Invitation to the

41st INTERNATIONAL WHIT TOURNAMENT

7th – 9th June 2025 (Total prize money: over EUR 5'000)

Dear badminton friends,

We are pleased to invite you to our annual Badminton Whit tournament.

Information's concerning the tournament:

Organizer: Badminton Résidence Walfer

Dates: Saturday 7th June: doubles' and mixed doubles' group stage, singles' knockout

Sunday 8th June: doubles' and mixed doubles' group stage + quarter finals, singles' knockout

Monday 9th June: all events' semi-finals and finals, end of tournament towards 4:00PM

Events: A Class: Men's and Ladies' singles, doubles and mixed doubles

B Class: Men's and Ladies' singles, doubles and mixed doubles C Class: Men's and Ladies' singles, doubles and mixed doubles

Hall: Hall Omnisports Walferdange (up to 16 courts) – 10 minutes' drive from Luxembourg-City

Prizes: Cash prizes (A-Class) and non-cash prizes (B-Class and C-Class) for a total amount of over EUR 5'000.

Men's singles A Class	winner:	350€*	runner-up:	170€*	3 rd /4 th : non-cash prizes	
Ladies' singles A Class	winner:	350€*	runner-up:	170€*	3 rd /4 th : non-cash prizes	
Men's doubles A Class	winners:	350€*	runners-up:	170€*	3 rd /4 th : non-cash prizes	
Ladies' doubles A Class	winners:	350€*	runners-up:	170€*	3 rd /4 th : non-cash prizes	
Mixed doubles A Class	winners:	350€*	runners-up:	170€*	3 rd /4 th : non-cash prizes	
B Class :	Non-cash prizes with a total value of 1250 €					
C Class :	Non-cash prizes with a total value of 1000 €					

 $^{^*}$ If there are less than 8 single players or less than 4 double $\,$ / mixed double pairs attending in the A-class, the cash prize will be reduced by 25%

Mode: Knock-out system, except in the doubles and mixed doubles events where a first round will be played in groups followed by knock-out system. Players can enter in all three events; however, a player must not enter in the same event in several Classes (A, B or C).

Players losing their first game in the men's/ladies' singles B and C event, will play a consolation tournament!

Format: Men's singles A: maximum of 64 entries, Ladies' single A: maximum of 32 entries

Men's doubles A and Mixed doubles A: maximum of 40 pairs; Ladies doubles A: maximum of 32 pairs

Men's singles B: maximum of 64 entries, Ladies' single B: maximum of 32 entries

Men's doubles B and Mixed doubles B: maximum of 40 pairs; Ladies doubles B: maximum of 32 pairs

Men's singles C: maximum of 64 entries, Ladies' single C: maximum of 32 entries

Men's doubles C and Mixed doubles C: maximum of 40 pairs; Ladies doubles C: maximum of 32 pairs

Code BIC: CCPLLULL; IBAN: LU19 1111 0804 8976 0000

E-Mail: tournament@brwalfer.net

Level:

• A Class: A players (according to the most recent available national ranking, 2 weeks prior to the tournament) from Denmark, Italy, Austria and all other countries invited;

France: N1, N2, N3 Belgium: 1, 2 and 3

Germany: 1. and 2. Bundesliga, Regionalliga;

Netherlands: players with 1800 points or more on the latest available Dutch ranking list;

Luxembourg: players ranked as A00

NOTE: Players who are ranked like above are not allowed to play in the B or C-Class!

• <u>B Class</u>: B players and lower ranked players from Belgium, Denmark, Italy, Austria and all other countries

invited;

France: R4, R5, R6, D7,

Belgium: 4 to 7

Germany: Oberliga, Verbandsliga, Landesliga;

Netherlands: players between 1800 and 600 points on the latest available Dutch ranking list;

Luxembourg: players ranked between A05 and B15

NOTE: Players who are ranked like above are not allowed to play in the C-Class!

• <u>C Class</u>: C players and lower ranked players from Belgium, Denmark, Italy, Austria and all other countries

invited;

France: D8, D9, P10, P11, P12

Belgium: 8 to 12

Germany: up to Bezirksliga;

Netherlands: players with fewer than 600 points on the latest available Dutch ranking list;

Luxembourg: players ranked from C20 to D35

Shuttlecocks: Feather shuttlecocks - the shuttlecocks for the <u>finals</u> will be provided by <u>www.peters-sport-shop.de</u>

Closing date for entries: 28th May 2025, no changes can be accepted after that date!

