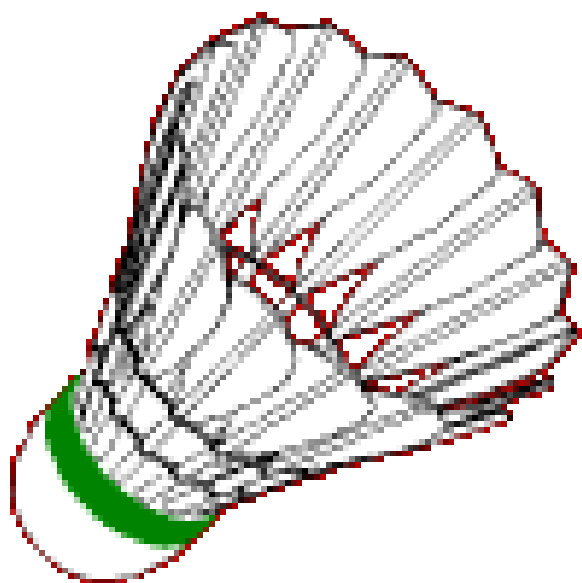


2020

WA UNDER 17 TEAM



INFORMATION

NOMINATION

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2020 WA UNDER 17 STATE TEAM

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Players nominating for State Teams must be REGISTERED MEMBERS of Badminton WA

Please read the following information prior to completing the Nomination Form:

1. Event & Other Information

- This team will be playing in the **JUNE BEVAN TROPHY** (Team Event), followed by the **AUSTRALASIAN U17 CHAMPIONSHIPS** (Individual Event).
- This Carnival (known as the **JUNE BEVAN** Carnival) will be held at the Kingsway Indoor Stadium, Western Australia.
- Date of Event: 11th April – 18st April 2020.
- A team of 5 boys and 5 girls is usually selected to represent WA. (The number of players selected in the team is solely at the discretion of the Badminton WA Board of Management and is sometimes determined by player ability or team composition).
- The team will be supported by a Coach, Manager and Umpire.

2. Badminton WA supports this team by:

- Paying the Team Entry Fee of \$660
- Paying the Coach \$1,000 for team training sessions prior to the departure of the Team
- Paying an Honorarium of \$600 each to the Coach, Manager and Umpire
- Subsidising the accommodation for the Coach, Manager & Umpire to the amount of \$350 each
- Organising and paying for the Trials (court hire and shuttles)
- Appointing Selectors
- Organising Team uniforms – if not sponsored, then paid for by the players
- Providing supporting documentation for Local Council sporting grants if required

3. Nomination & Selection:

- By completing the nomination form and paying the appropriate fee the player is stating that he/she will take his/her place in the team if selected. Withdrawal from the team after nomination or selection may incur a financial penalty.
- No player may take part in any trial sessions unless he or she is a registered member of Badminton WA.
- No player may take part in any trial sessions unless the Nomination Form is fully completed and accompanied by the required nomination fee. This must be done prior to the date of the first session.
- The Nomination fee is **\$170**. (\$50 is a non-refundable administration fee). **\$120 is refundable within 14 days if not selected. If selected, the \$120 will cover the training costs for up to 10 training sessions.**
- The Nomination fee of **\$170** can be paid by cheque, made out to Badminton WA and posted to "State Team Nomination", PO Box 39, Madeley, WA 6065 OR by direct deposit to the Badminton Association of Western Australia Inc. account:

By Direct Deposit to the Badminton Association of Western Australia Inc account:

Commonwealth Bank 066 140 1005 9328

Please use the Reference: U17 Team and player's name so that the payment can be tracked.

Nomination closes on 3rd November 2019

4. Training and trials:

Attendance at trials and training is compulsory regardless of the time or venue.

Trial times and Venue: Saturday 16th November 2019 (Kingsway Indoor Stadium)
Sunday 17th November 2019 (Kingsway Indoor Stadium)
Time TBC.

Team announced: Tentatively from Friday 9th December 2019

Team training: Dates, times and venue to be advised following appointment of the Coach.

