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NATIONAL OPEN  
CHAMPIONSHIPS 2023  
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PLAYER'S GUIDE

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# OVERVIEW

## OBJECTIVE

This Player Guide is for all participants of the National Open Championships 2023.



## NATIONAL OPEN

Being of the most prestigious local tournaments, the National Open has a long history dating back to 1928, where it started with only the Men Singles event.



It has been through many ups and downs and after years of hiatus, the Singapore Badminton Association is happy and proud to be able to bring back the National Open Championships back again in 2019.

# EVENT DETAILS

## DATES

4<sup>th</sup> February 2023 -  
10<sup>th</sup> February 2023

## LOCATION

5 Stadium Drive,  
Singapore 397631  
OCBC Arena, Hall 2

## MAIN EVENTS

- Men & Women Singles
- Men & Women Doubles
- Mixed Doubles



Free entry for  
spectators!

Online  
streaming link  
will be shared  
on  
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# BEFORE PLAY



## REPORTING

- Players to report 15 minutes before their match
- Approach event crew for registration and match status
- Players who are up for upcoming match(es) to wait at designated area along the stairs
- Players may also use the outdoor area (shown in the next page) to warm up

Note: Area will be used as contingency during wet weather



# BEFORE PLAY

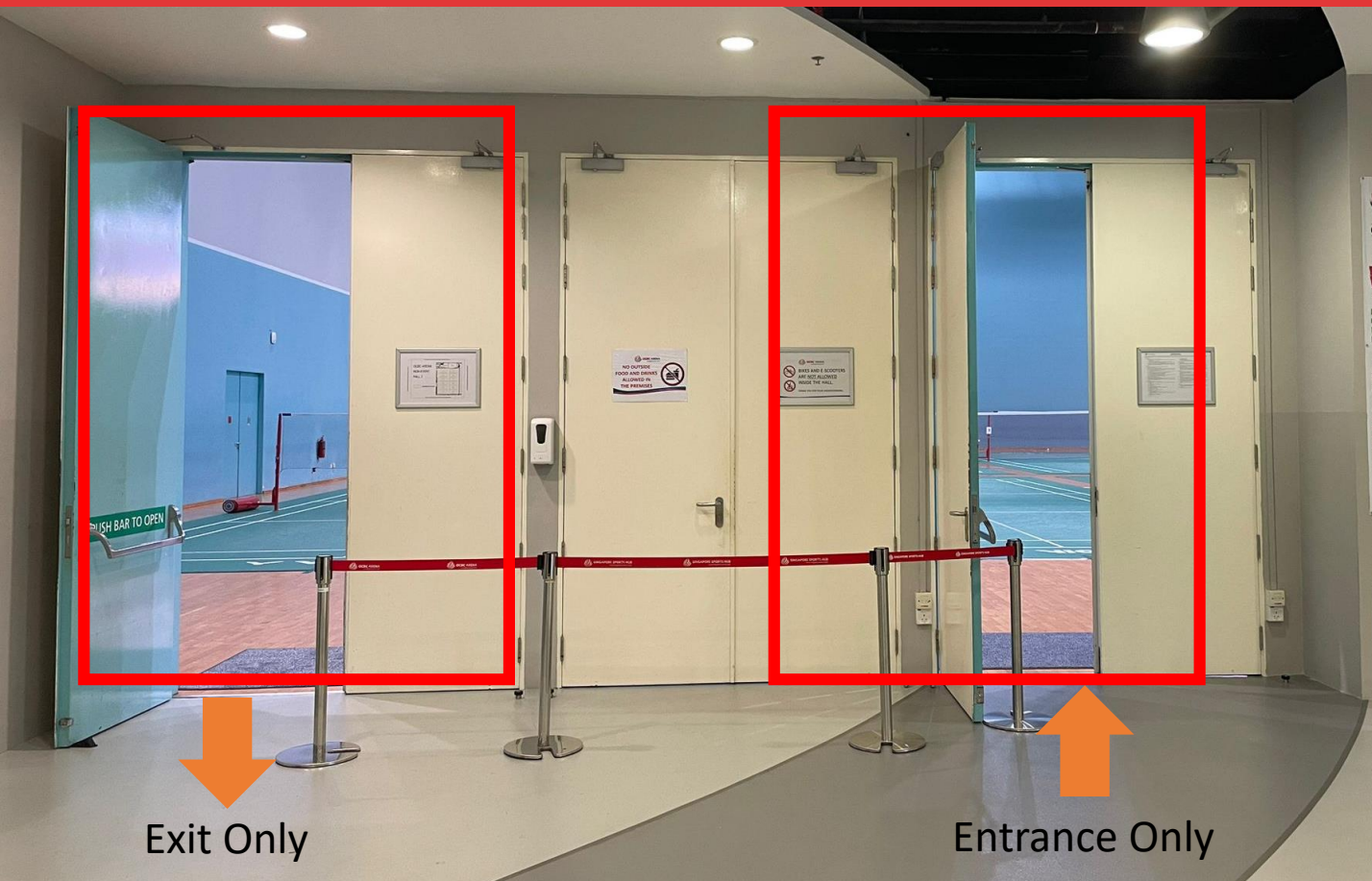


## WAITING AREA

- Players to use area for warm up and stretching
- Make your way back to reporting area (in previous page) if it rains.
- All players and accompanying coach should arrive in sports attire. Players & coaches in inappropriate attire will be denied entry into competition hall.

**ie. Coaches should be in long pants and sports shoes. Anyone in shorts, dresses, heels, slippers will not be allowed on coaches chair.**

# BEFORE PLAY



## EVENT VENUE

- Note designated entry and exit door
- All players & coaches may be subjected to bag checks
- Once verified, players (and coach) may enter hall.
- Coaches are required to be in proper sports attire (ie. Sports shoes, long pants). Entry will be denied for any players and coaches in inappropriate attire (ie. Slippers, shorts, heels, dress, jeans).

**\*Coaches to enter together with players.**

# BEFORE PLAY

## MOVEMENT FLOW

- Upon entering the competition hall, players to meet their match umpires.
- Umpires will verify names of players & enter the court together for the match

# DURING PLAY

## ON COURT

- Players are required to bring their own towel or spare shirts for changing to minimize splatters of sweat droplets.

Note: Players are required to bring along at least 2 shirts of sufficiently different colours for the competition. Player with lower ranking will be required to change if there is a clash of jersey colour.

# PRIZE PRESENTATION



- Prize presentation will be held after the finals of each event.
- Announcer will call up winners to assembly area to get ready.

Please note to dress appropriately for the prize presentation. Players in inappropriate outfit (ie. Slippers, tank tops, jeans) will not be allowed on the podium.





# IMPORTANT

## MEDICAL CONDITIONS

If player is unwell during tournament and is unable to continue playing, he/she will be ushered out of the hall and be advised to seek immediate medical attention. Nearest clinic available at Leisure Park Mall Level 2. Walkover will be awarded for the match.

## POSITIVE TEST RESULTS

Player who tested COVID-positive prior to, during, or within 3 days after the event should immediately inform SBA via the contacts provided below. A walkover will be awarded for players who received test results prior to and during event.

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MATCHES! 😊