



YONEX BOZNER CUP **U17** **INTERNATIONAL**

(Part of the Badminton Europe U17 Circuit)

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ORGANIZED BY:	A.S.D. Sport Promotion Bolzano (Member of Italian Badminton Federation) Via Dante Alighieri n°4/8 – 39100 Bolzano, Italy Contact: Mr Csaba Hamza Phone: +39 328 3334331 Email: sportpromotion.bz@gmail.com Website: Home (sportpromotionbolzano.it)																																																								
VENUE:	Palaresia Bolzano, Via Resia n°39 – 39100 Bolzano, Italy “Bozner Cup U17 International 2023” will be played 8 courts + 1 warm up court																																																								
CONDITIONS:	The “Bozner Cup U17 International 2024” will be conducted under the BWF Competition Regulations and in accordance with the Regulation of the Badminton Europe U17 Circuit, of which the Championships form a part																																																								
DATES:	Friday: 26 th of April from 9:00 am. Saturday: 27 th of April from 9:00 am. including semi-finals as indicated Sunday: 28 th of April from 9:00 am. semi-finals; finals will not start before 11:00pm																																																								
TEAM MANAGER MEETING:	Thursday: 25 th of April, 19:30 at the venue (Meeting room of the Sport hall)																																																								
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<p>EVENTS:</p>	<p>Men's (MS) and women's (WS) singles, Men's doubles (MD), Women's doubles (WD) and Mixed doubles (XD). The maximum number of competitors accepted in the tournament is:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 64 players in men's and women's singles • 32 pairs in men's doubles and women's doubles • 48 pairs in mixed doubles <p>No qualifications will be played before the main draw. If there are more entries for an event than will be accepted, the players/pairs will qualify for the main draw according to the rule 6.1.6 of the BE U17 Circuit regulations.</p> <p>In accordance with regulation § 9.2 and § 9.3 in BWF Statutes, Section 5.3.3.2: World Junior Ranking System, an event must contain at least 8 (eight) competitors in the first published version of the main draw. If the required number of competitors is not met in the first published version of the main draw, this particular event shall not count towards any ranking.</p> <p>In accordance with regulation § 9.4 in BWF Statutes, Section 5.3.3.2: World Junior Ranking System, an event must contain at least 1 (one) entry from a Member other than the hosting Member in the first published version of the main draw. If an event does not contain at least 1 (one) entry from a Member other than the hosting Member in the first published version of the main draw, this particular event shall not count towards any ranking.</p> <p>Badminton Europe is not liable for any costs incurred by third persons (players, coaches, umpires, team managers etc.) because of an event not having enough competitors to count for the rankings.</p>
<p>CLOSING DATE:</p>	<p>Tuesday 26th of March 2023 at 23:59 BWF HQ time (16:59 CET)</p>
<p>ENTRIES:</p>	<p>BWF Online Entry system; Entries must be made directly by a Member of which the player/pair is a member Tournaments BWF (tournamentsoftware.com)</p>
<p>ENTRY FEES:</p>	<p>The entry fees for the tournament are (shuttles included):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Singles: EUR 40.00 per player. ▪ Doubles: EUR 25.00 per player per event <p>Header: Federazione Italiana Badminton Viale Tiziano n°70 – 00196 Roma Bank: Banca Nazionale del Lavoro - Ag. CONI Account n°: 5171 IBAN: IT03U0100503309000000005171 SWIFT Code: BNL I I TRR</p> <p>The Member that enters a player/pair into BEC U17 Circuit tournament is responsible for paying the entry fees for that player/pair. The entry fees become due if a player is entered and has not been withdrawn when the entry deadline passes. It is recommended that the entry fees are paid by bank transfer, but the organisers can accept cash payments at tournaments. The entry fees will be not refunded in the case of a withdrawal. For all the withdrawn players the organisers can invoice the entry fee to the relevant Member.</p>
<p>DATE OF DRAW:</p>	<p>The draw will be carried out on 16th April 2024</p>



