

2001 OCBC/YONEX U.S. OPEN

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September 4 - 8, 2001

Orange, California

Entry Deadline: August 4, 2001

TOURNAMENT DATESeptember 4 - 8, 2001

TOURNAMENT VENUEOrange County Badminton Club

TOURNAMENT INFORMATION	Paisan Rangsitpho	Dan Cloppas	Don Chew
	Organizing Committee Chair	Executive Director	President
	U.S. Open	USA Badminton	USA Badminton
	(562) 858-2011	(719) 578-4808	(714) 639-6222
	FAX (562) 439-9433	FAX (719) 578-4507	FAX (714) 639-8392

CONDITIONS OF PLAY - The 2001 OCBC/YONEX U.S. Open Championships will be conducted under the conditions as laid down by the International Badminton Federation Governing IBF World Grand Prix Events (in the event of dispute, the decision of the Tournament Referee will be final). **The 5 x 7 Scoring System will be used in accordance with IBF regulation.**

ENTRY MAXIMUM - A maximum number of entrants will be allowed in each event. Qualification matches will be played if required on the morning of September 4, 2001.

CLOTHING - Competitors are advised that clothing and advertising contained therein must conform to IBF regulations and World Grand Prix Events. Player's name must appear on the back of shirts as specified by IBF regulations.

REFEREE - The Tournament referee is Mr. Federico Valdez.

PRACTICE TIMES - Practice times at the Orange County Badminton Club will be available in the Tournament Registration Package.

REGISTRATION - Registration will take place at the Sheraton Anaheim Hotel on Sunday, Sept. 2 to Tuesday, Sept. 4.

TRANSPORTATION - Transportation will be provided only between the Sheraton Anaheim Hotel and the airport per request. Transportation will be provided only between the Sheraton Anaheim Hotel and the Orange County Badminton Club.

STARTING TIME - No time cards will be mailed out. All players are required to check in at the host hotel on Sunday or Monday. Qualifying rounds if necessary, will be on Tues., Sept. 4. The main draw starts on Wed., Sept. 5.

ELIGIBILITY - Participation in the 2001 U.S. Open is open to members of any national association recognized by the IBF and any currently registered member of the USAB. To enter, national associations should list their players according to national ranking on the entry form. Other contestants must complete the appropriate entry application and forward it, along with the appropriate fees, if applicable.

FEES - The entry fees for the 2001 U.S. Open include one admittance and one tournament player pass. Competition will be conducted in men's singles, women's singles, men's doubles, women's doubles and mixed doubles. First two events \$50, each additional event \$25. Checks should be made payable to United States Badminton Association and in U.S. Funds.

Competitors entering the tournament as members of their country's national team and officially submitted by their national association will have entry fees waived, provided their entry applications are submitted by the entry deadline. A late fee of \$50.00 will be charged for any entry postmarked after Aug. 4, 2001. The USAB reserves the right to refuse entries submitted after the entry deadline.

PRIZE MONEY - The USAB is able to offer \$30,000 in prize money at the 2001 U.S. Open. This money will be allocated in accordance with IBF rules governing Grand Prix events.

SHUTTLECOCKS - The Yonex Aerosena is the official shuttlecock for the 2001 U.S. Open. Practice shuttlecocks will be available at minimal cost from the supplier at the competition venue.

ACCOMMODATIONS - The Sheraton Anaheim Hotel [(714) 778-1700, reservations: 1-800-325-3535 (US & Canada)] has been selected as the official headquarters and hosts the hotel for the 2001 OCBC/Yonex U.S. Open. The Sheraton Anaheim is offering special room rates for the duration of the competition. \$99 plus tax for 1-4 people with two buffet breakfasts included in the price. Reservations at the special price need to be made by August 4, 2001.

DRUG TESTING - In accordance with the current regulations of both the International and United States Olympic Committee, random drug testing may be carried out at any time during the course of the competition. All testing will be done in accordance with the current IBF and USAB regulations. For current information concerning banned substances and medication, contact the USOC Drug Education Hotline at 1-800-233-0393.

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ENTRY APPLICATION ENTRY DEADLINE: August 4, 2001

Individuals not entered by their national association should complete the information below and return with entry fees to the **USA Badminton National Office, One Olympic Plaza, Colorado Springs, CO 80909 USA.**

Name _____ USAB Membership # _____

Address _____

City/State/ZIP _____ Country _____

Phone (Daytime) _____ (Evening) _____

My signature on this form certifies that I have read and understand the application and am a current USBA member.

