Circunvalación Jorge Álvarez del Castillo 1482, Lomas del Country, 44620 Guadalajara, Jal.
Country Hotel and Suites	2 double beds	Double USD\$ 80.00	Av. Circunvalación Jorge Álvarez del Castillo 1482, Lomas del Country, 44620 Guadalajara, Jal.

Contact Person: Alejandra Orozco Franco
accommodation.femeba@gmail.com

BOOKING OUT OF THIS CONTACT PERSON, WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED AS OFFICIAL

- Does not include food
- Taxes included
- Complimentary wireless Internet in common areas of the facilities
- Wireless Internet in room and common areas
- Transportation: Airport – Hotel – Airport & Hotel – Venue – Hotel (If needed)
- The room must be settled before your arrival.
- Accommodation will be paid to the account:

SWIFT: MENOMXMT

BANK: BANCO MERCANTIL DE NORTE S.A.

BRANCH: PLAZA: 9491 PLAZA GUADALAJARA

BRANCH ADDRESS: CALZADA INDEPENDENCIA NORTE 1539 INDEPENDENCIA

CLABE: 072 320 00853437655 4

NAME: FEDERACIÓN MEXICANA DE BADMINTON

ADDRESS: FRANCISCO VILLA 326 COLONIA PROGRESO, GUADALAJARA, JALISCO, MEXICO
C.P. 44730

- Deadline to pay for accommodation is April 19, otherwise availability is not guaranteed and the cost increases 10%.

6. Media Details

Player Media Obligations

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).

Member Associations should be prepared to facilitate the attendance of their player(s), if requested.

For any other request, please contact:
Mr. JAVIER OROZCO FLORES
President of the Mexican Badminton Federation
Email: femeba2012@gmail.com