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OFFICIAL INVITATION

July, 10th 2014

To: All members of the Badminton World Federation

Re: Kawasaki - Biere Larue Vietnam International Series 2014

Dear Sir/Madam,

On behalf of Vietnam Badminton Federation we have the pleasure to invite you to send players to participate in the Kawasaki - Biere Larue Vietnam International Series 2014 (BWF Sanctioned International Series with US\$5,000 prize - money) which will be held 1st to 5th October 2014 at Tien Son Sports Complex in Da Nang city.

We look forward to welcoming your team to Da Nang City.

Yours sincerely

LE THANH SANG

Vice President/ General Secretary

Kawasaki - Biere Larue Vietnam International Series 2014 Section A

Organizer		Vietnam Badminton Federation (VBF)		
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	Ema	il	vietnam vbf@fp	nseries2014@gmail.com t.vn
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Local Host	Da Nang Department of Culture, Sports and Tourism Da Nang Badminton Federation (DBF)			
	Phor	ie	+84 51	1 3626286
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	Ema	il	tuongla	n1972@gmail.com
Venue	No 1		Tien Son Sports Complex No 1A, Phan Dang Luu Street, Hai Chau District, Danang city, Vietnam	
		Badminton World Federation (BWF) Badminton Asia Confederation (BAC)		
Dates				
Note: Member Associations are advised to log on to http://bwf.tournamentsoftware.com/sport/tournament.aspx?id =008BFA2F-C41C-4F9F-9244-3FE0293C6A72 and submit entries		Dates of	Event	01 st to 5 th October 2014
You will require a username and password to submit your entries and this can be obtained from the BWF: please contact Mr. Venugopal at v.mahalingam@bwfbadminton.org . The online entry page will close immediately on the entries closing date at 23:59 hours BWF Headquarters time (+08:00h GMT) and you are required to submit the entries on time. Late entries will not be accepted.		Closing	Date	9 th September 2014 (Tuesday)

No entry forms are required by Member Association. All entries must be submitted online only.

After the closing date, the BWF Online Entry System will send notification to all participating Member Associations confirming receipt of final entries. Receipt of this notification is the conclusive evidence of receipt of entries before the deadline. The Member Associations should contact BWF immediately if such notice is not received by the Wednesday (next day of the entries closing date) by noon BWF Headquarters time (+08.00h GMT) following close of entries. If no objection is received by BWF by Thursday (second day after the entries closing day) 23.59 hours BWF Headquarters time (+08.00h GMT) following the close of entries, the entries shall be deemed to be correct. No complaints / objections shall be entertained after this point.

Events and Draw Size

Event	Entries		
	Main Draw	Qualifiers	Qualifying Round
Men's Singles	56	8	64
Women's Singles	28	4	32
Men's Doubles	28	4	32
Women's Doubles	28	4	32
Mixed Doubles	28	4	32

- All entries must be submitted through their national associations.
- All entries must be submitted online only.
- Entries close on 9th September 2014 (Tuesday). Late and incomplete entries will be rejected.
- Player(s) without BWF ID numbers are requested to submit the **BWF New Player Profile Application** Form to BWF seven days before the dateline of submission.
- National Associations will be notified whether their players have been accepted directly into the Main Draw or if they are required to play in the qualifying rounds once entries are evaluated after the closing date. The information will be published and updated on the website:

Provisional Schedule

Day	Date	Play
Wednesday	1 st Oct	Qualifying Rounds
Thursday	2 nd Oct	Main Draws
Friday	3 rd Oct	Main Draws
		Quarter-Finals (MS/WS/MD/WD/XD)
Saturday	4 th Oct	Semi-Finals (MS/WS/MD/WD/XD)
Sunday	5 th Oct	Finals (MS/WS/MD/WD/XD)

Note: The Schedule is subject to confirmation by the Referee.

Format of Play / Scoring System

Rally Point System: 3 x 21 points

Prizes

US\$ 5,000/. The distribution of Prize Money will be as per the General Competition Regulations of BWF.