Please enter me in the following events at the 2001 OCBC/YONEX U.S. OPEN

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Men's Singles | <input type="checkbox"/> Women's Singles |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Men's Doubles | <input type="checkbox"/> Women's Doubles |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Mixed Doubles | |

Men's/Women's Doubles Partner's Name: _____

Mixed Doubles Partner's Name: _____

ENTRY FEE ENCLOSED First two (2) events \$50. Third event \$25. \$ _____

(Please enclose with entry two photos and short biographical player information)

Release and Covenant Not To Sue

In consideration of being permitted to participate in the 2001 OCBC/YONEX U.S. Open Badminton Championships and for good and valuable consideration, I, the person named below, hereinafter called ENTRANT, do hereby agree and covenant with, and release and discharge the United States Badminton Association, Orange County Badminton Club, K & D Graphics, Bebe's Cafe, Yonex Corporation, their employees, agents, officers, members, heirs, assigns, executors and administrators and any and all participants in this event as follows:

Entrant does hereby promise, agree and covenant that he/she will never, at any future time, sue or bring action against the forenamed or any of them, reason of any claim for damages, whether such damage arises from the conduct of the tournament or condition of the premises or from any cause whatsoever, and Entrant does hereby release, remise and discharge the forenamed, or any of them from all claims, actions, suites, causes of actions and demands of nature, whether at law or in equity, arising from or alleged to arise from any accident or other occurrence during or in connection with this tournament or condition of the premises on which this event takes place.

Entrant warrants and represents that he/she will be bound by the rules and regulations of the International Badminton Federation and the United States Badminton Association; is an eligible player as defined by the rules of the organization; that Entrant understands that the forenamed makes no warranties or guarantees of any nature with respect to the condition of the premises, the operation of the tournament and that no agent or employee is authorized to vary the terms of this agreement, either orally or in writing.

For the same consideration I hereby give the United States Badminton Association, and each and every licensee or contractee of either or all of them including photographers, television and or motion picture companies or concerns, their affiliates and subsidiaries, full television and motion picture rights, including full power, permission and authority to film or video tape me during all matches, narrations, personal interviews, or comment thereon for any all commercial, news or other purposes together with the right to transfer to grant their rights to offers, all subject to no payment to me therefor.

I have read this agreement, understand its purpose and agree to its terms.

Signed _____ Date _____

Parent/Guardian Signature (if minor) _____ Date _____

Return this completed form and correct entry fees (checks payable to U.S.A. Badminton) to: **USA Badminton, One Olympic Plaza, Colorado Springs, CO 80909 USA**, phone (719) 578-4808, FAX (719) 578-4507. ENTRY DEADLINE: AUGUST 4, 2001.

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INTERNATIONAL TEAM ENTRY FORM

National Association of			
Name of Contact			
Telephone Number		FAX Number:	

Please accept the following entries
for the 2001 U.S. Open

Please type or write clearly in BLOCK CAPITALS
Entries must be shown in order of strength and numbered in the left-hand column

ORDER OF STRENGTH	FAMILY NAME	FIRST NAME	IBF #	NAT. RANK
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MEN'S SINGLES

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LADIES' SINGLES

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OFFICIALS: _____

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MIXED DOUBLES

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VERY IMPORTANT: PLEASE INCLUDE BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION AND TWO PHOTOS

Arrival Date:

Airport:

Hotel Requirements:

Airline:

Flight Number:

Number of single rooms: _____

Arrival Time:

Number of double rooms: _____

Departure Date:

Airport:

Number of triple rooms: _____

Airline:

Flight Number:

Departure Time:

Entry fees are not charged for players entered by their national associations. This form must reach the following address no later than Aug. 4, 2001
USA Badminton, One Olympic Plaza, Colorado Springs, CO 80909, USA, telephone (719) 578-4808, FAX (719) 578-4507.