Draw: will take place on 1st June 2025

Registration: online registration (starting on February 9th) on <u>www.tournamentsoftware.com</u>

Full link:

https://www.tournamentsoftware.com/tournament/A3D1D164-35F5-4F08-916C-60713FB95F49

or alternatively by sending the attached form by e-mail: tournament@brwalfer.net

Referee: will be appointed by FELUBA (www.feluba.lu)

Entry fee: per player: $12 ext{ } €$ one-off registration fee $+ 5 ext{ } €$ per event.

The registration fee is payable even in case of withdrawal. The fees are payable either per transfer (bank account: see footer) or on-site.

Important: Entries will be accepted on the basis of players' strength and the order of entry. Entry fees must be paid at latest one hour before the start of the tournament.

The organizer cannot be made liable for any accident or injury sustained during the tournament.

When entering the sports venue all visitors give their silent consent to the club to use and broadcast photos and videos taken from them on our social media and website.

Team Challenge

For each match won by a player, his/her club will be awarded one point. The club with the highest number of points will be the winner of the 2024 Team Challenge, which will be awarded by a Magnum bottle of Crémant.

Please indicate exactly which club the players listed on your entry form belong to. Any fraud will be sanctioned by the cancellation of all the points won by that club!

Players Night

Player's night on Sunday (8th June) evening, starting from 19h30 (depending on the tournament's schedule on Sunday) at Centre Prince Henri, including good music and barbecue.

During the tournament, you can buy some **tombola** tickets and win some exciting prizes. Draw will take place during the players' night.

Accommodation information's

Reservation through the organizer:

- Campsite in front of the sports site
 - 2 nights: 40€ per person
 - 3 nights: 60€ per person

The participants have to bring their own camping tents. The number of person and nights have to be indicated in the registration sheet (see attachment). Please note that the campsite has a limited capacity. Breakfast included for the campers from 8h00 to 9h30.

Night rest at midnight 24h00. No loud noises allowed past that time!

Reservation via internet/telephone by the participants themselves:

• Youth hostels: www.youthhostels.lu

Some of the nearest youth hostels are listed below:

- Youth hostel Luxembourg-city:

For an avaibility check, please contact the hostel itself.

Contact information: Website: http://youthhostels.lu/en/youth-hostels/youth-hostel-luxembourg

Tel: (+352) 2627 66 650

E-Mail: luxembourg@vouthhostels.lu

Youth hostel Hollenfels:

For an avaibility check, please contact the hostel itself.

Contact information: Website: http://youthhostels.lu/en/youth-hostels/youth-hostel-hollenfels

Tel: (+352) 2627 66 500 E-Mail: hollenfels@youthhostels.lu

• Hotels:

Hotel Ibis Luxembourg Airport:

For reservation please contact the Ibis Hotel. tel: +352 43 88 01

Website: http://www.accorhotels.com/fr/hotel-0974-ibis-luxembourg-aeroport/index.shtml

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For further information's please contact:

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We're looking forward to welcome you in Walferdange for this 41st edition!

Registration for the 41st International Whit-tournament on 7th – 9th June 2025

Name of the club:			
Contact person :			
Address of the club:			
Telephon/Fax:			
e-mail :			

The following players and accompanying persons will participate in the tournament:

						Single		Double		Mixed	Camping
Name	M/F	Ranking	Licence Nr	Birthdate	e-mail	Class	Class	Partner	Class	Partner	Nights
e/g: Marc EXAMPLE	M	A	XXX	01.01.2000	m.example@tournament.whit	В	A	Nathan EXAMPLE	A	Pauline EXAMPLE	3

Date :	Signature:
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 ⁽²⁾ Indication of the player's level in the league in which he is competing: e.g. 1. Bundesliga (D), Highest points (NL) or 1-12 (BE)
(3) Indication of the licence number of the player

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- (1) Male/Female
- (2) Indication of the player's level in the league in which he is competing: e.g. 1. Bundesliga (D), A (NL) or A (DK)
- (3) Indication of the licence number of the player

Date :	Signature:
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