

University of BATH
High Performance Badminton Centre

The University of Bath High Performance Badminton centre is one of BADMINTON England's three high performance centres, delivering badminton's World Class Performance Programme. World men's singles number 15 and Commonwealth Games Bronze medallist Richard Vaughan (Wales) and U19 European Champion (6 nations) Toby Honey both train here. Other squad members include Matt Honey, Rachel Howard, Hayley Connor and Heather Olver who are all part of the England U24 squad. Mariana Agathangelou and Mark James (England U19 squad) train full time at the High Performance centre and Chris Hotchen (England U17 squad), Chris Coles and Stuart Rowlands (England U15 squad) all access training on a weekly basis through World class cell training.

The programme aims to give players of proven quality the opportunity to maximise their potential and to aspire to international success. Badminton players have the added incentive of training alongside world-class athletes from other sports as well as enjoying access to world-class support facilities and staff. The programme is led by Peter Bush who joined Team Bath as a fully qualified coach after many years experience coaching in Denmark and Norway.

Team Bath badminton players have recently moved into fantastic new facilities, which include a 12 court sports hall with a sprung wood floor. There is also a new gym with up to date fitness equipment, sports science testing laboratories plus physiotherapy and sports psychology support.

At the University there are strong badminton teams playing in the BUSA leagues and the badminton club itself is one of the largest in the University. The centre enables players to sample University life whilst receiving good coaching and excellent sparring partners. If you are interested, contact Pete Bush so that an undergraduate prospectus can be sent to you.

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SOUTH WEST COUNTIES BADMINTON ASSOCIATION
RESTRICTED JUNIOR
U13/18 BADMINTON CHAMPIONSHIPS

promoted by

SOUTH WEST COUNTIES BADMINTON ASSOCIATION

To be held on

SUNDAY 4th MAY 2008

in the Poole/Bournemouth area. Venue to be decided and made known to you with your notification of acceptance letter

Hon. Tournament Secretary:

John Edwards, 3 Glebe Cottages, Poltimore, Exeter, Devon EX4 0AP
Tel: 01392 464510

Tournament Referee:

To be appointed

Tournament Committee:

Mrs J. Stables, Mr J Edwards, Dorset Badminton Association

UNDER 18 Boys' Singles from 12 noon

UNDER 18 Girls' Singles from 1pm

UNDER 18 Boys' and Girls' Doubles from 4.30pm approx.

UNDER 13 Boys Singles from 10am

UNDER 13 Girls' Singles from 10am

UNDER 13 Boys' & Girls' Doubles from 2pm approx

LATE ENTRIES WILL BE SURCHARGED

CONDITIONS

1. The tournament will be conducted in accordance with Tournament Regulations as adopted by the BADMINTON England Ltd.
2. All entries to be from members of Clubs/Schools within Counties in membership of the South West Counties BA.
3. Competitors playing in the ... U13 Events must be born on or after 1/1/1995
U18 Events must be born on or after 1/1/1990
4. The tournament will consist of U13 and U18 Boys' and Girls Singles and Doubles. All events to be played on a level basis, all early rounds will be played in groups, followed by knock-out stages. The draw for all events will be seeded. Rally points scoring will be used.
5. The Committee reserves the right to restrict entries, or points played, in order to complete the tournament in the time available. U13 events by 8.00pm and U18 events by 10.00pm
6. All competitors must book in at the Referee's table on arrival. Players not ready when called will be scratched. In the case of any competitor being unable (due to travel difficulties) to be present at the nominated time, mention **MUST** be made on the Entry Form of the earliest possible time of arrival; the Committee will **try** to meet this request.
7. If required the Committee will try to find partners for any player in the Doubles events. Please indicate **PARTNER REQUIRED** on the Entry Form.
8. In order to ensure attractive presentation of badminton, all clothing worn should be acceptable badminton clothing; wherever possible Doubles partners should wear the same colours. Track suits are permitted during the knock up only. The suitability of **ALL** clothing worn will be at the discretion of the Committee.
9. Feather shuttlecocks will be used throughout.
10. No entry will be accepted unless the entry form is properly completed and Entry Fees are enclosed. Entries should be made on the attached form and sent to the Tournament Secretary to arrive as soon as possible before 20th April 2008. Entries received after this date will be liable to a £5 surcharge.
11. Challenge Cups presented for competition will remain the property of the SWCBA, who will insure them, but may be held by the winners. Prize monies or trophies will be awarded to the winners and runners-up in each event. U18 Prize monies: Singles Winner £30 Runner – Up £15. Doubles Winners £25 each; Runners – Up £12.50 each. Runners-up prize monies subject to **EIGHT** or more entries. U13 event winners and runners up will receive trophies.
12. All competitors will be expected to act as linesmen when requested to do so.

Entry to the Centre will be free to players on production of acceptance letter; parents/spectators will be required to pay the daily visitor's fee. No food is allowed in the Sports Hall play area.

ENTRY FORM - SWCBA JUNIOR RESTRICTED CHAMPIONSHIPS

Entries close 20th APRIL 2008

To: John Edwards, 3 Glebe Cottages, Poltimore, Exeter, Devon EX4 0AP

Please enter my name for events indicated, for which I enclose £_____ to cover my entry fees (Stamped Addressed Envelope enclosed). Cheques made payable to SWCBA.

Name (Mr/Miss) _____ (BLOCKS PLEASE)
 Address _____
 _____ Post Code _____
 Phone _____ Date of Birth _____
 Email _____
 My Club/School is _____ in the county of _____

Sunday 4th MAY 2008 - U18 (Born 1990 or after) U13 (Born 1995 or after)
 Please indicate **CLEARLY** which events you are entering and fill Guide to Form below

Event	Tick Box	Partners Name	£ : p
U18 Boys Singles			10:00
U18 Girls Singles			9:00
U18 Boys Doubles			9:00
U18 Girls Doubles			9:00
U13 Boys Singles			9:00
U13 Girls Singles			8:00
U13 Boys Doubles			8:00
U13 Girls Doubles			8:00
Late entry		Forms arriving after 18th April 2008 Surcharge £5:00	
		Total Entry Fee	£

GUIDE TO MY FORM:

I play for my Club/School.....team at No.....singles/pair.
 In theCounty Junior/Schools Tournament in 2007, I reached the.....round at Singles, the.....round at Doubles in the U12/U13/U14/U15/U16/U17/U18 age group events.

Events won _____
 Year _____

Does your partner know you have chosen them as a partner? Has your partner sent a form? Have you enclosed a Stamped Addressed Envelope?