Medals

Medals for all winners & runners up

	Event	Champion	Runner-up	Semi-finals	Quarter- finals	Last 16
*	Men's Single Women's Single	USD\$375	USD\$190	USD\$72.5	USD\$30	USD\$17.5
** ** **	Men's Doubles Women's Doubles Mixed Doubles	USD\$395	USD\$190	USD\$70	USD\$36.25	USD\$18.75

^{*}Per Player, ** Per Pair

Section B

Key Dates & Regulations that come with it respectively			
Main & Qualifying Round Will be based on BWF World Rankings dated 11th September 2014			
Seeding	Will be based on BWF World Rankings dated 18 th September 2014		
Draw	Will be conducted by BAC on 23 rd September 2014		
Withdrawals	21 st September 2014		

Competition Rules & Regulations

The Regulations for International Series and the General Competition Regulations of BWF shall be applicable to the Championship.

Eligibility	All entries must be submitted by Member Association	
Shuttles for Event	Kawasaki Team 3	
Clothing & Advertising	Clothing and advertising will be permitted in accordance with the competition regulations of Badminton World Federation.	
Team Managers Meeting	30 th Sep: 17:00hrs Team Managers' Meeting 18:00hrs Technical Officials Briefing Venue: Official Hotel Note: As per BWF Regulations, the Team must be represented in the Managers' Briefing. "It is compulsory that all team managers must attend the team managers meeting .Failing to attend the meeting they are liable to be fined as per regulation Part III Section 1B, Appendix 11 "Offences and Penalties" .Member Associations can make a request someone to represent them at the meeting as long as the Referee knows in advance that is acceptable"	
On Court Officials		
Referee	Vincent Lim (MAS) - vincentlimwc@yahoo.com	
Deputy Referee		
On Court Doctor	An On Court Doctor will be on duty throughout the competition at the tournament venue.	
Entry Fee	No entry fees shall be charged.	

Section C

Visa Application

All players and officials who require visa to enter Vietnam and needed assistance, kindly submit full name/passport number/ date of issue & expiry/ date and place of birth to Vietnam Badminton Federation by email <u>vietnamseries2014@gmail.com</u>; <u>vbf@fpt.vn</u> or by fax +84 4 37336046 no later than 10th September 2014.

Official Hotel / Rates / Payment

Official Hotel	Room Type	Rates
Minh Toan Galaxy Hotel 306 - 2/9 Road, Hai Chau District, Danang City, Vietnam Tel: +84 511 3662 888 - 3662288 Fax: +84 511 3620 488	Standard (32 Twin rooms) Superior (12 double rooms & 36 twin rooms)	USD53 per night/per room/ (with breakfast & Wi- fi Internet) No extra bed

The Organisers have secured the above hotel for the event.

Booking conditions:

Fill out the Hotel Reservation Form with the necessary details no later than 10th September 2014 through the Vietnam Badminton Federation. First come first served.

Room allocation will be confirmed and done in order of receipt of booking form. No guarantee can be given with respect to late booking.

For reservation, please contact: Vietnam Badminton Federation, email: vietnamseries2014@gmail.com; vbf@fpt.vn

Transport	Flights could be connected through: Tan Son Nhat International Airport or Noi Bai International Airport to Da Nang International Airport (local flight);
	Airport transfer will be provided starting from 29 th September to 6 th October 2014, only from Da Nang International Airport to the official hotel upon request;
	Ground transportation to and from the tournament/training venue will be provide to participants staying at the official hotel ONLY ;
	Please send the Fight detail Form to the Organizer by 15 th September 2014 so that organizer can arrange airport pick up; Teams who choose not to stay in the official hotel or are unable to get rooms at the official hotel due to late
	submission of hotel requisition , have to arrange for their own transportation.
Practice Sessions	Practice sessions will be arranged upon arrival. Name of Venue: National Defense 3 Sports Center - Military Zone 5

Add: No 5, Duy Tan Street, Hai Chau Dist, Danang city, Vietnam

Duration and available timing: From 29th September to 5th October 2014

Indemnity & Insurance

Any participating associations and its delegated competitors / officials should agree to indemnity and not hold the organizing committee accountable for and against any claims for personal injury, financial loss, death or property damage, in any form, arising out of or in any way resulting from the participation in, postponement or cancellation of the said tournament.

The organiser will NOT be responsible for any injury sustained, at any time, by any player or official arising from his participation in these Championships. Any costs incurred for medical treatment and / or hospitalisation shall be borne by the Member Association of the player / official concerned.

Please ensure that your players & team officials possess the requisite insurance coverage to meet current requirements.

Officials Contact

For any further clarification / assistance, please contact Vietnam Badminton Federation at email: vietnamseries2014@gmail.com; vbf@fpt.vn