



XXXIV YONEX PAN AM JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIPS 2026

JOAO PESSOA - PARAIBA - BRAZIL

July 19-26, 2026





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U13 to U17
July 22th to 26th, 2026
JOÃO PESSOA- BRAZIL

Sanctioned by:

Badminton Pan America Confederation

National Organization:

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National Tournament

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VENUE

Name: Ronaldo Cunha Lima (RONALDÃO) Venue

Address: Eng. Agrônomo Álvaro Ferreira Avenue – Cristo Redentor (near Almeidão Stadium)

Map link: <https://shre.ink/LaNY>

Airport:

Castro Pinto President International Airport (JPA)



Eligible Players:

Players who are born according with the following years:

U17	Born 2010 / 2011
U15	Born 2012/ 2013
U13	Born 2014 / 2015

To participate in a Continental Pan American Championships, the player must hold a passport of a country whose territory the Member Association has jurisdiction over. **BPAC** requires player's passports to confirm their age and nationality.

According to the BPAC Regulations **Associated Members** can enter players to a Continental Events as long as their BWF **BWF ID** is registered under the name of the Associated Member and has been born in the Associated Member and has been born in the Associated Member Territory.

Proof of citizenship Passport is mandatory

A copy of the passport must be uploaded together with the participation forms that BPAC will send once tournament entries are closed.

Events & Medals:

Events: Boy's singles, Girl's singles, Boy's Doubles, Girl's doubles and Mixed Doubles.

Medals:

Winners:	Gold Medals
Runners up:	Silver Medals
Losing semifinalists:	Bronze Medals

Entry limits & Competition system:

A **Main Draw** of **64** for singles and doubles.

Each **Member Association** can enter the following number of players/pairs per event:

- Singles (**BS/GS**) A maximum of four (**4**) players per event.
- Doubles (**BD/GD**) A maximum of two (**2**) pairs per event.
- Mixed Doubles A maximum of four (**4**) pairs.

According with BPAC Regulations, the **Host Member Association** can enter the following number of players/pairs per event:

- Singles (**BS/GS**) A maximum of six (**6**) players per event.
- Doubles (**BD/GD**) A maximum of three (**3**) pairs per event.
- Mixed Doubles A maximum of six (**6**) pairs per event.

Competition System: Elimination (Knock-out) format



Referee:

Head Referee: Ian Counter (USA)
E-mail: icounter@gmail.com

Deputy Referee: Dania Ramos (PER)
E-mail: дания_20005@hotmail.com

Time Schedule (as expected):

Tuesday, July 21st: Team Managers Meeting at TBC
Wednesday, July 22nd: Main Draws at 09:00h
Thursday, July 23rd: Main Draws at 09:00h
Friday, July 24th: Quarter finals at 09:00h
Saturday, July 25th: Semifinals
Sunday, July 26th: Finals

The exact schedule will be presented after draw
Consider booking your flight back the day after finals

Entries:

All entries must be submitted **no later than June 23rd, 2026** at 23:59h. BWF HQ (GMT +08:00) in the following link:

<https://bwf.tournamentsoftware.com/tournament/9A71E353-A2F5-4EF1-A1F9-765DAAD09A77>

Players cannot be entered without **BWF ID – Number**, in case you wish to enter players who do not have a **BWF ID-Number**, since July of 2014 all member Associations can create BWF ID's through **Online Entry System**.

if you need assistance, please contact us as soon as possible

Please take note of the following information:

Players are allowed to play a maximum of three **(3)** events: one (1) singles, one (1) doubles and one (1) mixed only. A player is allowed to play in a higher category if he/she does not play that/those (events) in his/her own category.

Key dates:

Entry Closing Report ranking date: **Tuesday, June 23rd, 2026 BWF HQ (GMT +08:00)**
M&Q Publish on BPAC website: **Friday, June, 26rd, 2026**
Seeding publish on BPAC website: **Tuesday, July 7th, 2026**
Updated Seeding on BPAC website: **Friday July 10th, 2026 (If necessary)**
Withdrawal without penalty: **Monday, July, 13th, 2026 BWF HQ (GMT +08:00)**
Draw: **Tuesday, July, 21st, 2026 (during the Team Managers Meeting)**



Opening ceremony and Team Managers Meeting:

Opening ceremony: TBC
Team Managers Meeting: Tuesday, July 21st, 2026

Take note at the following information:

- It is mandatory that all Team Managers must upload their participating players' passport copies to the Google Drive folder provided by BPAC by the entry deadline.
- According with BPAC regulations, it is mandatory that all participant Teams must arrive to Joao Pessoa – Brazil. At least 24 hours before the starts to the competition.

Shuttles:

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Entry Fee:

The entry fee for this event is as follows:

Playing one event: USD \$75,00
Playing two events: USD \$90.00
Playing three events: USD \$100.00

(REGULATIONS FOR THE PAN AMERICAN CONTINENTAL BADMINTON CHAMPIONSHIPS: 3.2)

Must be paid **ONLY IN CASH** before the beginning of tournament. **MANDATORY** 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.

Conditions:

The draw will be conducted under the BWF General Competition Regulations.

Withdrawals:

Please ensure that the organizer and BPAC will be 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/tournament/9A71E353-A2F5-4EF1-A1F9-765DAAD09A77>



Withdrawal without penalty: Monday July, 13th, 2026 until 23:59 (GMT+08:00)

Please ensure to send on time to:

- Organizing committee renato@badminton.org.br
- BPAC Events Area events@badmintonpanam.org
- Referee icounter@gmail.com / дания_20005@hotmail.com

Uniforms:

According **BPAC** regulations, for all tournaments the player's name and country name on the back of the shirt is mandatory. (BWF GCR, referencing player's clothing, designs advertising and lettering).

