



— OFFICIAL PROSPECTUS —

Invitation to

# NEW HORIZONS ACADEMY JUNIOR INTERNATIONAL 2026

(Junior Future Series)

**Date: August 12<sup>TH</sup> to 16<sup>TH</sup>**

**Venue: Sport Hall New Horizons Academy**

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Dear Member Associations, we are delighted and honored to welcome you to the New Horizons Academy Junior International 2026, a prestigious badminton event that gathers young talent from every corner of the globe. This year, New Horizons Academy, in collaboration with FEDOBAD, is proud to host a celebration not only of athleticism but also of friendship and cultural exchange. We deeply believe badminton transcends competition—it serves as a bridge that connects nations, inspires youth, and promotes the core values of respect and fair play. Over the course of this event, you will witness not only thrilling matches but also the genuine warmth and hospitality of our community. We encourage you to immerse yourselves in the vibrant spirit of Santo Domingo and its unyielding passion for sports. This tournament offers a unique platform to showcase extraordinary skills, forge enduring friendships, and contribute to the growth of the global badminton family. Our heartfelt thanks go out to all participating associations, coaches, athletes, and supporters who have come together to make this event possible. Let us join hands to celebrate excellence, camaraderie, and the bright future of badminton. Welcome to Santo Domingo!

New Horizons Academy and Federacion Dominicana De Badminton(FEDOBAD)





## 1. General Details

<b>Organizer</b>	<p>Organizer: <b>Federacion Dominicana de Badminton</b>  <b>President: Lic. Nelson Javier Ozuna</b></p> <p>Organizer: <b>New Horizons Academy</b>  <b>E: Nelsonjavierfedobadrd@gmail.com</b></p>
<b>Sanction</b>	Badminton World Federation and Badminton Pan Am Confederation
<b>Date</b>	<b>AUGUST 12<sup>TH</sup> to 16<sup>TH</sup> ,2026</b>
<b>Competition Venue</b>	<b>Sport Hall, New Horizons Academy, Santo Domingo, Rep.Dom</b> <b>Address: Calle Juan Miguel Román, Santo Domingo</b>
<b>Referee Team</b>	<b>Referee:</b> <b>Dania Ramos (PER)</b> / Email: <a href="mailto:danial_20005@hotmail.com">danial_20005@hotmail.com</a>
<b>Insurance Coverage &amp; Indemnity</b>	All participants are responsible for their own arrangements, including insurance coverage. Players and all members of the national delegation shall bear all costs relating to injuries, medical treatment, or hospitalization, and must ensure that their players and officials are medically fit and adequately insured. The Tournament Organizer accepts no liability for any claims, damages, or losses arising from participation in, or cancellation of, the tournament.
<b>Participant Agreement for Use of Photographs and Videos</b>	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

<b>Regulations (Conditions of Play)</b>	This tournament will be run in accordance with, but not limited to, the Badminton World Federation (BWF) Statutes, General Competition Regulations (GCR), General Competition Regulations (GCR), Badminton Pan Am Regulation (BPAC) and CC Grade 3 Tournament Regulations. In the event of any dispute, the decision of the Tournament Referee will be final.
<b>Cloting Regulation</b>	For all tournaments included in the Pan American Badminton Circuit, <b>the name of the player on the back of the jerseys and the name of the country are mandatory</b> and must be in accordance with the BWF GCR





regulations. This tournament will strictly enforce the Clothing, Equipment, and Advertising Regulations as outlined in BWF GCR 20–24. Any breach of these regulations will be forwarded to the BWF

It is mandatory that for all tournaments that are part of the Continental Tour all opposing players wear different colours significant for the quarterfinals, semifinals and finals (BWF GCR: 21. COLOUR OF PLAYERS' CLOTHING, 21.6).

**Scoring System**

Best of three games to 21 points, as per the Laws of Badminton (BWF Statute 4.1)

**Key Dates**

<b>Entry Deadline</b>	<b>Tuesday, July 14<sup>th</sup>, 2026 11:59 PM (GMT +08:00)</b>
<b>World Ranking Date for M&amp;Q Report</b>	Tuesday, July 14th, 2026
<b>Publication Date for M&amp;Q Report</b>	Friday, July 17th, 2026
<b>World Ranking Date of Seeding Report</b>	Tuesday, August 4th, 2026
<b>Publication Date for Seeding Report</b>	Tuesday, August 4th, 2026
<b>Last Date to Withdraw without Penalty</b>	<b>Monday, August 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2026 at 11:59 PM (GMT+08:00)</b>
<b>Draw Date</b>	<b>Tuesday, August 4th, 2026</b>

**Draws**

**Junior Future Series**

Event	Direct Main Draw Entries	Qualifying Positions for Main Draw	Maximum Entries in Qualifying Draw
Men's Singles	24	8	32
Women's Singles	24	8	32
Men's Doubles	24	8	32
Women's Doubles	24	8	32
Mixed Doubles	24	8	32

**Online Entry – International Entries**

Online entry registration of players for this tournament must be done by the Member Association using the BWF Online Group Entry system, using the following link:

<https://bwf.tournamentsoftware.com/tournament/3718C6E1-606F-4D6E-9E7A-45F005346CED>

If the Member Association requires a username and password to access the system, please contact the BWF at the following email address:

[technicalevents@bwf.sport](mailto:technicalevents@bwf.sport)

Please see the key dates section for entry deadline. Late entries will not be accepted. For this tournament, the entry deadline is **Tuesday, July 14<sup>th</sup>, 2026 at 11:59 PM (GMT +08:00)**.

