

HELLENIC  
BADMINTON  
FEDERATION



**“WILSON HELLAS INTERNATIONAL BADMINTON  
CHAMPIONSHIPS 2015”  
PRIZE MONEY 5.000 US \$  
International Series**

**SIDIROKASTRO INDOOR HALL**

**30<sup>th</sup> of April 3<sup>rd</sup> of May 2015**

**(SANCTIONED BY BADMINTON WORLD FEDERATION &  
BADMINTON EUROPE)**

**HELLENIC BADMINTON FEDERATION**

**Closing date 31<sup>st</sup> of March 2015**

**Organizer:** Hellenic Badminton Federation  
Spirou.Loui Avenue, Olympic Stadium,  
Indoor Basketball Hall,  
15123, Marousi - Athens  
Tel. & fax: +30 210 6800046  
e-mail & website: [info@badminton.gr](mailto:info@badminton.gr) & [www.badminton.gr](http://www.badminton.gr)

**Referee:** **Jozef Kuprivec**  
e-mail : [jozef.kuprivec@gmail.com](mailto:jozef.kuprivec@gmail.com)

**Deputy Referee:** **tba**

**Competition  
Manager:** **Akis Theologos Mavridis**  
e-mail: [akisbadm@yahoo.gr](mailto:akisbadm@yahoo.gr)

**Location-Venue:** SIDIROKASTRO , Indoor Hall, Dekou str. 4  
- Thessaloniki International Airport "Macedonia" is 95km from  
Sidirokastro  
- via the Thessaloniki Railway System or through the international  
railway  
- via Thessaloniki central Bus Station  
- drive through the Greek National Road "Thessaloniki"-Bulgaria,  
which is part of the European route E-75.

**Dates and Events:** 30<sup>th</sup> April – 3<sup>rd</sup> May 2015

Day	Date	Matches Play
Thursday	30.4.2015	Qualifying Rounds (if it's necessary)
Friday	1.5. 2015	Round 32 and 16 (XD/MS/WS/MD/WD)
Saturday	2.5. 2015	Quarter Finals and Semi-Finals (XD/MS/WS/MD/WD)
Sunday	3.5. 2015	10:30 Finals start and Prize giving Ceremony

The provisional times can change subject to the number of entries and subject to the approval of the referee and BADMINTON EUROPE's Director for Sport.  
The final frame schedule (with the exact planned conclusion of all matches) shall be made after the draw.

**Courts:** Five (5) Yonex Courts

**Shuttles:** Wilson

**Key dates:**

World Ranking Date used for M & Q Report	2 <sup>nd</sup> April 2015
Date of M & Q Report	3 <sup>rd</sup> April 2015
World ranking date used for draw	9 <sup>th</sup> April 2015
Last day of withdrawal without penalty	12 <sup>th</sup> April 2015
Draw date	14 <sup>th</sup> April 2015

**Events:** 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 both Singles are 32 and in Doubles are 24 pairs.

**Entries:** All entries must be made by using the **BWF Online Entry System**.

- Entries must be submitted no later than Tuesday 31<sup>st</sup> of March 2015 at 23.59 BWF HQ time (GMT + 08.00)
- Member Associations are advised to log in "Wilson Hellas International Badminton Championships 2015" and submit entries Online at:  
<http://bwf.tournamentsoftware.com/sport/tournament.aspx?id=C890EEEC-75A5-4213-9F82-FF0F9E163EDA>
- No entry form is needed to submit use online entry system.
- You require a username and password to submit your entries. This can be obtained from BWF. Please contact  
M.Venugopal:v.mahalingam@bwfbadminton.org
- Players cannot be entered unless they already have a BWF ID-number. In case you wish to enter players who do not have a BWF ID-number, please contact the BWF office well in advance of the tournament, so that the players concerned can get a BWF ID-number before the closing date of the tournament.
- All entries must be confirmed by the National Association. Organizers are allowed to refuse entries if players are on the current BWF non playing list.

**No late entries will be accepted.**

**Entry fees:** SINGLES 30 Euro / per player  
DOUBLES 50 euro / per pair (25euro per player)

- *The entry fees must be paid at the same time as the entries are submitted.*
- *In the case that the entry fees have not been received before the draw is made then the players are not allowed in the draw. Or if in accordance with the Organizer they are allowed to pay at the tournament, this must be done before their first scheduled match, failure to do so mean that they will not be allowed to play.*
- *The Member Association that enters a player into a BEC Circuit tournament is responsible for paying the entry fees for that player. The entry fees become due if a player is entered and has not been withdrawn when the entry deadline passes.*

- It is required that every event in a particular BEC Circuit tournament has at least 8 competitors. If the required number of competitors is not met, this particular event shall not count towards any ranking.

**Bank account: Hellenic Badminton Federation**

National Bank of Greece S.A  
IBAN: GR71 0110 0800 0000 0804 8076 502  
Swift/BIC ETHNGRAA

**Conditions:** The tournament will be played in full accordance with the General Competition Regulations of the BWF and the instructions for Badminton Europe.

The tournament will be played on a knock-out system.

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.

