

#### Dear Athletes,

We are thrilled to welcome you to the World Transplant Games 2025 in Dresden! With just a week to go, we would like to share some important information to help you prepare for your arrival and enjoy a smooth and memorable experience.

#### Location

JOYNEXT Arena – Level 2 Magdeburger Strasse 10 01067 Dresden

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Athletes to enter the arena at the Service Point of the JOYNEXT Arena. <a href="https://maps.app.goo.gl/aYkCFjgoij9dL1N38">https://maps.app.goo.gl/aYkCFjgoij9dL1N38</a>

Supporters to enter the arena via the outdoor staircases.

Access to the field of play is restricted to Athletes only. Access controls will be in place on both training and competition day.

#### **Event Schedule**

#### Wednesday, 20st August 2025 – Training Day

- 12:00 PM Venue opens & Training begins
- 6:00 PM Training ends & Venue closes

## Thursday, 21st August 2025 - Competition Day: Single

- 8:00 AM Venue Opening
- 8:00 8:45 AM: Warm-Up
- 8:45 AM: Welcome & rule briefing by competition director
- 9:00 AM: Start of Single Competition
- 12:00 1:00 PM: Lunch break
- 4:00 PM: Award Ceremonies W12-14, W15-17, W30-39, M30-39, W50-59, M70-79
- 6:00 PM: End of Single Competition
- 6:00 PM: Award Ceremonies M12-14, M15-17, M18-29, W18-29, M40-49, W40-49, M50-59, M60-69, W60-69, W70-79,
- 7:00 PM: Venue Closing



### Friday, 22nd August 2025 - Competition Day: Doubles & Mixed

- 8:00 AM Venue Opening
- 8:00 8:45 AM: Warm-Up
- 8:45 AM: Welcome & rule briefing by competition director
- 9:00 AM: Start of Mixed Competition
- 10:30 AM: Start of Doubles Competition Men
- 12:00 1:00 PM: Lunch break
- 1:00 PM: Start of Doubles Competition Women & Juniors
- 3:00 PM: Award Ceremonies Mixed Doubles, Junior Doubles, M18-29
- 5:00 PM: Award Ceremonies M30-49, M50+, all Women's Doubles
- 6:00 PM: Venue Closing
- → Please find the competition timetable attached to this e-mail.

All timetables are provisional and subject to change until the day of the competition.

Free Wi-Fi Yes

Catering during training Yes – self pay Ballsport-Arena Catering during event Yes – self pay Ballsport-Arena

Showers Yes
Water Yes
Lockers No
First Aid Yes

### **Training Information**

For badminton, additional training opportunities are available thanks to cooperation with our local clubs.

Monday, 11<sup>th</sup> August: 8:00 – 9:30 PM Wednesday, 13<sup>th</sup> August: 8:00 – 9:30 PM Friday, 15<sup>th</sup> August: 7:00 – 9:30 PM Saturday, 16<sup>th</sup> August: 4:00 – 7:00 PM Monday, 18<sup>th</sup> August: 8:00 – 9:30 PM

Capacity is limited and subject to approval of the local club prior to the training. If you would like to participate, please reach out via e-mail to badminton@motormickten.de

The training will be staged at: Gymnasium Dresden-Pieschen Erfurter Strasse 17 01127 Dresden



#### **Transport**

Nearest Tram Station: Dresden Kongresszentrum / Haus der Presse Accessible via tram lines:

- Line 4
- Line 6
- Line 11

Distance to sport venue: approx. 800 meters

Paid Parking (self-pay)

Directly next to the arena, access via Magdeburger Strasse.

https://maps.app.goo.gl/RJHnt6FjwqcvwLeM7?g\_st=ipc

Free Parking

Address: Pieschener Allee 16, 01067 Dresden

Distance to venue: approx. 400 meters

Google Maps Link

#### Org. Association / Federation

Deutscher Badminton-Verband e.V. Badminton-Verband Sachsen e.V.

