# 7th Czech Para Badminton Open 2024

Organizational instructions



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## Tournament history

- 2017: Brno, 7 participants
- 2018: Rousínov, 17 participants
- **2019:** Rousínov, 27 participants
- 2020: No tournament due to COVID-19
- 2021: Rousínov, 14 participants
- 2022: Rousínov, 22 participants
- 2023: Prague, 57 participants from 10 European countries
- 2024: Prague, 80 participants from 16 European countries and guests from Japan
- It's fascinating to see how the number of participants has grown over the years. We're delighted by your interest and hope you'll enjoy this year's edition, creating fond memories to cherish.

#### Badminton hall details

- The tournament hall is barrier-free,
- There are 2 wheelchair accessible toilets and 2 mobile accessible toilets which will be located within sight of the main entrance to the hall,
- Changing rooms for wheelchair users are located on the ground floor,
- Standing players will exclusively use the changing rooms and toilets upstairs.

### Transportation to the hall

- The organizer provides transportation:
  - from the airport to the Duo tournament hotel on Thursday and Friday
  - after the event from the hall on Sunday,
  - from the Duo hotel to the airport on Monday,
  - transfers between the Duo hotel and the hall.
- Transport will be provided by vans or private cars,
- The transportation coordinator will contact you. If you need to address anything, contact **Lucie Moravcová** (+420724702402).

## Parking at the hall

- Parking is possible along the sports hall in designated areas:
  - On the right side and at the main entrance,
  - or in the parking lot next to the adjacent school (on the right-hand side when entering the area).

#### Accommodation

- If you requested transportation, you had to use the tournament hotel,
- Other participants could arrange their own accommodation,
- For accommodation inquiries, please contact:
  - Lucie Moravcová: +420 724 702 402
  - Radka Kučírková: +420 602 179 011

#### Accreditation

- The organizer will provide **accreditation cards and gift bags** for participants, coaches, escorts, volunteers, and referees,
- Accreditation will be distributed either on Friday at the Duo hotel (for those staying there) or on Saturday morning at the tournament venue,
- Participants should wear their **accreditation cards** around their necks, except during actual matches, to facilitate recognition by organizers and volunteers,
- Accreditation distribution will be managed by volunteers under the supervision of their coordinator, **Zuzana Buroňová** (+420 728 990 011).

#### Refreshments

- The organizer provides lunches for athletes who have paid the entry fee.
  Escorts do not have lunches provided,
- The lunch includes a **baguette with meat** (if you have specified a dietary preference, you will receive a vegetarian version), **salad**, and a **beverage**,
- Additionally, at the venue, there will be tournament snacks available, including Linzer cookies and fruit,
- Refreshments are managed by Lenka Dutá (+420 602 248 922).

#### Classification

- The organizer offers classification assessments to participants without international classification for a **fee of 20€**,
- Classification is currently voluntary for this event, but it will be mandatory in the following year,
- The main classifier and medical officer of the event is **Vojtěch Lapáček** (+420 733 655 727).

#### Referees

- At this year's tournament, matches will be officiated by trained referees from countries:
  - · Czech Republic,
  - Slovakia,
  - Poland,
  - Norway,
  - Switzerland.

## Match organization

- A large number of **matches are scheduled**, necessitating smooth tournament operation,
- Planned matches will be announced during preceding matches to optimize efficiency,
- Players are responsible for being ready at their designated courts without disrupting ongoing matches,
- Please maintain a respectful distance from the courts during play,
- Stay informed about scheduled matches, results, and statistics using the Multiliga.cz tournament software,
- Match schedules will also be displayed on screens within the venue and in the café near the reception area.

### Tournament system

- Our priority is to ensure that everyone enjoys playing, which is why we have chosen the **Swiss system** for our tournament,
- The Swiss system guarantees each player or pair the same number of matches, especially when the number of participants in a category is even,
- In disciplines with fewer participants, players will compete in a **round-robin format**, playing against each other,
- Matches will be played with 2 sets, each set being played to 15 points with a 2-point advantage, and a maximum score of 20,
- The head referee is **Rostislav Geržičák** (+420 602 784 087).

#### Tournament schedule

8:00-8:30 Registration

**9:00** Opening ceremony

**9:15-18:30** Main competition

Sun. 28 Apr. 2024

Sat. 27 Apr. 2024

9:00-16:00 Main competition

**16:15** Final and medal ceremony

Rostislav Geržičák will now go through all disciplines and describe the game system (Swiss or group).

### Important contacts

- Chief referee
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- Classification
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- Refreshments
  - Lenka Dutá, +420602248922
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- Tournament website
  - https://www.parabadminton.cz/en/cz ech-open-24
  - Prospectus