



PART OF THE BADMINTON  
EUROPE CIRCUIT 2010/2011

and an

INTERNATIONAL CHALLENGE TOURNAMENT

PRIZE MONEY : \$ 15.000

CLOSING DATE : 17 TH OF AUGUST 2010



**Organizer****Vlaamse Badminton Liga vzw**

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**Date**

9 tot 12 September 2010

**Schedule**

09 September	09:00 AM	Qualifying Rounds (maximum 120 matches)
10 September	09:00 AM	Main tournament (1 <sup>st</sup> and 2 <sup>nd</sup> round)
11 September	09.30 AM	Quarter-Finals
	04.30 PM	Semi Finals
12 September	01:00 PM	Finals

**Venue**

Sportoase Philipssite Leuven  
Philipssite 6, 3000 Leuven  
tel. 016 740 740 – fax. 016 740 750  
e-mail: [info.philipssite@sportoase.be](mailto:info.philipssite@sportoase.be)  
Website: [www.sportoase.be/philipsweb](http://www.sportoase.be/philipsweb)

**Entries****All entries should be sent to:**

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For entering your players please use the enclosed entry form  
Entries shall be made in order of strength in each event.  
All entries must be confirmed by the National Association.  
**No late entries will be accepted.**

**Entry fees**

**Singles: 35** Euro per player  
**Doubles: 30** Euro per player per event

Entry fees must be paid at the tournament office before the first scheduled match, failure to do so means that they 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.

For all the players withdrawing in the time between the entry and the beginning of the Tournament the Organisers can invoice the entry fee to the relevant Member Association

**Events**

**Main Draw:**

Men’s Singles, Women's Singles, Men’s Doubles, Women's Doubles, Mixed Doubles.

The number of players/pairs to be accepted for the main events in Singles and Doubles is maximum 32.

**Qualifications:**

maximum 120 matches, divided over the 5 events.

Men’s Singles, maximum 32 entries or 28 matches;

Women's Singles, maximum 32 entries or 28 matches;

Men’s Doubles + Women's Doubles + Mixed Doubles maximum 64 matches.

It is required that every event in a particular Circuit tournament has at least 8 competitors (i.e. actual competitors, not merely entries). If the required number of competitors is not met, this particular event shall not count towards any ranking.

**Competition**

K.O. system according to the Laws of Badminton and Competition Regulations of the BWF.

Advertising on clothing and colour of clothing shall be regulated by BWF Competition Regulations 19 to 23.

**Eligibility**

Participation is open to players of any National Association recognised by the BWF.

**Shuttles**

YONEX AEROSSENSA 50

**Courts**

6 GERFLOR TARAFLEX Courts Mint Green

**Prize money**

**\$ 15.000**

	<b>MS</b>	<b>WS</b>	<b>MD</b>	<b>WD</b>	<b>MXD</b>
<b>Winner</b>	1500	1500	1800/pair	1800/pair	1800/pair
<b>Runner Up</b>	1000	1000	1100/pair	1100/pair	1100/pair
<b>Semi Finals</b>	325	325	All prices in \$		

Prizes will be paid in cash at the prizegiving ceremonies. No taxes will be deducted.

<b>Closing date</b>	<b>17<sup>th</sup> of August 2010</b>
<b>Withdrawals</b>	<p>Please ensure that the Organizer is informed immediately when a player has to withdraw, together with the reason.</p> <p><b>Attention: if a player who is accepted into a tournament, withdraws from the entire competition for any reason whatsoever within 8 (eight) days before the first scheduled match of the tournament, or after it has begun, such a player shall be penalized by an administrative fine of 100,00€</b></p> <p><b>If a player, during the season, withdraws from more than 3 tournaments within the last 8 days before the beginning of the tournament, such a player shall be penalized by an administrative fine of 500,00</b></p>
<b>Visa</b>	<p>If you need Visa for Belgium, please send us the Visa application form. Mail to : <a href="mailto:wouter@badmintonliga.be">wouter@badmintonliga.be</a></p>
<b>Practice courts</b>	<p>On Wednesday 8/09/2010 practice courts (5) are available in the main hall from 18u till 20u. Please send the request for practice form to <a href="mailto:wouter@badmintonliga.be">wouter@badmintonliga.be</a>.</p>
<b>Draw</b>	Will be made by Badminton Europe
<b>Website</b>	<a href="http://www.belgian-international.be">www.belgian-international.be</a>
<b>Condition of play</b>	<p>The tournament will be played in full accordance with the Laws of Badminton and the Competition Regulations adopted by the BWF as well as the Circuit Regulations.</p> <p>Competitors must be prepared to play at the times determined for the events for which they have entered. Competitors will be scratched if not ready to play when called.</p> <p>Players shall not plan their departure less than two (2) hours after their last match is planned to conclude. If a player/pair is unable to compete due to early departure, such a player/pair shall lose all the Circuit Ranking points gained at the particular tournament and BADMINTON EUROPE shall propose to BWF that the gained BWF ranking points are also removed. (Regulation 9.7 in Badminton Europe's Circuit Instructions)</p> <p>The period for knocking-up before any match shall not exceed 3 minutes.</p> <p>There is a warming –up court in a signposted room at the tournament venue.</p> <p>During the entire tournament, at most one court will be equipped to enable betting. For these courts, a specific order of play might be announced.</p> <p>Players are not allowed to placing bets on an event of which they form a part.</p>

