

### BADMINTON

#### Venue

Small Sports Hall  
In Sports Centre

#### Organising Table

Loughborough 260

#### Registration

09:00

#### Start Time

9:30



### Rules

The competition will be a doubles event with each Area entering one team. Scoring will be as per the traditional method from the EBA. The first round will be on a league basis with each team playing each other, the top two teams in each league going through to the second round.

Matches consist of one game to 15 points or two clear points thereafter. One point will be awarded for each win and in the event of a tie, league positions will be decided on point's difference during games i.e. points scored minus points conceded. If the point's difference is equal, the result of the match between the two teams concerned is considered.

Further rounds will be on a knockout basis. In these rounds up to and including the quarter- finals, the matches will be one game to 15 points or two clearpoints thereafter.

The semi-finals and final will be the best of three games to 15 points each or two clear points thereafter. The semi-finals and final of the main competition will be umpired. The players will score all the earlier matches.

Outdoor footwear is not permitted in the playing area and non-marking sport shoes must be worn.

Placings down to 16th to be determined on the basis of league games won and thereafter on the basis of point's difference. The number of leagues and format of leagues will be dependant on the number of teams entering on the day of the competition and the organisers reserve the right to alter the rules of the event and the format on the day. However competitors will be informed of any changes to the above prior to the commencement of the competition.

**The Event Convenor will act as referee and settle any disputes that may arise. Mitch Robinson, NSW 2008 Sports Convenor, will perform final arbitration**