2001 OCBC/YONEX SENIOR INTERNATIONAL BADMINTON CHAMPIONSHIPS

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EVENT HELD DURING THE 2001 OCBC/YONEX U.S. OPEN

September 6 - 8, 2001

Match Time: 8 AM - 2 PM

Orange, California

Entry Deadline: August 17, 2001

VENUE	Orange County Badminton Club at 1432 N. Main St. • Orange • CA 92867 • (714) 639-6222 • Fax (714) 639-8392.		
EVENTS	Men's Singles, Women's Singles, Men's Doubles, Women's Doubles and Mixed Doubles.		
FLIGHTS	Senior Singles (Ages: 40+, 45+, 50+, 55+ and 60+). Combination Senior Doubles (Combined Team Ages: 80+, 90+, 100+, 110+ and 120+; players must be older than 35 years of age; combined team age equals the sum of both player's age; date of birth as of September 6, 2001).		
ENTRY FEE	\$25 per event which includes one admittance and one tournament player pass to the U.S. Open. Participants are limited to a maximum of four events.		
FORMAT	Main draw and consolation round format in accordance with USA Badminton and IBF rules. Senior events with insufficient entries may have format altered or may be cancelled.		
PRIZE	Medals will be awarded to all finalists. Winners shall have their names engraved on the OCBC perpetual trophies.		
OFFICIALS	TOURNAMENT CHAIRMAN	Don Chew	(714) 639-6222
	TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR	Paisan Rangsitpho	(562) 858-2011
EQUIPMENT SPONSOR	Shuttlecocks will be provided by Yonex Corporation, the official equipment sponsor of the 2001 OCBC/Yonex Senior International Badminton Championships.		
HOTEL	The Sheraton Anaheim Hotel [(714) 778-1700, reservations: 1-800-325-3535 (US & Canada)] has been selected as the official headquarters and hosts the hotel for the 2001 OCBC/Yonex U.S. Open. The Sheraton Anaheim is offering special room rates for the duration of the competition. \$99 plus tax for 1-4 people with two buffet breakfasts included in the price. Reservations at the special price need to be made by August 4, 2001.		
ENTRY INFO	Return completed entry form and correct entry fees (check payable to USA Badminton) to: Orange County Badminton Club, 1432 North Main Street, Orange, CA 92867 , phone (714) 639-6222, fax (714) 639-8392. ENTRY DEADLINE: AUGUST 17, 2001.		

For more information, contact Mrs. Tim Mangkalakiri at the Orange County Badminton Club (714) 639-6222, FAX (714) 639-8392.

ENTRY APPLICATION

ENTRY DEADLINE: August 17, 2001

Name: _____ USAB Membership #: _____ Sex: M F Birthday: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ Zip: _____ Country: _____

Phone (Daytime): (____) _____ Phone (Evening): (____) _____

National Ranking: _____ World Ranking: _____

Please enter me in the following events for the 2001 OCBC/YONEX Senior International:

FLIGHT	40+/80+ Doubles	45+/90+ Doubles	50+/100+ Doubles	55+/110+ Doubles	60+/120+ Doubles
MEN'S SINGLES	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
WOMEN'S SINGLES	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
MEN'S DOUBLES	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
PARTNER: _____ Check if partner required <input type="checkbox"/>					
WOMEN'S DOUBLES	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
PARTNER: _____ Check if partner required <input type="checkbox"/>					
MIXED DOUBLES	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
PARTNER: _____ Check if partner required <input type="checkbox"/>					

ENTRY FEE ENCLOSED (\$25 per event): \$ _____ Credit Card # _____

Print Name _____ Sign _____ Expiration Date _____

Release and Covenant Not To Sue

In consideration of being permitted to participate in the 2001 OCBC/Yonex Senior International Badminton Championships and for good and valuable consideration, I, the person named below, hereinafter called ENTRANT, do hereby agree and covenant with, and release and discharge the United States Badminton Association, Orange County Badminton Club, K & D Graphics, Bebe's Cafe, Yonex Corporation, their employees, agents, officers, members, heirs, assigns, executors and administrators and any and all participants in this event as follows:

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For the same consideration I hereby give the United States Badminton Association, and each and every licensee or contractee of either or all of them including photographers, television and or motion picture companies or concerns, their affiliates and subsidiaries, full television and motion picture rights, including full power, permission and authority to film or video tape me during all matches, narrations, personal interviews, or comment thereon for any all commercial, news or other purposes together with the right to transfer to grant their rights to offers, all subject to no payment to me therefor.

I have read this agreement, understand its purpose and agree to its terms.

Signed _____ Date _____

Return this completed form and correct entry fees (checks payable to OCBC) to: **Orange County Badminton Club, 1432 North Main Street, Orange, CA 92867**, phone (714) 639-6222, fax (714) 639-8392. ENTRY DEADLINE: AUGUST 17, 2001.