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SEEDING AND DRAW:	The seeding and draw will be carried out by Badminton Europe. The format of the draw will be knock out for all events
VISA:	Competitors and officials who need visa for Italy should send an application for visa not later than 25 th March 2024, to the Tournament organizer: sportpromotion.bz@gmail.com
PRIZES:	For winners of 1 st , 2 nd and 3 rd place, the prize ceremony will take place on Sunday afternoon
ADVERTISING AND CLOTHING:	Colour design lettering and advertising on clothing shall be regulated by BWF Statutes, section 5.2.3, Junior Tournament Regulation 12 to 16. For all BEC U17 Circuit tournaments the name on the back of the shirt is optional
REFEREE:	Darko Vidakovic E-mail: divix.blacky@gmail.com Phone: +385 99 2484235
SHUTTLECOCK:	YONEX AS-30 model shuttlecocks will be used in the tournament
DOPING CONTROL:	Drug Testing: According to Italian law Drug Testing might be carried out on a random basis at any time during the tournament 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: Anti-Doping Overview BWF Corporate (bwfbadminton.com)
BADMINTON INTEGRITY:	Section 2.4 of the BWF Statutes (Code of Conduct in Relation to Betting, Wagering and Irregular Match Results) 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, 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 matches. For more information, please refer to BWF's website: https://corporate.bwfbadminton.com/integrity/anti-match-fixing-overview/ Compliance with General Competition Regulations (GCR) Clause 7.9: <i>"In making or authorising entries, the Member concerned is reconfirming its acceptance, and acceptance by the Players being entered, of the BWF's regulations and Disciplinary processes."</i>
PRACTICE FACILITIES:	Available Thursday 25 th of April 2024 from 16:00 to 22:00. For booking a practice court please send appropriate from through e-mail: sportpromotion.bz@gmail.com no later than April 18 th 2024
TOURNAMENT WEB:	Home (sportpromotionbolzano.it)



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OFFICIAL POINT OF ARRIVAL:	Bolzano Airport (located 10 minutes from the venue) or Flixbus Station (located 10 minutes from the venue) or Bolzano Central Train Station (located 10 min from the venue)
ACCOMMODATION:	Official tournament hotel: B & B Hotel Bolzano Via Werner Von Siemens, 18 – 39100 Bolzano Tel. +39 0471 205454 Web: B&B Hotel BOLZANO vicino uscita A22 Bolzano Sud (hotel-bb.com) Conventional prices: <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Single bedroom: EUR 98 / night per person + local tax (€ 2,00/person/night)▪ Double Rooms Standard: EUR 52 / night per person + local tax (€ 2,00/p/night)▪ Double Rooms Superior: EUR 55 / night per person + local tax (€ 2,00/p/night)▪ Triple Room: can be granted with the addition of a cot in one of the double rooms: EUR 30 / night per person + local tax (€2,00) (All prices including breakfast); Wi-Fi 200mb free of charge
PAYMENTS:	Accommodation should be ordered on the appropriate form to be send to the following e-mail address: sportpromotion.bz@gmail.com Accommodation is payable only by Bank transfer to: A.S.D. Sport Promotion Bolzano Via Dante Alighieri n°4/8 – 39100 Bolzano (Italy) IBAN: IT 47 L 08081 11600 000300063070 BIC/Swift code: RZSBIT21003 Deadline for ordering accommodation is: 31st March 2024 Contact person: Mr Csaba Hamza (mobile +39 328 3334331) The total cost of the accommodation must be received in the above described bank account at least 48 hours before the start of the competition. Keys will not be handed over at Check-in if the room is not paid for in the manner required above.
FLIGHTS AND AIRPORTS:	The suggested airport are Bolzano, Verona (is located 150km from Bolzano, or Bergamo Airport (is located 230 km from Bolzano). From Milano/Bergamo Airport and Verona Airport there is direct Flixbus connection



