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Tournament Invitation to:

Polish U19 Open 2026
presented by VICTOR
4 – 6 September, 2026
Strzelce Opolskie, Poland

Part of Badminton Europe Junior Circuit 2026

The tournament is a Junior International Series event www.BadmintonEurope.com

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KEY DATES: Entry deadline: August 4th (23:59 BWF HQ-time)
Online withdrawal: August 24th
Draw: August 25th, Tuesday

TEAM MANAGER MEETING: TMM will be held in the main venue, September 3rd at 20:00.

VENUE: Hala Widowiskowo-sportowa
ul. Kozielska 34
47-100 Strzelce Opolskie

COURTS: The tournament will be played on 5 courts – VICTOR mats

SHUTTLES: FZ Forza VIP

CONDITIONS: Polish U19 Open presented by VICTOR form a part of the BEC Junior Circuit. Regulations are in accordance with the BEC Junior Circuit Regulations and BWF regulations. The tournament will be played on a knock-out system.

PROVISIONAL SCHEDULE:

Friday, 4th September from 9:00 R64 MS, WS, XD + R32 MD, WD
 Saturday, 5th September from 9:00 R32 MS, WS, XD +R16 +QF
 Sunday, 6th September: from 9:00 SF, from 13:00 Finals.

SCHEDULE OVERVIEW:

5 courts/3 days	Round 64	Round 32	Round 16	QF	SF	Final
MS - 64	32	16	8	4	2	1
WS - 64	32	16	8	4	2	1
MD - 32	-	16	8	4	2	1
WD - 32	-	16	8	4	2	1
XD - 48	16	16	8	4	2	1
Total	112		108		15	

CATEGORIES: U19 (Official Badminton Europe Junior Circuit Tournament). According to BWF rules players born in 2008 or later (U19) can be accepted.

EVENTS: Men's singles (MS) - 64 players
 Women's singles (WS) - 64 players,
 Men's doubles (MD) - 32 players
 Women's doubles (WD) - 32 players
 Mixed doubles (XD) - 48 players.

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 in accordance with BEC Junior Circuit Regulations 6.1.5.

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.

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. 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.

ENTRIES: BWF Online Entry system. Entries must be made directly by a Member of which the player/pair is a member. Compliance with General Competition Regulations (GCR) Clause 7.9: "In making or authorizing entries, the Member concerned is reconfirming its acceptance, and acceptance by the Players being entered, of the BWF's regulations and Disciplinary processes."

<https://bwf.tournamentsoftware.com/tournament/C10FEC3D-EB7F-4B05-9CE4-3C1B85F2A500>

ENTRY FEES: The entry fees for the tournament are:

- Singles: EUR 40.00 per player
- Doubles: EUR 30.00 per player

The Member that enters a player/pair into a BEC Junior 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 organizers can accept cash payment at tournaments. The entry fees will not be refunded in the case of a withdrawal. For all the withdrawn players the organisers can invoice the entry fee to the relevant Member.

All payments should be done on organizers account in Bank PEKAO SA,
IBAN: PL02 1240 5178 1978 0011 4222 0875

SEEDING AND DRAW: Seeding and draw will be done by Badminton Europe according to BWF World Junior Ranking.

PRIZES: For winners and runners up. The Prize ceremony will take place on Sunday after finals are concluded.

ADVERTIZING AND CLOTHING: Color, design, lettering and advertising on clothing shall be regulated by BWF Statutes, Section 5.2.3: Junior Tournament Regulations § 12 to 16. A player violating these regulations shall be penalised by an administrative fine of 50,00 EUR. It is mandatory for the semi-finals and finals that partners in doubles wear the same color of the T-shirt and shorts/skirts. Failing to do so shall result in an administrative fine of 50,00 EUR. In applying these regulations, the decision of the Referee shall be final.

OTHER INFORMATION: 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: <https://corporate.bwfbadminton.com/integrity/anti-dopingoverview/>
Badminton Integrity: Section 2.4 of the BWF Statutes (Code on The Prevention of The Manipulation of Competitions) relates to anti-corruption and antimatch 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, shall 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 match(es). For more information, please refer to BWF's website:
<https://corporate.bwfbadminton.com/integrity/anti-match-fixingoverview/>

MEDICAL SERVICE: First aid will be present at the venue.

PRACTICE FACILITIES: 5 tournament courts in the main venue available on 3rd September from 17:00. For booking a practice court, please e-mail: turnieje.oas@gmail.com no later than August 28th, 2026. Practice will be also available every tournament day 1 hour before the start.

VISA: Members must apply their VISA (if needed) in time. You can receive invitation letter at akademia.oas@gmail.com

OFFICIAL POINT OF ARRIVAL: Organizer provides a transport for a fee in 8 person bus from:
Katowice Airport (KTW) = 180 Euro/bus/one way
Krakow Airport (KRK) = 200 Euro/bus/one way
Wroclaw Airport (WRO) = 200 Euro/bus/one way

TRANSPORT: from official hotels to hall free of charge: 8:00 / 11:00 / 14:00
from hall to hotels: 12:00 / 18:00 / after end of games

ACCOMMODATION (available by Accommodation Form):

Hotel Leśny (1,5 km from the hall)

ul. Opolska 40, 47-100 Strzelce Opolskie

Single room (with breakfast) 65 Euro

Double, room (with breakfast) 80 Euro

Triple, room (with breakfast) 90 Euro

Hotel Stary Młyn (500 m from the hall)

ul. Mickiewicza 19, 47-100 Strzelce Opolskie

Single room (with breakfast) = 65 Euro

Double room (with breakfast) 80 Euro

Triple room (with breakfast) 90 Euro

Hotel Browar (1,5 km from the hall)

ul. Kościuszki 4, 47-100 Strzelce Opolskie

Single room (with breakfast) = 120 Euro

Double room (with breakfast) = 150 Euro

Hotel Moment (1,7 km from the hall)

ul. Plac Targowy 3D, 47-100 Strzelce Opolskie

Single room (with breakfast) = 45 Euro

Double room (with breakfast) = 70 Euro

MEALS: catering with delivery to the hall (booking at: turnieje.oas@gmail.com)
lunch (two-course) – 10 Euro
dinner – 10 Euro

INSURANCE To be arranged individually by participants. The organizer declines responsibility and covering of cost for possible injuries or other damages. It is up to each participant to arrange with insurance.

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Seeding and draw: August 25th Tuesday
Team manager meeting: Tuesday, September 3rd, 20:00
Tournament starts: Friday, September 4th