

**BY SIGNING UP TO THIS TOURNAMENT YOU AGREE THAT YOU HAVE READ AND ACCEPTED THE MBI MIXED TEAM TOURNAMENT 2019 GENERAL AND TOURNAMENT REGULATIONS.**

## **GENERAL REGULATIONS**

1. The MBI Mixed Team Tournament 2019 “GENERAL REGULATIONS” and “TOURNAMENT REGULATIONS” have been defined by the tournament committee and are applicable to all players in this tournament.
2. During the tournament, all players have to adhere to all regulations, respect each other and show the sportmanship.
3. Any form of abuse and violence (both physical and verbal) are strictly forbidden.
4. In case of any disagreement or dispute which cannot be solved by players during a match, the decision made by the tournament committee will prevail.
5. The tournament committee has the full right, at any time, to take any necessary action to ensure and maintain the orderly and smoothness of the tournament.
6. Any misconduct or violation of the GENERAL and TOURNAMENT REGULATIONS may lead to a team disqualification from the tournament.
7. It is strictly forbidden to perform any commercial activities, such as selling foods and drinks (consumption) and sport articles without any prior notice, approval and coordination with the MBI Mixed Team Tournament Committee.

## **TOURNAMENT REGULATIONS**

### **TOURNAMENT LOCATION, DATE AND TIME**

1. The tournament will be held in the Mariahoeve Sport Centre, located at Het Kleine Loo 12 2592CE, The Hague.
2. The tournament will take place on Saturday, 31<sup>st</sup> August 2019 from 09.00 until 19.00.
3. All matches will be played on 10 courts.
4. The prize award ceremony will take place after the last final match in the Mariahoeve Sport Centre.

### **LEVELS**

1. The MBI Mixed Team Tournament 2019 has 3 different levels:
  - Level A: First Division until Third Division
  - Level B: Fourth Division until Fifth Division
  - Level C: Sixth Division until Ninth Division
2. The player in a team which has the highest level determines the level of that team.
3. The level of a player is based on the last competition season 2018/2019. If a player does not play any competition, his/her tournament level (inside and outside The Netherlands, including MBI Cup 2018) will be used as a base.
4. The tournament committee has the right to move a team to a higher level in case a team has signed up in a level lower than its level (see point number 2 above).

## TOURNAMENT SYSTEM

1. This is a Mixed Team Tournament. Every team match consists of 5 disciplines: Men's Singles (MS), Women's Singles (WS), Men's Doubles (MD), Women's Doubles (WD) and Mixed Doubles (XD).
2. Every team must appoint one team captain. The team captain is responsible for submitting the team set-up to the tournament referee. The set-up must be submitted 30 minutes before the scheduled team match.
3. The order of play will be determined by the tournament referee and it will be announced to the captain.
4. The following orders of play are permissible:
  - 4.1 MD – WS – MS – WD – XD
  - 4.2 MS – WS – MD – WD – XD
  - 4.3 XD – MS – MD – WS – WD
  - 4.4 XD – MS – WS – MD – WD
  - 4.5 XD – WS – MS – WD – MD
  - 4.6 WS – MS – WD – MD – XD
  - 4.7 MD – WD – MS – WS – XD
5. All the above-mentioned orders of play will be considered in turn and the first order of play (3.1) will be used as long as there is no player playing in two consecutive matches or playing doubles before singles.
6. If all orders of play result in a player playing two consecutive matches or playing doubles before singles, the second order of play (3.2) will be used.
7. Any player participating in two consecutive matches is entitled to a 10-minutes break.

## SHUTTLES

1. Feather shuttles shall be used in all matches in this tournament.
2. Players/Teams have to bring their own feather shuttles.
3. The tournament committee will provide 1 tube of feather shuttles during the final for each level. This will be handed over to the team captains right before the final starts.

## REGISTRATION

1. A team must consist of at least 2 men and 2 women. A team must have a name.
2. You have to register as a team by filling in the team registration form. The completely filled in registration form has to be sent to [mbi.tournament@gmail.com](mailto:mbi.tournament@gmail.com)
3. The **deadline** for the registration is **Saturday, 17<sup>th</sup> August 2019 at 23:59**.
4. The registration fee is € 13,-/person.
5. The registration fee can be paid individually or by one of the team members.
6. The registration is only accepted once every team member in a team has paid the registration fee by transferring the money to the following account:

Bank Account Number: **NL74 ABNA 0819 6864 76**  
Name: **MBI NEDERLAND**  
Description: **MBI Mixed Team Tournament – Your Full Name / Your Team Name**
7. The registration fee (complete for a team) must be received by the tournament committee **LATEST** on **Tuesday, 20<sup>th</sup> August 2019**. If the registration fee has not been received yet on that day, an administration cost of € 2,-/person will be charged to your registration fee. This has to be paid before your first match.
8. Registration will be handled based on time order of complete team registration.

9. In principle, the maximum number of teams per level are 6 teams. If there are already 6 teams registered in one level, the next registered team will be placed in the waiting list. You will be informed in time when there is a spot available (depending on the total capacity).

### **WITHDRAWAL**

1. In case of a withdrawal, the player or the team has to inform the tournament committee by a written e-mail to **[mbi.tournament@gmail.com](mailto:mbi.tournament@gmail.com)**
2. In case of any player and/or any team withdrawal after Tuesday, 20<sup>th</sup> August 2019, no registration fee will be returned.
3. Exceptions could be given in case of illness, injuries, accidents or other unavoidable hindrance. The player is responsible to inform the tournament committee by a written e-mail to **[mbi.tournament@gmail.com](mailto:mbi.tournament@gmail.com)**. The tournament committee will take the final decision and inform the player/team accordingly.

### **PRIZES**

There are two prizes (money) available, for the champion and the runner-up.

### **CLOTHES AND SHOES**

It is mandatory to wear proper sport clothes and sport shoes during the match.

### **FACILITIES**

1. Changing rooms and showers are available in the Mariahoeve Sport Centre
2. You can buy foods and drinks at the cafe of the Mariahoeve Sport Centre (open until 22.00)
3. It is not allowed to eat inside the sport hall.

### **RESPONSIBILITY**

1. The tournament committee, the badminton club MBI and the Sport Centre Mariahoeve are not responsible for any injury and all of your belongings.
2. All other information, if any, will be sent by e-mail to all players.

### **MEDIA**

During the tournament, photos and videos will be made. You agree that MBI may use them for their website.

### **QUESTIONS?**

If you have any questions, you can send an e-mail to [mbi.tournament@gmail.com](mailto:mbi.tournament@gmail.com)