



To: The National Federations of Azerbaijan, Hungary, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Turkmenistan, and Uzbekistan

Dear Colleagues,

On behalf of the Turkish Badminton Federation, it is with great pleasure that we extend a warm invitation to the badminton teams of *Azerbaijan*, *Hungary*, *Kazakhstan*, *Kyrgyzstan*, *Turkmenistan*, *and Uzbekistan* to participate in the "Turkic Speaking Countries Badminton Tournament", scheduled to take place from June 7th to June 9th, 2024, in Ankara, Türkiye.

The primary objective of this tournament is to foster cooperation and strengthen the bonds of friendship among Turkic-speaking nations through the spirit of badminton.

This competition will adhere strictly to the regulations set forth by the Badminton World Federation (BWF). Eligible participants include elite players aged 18 and above, who may compete in both team and individual tournaments. Each team must consist of a minimum of 4 players (2 men and 2 women) or maximum 8 players (4 men and 4 women).

We kindly request that your teams arrive in Ankara on June 6th to attend the umpires' briefing and team manager meeting at the Ankara Badminton Olympic Camp Center, as per the outlined tournament schedule.

The Turkish Badminton Federation (TBF) is pleased to announce that it will cover all domestic expenses for delegates, including accommodation (full board in single, twin, or triple rooms throughout the tournament, from June 6th to June 9th, 2024). Additionally, TBF will provide transfer services (arrival and departure) from Esenboga International Airport (Ankara) to the Badminton Olympic Camp Center on June 6th, and from the Badminton Olympic Camp Center to Esenboga International Airport (Ankara) on June 9th. However, please note that air flight tickets and insurance-related expenses will be the responsibility of each team's respective national organization.

In light of the above, we cordially invite you and your badminton teams to Ankara, Türkiye, from June 6th to June 9th, 2024, to partake in this significant event. Together, let us work towards strengthening cooperation and supporting the development of young badminton players in your countries, while advancing the sport of badminton on a larger scale.

We kindly request that you respond to this invitation at your earliest convenience, preferably via email to info@badminton.org.tr no later than 21 May 2024. Attached herewith, you will find the tournament prospectus for your reference.

We eagerly anticipate the opportunity to welcome your badminton teams to Türkiye and to celebrate the spirit of sportsmanship and solidarity with you.

Warm regards,

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