

The 2009 Madison Badminton Open

December 5th and 6th 2009

University of Wisconsin Natatorium
2000 Observatory Drive
Madison, Wisconsin

Hosted by
The University of Wisconsin Badminton Club

- Events:** Men's Singles, Men's Doubles, Women's Singles, Women's Doubles, Mixed Doubles, Senior Mixed Doubles, Senior Men's Singles, Senior Men's Doubles, Senior Women's Singles, and Senior Women's Doubles.
- Format:** ABCD drop-flight draws. Minimum of 4 entries per event and maximum of 32 entries. 3 x 21 point rally scoring for all matches. In the event of fewer than eight entries in a category, double-elimination and/or round robin formats may be used.
- Requirements:** Open to all players who are 18 years or older. Senior players must be 40 years old or older on or before December 5th 2009. Entry form and full payment must be mailed on or before the tournament deadline. Players must sign a waiver prior to play. Players may not enter more than one singles event. Players may not enter Open Singles and Senior Doubles.
- Entry Fees:** \$20 for the first events and \$10 for each subsequent event.
- Deadline:** Entries must be postmarked by Wednesday, November 25th, 2009.
- Contact:** Steve Rader <rader@hep.wisc.edu> 608-263-2446
Email is the preferred means of contact.

- Due to University policy, no one under the age of 18 may participate.
- A ten minute default rule will be **strictly** enforced.
- Players must be playing within ten minutes of the calling of their match.
- Spectators of all ages are welcome.
- Both players in a doubles team must submit separate entry forms.
- Players will be seeded based on recent tournament results and the tournament director's discretion.
- We will form brackets taking club and geographic information into account.
- Please use feathered shuttles.
- RSL shuttles will be available for \$1.50 each.
- Two shuttles will be provided for finals.
- Fees will only be refunded when an event is canceled due to insufficient entry.

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Schedule:

Saturday 12/5:	8:00 am	Registration and warm-up
	8:30 am	Men's Singles starts
	9:30 am	Women's Singles starts
	10:30 am	All Seniors events (except Sr. Mixed) start
	1:30 pm	Men's Doubles starts
	2:30 pm	Women's Doubles starts
	5:30 pm	Mixed Doubles starts
	10:00 pm	Gym closes
Sunday 12/6:	8:30 am	Warm-up
	9:00 am	Senior Mixed Doubles starts
	10:00 am	All remaining singles matches
	11:00 am	All remaining doubles matches

Notes:

- All open events will be played through the quarterfinals on Saturday. Open semifinals and finals will be played on Sunday morning.
- Men's Open singles will be limited to 48 entries. All other events will be limited to the first 32 entries received.
- We may cancel events with fewer than four entries.
- If you need a partner for any doubles event, please write "need partner" on your entry sheet. We will do our best to find you a partner based on comparable ability.
- This tournament is not sanctioned by USA Badminton. Participants will not be insured for any injury sustained during the tournament.
- The Best Western InnTowner hotel is offering a discounted rate of \$89 per night for up to four people to a room. Mention the group code "MBO2009" when reserving rooms. For more information visit <http://inntowner.com/>
- Free parking is available in parking lot 62 (in front of the building.)
- To get into the building, tell the ID checker (front desk person) that you are competing in the badminton tournament.

References:

General directions to UW Madison: <http://www.visit.wisc.edu/directions.html>

Google map centered on the the Natatorium: <http://tinyurl.com/uw-nat-html>

Parking information: <http://www.recsports.wisc.edu/nat/parking.html>

Diagram of the inside of the Natatorium: <http://www.recsports.wisc.edu/nat/map.html>

2009 Madison Open Entry Form

Entry Deadline: postmarked by Wednesday, November 25th, 2009

First Name Last Name.....

Phonetic Spelling of Last Name (as you want it announced).....

Home Club Home State

Address

Phone Email

Rate yourself: A B C D Date of Birth Gender Male Female

Events Men's Singles Women's Singles Sr. Men's Singles Sr. Women's Singles
 Men's Doubles Partner
 Women's Doubles Partner
 Mixed Doubles Partner
 Sr. Mixed Doubles Partner
 Sr. Men's Doubles Partner
 Sr. Women's Doubles Partner

Please list your three most recent tournament results on the back of this page.

Fee Enclosed:	First Event:	\$20 x 1	=	\$20
	Additional Events:	\$10 x	=
Please make checks payable to UW Badminton Club		Total	=

Signature Date

You will be required to sign the UW CLUB SPORTS WAIVER form when you register.

Please send this form and entry fee to:

UW Badminton Club
2801 Mason Street
Madison, WI 53705