5. Competitions

All the players nominating for this team will be required to play in the:

- WA Liveliighter Summer Championships 30th November 2019
- WA Kingsway Tournament 2020 (Date TBC)

6. Training costs:

\$120 of the Nomination fee will go towards Team Training fees for at least 8 sessions.
Fees for additional training sessions may be paid, as required, to the Manager.

7. Payments:

- a. The payment schedule to cover the cost of accommodation and other expenses will be provided by the Team Manager but will start with
 - i. \$500.00 at the first training session and
 - ii. Followed by further payments as determined by the Team Manager

8. Estimated Costs:

This information is provided to give Players a considered idea of the cost of this sporting trip:

- The Manager will endeavour to obtain the cheapest airfares available at that time. You are advised that any changes, required by players after airfares have been purchased, e.g. different departure dates, etc., must be done through the Manager and all costs incurred shall be met by the player.
- The Manager will endeavour to obtain the cheapest accommodation in self-catering apartments.

The costs appended below are indicative only for each player and based on a 10 player team :

- Accommodation: approx. 10 nights = \$400
- Bus hire / petrol: \$100 each (Depend on Team Manager arrangement)
- Food: \$30 per day x 10 days = \$300

- PLAYER PACKAGE:
- Entry fees for Individual Championships at Carnival—usually about \$80 for three events
- Functions: Usually about \$75 for three events
- Carnival Polo top: Usually about \$35 (not compulsory to buy)
- Carnival Team photo: Usually about \$25 (not compulsory to buy)
- State Team uniform costs - to be advised
- Spending money

Estimated Total of known costs: \$1000

9. Fundraising and Sponsorships:

- a. The above costs do not take into account any fund raising/sponsorships.**
- b. The Manager determines what fund raising will be done. All players are required to be involved with fund raising on request by the Manager.

10. Player Agreement

- a. Once selected in the team each player must sign the player agreement - see attached.
- b. Signing that agreement indicates that both the player and parent/guardian has read all the information in these notes and in the Player Agreement and agrees to the conditions.**

INFORMATION ON ROLES OF COACH, MANAGER AND UMPIRE

There are Badminton WA Bylaws covering the roles of the Coach and Manager.

See SUMMARY below.

The Coach and Manager work together to give each player the opportunity to reach their potential in a Team situation.

Role of the Coach:

Chair of Selectors for trials
Sets training times and venue
Controls and plans all training
Coaches all players during the Carnival
Chief Selector on tour

ALL ON-COURT MATTERS ARE DECIDED BY THE COACH

Role of the Manager:

ADMINISTRATIVE RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE TEAM

Collects training fees
Makes all travel arrangements
Keeps transparent financial records
Liaises with the Badminton WA Board
Oversees all team matters at the Carnival
Writes the final Report
Liaises with Coach/umpire/players/parents

ALL OFF-COURT MATTERS ARE DECIDED BY THE MANAGER

Role of the Umpire:

Umpires all Team Matches
Umpires when required at Individual Championships
Assists the Coach and Manager with Team matters when requested.
Acts as Chaperone when required

Any person (adult or child) representing Western Australia in a sporting activity such as badminton should be proud of the privilege and conduct themselves accordingly.

Being part of a sporting team –in any capacity– should be an enjoyable and memorable experience.

Role of travelling parents:

- To support players during competition
- To support the Coach and Manager on request.

Parents must make their own travel arrangements.

- Flights
- Accommodation
- Transport

Parents are strongly requested NOT to stay at the same accommodation venue as the players. The aim is to develop some self-reliance in these emerging young athletes. This is an opportunity for your child to become self-confident and be part of a team culture.

Assistance in tasks that help the team is valued **BUT** the Manager determines what will be done, how and when.

Following the selection of the team the Manager will speak with all parents to explain all arrangements and fund raising plans.

Badminton WA has **CODES OF CONDUCT** relating to Coaches, Officials and Parents/Guardians'

PARENT/GUARDIAN CODE OF CONDUCT

As a parent/guardian of a player participating in any activity held or under the auspices of Badminton WA a member association or affiliated club, you must meet the following requirements in regard to your conduct during any such activity or event.

