


# LI-NING Cyprus Youth International 2019

Nicosia, 12<sup>th</sup> – 15<sup>th</sup> December 2019 (Thursday-Sunday)

<b>ORGANISER</b>	<b>CYPRUS BADMINTON FEDERATION</b> 21 Amphiloleos Street, 2025 Strovolos, Nicosia Tel.: +357 22 449868, Fax: +357 22449869 E-mail: <a href="mailto:badminton@cytanet.com.cy">badminton@cytanet.com.cy</a>	
<b>VENUE</b>	University of Cyprus Sports Center, 1 University Avenue, Aglantzia 1678, Nicosia	
<b>REFEREE</b>	TBA	
<b>DATES</b>	Thursday, 12th December 2019- Sunday 15th December 2019	
<b>ENTRY DEADLINE</b>	Tuesday 19th November 2019 Entry forms must be sent to <a href="mailto:badminton@cytanet.com.cy">badminton@cytanet.com.cy</a> using the tournament entry form. No late entries will be accepted. All entries must be confirmed by their National Association. All entries should be sent by order of strength.	
<b>EVENTS AND MAXIMUM NUMBER OF PLAYERS PER EVENT</b>	BS U15 (32), GS U15 (32), BD U15 (16), GD U15 (16), XD U15 (32) BS U13 (32), GS U13 (32), BD U13 (24), GD U13 (24), XD U13 (32) BS U11 (16), GS U11 (16) There will be no doubles or mixed doubles events in the U11 age group, but U11 doubles pairs can enter the U13 doubles and mixed doubles events.  A player can participate in a maximum of 3 events: one singles, one doubles and one mixed doubles (in all age groups in both the Youth and the U17 tournaments, i.e. if a player plays in U13 singles he/she cannot also play singles in another age group )  Foreign and national team entries submitted will be given priority and acceptance of participation will be provided from the Cyprus Badminton Federation within two working days from submission of entry.	
<b>AGE LIMITS</b>	U15 - born 2005 or later, U13 – born 2007 or later, U11 – born 2009 or later	
<b>SEEDING</b>	Seeding shall be done by the Cyprus Badminton Federation	
<b>DRAW</b>	Tuesday December 3, 2019. The draw will be done by the Cyprus Badminton Federation.	
<b>PRIZES</b>	Trophies will be awarded to the winners.	
<b>ENTRY FEES</b>	Singles: €25 per player Doubles: €15 per player, per event.	

	<p>The Member Association that enters a player into a tournament is responsible for paying the entry fees for that player. The entry fees become due if a player is entered and has not been withdrawn when the entry deadline has passed.</p> <p>It is recommended that the entry fees are paid by bank transfer, but the organizers can accept cash payment at the tournament <b>before a player's first scheduled match</b>. The entry fees will not be refunded in the case of a withdrawal.</p> <p><b>Money transfer or payment must be made to:</b>  Bank: Bank of Cyprus  Cyprus Badminton Federation  Acc.No 0112-01-023086-00  IBAN: CY04 0020 0112 0000 0001 0230 8600  SWIFT: BCYPCY2N</p>
<b>SHUTTLES</b>	LI-NING A+300
<b>COURTS</b>	6 PRO Court Badminton Mats
<b>CONDITIONS OF PLAY</b>	<p>The tournament will be played in full accordance with the BWF Competition Regulations.</p> <p>Competitors must be prepared to play at the times determined for the events for which they have entered. Competitors will be scratched if not ready to play when called.</p>
<b>SYSTEM</b>	Round robin qualification in groups of 3 or 4 in singles events, followed by knock out. Knock out for all doubles events.
<b>PROVISIONAL SCHEDULE</b>	<p>Team managers meeting: Thursday, 12<sup>th</sup> December 2019, 8.30am at the tournament hall</p> <p>Thursday, 12<sup>th</sup> December, group matches and preliminary rounds, from 9.00 until 21.00</p> <p>Friday, 13<sup>th</sup> December, 09.00-21.00 knock out matches</p> <p>Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> December 09.00-21.00, quarterfinals and semifinals</p> <p>Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> December 2019, Finals from 09.00</p> <p>Sunday 14.00 Victory Ceremony</p> <p>The provisional times are tentative and may change depending on the number of entries and subject to the approval of the referee.</p>
<b>WEBPAGE</b>	<a href="https://badmintoncyprus.com/">https://badmintoncyprus.com/</a>
<b>INSURANCE</b>	Insurance should be arranged individually by each player
<b>MEDICAL SERVICE</b>	Medical staff will be present in the sports hall for the duration of the tournament
<b>OFFICIAL POINT OF ARRIVAL</b>	Larnaca International Airport
<b>VISA</b>	<p>After entering a player in the tournaments it is the Member Association's responsibility to secure visas for that player - if this is needed.</p> <p>Member Associations must make sure that visa applications are made early enough. The Tournaments Organisers will help the entered players to get a Visa, if needed.</p>