Member Associations should contact BWF immediately if such notice is not received by **Wednesday, one day after the entry deadline at 23:59 hrs. BWF Headquarters time.**

If no objection is received by BWF **Thursday, two days after entry deadline at 23:59 hrs. BWF Headquarters**





	<p>time, the entries shall be deemed to be correct. No complaints/objections will be entertained after this point.</p>
<b>Entry Fees</b>	<p>Entry Fees for international players will be as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• \$110 USD per player</li></ul> <p>All payments must be made prior to the start of competition.</p>
<b>Withdrawals</b>	<p>The management of withdrawals will be run in accordance with BWF GCR 13 and 14.</p> <p>Member Associations can withdraw their entries through the BWF Online Group Entry system until the last date of withdrawal without penalty. <b>Monday, August 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2026 at 11:59 PM (GMT +08:00)</b></p> <p>Withdrawals made after this date will incur a penalty in accordance with the BWF Table of Offences and Penalties (BWF Statute 2.5).</p> <p>Please ensure that the Tournament Referee and Host Organizer are notified immediately in writing, clearly stating the reason for the withdrawal.</p> <p>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:</p> <p>Referee: <b>DANIA RAMOS (PER)</b>; Email: <a href="mailto:danial2005@hotmail.com">danial2005@hotmail.com</a></p> <p>Host Organizer Contact: 18094430819; Email: <a href="mailto:Nelsonjavierfedobadrd@gmail.com">Nelsonjavierfedobadrd@gmail.com</a></p>





### 3. Tournament Details

<b>Competition Schedule</b>	<table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Day</th> <th>Event</th> <th>Round</th> <th>Courts</th> <th>Doors Open</th> <th>Start</th> <th>End</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup></td> <td>PRACTICE DAY</td> <td></td> <td>3</td> <td>09:00</td> <td>10:00</td> <td>18:00</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup></td> <td>MS/WS/MD/WD/XD</td> <td>Qualifying Draws</td> <td>3</td> <td>08:00</td> <td>10:00</td> <td>16:00</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Thursday 13<sup>th</sup></td> <td>MS/WS/MD/WD/XD</td> <td>MAIN DRAW</td> <td>3</td> <td>08:00</td> <td>10:00</td> <td>18:00</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Friday 14<sup>th</sup></td> <td>MS/WS/MD/WD/XD</td> <td>Main Draws/QF</td> <td>3</td> <td>08:00</td> <td>10:00</td> <td>18:00</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Saturday 15<sup>th</sup></td> <td>MS/WS/MD/WD/XD</td> <td>SEMIFINALS</td> <td>2</td> <td>08:00</td> <td>10:00</td> <td>16:00</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Sunday 16<sup>th</sup></td> <td>MS/WS/MD/WD/XD</td> <td>FINALS</td> <td>1</td> <td>08:00</td> <td>10:00</td> <td>14:00</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p>Times and order of play may be changed at the discretion of the Tournament Referee, and all end times are approximate.</p>	Day	Event	Round	Courts	Doors Open	Start	End	Tuesday 11 <sup>th</sup>	PRACTICE DAY		3	09:00	10:00	18:00	Wednesday 12 <sup>th</sup>	MS/WS/MD/WD/XD	Qualifying Draws	3	08:00	10:00	16:00	Thursday 13 <sup>th</sup>	MS/WS/MD/WD/XD	MAIN DRAW	3	08:00	10:00	18:00	Friday 14 <sup>th</sup>	MS/WS/MD/WD/XD	Main Draws/QF	3	08:00	10:00	18:00	Saturday 15 <sup>th</sup>	MS/WS/MD/WD/XD	SEMIFINALS	2	08:00	10:00	16:00	Sunday 16 <sup>th</sup>	MS/WS/MD/WD/XD	FINALS	1	08:00	10:00	14:00
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<b>Practice Facilities</b>	<p><b>Practice Facility Information:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Location: Venue, New Horizons Academy</li> <li>• Number of Courts: 3 Official and 2 court no Official</li> <li>• Schedule: <b>Tuesday, August 11<sup>th</sup>, 10:00 AM</b></li> <li>• <a href="mailto:Nelsonjavierfedobadrd@gmail.com">Nelsonjavierfedobadrd@gmail.com</a></li> </ul> <p><b>Competition Courts Information:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Schedule: August 12<sup>th</sup></li> <li>• Court Mat Color: Green</li> </ul> <p><b>Warmup Courts Information:</b> 3 court</p> <p><b>Practice Shuttles Information:</b> 1 shuttle per player</p>																																																	
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	<p><b>Stringing Services:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Location: Venue</li> <li>• Schedule: All Day of Competitions</li> <li>• Cost: US \$15 W\String</li> <li>• US \$25 NO STRING</li> </ul>
<p><b>Team Managers' Meeting</b></p>	<p>The Team Managers' Meeting will be held at the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Date: <b>Tuesday, 11<sup>th</sup></b></li> <li>• Time: <b>10:00 AM</b></li> <li>• Location: <b>VENUE</b></li> </ul> <p>All participating Member Associations must be represented by their designated Team Manager at the Team Managers' Meeting. Non-attendance may result in penalties being imposed on the Member Association.</p> <p>Member Associations are allowed to request representation by another Member Association, provided that the Tournament Referee is notified in advance and approves.</p>
<p><b>Umpire Briefing</b></p>	<p>The Umpire Briefing will be held at the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Date: <b>Tuesday, August 11<sup>th</sup></b></li> <li>• Time: <b>16:00 HRS</b></li> <li>• Location: <b>VENUE</b></li> </ul>
<p><b>Presentation Ceremonies</b></p>	<p>All prize ceremonies will take place on Sunday (last day of the tournament), <b>Sunday 16<sup>th</sup>, August 2026</b> immediately after the conclusion of each final. Medals/trophies/other will be presented to all champions and finalists.</p> <p>In accordance with Player Commitment Regulations (BWF Statue 5.3.6), all players participating in the finals of a tournament must attend the final ceremonies directly after the match or 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>
<p><b>Accreditation</b></p>	<p>Access to Tournament venues and other services is provided through personalized and photographic accreditation.</p>
<p><b>Medical Services</b></p>	<p>A medical officer and physiotherapist service will be available during the tournament, free of charge to players.</p>





