

2009 National Collegiate Badminton Championship

Irvine Valley College – March 20-22, 2009

Sponsored by **Irvine Valley College, Yonex Corp., Irvine Badminton Club, and Smashing Sports.**

This Championship is sanctioned by USA Badminton. All participants must present a valid USAB membership card at registration or belong to a USAB member club.

This is a Championship/Consolation format with Team and Individual Result.

Tournament Directors: Martin McGrogan, Joseph Lin

Tournament Referee: tbd

Entry: \$25.00 for the first event and \$15.00 for the second event per person.
One Yonex sponsored t-shirt is included per entrant.

An entry form must be filled in by each individual and a separate team entry must be filled out by the coach/lead person. Forms are found at the end of this document. Entries must also be accompanied by fees and enrollment certifications for each player (details below). If you do not get an email confirmation within ten days from when the entry was sent, please contact us.

Send entry to: Joseph Lin
Collegiate Nationals Badminton Championship
1 Hawkridge, Irvine, CA 92604

Entry Deadline: **Postmarked by Monday February 16, 2009**
Make checks payable to: IVC Women's Badminton

Notice - A late entry fee of \$20 per entry will be charged. However, the tournament directors reserve the right to refuse any entries received after the deadline.

Schedule: *(Tentative times)*

Friday, March 20	6pm-9pm	Practice at IVC
Saturday, March 21	8am-9am	Registration at IVC & ICS
@ Irvine Valley College	9am-9pm	Men's Singles, Men's Doubles
@ South Coast Chinese Cultural Ctr	9am-9pm	Women's Singles, Women's Doubles
Sunday, March 22	9am-9pm	Mixed Doubles, and all matches continue.
@ IVC		

Matches: All matches are best two out of three games to 21 points using the rally scoring system. However, the tournament directors reserve the right to change the format of matches in the consolation bracket to one game if necessary.

Eligibility: The Collegiate Nationals are open to all college students who are currently full time undergraduate students. To be an eligible participant, a player must show the following eligibility criteria:

- 1) A registered full-time student, enrolled as an undergraduate, in a minimum of 12 units. **No graduate students are allowed to play in the tournament.**
- 2) Must be 25 years of age or younger as of the first date of the competition.
- 3) Must NOT have been enrolled in college as a full-time student for more than 5 academic years.
- 4) Must NOT have previously competed in the US Collegiate Badminton Nationals more than 3 times.
- 5) Team entries must include enrollment verification with a school stamp for each player to verify that he/she satisfies all the rules. These verifications can be obtained through the school's registrar/administrative office. Failure to comply will result in the disqualification of the player.

There is an official form from your school's Registrar Office that shows that you are full time student enrolled in at least 12 units for the current term. The form is usually called Enrollment form or Verification Transcript. Students who are graduating at the end of the Winter Quarter are eligible to compete.

Instructions:

- 1) Coaches/officials will submit, one roster for a men's team and one roster for a women's team. **EXCEPTION:** coaches/officials of single gender colleges submit only one roster.
 - 2) Coaches/officials fill in the attached team form and rank players who will be score for each team.
 - 3) Each player must fill in the "individual entry form"
 - 4) Each team is allowed to enter a maximum of: 3 players for men's singles, 3 players for women's singles, 2 teams for men's doubles, 2 teams for women's doubles and 2 teams for mixed doubles.
 - 5) In addition to the scoring players, schools can enter non-scoring players. They will be placed in the main draw with scoring players.
 - 6) Players are allowed to play in a *MAXIMUM* of 2 events
 - 7) Players are not allowed to play with partners from different schools.
- EXCEPTIONS:** a) players who are not scoring team points for their colleges and whose names are not on the team score form and b) players from single gender colleges may play mixed doubles with players from other colleges

Seeding: Top seeds in each event are determined by the credentials on the entry form, and any knowledge the tournament directors and organizers have regarding participants. Player should not assume the organizers have knowledge of your background. Please provide as much information as possible to help ensure that players are seeded as accurately as possible. All unseeded players will be randomly placed in

the draw, with precautions taken to ensure that teammates do not play against each other in early rounds.

Awards: First place team trophies will be awarded to the top men's team and top women's team. Winning teams are determined by the accumulated team points. Additional awards will be presented to the individual winners and runners-up for the championship bracket in all events.

◆ **Individual Awards and Prizes** will be presented at the completion of each event. Yonex racket for champion and runner-up; other Yonex products for 3rd, 4th, and Consolation winners.

◆◆ **Team Awards** will be presented at the completion of all events.

Team Scoring: Championship Bracket – Singles, Doubles and Mixed Doubles

Two (2) points will be awarded for each match won. A player or team receiving a first match bye will be awarded four (4) points if the next match is won and no points if the next match is lost. Defaults after the first match will be treated as a match played (two (2) points will be awarded to the winner). An additional point (1) will be awarded to players for the following achievements: reaching the semi-final, reaching the finals, and winning the finals.

Players who lose their first match are eligible to enter the consolation bracket. Players who receive a bye in their first match and lose their second match are eligible to enter the consolation bracket.