#### **Equipment**

Shuttlecocks: Chaopai purple

Shuttlecock speed: 76

Shuttlecocks will be provided on training day and on competition days.

Badminton racquets will not be provided; you must bring your own.

All badminton equipment must be BWF approved.

All competitors must wear indoor court shoes.

There will be badminton shop on site offering racquets, shoes, clothing and badminton accessories in limited amounts. – all self-pay.

A stringing service is available for 25 €.

Cash and card payments will be accepted.

#### **Division & Medalling**

Gold, Silver & Bronze in all competition divisions.

Duplicate bronze medals will be awarded to all losing semi-finalists.



### Age categories

Competition in men's and women's singles

Juniors: 6-8, 9-11, 12-14, 15-17

Adults: 18-29, 30-39, 40-49, 50-59, 60-69, 70-79 and 80 and over.

Competition in men's and women's doubles

Doubles: Under 30, 30-49, 50+.

Junior Doubles: Open junior doubles, one open age category

Mixed Doubles: One open age category

#### Official Rules

Tournament will be governed by Badminton World Federation rules except as modified herein.

http://system.bwfbadminton.com/documents/folder\_1\_81/Regulations/Simplified-Rules/Simplified%20Rules%20of%20Badminton%20-%20Dec%202015.pdf),

#### **Format**

Competition in men's and women's singles and doubles and mixed doubles (mixed doubles not by age group); competition in junior boy and junior girl singles and open junior doubles (no age groups). After preliminary round(s), single elimination tournament. For preliminary rounds, if needed, matches to be best of 3 games to 11, all other matches to be best of 5 games to 11.

We can't wait to see you in Dresden and celebrate the spirit of transplant together!

Warm regards,

The WTG2025 Organizing Team

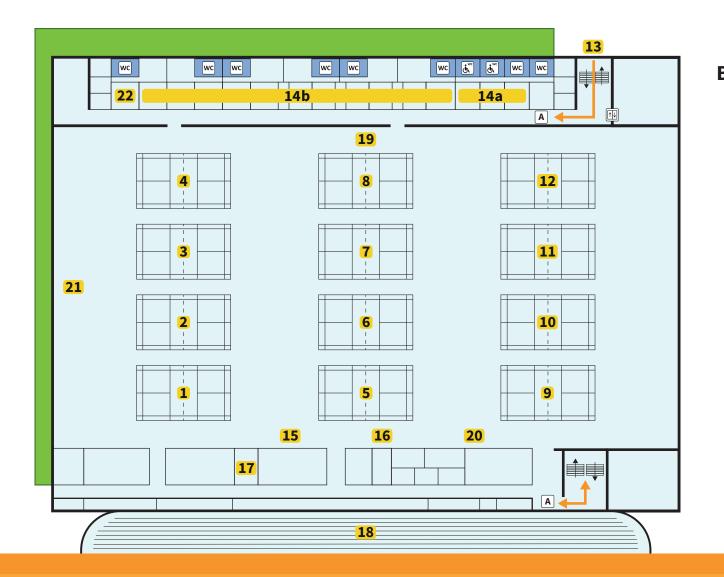


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- BallsportARENA 🧦 5
- Track and Field 6 🏂
- JOYNEXT Arena 当 第 第 筹

- Football 1 3
- 16 Archery ₱
- Throwing Field 🏂 19
- **Paid Parking** P
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- Changing rooms
- Handicapped WC
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# **BADMINTON FACILITY JOYNEXT ARENA**

1-12	Court Numbers	17	Medical	Α	Access Control
13	Entrance (Athletes only)	18	Spectator Tribune	↑↓	Elevator
14a	Changing Rooms for Volunteers / Officials	19	Award Ceremony	wc	WC
14b	Changing Rooms for Athletes	20	Info Desk & Water Station	Ŀ	Handicapped WC
15	Competition Director	21	Badminton Shop / Stringing Service	<b>(3)</b>	Athletes Route
16	Announcer	22	Physios		