

**CRAIGS INVESTMENT PARTNERS
WAIKATO BADMINTON
CHAMPIONSHIPS 2020**

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<https://bit.ly/2020WKOChamps>

**ENTRIES CLOSE ON
FRIDAY 14 AUGUST 2020**

B & D Grade: 9.00am-5.00pm SAT 22 AUG

A & C Grade: 9.00am-5.00pm SUN 23 AUG

***Players can enter more than one grade but
not two grades on the same day.***

ENTRY FEES (PER GRADE)

Women's Singles : \$20.00

Men's Singles : \$20.00

Women's Doubles* : \$17.50

Men's Doubles* : \$17.50

Mixed Doubles* : \$17.50

Non-Affiliated Club Member Levy (once-off): \$15.00

partners must also submit an entry and pay entry fee by closing date

Entry Fees must be paid by Fri 14 Aug to:

Waikato Badminton Account 03-1555-0090702-00, OR

Cash / Eftpos at the WBA Office



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**MEN'S & WOMEN'S
A, B, C, D GRADES**

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*****check-in from 8.45am*****

Entries Close FRI 14 AUGUST 2020

Eastlink Badminton Stadium

30 Old Farm Road, Hamilton East

Phone: 07 856 3049

Email: events@waikatobadminton.co.nz

Website: www.waikatobadminton.co.nz

Conditions of Entry and Play

General

1. It is expected that players will have read, and are familiar with the 'Conditions of Entry and Play' prior to submitting an entry.
2. The rules of play shall be those of the Badminton World Federation (BWF).
3. The BWF scoring system will be used.
4. All questions as to rules shall be resolved by an appointed tournament official.
5. The tournament may be seeded by the Waikato Badminton Tournament Organiser.
6. The draw will be published on **Thursday 20 August** and will be made available on the Waikato Badminton Association website (www.waikatobadminton.co.nz)
7. The Tournament Organiser reserves the right to:
 - Cancel any event in which insufficient entries are received, or if time does not permit a full competition to be played.
 - Change the scoring of events if time constraints require.
 - Default a player who is not available to play at the scheduled time.
8. Plate events may be held depending on number of entries and available time.

Player Requirements

9. Competitors must obtain permission to leave the hall.
10. Players will be defaulted if they are not on court ready to play within 5 minutes of being called.
11. Players must wear regulation badminton clothing as per the BNZ Approved Clothing regulations.
12. All players must act as umpires or line judges when requested. Failure to do so may result in the player being defaulted.
13. Players compete at their own risk. No responsibility will be accepted for any injury received during the tournament.
14. Following one warning for misconduct, the appointed tournament official shall have the authority to disqualify a player from further play if there is a repeat of misconduct.

Entry Details

15. Entry can be made online or by submitting the entry form. All entries and payments must be received by **Friday 14 August 23:59pm**. Online entry is available via <https://bit.ly/2020WKOChamps>
16. **Entries for Doubles and Mixed Doubles may not be accepted unless entries, with full payment, are received from both partners by the closing time/date.** This excludes 'Partner required' entries. It is not the responsibility of Waikato Badminton to follow up entries from nominated but un-entered partners.
17. Players withdrawing after entries have closed will not be eligible for a refund unless a medical certificate is submitted at the time of withdrawal.
18. There will be no replacements in Singles events.
19. Replacements in Doubles and Mixed doubles events after the draw is published may be allowed only with the approval of the Tournament Organiser.

20. Players can enter in more than one grade but not two grades on the same day.

21. A \$10 administration fee will be deducted from all refunds.
22. No refunds will be processed for withdrawals after the draws have been published.

Grading Guidelines

23. The WBA Grading Lists for Males and Females shall apply. This list can be viewed on the WBA Website under the "WBA Interclub & Grading" link. Players can only enter in a grade equal to their current grade allocation or higher. Where players are not listed on the grading list they may enter in the grade they believe applies to them however the Tournament Organiser reserves the right to re-grade any players that do not feature on the grading list.

Entry Fees

24. Singles \$20 per player, Doubles \$17.50 per player, Mixed Doubles \$17.50 per player. A \$15 surcharge applies to players who are not currently a full financial member of a club affiliated to WBA.

Entry Fee Payment

25. Our preferred method of payment is by Internet banking to Westpac:
 - a. Waikato Badminton Account Number: **03-1555-0090702-00**
 - b. Enter Particulars as "**ABCD**"; Enter Reference as "**Player Name**"
26. Allow at least two working days for payments to be processed by the banking system.
27. **The entry fee must be in WBA bank account by Friday 14 August 23:59pm.**

Events

28. Saturday 22 August from 9.00am: All B & D Grade events
29. Sunday 23 August from 9.00am: All A & C Grade events

Prizes

30. \$1080 in total prizemoney is offered across all grades, subject to Waikato Badminton receiving a minimum of 120 player entries in the tournament. Prizemoney is also subject to each event receiving a minimum of 4 entries. There will be prizes for winners and runners-up for all graded events along with some spot prizes and lucky draws. Prizegiving will be completed after all finals have been completed each day.

By entering this event, the player hereby agrees and acknowledges that any person, shall have the right to: Photograph and or record on video all and any games or practice conducted during the course of the event, retain such photographs or video recordings for their own use of whatsoever nature, distribute such photographs or video recordings to any other party, display such photographs or video recordings during the event or any time thereafter, in any form whatsoever (including but not limiting to promotional displays of the organisers and/or the sponsors of the event or any similar event, social network internet sites, the website(s) of the organisers and/or sponsors of the event and of Waikato Badminton) PROVIDED THAT no such photographs or video recordings shall be used or retained for any illegal immoral or unseemly use or purpose.