<b>Anti-Doping</b>	<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><a href="https://corporate.bwfbadminton.com/integrity/anti-doping-overview/">https://corporate.bwfbadminton.com/integrity/anti-doping-overview/</a></p>
<b>Badminton Integrity</b>	<p>Section 2.4 of the BWF Statutes (Code of Conduct in Relation to Betting, Wagering and Irregular Match Results) relates to anti-corruption and anti-match manipulation, and this code applies to all participants at this tournament.</p> <p>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.</p> <p>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.</p> <p>For more information, please refer to BWF’s website:</p> <p><a href="https://corporate.bwfbadminton.com/integrity/anti-match-fixing-overview/">https://corporate.bwfbadminton.com/integrity/anti-match-fixing-overview/</a></p>
<b>Compliance with General Competition Regulations Clause 7.9</b>	<p>GCR 7.9:</p> <p><i>“In making or authorising entries, the Member concerned is reconfirming its acceptance, and acceptance by the Players being entered, of the BWF’s regulations and Disciplinary processes.”</i></p>





## 4. Travel & Visa Details

### Transport

Complimentary transportation will be provided by the tournament between the official venues: competition venue, official hotel(s), practice venue (if separate from the competition venue), and the following transportation hubs:

- **Aeropuerto Internacional las Américas (SDQ)**

To request transportation, please complete and return the Transportation Request Form by **Tuesday, August 4th, 2026**

[Nelsonjavierfedobadrd@gmail.com](mailto:Nelsonjavierfedobadrd@gmail.com)

### Visas

If a visa is required to enter **DOMINICAN REPUBLIC**, we can provide a letter of invitation to assist with your application.

Please complete and return the Visa Support Request Form by **Tuesday, July 14<sup>th</sup>, 2026**.

The tournament host and hosting Member Association will only communicate with a Member Association, and the hosting Member Association will only provide a visa support letter if the form is completed accurately and comprehensively, and supporting documentation is provided, where requested.

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 **DOMINICAN REPUBLIC**, the final decision is made the Government of **DOMINICAN REPUBLIC**.

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## 5. Accommodation Details

Official hotel(s)	Rooms available	Rates	Remarks
<b>DOMINICAN FIESTA HOTEL</b>	50	DOBLE US\$699.00 <i>PER PERSON PACK</i>  SINGLE US\$1,082 <i>PER PERSON PACK</i>	Five-Star Hotel, Stay August 11–17; includes breakfast, lunch, and dinner.
<b>WESTON SUITES &amp; HOTEL</b>	50	DOBLE US\$660.00 <i>PER PERSON PACK</i>  SINGLE US\$968.00 <i>PER PERSON PACK</i>	Four-Star Hotel, Stay August 11–17; includes breakfast, lunch, and dinner.

**PRICES ARE FOR THE ENTIRE STAY FROM AUGUST 11<sup>TH</sup> TO 17<sup>TH</sup>**

Please complete and return the Accommodation Request Form by **Tuesday, August 4th, 2026**

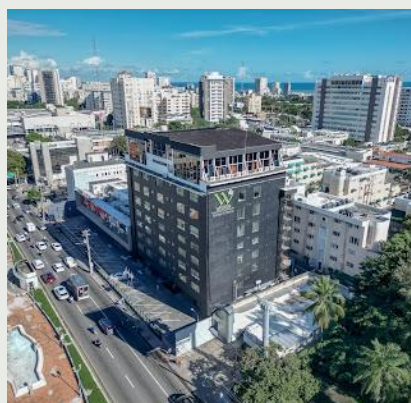
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