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OFFICIAL TRANSPORT:	<p>Official point of arrival is Bolzano Airport or Bolzano Central Train Station or Flixbus Station of Bolzano.</p> <p>There will be transports provided between the airport/train station and the tournament hotel, only for the teams who book te accommodation through organization.</p> <p>For booking the transport please send appropriate form through e-mail: sportpromotion.bz@gmail.com no later than April 18th 2024</p>
MEDICAL:	<p>A doctor (first aid) will be present in the sports hall during the Tournament</p>
INSURANCE:	<p>To be arranged individually by participants.</p> <p>The organizer declines responsibility and covering of cost for possible injuries or other damages. It is up to each participant to arrange with insurance.</p> <p>Any special medical treatment necessary or hospitalization due to serious illness or injury is at the players or officials, will be on own expenses.</p>
MEALS & DRINKS:	<p>The sport hall has a large Bar that offers hot food, drinks and dessert Availability of plenty of tables and chairs for both meals and breaks</p>
BADMINTON-SHOP:	<p>A badminton shop will be provided by YONEX Italy, including stringing Service (€ 18,00/racket with all kind of Yonex strings)</p>
PARKING AT SPORT HALL:	<p>On request we can provide parking place at the Sport hall The request should be made simultaneously with entry</p>
PORTRAIT RIGHTS:	<p>During the tournament, it is licit to make tv-recording, auio-recording and pictures. Participation to this tournament means that there are no further approvals needed concerning the participants or officials. These tv-recording, audio-recording or pictures, can be divided by the holder of the publication and broadcasting rights and can be used for live or taped tv programmes, internet, webcasting and broadcasting rights and can be used for live or taped tv programmes, internet, webcasting, radio, movies or diffusion through press and other similar media. ASD Sport Promotion and official photographer have the right to use the pictures or any similar image, which are made of the player, coach or official during the tournament, to use for not commercial purpose.</p>
FAST COMMUNICATION:	<p>Coach & Shuttle Service WhatsApp Groups, if you want to get updated information before and during the tournament, please send your phone number with your full name and occupation to +39 328 3334331</p>
KEY DATES:	<p>Entry deadline 26th of March 2024 (16:59 CET) Hotel booking 31st of March 2024 Draw date 16th of April 2024 / <u>Withdraw deadline 15th April 2024</u> Transportation request 18th of April 2024 Practice court booking 18th of April 2024 Team manager meeting 25th of April 2024 (19:30 local time) at the venue Tournament starts 26th of April 2024</p>



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There is so much to see experience and enjoy in Bolzano...Welcome!

Tradition, innovation, sustainability: **Bolzano will amaze you!**

Bolzano is a place where the traditions of the past intertwine with the challenges of the future. Innovation and sustainability are the keywords of the new development of a city that is able to look to the future while maintaining a strong connection to its roots and values.

Why choose Bolzano as your next holiday destination? The answer is simple: to be immersed in a unique cultural mix. Here north and south, **Mediterranean** and **Alpine meet**, creating an irresistible and unrepeatable combination.

Be enchanted by the **different architectural styles** that are colourful and soft and, as soon as you turn a corner, become imposing and square. Stroll along the arcades, the commercial heart of the historic centre over 300 metres long, listening to the mix of languages that characterise our city and immerse yourself in the sounds of nature as you walk along the many promenades that climb the sunny slopes. Get on your bike and pedal along the more than 50 kilometres of **cycle paths** through Bolzano. Discover the **green and innovative soul of the city**. Take one of the cable cars from the centre to reach the surroundings of the South Tyrolean capital in just a few minutes, first of all the Colle, a true oasis of peace, and the Renon plateau.

Taste the perfect **combination of Tyrolean cuisine and Mediterranean flavours** in the many restaurants wafting irresistible aromas through the city streets. Pair traditional dishes with wines produced in wineries scattered throughout the basin. Marvel at the sparkle of traditional and modern shop windows. There are plenty of ideas for taking home a unique souvenir. Don't miss the numerous events that enliven the gateway city to the Dolomites in every season.

Follow in the footsteps of history thanks to the extensive **cultural offer**. With parks, museums, castles and many events, there is fun for families too.

Be inspired, **Bolzano** is this and much more!

