



CITY OF HOBART

14TH & 15TH MARCH 2026

H Thompson Badminton Centre, 101 Cascade Road, South Hobart

Open, A, B, C, D & E Grade, Under 17, Under 15 & Under 13
Singles, Doubles & Mixed Doubles
Badminton Australia Silver Sanctioning
Prizemoney at all grades

Referee	Robert Brockman & Karen Arnold
Event Manager	Mark Purcell
Entries close	Thursday 5 th March – no late entries accepted
Grading	Per the BH Grading list (access via our website)
Shuttles	Open age events: Victor Master 1 – players to supply Underage events: Victor Master 3 – supplied by BH
Membership	Players must be registered with an affiliated body of the BWF
Event enquiries	tournaments@badmintonhobart.com 0488 788 426

PLANNED EVENT SCHEDULE

Saturday 14 th March	Singles commence at 9am sharp Doubles to commence around 12pm Mixed doubles to commence around 2:30pm All rounds through to, and including, Semi-Finals as time permits
Sunday 15 th March	All Grand Finals from 9am

ENTRY FEES

Grade	\$ per person
Open - Singles	\$40
Open – Doubles/ Mixed Doubles	\$30
A & B Grade – Singles	\$35
A & B Grade – Doubles/ Mixed Doubles	\$25
C, D & E Grade – Singles	\$25
C, D & E Grade – Doubles/ Mixed Doubles	\$20
Under 17, Under 15 & Under 13 - Singles	\$25
Under 17, Under 15 & Under 13 – Doubles/ Mixed Doubles	\$20

PRIZEMONEY

Grade	Event	Winner (per player)	RU (per player)
Open	Singles	\$200	\$80
	Doubles & Mixed Doubles	\$100	\$40
A Grade	Singles	\$150	\$60
	Doubles & Mixed Doubles	\$75	\$30
B Grade	Singles	\$100	\$40
	Doubles & Mixed Doubles	\$50	\$20
C Grade	Singles	\$60	\$20
	Doubles & Mixed Doubles	\$30	\$10
D Grade	Singles	\$45	\$10
	Doubles & Mixed Doubles	\$22.50	\$5
E Grade	Singles	\$45	\$10
	Doubles & Mixed Doubles	\$22.50	\$5
Under 17	Singles	\$30	\$10
	Doubles & Mixed Doubles	\$15	\$5
Under 15	Singles	\$30	\$10
	Doubles & Mixed Doubles	\$15	\$5
Under 13	Singles	\$30	\$10
	Doubles & Mixed Doubles	\$15	\$5

In events where there are less than 4 entries, a revised prize structure may apply.

Please note that if an event is cancelled or does not have enough entries, the prizes above may be subject to change.

Badminton Hobart Tournament Regulations

1. The tournament will be conducted by Badminton Hobart (BH) with all events open to members registered with an affiliated body of the BWF
2. All matches will be played under the Laws of Badminton adopted by the BWF and under the BH By-Laws
3. Scoring system - noting that this may be amended after entries close to enable adequate timing for completion of the Tournament
 - 3a. Open Age Grades: scoring system is best of three sets to 21
 - 3b. Underage Grades: scoring system will be best of three sets to 15
4. The BH Board/ Referee reserves the right to cancel any events for which there are fewer than four (4) entries, or to alternatively play a round robin tournament
 - 4a. In the event of a draw in a Round Robin the result shall be decided on BWF regulations
 - 4b. If the two are inseparable on percentage, then the winner is the player/pair who won their contest
 - 4c. Any event with less than four (4) entries will have the prize money halved
5. Feather shuttles (Victor Master 1) are the official Tournament shuttle, and all Open Age competition players are required to purchase an adequate number of shuttles for use during match play
6. BH will supply all shuttles (Victor Master 3) for Underage events (under 17, under 15 & under 13).
7. The Referee reserves the right to re-grade players after event entries close
8. The first named player(s) in opening matches of a session shall provide the umpire for that match. Thereafter and whenever practical, the losing side shall umpire the next match on that court
9. No player (Open Age or Underage) is permitted to play more than four (4) events and in no more than two (2) grades. Junior/Underage events (under 17, under 15 & under 13) are considered a grade

Within their maximum four (4) events, a player can only play one (1) discipline (being singles, doubles and mixed) across a maximum of two (2) different grades

Example 1 – acceptable entries: Doubles events in A & B grades, a singles event in A grade, and one (1) mixed event in B grade COULD represent their four (4) event maximum

Example 2 – acceptable entries: Doubles events in C & D and mixed doubles in C & D COULD represent their four (4) events

Example 3 – unacceptable entries: Doubles events across Open, A & B grades (three (3) grades in total) and a mixed event in A Grade COULD NOT represent their four (4) maximum events because doubles across three (3) grades exceeds the two (2) grade maximum
10. At the discretion of the referee, players may receive an invitation to play additional events (possibly exceeding the four (4) event maximum) to ensure adequate numbers for the conduct of a Grade. This invitation will ONLY be for doubles or mixed doubles and will only be extended so players that are requesting partners are able to participate if BH are unable to find enough partners meeting the four (4) event criteria.

11. Entries will be accepted in accordance with the current BH grading list (available on the BH website – badmintonhobart.com), with the Referee reserving the right to re-grade any player
12. Players must be ready to play when called upon, and absent players will forfeit the game
13. Acceptable badminton sports clothing must be worn
14. Players in under 13, under 15 & under 17 events must be under that age as of 31st December of that year.
15. Players are requested to wear street shoes only to the hall
16. Each competitor must enter online
17. All entry fees must be paid prior to the commencement of the tournament – PayPal will be offered at time of registration but if a player is unable to pay via PayPal, the player should contact BH via tournaments@badmintonhobart.com, at which time BH will supply direct debit details prior to the commencement of the event via email
18. Under no circumstances will late entries be accepted
19. Semi-finals starting times will be notified. Finals will be played on Sunday.
20. Unless you specify otherwise via email to tournaments@badmintonhobart.com prior to the commencement of the tournament, you consent to (a) Images may be taken of you for the purpose of BH marketing materials and (b) video footage of your matches may be taken to be streamed live on the BH Facebook page
21. You will adhere to all BH and Badminton Australia policies – especially all Safeguarding Policies- and staff instructions while at the H Thompson Badminton Centre
22. Any player with outstanding entry fees will incur a \$10 additional admin fee to pay their fees at BH on the day of the tournament.
23. Badminton Tasmania charges a levy of \$2 per person which is automatically applied to all player entries.