1. *Respect the rights, dignity and worth of others.*
2. *Remember that your child participates in sport for their own enjoyment, not yours.*
3. *Focus on your child's efforts and performance rather than winning or losing.*
4. *Never ridicule or yell at your child and other children for making a mistake or losing a competition.*
5. *Show appreciation for good performance and skilful plays by all players (including opposition players).*
6. *Demonstrate a high degree of individual responsibility especially when dealing with or in the vicinity of persons under 18 years of age, as your words and actions are an example.*
7. *Respect official's decisions and teach children to do likewise.*
8. *Do not physically or verbally abuse or harass anyone associated with the sport (player, coach, umpire and so on).*
9. *Respect the rights, dignity and worth of every young person regardless of their gender, ability, cultural background or religion.*
10. *Be a positive role model.*
11. *Understand the repercussions if you breach, or are aware of any breaches of this code of conduct.*

STATE TEAM PLAYER AGREEMENT

Preamble: This agreement becomes binding between the Player as indicated below, and The Badminton Association of Western Australia Inc. (Badminton WA), if the Player has been advised by Badminton WA in writing that he/she has been selected into the State Team for the Event as indicated below.

I _____ (Player) / _____ (Player's Parent / Guardian if the player is under 18 years old) accept the offer to represent Western Australia at the _____ (Event) taking place in _____ on _____ (Date) till _____ (Date).

I have read and fully understand the terms and conditions set out below.

1. I will represent Western Australia in a manner, both on and off the court, which will bring credit to Badminton WA and the sport of badminton in general.
2. I will comply fully with all rules, regulations and decisions pertaining to team/player behaviour and team/player selection as set by Badminton WA, State Coach and Manager prior to, and during the Event.
3. I will conform to the Badminton Australia's Anti-Doping Policy.
4. I will attend all scheduled team training sessions and competitions.
 - a. **Any exemptions to attending training or competitions due to circumstances that may reasonably be known in advance will need to be requested in writing to Badminton WA as early as practicable, and cannot be deemed granted unless a written official response from Badminton WA, which shall not be unduly delayed.**
 - b. **Any unforeseen circumstances affecting my ability to attend training or competitions must be communicated to the Team Coach and Manager in writing as early as practicable.**
 - c. **I acknowledge that if the total number of training sessions and/or competitions missed due to circumstances described in 4a exceeds 60% of the total training sessions and/or competitions, I may be excluded from participating in the Event by a decision from Badminton WA.**
5. **I will make payments accordingly as follows to Badminton WA:**
 - a. I will make the team player contribution payments to **Badminton WA's** bank account accordingly to the payment schedule with their due dates showing on the payments schedule and on the tax invoice(s) issued to me. I will ensure that all monies owing to the **Badminton WA** are paid prior to my departure to the Event.
 - b. I acknowledge that the team player contribution payments including the nomination fee represent 10% GST inclusive fees payable to **Badminton WA** for services of coaching, umpiring and management of my participation in the event.
6. I will play as requested by the Coach in any of the disciplines in the Team Championships. This includes team positions as well as doubles combinations which are to be determined by the Coach. I understand there is no obligation by the Coach to play all players in the TEAM event of the National Carnival.
7. I will stay with the team at the designated accommodation venue for the whole period of the Event, unless advised otherwise by Badminton WA.
8. I will practice with the team, travel to and from the accommodation venue together, and eat together, as stipulated by the Coach and Manager, during the event, unless advised otherwise by Badminton WA.
9. I will wear the designated BADMINTON WA uniform during all TEAM matches and whenever representing the State or team or whenever requested by the Team Manager. This uniform is to be purchased at my own cost if sponsorship is not available.
10. I agree that I may be photographed during training, presentations or in team situations and these photos may be placed on a Badminton WA website, blog, or in publicity material for Badminton WA.

I understand that failure to meet any of the above conditions may result in me being **removed** from the team prior to or during the National Carnival. In the event of my removal from the team, I may be required to face disciplinary action by the Badminton WA.

Player Signature: _____
Date: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____
Date: _____