- Any player not showing up at the tournament, without having been withdrawn in advance, renders the Member Association concerned liable to an additional amount of US\$ 500,00 for the inconvenience caused by the “no show” (as defined in BWF General Competition Regulations).
- The Tournament will be conducted under the laws and competition regulations of the BWF and the regulations of the European Badminton Circuit, including the prohibition of doping for which tests may be carried out.
- According to Greek Law Drug Testing may be carried out on a random basis throughout the tournament.
- Advertisements and allowed clothing modifications must comply with BWF Competition Regulations 19 to 23 and Circuit Regulations 18.
- Players shall not plan their departure less than three (3) hours after their last match is supposed to conclude. If a player is unable to compete due to early departure, he/she may be penalized by removal of ranking points and return of awarded prizes. BADMINTON EUROPE shall propose to BWF that the gained BWF ranking points are also removed (*Regulation 9.5 in Badminton Europe Circuit Regulation*).
- The draw will be made by Badminton Europe.
- Insurance should be arranged by individual participants.
- 5 Yonex courts will be used in the tournament; plus 2 for warming up.

**Prize money: US \$ 5000 – 23,6 % tax will be deducted**

<i>Place</i>	<i>MS per player</i>	<i>WS per player</i>	<i>MD per pair</i>	<i>WD per pair</i>	<i>XD per pair</i>
1.	\$ 600	\$ 600	\$ 1000	\$ 1000	\$ 1000
2.	\$ 400	\$ 400	---	---	---

- Distribution of the money will be in accordance to BWF prize money regulations.

- The Organizer shall pay the prize money cash in euro currency during the closing (final's) ceremony.
- The prize money will be awarded only to those players who will attend Tournament's final's ceremony.

**Medical services:** a doctor will be present in the sports hall during the tournament.

**Clothing / advertising:** advertising on clothing and colour of clothing shall be regulated by BWF General Competition Regulations 19 - 23 and Badminton Europe Circuit Regulation 18. It is mandatory for the semi-finals and finals that partners in doubles wear the same colour of the T-shirt and shorts/skirts. Failing to do so shall result in an administrative fine of 100,00 EUR. A player failing to wear the name on the back of his/her shirt when mandatory shall be penalised by an administrative fine of 100,00 EUR.

**Insurance:** the organizer declines responsibilities and covering of costs for possible injuries or other damages. It is up to each participant to insure him or herself.

**Visa:** Important for all players who need visa for Greece. Please, do request Immediately from Hellenic Badminton Federation an official INVITATION LETTER and apply as soon as possible.

**Withdrawal:** Last day of withdrawals without penalty 12<sup>th</sup> of April 2015

Players withdrawing after this date will have to pay a fine of US \$150,00 and this renders the player's Member Association for the inconvenience caused by the withdrawal (as defined in BWF General Competition Regulations).

**Local Transport:** provided by the organizer between Thessaloniki "Macedonia" International airport and the official hotel for 8 euro. Also, the same price between other cooperated official hotels. From cooperated official hotels to the sports hall, there will be free of charge transportation. Because of the short walking distance to the sport hall (4 minutes), there will be no transport from the main tournament official HOTEL OLYMPIC & SPA.

**Accommodation:** The mentioned prices are for each person per night and include:

Taxes 7%

B/B European breakfast in buffet and Bed.

Free use of wi-fi internet

Room Prices per person / night

	Bed & Breakfast
Single room	57€
Double room	42€
Triple room	37€

- Please note that the number of rooms in the hotel is limited. Early booking is suggested. There is a second \*\*\*hotel member of the same hotel company which will be used if HOTEL OLYMPIC & SPA is full. There will be free transportation to the indoors hall from the latter hotel.

### **Accommodation Reservations:**

- For reservations send the *Accommodation Form* completed and signed at registration HOTEL OLYMPIC & SPA dept. (availability may not be guaranteed unless timely reservations are made) with the bank deposit slip.
- Address: Hotel OLYMPIC, Palatidi str 1, Sidirokastro
- Phone nr: +30 23230 23811, 2
- Website: [www.hotelolympic.gr](http://www.hotelolympic.gr) & E mail: [info@hotelolympic.gr](mailto:info@hotelolympic.gr)

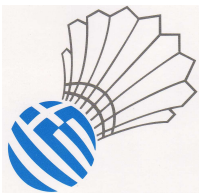
### **Payment terms:**

- 30% deposit is required (non-refundable) for reservations and Balance payment upon arrival at HOTEL OLYMPIC & SPA
- Company Name: HOTEL OLYMPIC S.A.
- Bank name: Piraeus Bank of Greece,
- Bank Address: 6202 Sidirokastro, Serron, GREECE
- Account number: 6208040031229
- IBAN Code: GR 67 0171 2080 0062 0804 0031 229
- Swift No: BIC PIRBGRAA
- Bank tel. +30 23230 23000 & +30 23230 24075

Payments should be made under the name of the person or the organization name the voucher will be issued.







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**TRAVEL FORM**

**CLOSING DATE: Wednesday Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> of April 2015**

**All reservations must be send to:  
HELLENIC BADMINTON FEDERATION  
[info@badminton.gr](mailto:info@badminton.gr)**

National Association: .....

Phone and Fax number: .....

Responsible person: .....

e-mail address: .....

<b><i>Arrival to Thessaloniki International Airport Macedonia</i></b>		
<b>Date:</b>	<b>Time:</b>	<b>am/pm</b>
<b>Airline:</b>	<b>Flight No:</b>	
<b>No. of persons:</b>		
<b>Names:</b>		

<b><i>Departure from Thessaloniki International Airport Macedonia</i></b>		
<b>Date:</b>	<b>Time:</b>	<b>am/pm</b>
<b>Airline:</b>	<b>Flight No:</b>	
<b>No. of persons :</b>		
<b>Names:</b>		