



2015 YONEX MASSBAD DOUBLES LEAGUE

New for 2015: Prize for Division A (valued at \$1350) and Division B (valued at \$600)

Date	Mar 8	Division A	Mar 14	Division B
	Mar 15	Division C	Mar 22	Division D

Time (approximate): 9 am – 5 pm if six teams or less;
8:30 am – 9 pm if more than six teams in a Division.

Location: Boston Badminton, 169 Flanders Rd., Westborough, MA 01581

Registration: Entries and payment for all Divisions must be received by Wed, Feb 24, 2015. MASSBad reserves the option to move Division D Teams up if the Team is deemed too strong.

Inquiries: Send all questions to- Yvonne@bostonbadminton.com;

Fee: \$360 for Division A, \$300 for Division B, \$270 for Division C and Division D teams.
All checks payable to Massbad

Prize: Perpetual trophies for the top 3 places of each Division. Yonex products will be awarded to the top three winners of Division A (valued at over \$1350) and Division B (valued at \$600).

Eligibility: Anyone who currently resides in MA, works in MA, or is affiliated with a MA badminton club. A player may only play for 1 team and 1 level only. A player may play in any Division higher than his/her skill level, but cannot play in Divisions that below his/her skill level. A maximum of two men and one woman from among the A players listed below are allowed in each A Team.

Men: *Andy Chong, Ajit Umrani, Pashupati Paneru, Neil Davies, Anil Nair, Nick Vered, Sajith Vakail, Matt Johnson, Nicolas Waller, Alex Cheng, Darren Yang, Chongtian Qiu, Matz Eric Coucheron*

Women: *Min Chern, Daphne Chang, Sharon Ng,, Nicole Frevold, Brianna Wang, Monica Szoke*

Play Structure: Two (or 4 if more than 6 teams) seeds, random draw, round robin pool play followed by playoff. Semi-finals losers will play for third place. All teams will have a minimum of 3 team matches.



Tournament Sponsor for Division A and B:

Yonex Aerosensa 30/50 shuttlecocks will be used.



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MAIL REGISTRATION FORM WITH CHECK (\$360-DIV A, \$300-DIV B, \$270-DIV C & D) FOR MASSBAD TO YVONNE CHERN, 7 GREEN WAY, WAYLAND, MA 01778 TO BE RECEIVED BY FEB 24, 2015.

ENTRY DIVISION (A/B, B, C, D) _____

Team Name: _____

Team Captain: _____ Email: _____

Club Affiliation: _____ Phone no. _____

Men: minimum 5 men, maximum 8, list according to rank

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| 1. _____ | 5. _____ |
| 2. _____ | 6. _____ |
| 3. _____ | 7. _____ |
| 4. _____ | 8. _____ |

Women: minimum 2 women, maximum 4, list according to rank

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| 1. _____ | 3. _____ |
| 2. _____ | 4. _____ |

Rules:

1. Each Team Meet consists of 4 MD, 2XD and 1WD matches. Order of strength for 4 MD or 2 XD matches shall be: MD#1, MD#2, MD#3, MD#4 or XD#1, XD#2. Relative strength of doubles pairs is determined by the pairs' total notional ranking.
2. Each player can play up to two matches per Team Meet with no same pair playing twice.
3. Captains must submit players' rank to coordinator one week before tournament date. Then, player lists with ranks will be distributed to captains. Draw sheet for first Team Meet shall be submitted to coordinator three days before tournament date to allow checking for rules compliance.
4. Format: Best of 3 games, BWF rules, new rally score system, 10 min default time if needed, no more than 3 min warm up.
5. The team that beats the most teams will be the winner. If two teams have the same record, their relative positions will be decided by the result between those two teams. If three teams have the same record, positions will be determined by the difference between total matches won and total matches lost, with the greater difference ranked higher.
6. Before the playoff, all matches should be played regardless of whether or not a winning team has been determined.

