

New England Junior Open
Marblehead High School, 2 Humphrey Street, Marblehead, MA 01945
November 21-22, 2009

Hosted by Marblehead Youth Badminton

- EVENTS:** Girls' and Boys' Singles and Doubles, Mixed Doubles.
Maximum of 3 events per player.
- AGE CATEGORIES:** Under 22, Under 19, Under 17, Under 15, Under 13, Under 11, Under 9.
(*Eligibility determined by age as of 12/31/2009*)
Novice Exhibition Category: one game of singles; more if time permits
- ENTRY FEES:** \$75 for one to three events: Fee includes t-shirt and Saturday night dinner.
All players must be USA Badminton members or members of their national organization. If not, USAB tournament-only membership fee is \$20 and may be purchased at Registration Desk at time of tournament.
Novice Exhibition Category = \$15 fee: includes t-shirt but **not** dinner.
Additional dinner guest tickets may be purchased for \$10.00/pp. (see entry form)
- TOURNAMENT DIRECTORS:** Bob Malaythong and Nick Vered : E-mail: bob.malaythong@gmail.com
- ENTRY DEADLINE:** postmarked by October 30, 2009
- REGISTRATION:** Make check payable to: Marblehead Youth Badminton
Mail check and completed registration form to:
Marblehead Youth Badminton
P.O. Box 1323
Marblehead, MA 01945
ATTN: NEJO 2009 REGISTRATION
- SANCTION:** This tournament is sanctioned by USA Badminton. Results will be submitted for ranking purposes. Also, this is a major event for juniors trying to qualify for Junior National Camps. In addition, as a sanctioned event, athletes may be selected for drug testing without prior announcement.
- AWARDS:** We will honor 2 players with the Jeff Bingenheimer Sportsmanship Award on Sunday at 12:00 noon, based on the coaches' and umpires' recommendations.
- SCHEDULE:**
- | | <u>DAY</u> | <u>TIME</u> | |
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| | SATURDAY | 8:30 am | Registration |
| | | 9:00 am | Tournament Play Begins |
| | | 5:00 pm - 7:00 pm | Dinner |
| | SUNDAY | 8:30 am - 4:00 pm | Finals |
- NOTES:** 10-minute default rule will be in effect. If we have a large number of entries Friday night may be used for qualification rounds for local players.
- PRIZES:** Will be awarded to first and second place winners and first place consolation.
- SHUTTLES:** Yonex Feather shuttles shall be used in all matches.
- SNACK BAR:** Breakfast, Lunch, + Snacks will be available for sale throughout the weekend.
- DINNER:** Dinner is planned for Saturday, November 21 from 6-8 pm. Player's dinner is included in the entry fee. Family members and friends are welcome to attend for an additional guest fee of \$10.00 per person.
- HOUSING:** Players may elect to stay with a host family on Friday and Saturday nights.
E-mail your request by the registration deadline to mybhousing@comcast.net
- TRANSPORTATION:** Pick-up may be arranged in advance for those arriving at Boston's Logan International Airport and South Station for train arrivals. Please e-mail your request by the registration deadline to mybhousing@comcast.net

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Official Entry Form

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY

Name	Phone ()	USAB #
Male or Female (circle one)	e-mail	
School/Club	Birth Date	Age (as of 12/31/09)

Events		Novice Exhibition	U 22	U 19	U 17	U 15	U 13	U 11	U 9
singles									
doubles	Ptnr or Req:	N/A							
mixed	Ptnr or Req:	N/A							

T-Shirt (check one)	small	medium	large	XL
Adult				
Youth				not available

HOUSING and TRANSPORTATION:

Please e-mail all questions and requests by the registration deadline to mybhousing@comcast.net

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Entry Fee: U-22 thru U- 9 (includes one player dinner ticket + a free t-shirt)	\$75	\$
Entry Fee: Novice Exhibition Category (includes free t-shirt)	\$15	\$
Additional NEJO t-shirts (be sure to check sizes above)	_____ @ \$10 each	\$
Additional Guest Dinner Tickets	_____ @ \$10 each	\$
TOTAL DUE:		\$

USA BADMINTON WAIVER AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY

NOTE: THIS FORM MUST BE READ AND SIGNED BEFORE PARTICIPANT IS PERMITTED TO TAKE PART IN EVENT SESSIONS. BY SIGNING THIS AGREEMENT, PARTICIPANT AFFIRMS HAVING READ IT.

IN CONSIDERATION of my involvement in the 2009 New England Junior Open (NEJO) badminton tournament sponsored by Marblehead Youth Badminton (MYB), Marblehead, MA, sanctioned by USA Badminton, I acknowledge, appreciate and agree that:

1. I risk bodily injury, including paralysis, dismemberment, disability and death, and while particular rules of the sport, equipment, and discipline may reduce this risk, this risk of injury does exist, as well as the risk of damage to or loss of property;
2. I knowingly and freely assume all such risk, both known and unknown, even if arising from the negligence of the releases or others;
3. I willingly agree to comply with the stated and customary terms and conditions for participation. If, however, I observe any unusual or unnecessary hazard during my presence or participation or if I observe any concern in my readiness for participation, I will immediately bring such to the attention of the nearest official and refrain from participation; and,
4. I, for myself, and on behalf of my heirs, assigns, personal representatives and next of kin, hereby release, hold harmless and promise not to sue USA Badminton, the NEJO tournament committee, MYB, their officers, volunteers, staff, sponsors and/or agents, ("releases") with respect to any and all injury and loss arising from my participation, whether caused by the negligence of the releases, the condition of the premises or otherwise, except that which is the result of gross negligence or wanton misconduct, to the fullest extent permitted by law;
5. I agree to be bound by the rules and regulations of USA Badminton and I hereby stipulate that I am eligible to play in the events for which I am applying and that I understand that the above mentioned make no representation or warranty with respect to the condition of the premises or the operation of the event;
6. I, hereby grant to USA Badminton, its licensees and contractees including photographers, televisions and motion picture companies, their affiliates and subsidiaries, full television and motion picture rights including authority to film or videotape me during matches, narratives, personal interviews, or comment thereon for any and all commercial, news or other purposes together with the right to transfer or grant their rights to others, all without remuneration or compensation to me whatsoever.

I have read this Release of Liability and Waiver Agreement, fully understand its terms, understand that I have given up substantial rights by signing it, and sign it freely and voluntarily without any inducement.

Date Participant's Signature Participant's Name (Printed) USA Badminton Member

FOR PARTICIPANTS OF MINORITY AGE

This is to certify that I/We as parent(s)/guardian(s) with legal responsibility for this participant, do consent and agree not only to his/her release, but also for myself, ourselves, and my /our heirs, assigns and next of kin to release and indemnify the Releasees from any and all Liability incident to my/our child's involvement as stated above, EVEN IF ARISING FROM THE NEGLIGENCE OF THE RELEASEES, to the fullest extent permitted by law.

Date Parent/Legal Guardian Signature Parent/Legal Guardian Signature Relationship to Participant