Officials are not allowed to placing bets during the whole tournament where they are nominated or not has an official.

Recognizing that such gambling is outside the control of the BWF, but wishing to retain Badminton's reputation for integrity, it is therefore recommended that severe penalties (possibly including exclusion from the sport for life) be applied to anyone, whether a player, or a court or team official, who influences (or attempts to influence) the normal outcome or progress of a match as determined by the skills and tactics of the players involved, typically but not always, for personal financial gain.

**Managers' meeting** There will be two managers' meetings:

1 <sup>st</sup> meeting : 09/09/2010	09:00 AM	Tournament venue
2 <sup>nd</sup> meeting : 09/09/2010	20:40 AM	Tournament venue

### Accommodation

To make a hotel reservation please use the **hotel booking form** which you can also find on the tournament website, **and send this to:** Wouter Claes, [Wouter@badmintonliga.be](mailto:Wouter@badmintonliga.be)

HOTEL NR 1	HOTEL NR 2	HOTEL NR 3
<p>Mercure Leuven Center Alfons Smetsplein 7 3000 Leuven Tel : +32 ( 0 ) 16 31 76 22 Fax : +32 ( 0 ) 16 31 76 03 <a href="mailto:MercureLeuven@alliance-hospitality.com">MercureLeuven@alliance-hospitality.com</a></p> <p>Single Room : 135 euro/night (08,09 sept) 90 euro/night (10,11 sept) Double Room : 145 euro/night (08,09 sept) 100 euro/night (10,11 sept) <a href="http://www.mercure.com">www.mercure.com</a></p>	<p>Novotel Leuven Centrum Vuurkruisenlaan 4 3000 Leuven Tel : +32 (0) 16 21 32 00 Fax : +32 (0) 16 21 32 01 <a href="mailto:h3153@accor.com">h3153@accor.com</a></p> <p>Single Room : 110 euro/night Double Room : 125 euro/night</p> <p><a href="http://www.accorhotels.com/nl/hotel-3153-novotel-leuven-centrum/index.shtml">http://www.accorhotels.com/nl/hotel-3153-novotel-leuven-centrum/index.shtml</a></p>	<p>Hotel Ibis Leuven Centrum Brusselsestraat 52 3000 Leuven Tel : +32 (0) 16 29 31 11 Fax : +32 (0) 16 23 87 92 <a href="mailto:H1457-RE@accor.com">H1457-RE@accor.com</a></p> <p>Single Room : 85 euro/night Double Room : 95 euro/night</p> <p><a href="http://www.accorhotels.com/nl/hotel-1457-ibis-leuven-centrum/index.shtml">http://www.accorhotels.com/nl/hotel-1457-ibis-leuven-centrum/index.shtml</a></p>

**Local transport** Provided by the organizer between the official hotels and the sports hall.

**Airport transport** Provided by the organizer between the airport and the official hotels.

Transport Brussels National Airport (Zaventem)	FREE OF CHARGE
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Transport Charleroi Airport (Brussels South)

10 euro/trip/person

**Medical service**

A physiotherapist will be present in the Sports hall during the tournament.

**Drug testing**

According to Belgian Law Drug Testing may be carried out on a random basis at any time.

**Clothing regulations  
Single Matches**

For International Challenge tournaments, the name on the back of the shirt is mandatory for all matches in the main draw.

A player failing to wear the name on the back of his/her shirt when mandatory shall be penalized by an administrative fine of 100, 00 EUR.

Player name (Mandatory for all matches in the main draw)

- country (Optional)
- advert (Optional)

**Clothing regulations  
Double Matches**

It is mandatory for the semi-finals and finals that double partners wear the same colour.

Failing to do so shall result in an administrative fine of 100,00 EUR.

**Insurance**

The organizer declines responsibility and covering of costs for possible injuries or other damages. It is up to each participant to insure himself.

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