Consolation Bracket – Singles, Doubles and Mixed Doubles

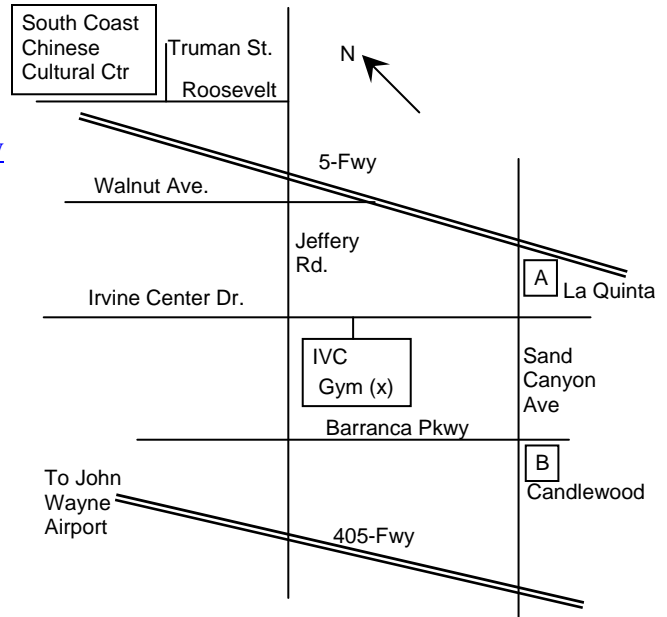
One-half (1/2) point will be awarded for each match won. A player or team receiving a first match bye will be awarded one (1) point if the next match is won and no points if the match is lost. Defaults after the first match will be treated as a match played (one-half (1/2) point will be awarded to the winner). An additional point (1) will be awarded to players for the following achievements: reaching the consolation finals, and winning the consolation finals.

Men's and Women's Team Champions

Points are accumulated for the men's and women's teams separately. Points earned for singles and doubles will be accumulated into each men's/women's team as usual. Points earned for mixed doubles will be split between the players of each pair to be accumulated into each player's respective men's and women's teams. The men's/women's team with the most points accumulated at the completion of the tournament will be the Men's/Women's Team Champions.

**Directions: Irvine Valley College –
Gymnasium**
5500 Irvine Center Dr., Irvine,
California 92618
<http://www.ivc.edu/maps/pages/fwy.aspx>
http://www.ivc.edu/maps/pages/campus_map.aspx

**South Coast Chinese Cultural
Center – Gymnasium**
9 Truman,
Irvine, California 92620
<http://sccca.us/contact.html>
(1.8 mile north-east of IVC)



Lodging: The following hotels are local to IVC. Please check with individual hotel for current rate and availability.

La Quinta Inn & Suites Irvine Spectrum (A)
<http://www.lq.com>
14972 Sand Canyon Ave. Irvine, CA 92618
Phone: (949) 551-0909 Fax: (949) 551-2945
Enjoy Rates From: **\$85.00** per night*

Candlewood Suites Spectrum (B)
<http://www.candlewoodsuites.com>
16150 Sand Canyon Ave Irvine, CA 92618
Phone: 800-225-1237
From: **\$85** per night*

Airports:

John Wayne Airport is the closest airport and is approximately five miles from IVC. Alaska, American, Continental, Delta, Frontier, Northwest, Southwest, United, and US Airways have flights to this airport.

LAX International Airport serves all major airlines and is 45 miles away.

Individual Entry Form

Each participant must fill in this form

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Release and Covenant Not to Sue: By signing this entry application, I agree to waive any and all claims which may arise from my participation in the 2009 National Collegiate Badminton Championship. In consideration of being permitted to participate in this competition, I release and discharge USA Badminton, IVC/SCCCD, Irvine Badminton Club, Yonex Corp., Smashing Sports, National Collegiate Championship, their employees, agents, officers, members, heirs, assigns, executors and administrators and any and all participants in this event harmless for any bodily injury to myself or others, or for damage to, or loss of, my property incurred during the course of the 2009 National Collegiate Badminton Championship.

I have read this agreement, understand its purpose and agree to its terms, and will provide proves of eligibility upon director's request at any time.

Print Player's Name: _____ Sign _____ Date _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Print _____ Date _____
(if player is under 18 years of age)

Phone: (____) _____ Email: _____ USAB# _____

Address: _____
City State Zip

Age: _____ Date of Birth: ____/____/____ T-Shirt Size: (circle one) XS, S, M, L, XL
as of 3/21/2009 dd mm yyyy

School: _____

Men's Singles _____

Each participant is allowed to enter 2 events only.

Women's Singles: _____

Men's Doubles _____

Partners Name: _____

Women's Doubles _____

Partners Name: _____

Mixed Doubles _____

Partners Name: _____

Ranking Information – Please include any ranking information that applies for each of your events entered. This will help greatly with completing the draws.

Singles Ranking: _____

Doubles Ranking: _____

Mixed Doubles Ranking: _____

Team Entry Form

Coaches or Official to fill in this form
for team players

School: _____ Club's USAB# _____

Team contact person's information:

Name: _____ Position: _____

Email: _____ Cell Phone: (____) _____

Address: _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Team Player Rankings:

Men's Singles:

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

Women's Singles:

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

Men's Doubles:

1. _____ / _____

2. _____ / _____

Women's Doubles:

1. _____ / _____

2. _____ / _____

Mixed Doubles Rankings:

1. _____ / _____

2. _____ / _____

Team Entry Form

Coaches or Official to fill in this form
for additional non-team players

School: _____ Club's USAB# _____

Additional Player Rankings: (do not include players listed on form-1)

Men's Singles:

- 1. _____
- 2. _____
- 3. _____

Women's Singles:

- 1. _____
- 2. _____
- 3. _____

Men's Doubles:

- 1. _____ / _____
- 2. _____ / _____

Women's Doubles:

- 1. _____ / _____
- 2. _____ / _____

T-Shirts: include all players

Total Quantity: _____

Size: XS _____ ; S _____ ; M _____ ; L _____ ; XL _____

Team official certify that all entrants satisfied all eligibility requirements.

Signature: _____ **Date:** _____