Take note that the name of the player on the back of the shirt must comply with the name registered on BWF – player's data base.

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 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 of 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>

Accreditation:

Access to Tournament venues and other services (food) are provided through personalized and photographic accreditation. Please fill the accreditation form (Provided at Badminton-PANAM websites) and send it before **July 13th** to email hildengard@badminton.org.br

The fee to replace any lost or damaged accreditation / food passes will be USD\$100 on each occasion, and must be paid **ONLY IN CASH**.

The fraudulent use of accreditation is strictly prohibited, and will result in access rights being removed, and penalties being applied.

Practice Facilities:

Practice Facility Information:

- Location: **Ronaldo Cunha Lima (RONALDÃO) Venue**
- Number of Courts: **6**
- Schedule: **Only JULY, 21st, 2026 after the Finals Team Event**
- Booking/Reservation information: Training court reservations can be made at the following email addresses: hilton@badminton.org.br

Visas

Important for all players who need visa to Brazil:

Please request immediately from Badminton Guatemala an official letter and apply as soon as possible. In order to issue the invitation, you must complete the XXIV Pan Am Junior Championship 2026, Visa application form. Please send the form to the email address below.

E-mail: hilton@badminton.org.br



Transportation:

Confederação Brasileira de Badminton will provide **mandatory** transportation from the local airport (**Castro Pinto President International Airport**) to the official hotels, and daily to tournament venue, for players, team members and entourage which has been **registered at the official hotel through the Organizing Committee**

(Use the online format on Pan Am Website).

Any extra SHUTTLE from Airport to Hotel or reverse will cause a charge of US\$50.00 per person.

Airport (IATA) Castro Pinto President International Airport (JPA)

OFFICIAL HOTELS



XXXIV YONEX PAN AM JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIPS 2026 OFFICIAL HOTELS INFORMATIONS

The Brazilian Badminton Confederation, **host of the XXXIV Yonex Pan Am Junior Championships 2026**, to be held in the city of João Pessoa, Paraíba, Brazil, **hereby informs the list of OFFICIAL HOTELS for the competition.**

Before that, however, it is important that everyone takes note of the following information:

- In order for participants to benefit from the special prices and conditions, **RESERVATIONS at all hotels must be confirmed by June 12.**



- Whenever participants contact the hotel, they must **inform the code BADMINTON in order to enjoy the special conditions.**
- João Pessoa is a tourist city; therefore, availability and prices are subject to change.

Please check below the list of official hotels available for Pan Junior 2026. Version of this statement in Spanish follow in this same document.



1) Holanda Gold Hotel

Contact e-mail: reservas@holandagoldhotel.com.br and vendas@holandagoldhotel.com.br

Phone: +55 83 3113-0320

WhatsApp: +55 83 96000-0893

The hotel offers: Breakfast, Wi-Fi Internet, Swimming Pool, Daily Room Cleaning and Housekeeping.

Prices: (inform the code BADMINTON)

SINGLE – approx. US\$ 108 per day/per room

DOUBLE – approx. US\$ 130 per day/per room



2) QUALITY HOTEL JOÃO PESSOA

Contact e-mail: reservas.qsjp@dahi.com.br

Phone: +55 83 3113-0020

WhatsApp: +55 83 99372-4656

The hotel offers: Breakfast, Wi-Fi Internet, Swimming Pool, Daily Room Cleaning and Housekeeping.

Restaurant with lunch and dinner service (costs charged separately from room rates).

Prices: (inform the code BADMINTON)

SINGLE – approx. US\$ 123 per day/per room

DOUBLE – approx. US\$ 137 per day/per room



3) NOBILE SUITES TAMBAÚ

Contact e-mail: reservas.nst@nobilehoteis.com.br

Phone: +55 83 3508-7027

WhatsApp: +55 83 99996-4819

The hotel offers: Breakfast, Wi-Fi Internet, Swimming Pool, Sauna, Gym, Game Room, Daily Room Cleaning and Housekeeping.

Restaurant with lunch and dinner service (costs charged separately from room rates).

Prices: (inform the code **BADMINTON**)

SINGLE and **DOUBLE** – approx. US\$ 123 per day/per room



4) LITTORAL HOTELS & FLAT

Contact e-mail: eventos@hotellittoral.com.br – Attn. Mr. César

Phone: +55 83 2106-1144

WhatsApp: +55 83 99988-7239

The hotel offers: Breakfast, Wi-Fi Internet, Swimming Pool, Gym, Daily Room Cleaning and Housekeeping.

Prices: (inform the code **BADMINTON**)

SINGLE – approx. US\$ 74 per day/per room

DOUBLE – approx. US\$ 115 per day/per room

TRIPLE – approx. US\$ 148 per day/per room



5) CABO BRANCO ATLÂNTICO HOTEL

Contact e-mail: reservas@cabobrancoatlantico.com.br

Phone: +55 83 3579-4808

WhatsApp: +55 83 98654-7928



The hotel offers: Breakfast, Wi-Fi Internet, Swimming Pool, Gym, Sauna and Jacuzzi, Daily Room Cleaning and Housekeeping.

Restaurant serving lunch and dinner (costs charged separately from room rates).

Prices: (inform the code BADMINTON)

SINGLE – approx. US\$ 119 per day/per room

DOUBLE – approx. US\$ 135 per day/per room

TRIPLE – approx. US\$ 184 per day/per room

QUADRUPLE – approx. US\$ 214 per day/per room

All hotels are located on Cabo Branco and Tambaú beaches (the city's main beaches) and are approximately 10 km from the sports venue.