

INVITATION

# VICTOR JOT

## U17 International Challenge

BEC U17 Circuit

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18<sup>th</sup> to 20<sup>th</sup> April 2025

Entry deadline 18<sup>th</sup> March

## DATES OF EVENT:

Date of event: Friday 18<sup>th</sup> April to Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> April 2025

Entry deadline: 18<sup>th</sup> February

Date of draw: 8<sup>th</sup> April

Withdrawals: 7<sup>th</sup> April

## VENUE U17:

Den Willecom  
Terelststraat 2  
2650 Edegem (Antwerp)  
Belgium

## ORGANIZER:

OLVE Badminton Club

## WEBSITE:

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## MANAGERS MEETING:

Cafeteria Den Willecom, Friday April 18<sup>th</sup> – 13h00

## COURTS (6):

	DRAW	ROUND 64	ROUND 32	ROUND 16	QF	SF	F
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

Friday: 128 (11 courts)

Saturday: 92

Sunday: 15

## PROVISIONAL SCHEDULE:

- Friday – 15h00 to 22h00 (11 courts)
- Saturday – 9h00 to 22h00
- Sunday – 9h00 to 18h00 (final day)

## DISCIPLINES:

K.O. events: MS, WS, MD, WD, XD

**NOTE:** It is **not possible** to combine the same discipline over different age groups: e.g. a player can **not** play MS U15 & MS U17, but a player can play MS U15 & MD U17.

## ENTRY LIMITS:

MS 64, WS 64, MD 32, WD 32, XD 48

## SHUTTLES:

VICTOR MASTER ACE

## REGULATIONS & INTEGRITY:

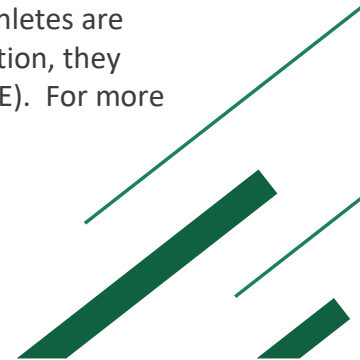
The tournament will be played in accordance with the Laws of Badminton and the General Competition regulations of the BWF as well as with the Badminton Europe U17 Circuit Regulations.

Section 2.4 of the BWF Statutes (Code on The Prevention Of The Manipulation Of Competitions) 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 match. For more information, please refer to [BWF's website](#).

**Clause 7.9 of BWF General Competition Regulations:** “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.”

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](#).



## **ADVERTISING AND CLOTHING:**

Advertising on clothing and colour of clothing shall be regulated by the BWF Competition Regulations and the U17 Circuit Regulations.

## **ENTRIES:**

All entries must be done via the BWF online entry system, by a BWF member association. Players can't be entered unless they already have a BWF ID number.

### **| Online registration Victor JOT U17 2025**

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, because of an event not having enough competitors to count for the rankings.

## **ENTRY DEADLINE:**

18<sup>th</sup> March 2025, 23:59 BWF Headquarters time (GMT +8). No late entries will be accepted.

## **DRAW:**

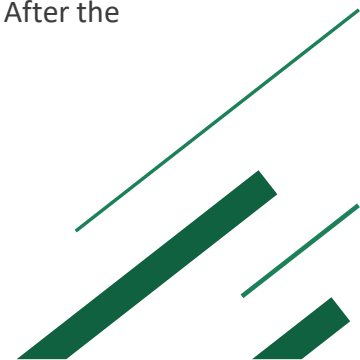
Seeding and draw will be carried out by Badminton Europe.

## **DATE OF DRAW:**

8<sup>th</sup> April 2025

## **WITHDRAWALS:**

Players must contact the organizer immediately if they have to withdraw from the competition and inform about the reason(s) of withdrawal. All the withdraw requests before the WDN deadline have to be done by the associations through online registration system. After the WDN deadline all withdrawals have to be send to [info@juniorolvetournament.be](mailto:info@juniorolvetournament.be).



## ENTRY FEES:

- Singles: 32.00 EUR per player
- Doubles: 25.00 EUR per player per event

Shuttles & physiotherapist included!

§12.1. and 12.2. of the BEC U17 Circuit Regulations: The Member that enters a player/pair into a 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 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.

## COURT PRACTICING:

To use a free court for practice, you should reserve it using our online entry platform: [app.juniorolvetournament.be](http://app.juniorolvetournament.be). Confirmation on the requested court(s) will follow later by e-mail from [info@juniorolvetournament.be](mailto:info@juniorolvetournament.be).