**ACCOMMODATION**

Please fill out the accommodation form and send to [badminton@cytanet.com.cy](mailto:badminton@cytanet.com.cy) by November 21, 2019. In the accommodation form, please choose one of the following three official hotels:

**ASTY Hotel \*\***

12 Prince Charles Str, PO Box 24502, 1300, Nicosia, Cyprus,

	B/B	Half Board	Full Board
Single room	50	60	70
Double room	75	95	110
Triple room	95	125	150

**EUROPA PLAZA Hotel \*\*\***

O13, Alkeou Street, Engomi, 2404 Nicosia, Cyprus

	B/B	Half Board
Single room	55	67
Double room	80	104
Triple room	105	140

**SEMELI Hotel \*\*\*\***

10 Petraki Yiallourou Street

Agioi Omologites, 1077 Nicosia, Cyprus

	B/B	Half Board
Single room	80	90
Double room	100	120

Important Note: Please note that rooms at the official hotels will be given out on a first come, first served basis because of limited number of rooms available!

RESERVATION FOR THE HOTEL MUST BE DONE THROUGH THE CYPRUS BADMINTON FEDERATION BUT PAYMENT FOR ACCOMMODATION MUST BE SETTLED DIRECTLY WITH THE HOTEL!

\*The organiser has the right to refuse transportation if the hotel is different from the above!\*

Accommodation closing date: 21st November 2019

**DRUG TESTING**

According to Cyprus Law, Drug Testing may be carried out on a random basis at any time

**TRANSPORT**

Transport will be provided between Larnaca Airport and the official hotels. On arrival at Larnaca you should look for

**KAPNOS AIRPORTS SHUTTLES**

<http://www.kapnosairportshuttle.com>

Make sure you get on one of these buses. Upon arrival at the bus terminal in Nicosia, you will be taken to your hotel (official hotels only) by a taxi or minibus. The cost of round trip transportation (both ways) from Larnaca Airport to the official hotels is €16 per person payable at the same time with the entry fees.

	<p>In order to be met at your arrival, please inform us about your flight details filling in the attached Travel Details Form by Thursday, November 21st 2019.</p> <p>If someone travels to Cyprus from Paphos airport there will be a total round trip transportation cost from Paphos airport to the official hotel of €30 per person payable at the same time with the entry fees, using Kapnos Airport Shuttles.</p> <p>Transport will also be provided by the organizer between the official hotels and the sports hall free of charge.</p> <p><b><u>Note that the Larnaca and Paphos international airports are the only legal airport points of entry to the Republic of Cyprus and are the only arrival airports for the tournament.</u></b></p>
<b>DEPARTURES</b>	Players should not plan their departure less than three (3) hours after their last match is planned to conclude
<b>ORGANIZING COMMITTEE</b>	Stefanos Hailis(T.C President), Stalo Nicolaou(Treasurer), Thomas Anastasiades, Nicolas Panayiotou, Panayiotis Athinodorou.
<b>IMPORTANT</b>	The Cyprus U17 International tournament will be held in the same competition venue between December 14 and December 16.
<b>FOOD</b>	Will be available to purchase at the sports hall during the tournament.

### Nicosia – The Capital

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
Avg. Temperature	12	13	16	21	27	30	33	32	29	24	18	14
Avg. Max Temperature	14	16	18	23	29	33	36	36	32	28	21	17
Avg. Min Temperature	6	5	7	10	16	19	22	22	19	15	10	7
Avg. Rain Days	5	3	3	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	3	3



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