## VISA:

If you need a Visa for Belgium, please send us an e-mail at [info@juniorolvetournament.be](mailto:info@juniorolvetournament.be) for the official invitation letter. Do consider the fact that arranging a Visa can take some time. Deadline VISA requests: 14/03/2025.

## TOURNAMENT HOTELS:

- De Basiliek | Trooststraat 10, 2650 Edegem
  - Single room: 82 EUR
  - Double room: 121 EUR
  - Booking reference: Badminton Tournament Victor JOT 2024
  - Phone: +323 457 00 16
  - E-mail: [hotel@debasiliek.be](mailto:hotel@debasiliek.be)
  - Payment by Visa or MasterCard – no cash
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- Hotel Ter Elst | Kattenbroek 1, 2650 Edegem
  - Double room: 94 EUR
  - Triple room: 149 EUR
  - Booking reference: Badminton Tournament Victor JOT 2024
  - Phone: +32 3 450 90 00
  - E-mail: [info@terelst.be](mailto:info@terelst.be)
  - Payment by Visa, MasterCard, Bancontact or cash

*Prices may still change according to the decisions of the hotel owners*



## PREFERRED HOTELS:

Please check the hotels document for booking details on our preferred hotels in the vicinity of Antwerp. Transport from the preferred hotels is under consideration by the organisation team.

## FLIGHTS & AIRPORT TRANSPORT:

For all teams requesting transport from the airport, we need flight schedules by 04/04/2025. All finals will be finished by 18h.

## TRANSPORT PRICES:

- Transport Brussels Airport (Zaventem) <-> Edegem (Return fare): 28.00 EUR

### *Silver transport for the weekend to and from the sleeping accommodation:*

- Preferred hotels: 24.00 EUR
- Non-preferred hotels: 29.50 EUR

Silver transport option includes being brought to your hotel on Friday, and being brought to the sports hall before the tournament starts and back to your hotel once every day after the tournament ends. If you want extra transport (e.g. if you want to go to your hotel on Friday before a practice session), please let us know so we can plan this and communicate the extra charge. Non-preferred hotels: Only applicable if we accept to do transport to the hotel. Please contact us before booking.

### *Gold transport:*

- Transport: 36.00 EUR

The gold transport option includes transport during the entire weekend (Friday & Monday) from and to your hotel at any time you choose. However, for practical reasons, we do have to take a margin of 1h. e.g. if you come to us at 17h00 for transport to your hotel, we'll make sure a car/bus leaves at the sports hall at 18h00 at the latest. We only offer this option for our preferred hotels.

Transport request can be made using the online entry platform of the U11-U15 tournament: [app.juniorolvetournament.be](https://app.juniorolvetournament.be).



## **CATERING SERVICE:**

Near the sports hall, we provide lunch and dinner for players, coaches, parents,... Lunch and/or dinner have to be ordered in advance. Keep in mind that there aren't many restaurants or eating establishments in the surroundings of the sports hall. Ordering meals during the tournament can be refused and it will be more expensive. Since we have to order food in advance, we can't refund food tickets at the tournament when you don't need them anymore.

- Lunch – combination of pasta salad, sandwiches, fruit and a drink: 8.50 EUR
- Lunch ordered during tournament (if possible): 10.50 EUR
- Dinner – main course (buffet), bread, a drink and dessert: 15.50 EUR
- Dinner ordered during tournament (if possible): 17.50 EUR

Catering orders can be made using the online entry platform of the U11-U15 tournament: [app.juniorolveturnament.be](http://app.juniorolveturnament.be).

## **PAYMENTS:**

Two weeks before the tournament, an invoice will be sent concerning all tournament fees. We prefer to have the invoice paid by bank transfer. At the tournament, payments by card or cash are both possible.

## **PHYSIO SERVICE:**

The players can use our professional physio service during the tournament as much as they need (Friday-Sunday).

## **PORTRAIT RIGHTS:**

During the tournament, it is allowed to make tv-recordings, audio-recordings and pictures. Participation in this tournament means that there are no further approvals needed concerning the participants or officials. These tv-recordings, audio-recordings 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, radio, movies or diffusion through press and other similar media. OLVE Badminton vzw and every concerning photographer have the right to use the pictures or any other similar image, which are made of the player or official, during the tournament, to use for non-commercial purposes.



## CONTACT INFORMATION:

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