

BADMINTON ONTARIO

Membership and annual License

As a condition of registration for membership, a Participant (or the Participant's parent/guardian, if the Participant is younger than the age of the majority) agree to the following terms:

1. When purchasing a membership, a Participant will be issued a single Member ID which shall be their permanent Member ID so long as they participate in the sport of badminton anywhere in Canada, unless extenuating circumstances arise that justify the issuance of a different Member ID. Badminton Canada, in consultation with its Member, the Provincial Sports Organization Badminton Ontario (the "PSO") that issued the Participant's Member ID, shall have the sole authority to determine what constitutes exceptional circumstances for the purpose of determining whether a Participant may be issued a different Member ID.
2. All memberships shall include an embedded Badminton Canada membership; however, all memberships shall be between the PSO and the Participant, and may, for players, be issued for participation at the national, provincial, regional or local level, while coach and official memberships may be issued at the national or provincial level.
3. A Participant may hold multiple memberships and multiple types of memberships (i.e., as a coach, player or official) issued by different Members; however, a Participant may only compete for or represent a single Member for the term for which their memberships is issued. For further clarity, a single Member is a Member of Badminton Canada, including a Provincial or Territorial Sport Organization.
4. Notwithstanding the aforementioned, while a Participant may only compete for a single Member during the term of a memberships, they may coach or officiate for another Member during that same term.
5. The PSO has authority to define the benefits included with a membership and may impose further eligibility requirements or other terms or conditions from time to time that a Participant must comply with in order to obtain a membership (or maintain their membership) with the PSO.
6. All Participants are required to familiarize themselves with the benefits included with a membership issued by the PSO, as well as the eligibility requirements or other terms or conditions of a membership that may be imposed by the PSO.
7. The PSO shall have the authority to determine the term of any membership issued to a Participant.
8. A Participant may only apply for a membership with the PSO if the Participant is a primary resident of Ontario. The Participant shall have the responsibility for establishing primary residency in Ontario and shall do so by providing any of the following to the PSO:
 - An Ontario health card or driver's license;
 - Evidence that the Participant's primary residence is located in Ontario ; or
 - In the case of a minor or a student who is studying in a different province, territory or country, proof that their parent or guardian is a primary resident in Ontario.If the applicant cannot provide any of these items, please provide a reason:

9. A Participant who has left Ontario on a temporary basis for training or education reasons may apply for a membership with the PSO if they can provide evidence of primary residency as outlined immediately above.
10. Should a Participant not satisfy any of the conditions mentioned above, they may nevertheless apply for a membership from the PSO if it has previously issued a membership to the Participant and if they have strong ties and that they wish to continue to exclusively represent the PSO. In

such circumstances, before issuing a membership, the PSO must consult with Badminton Canada, which may, in its absolute discretion, decide whether the Participant should be issued a membership by the PSO.

A Participant's failure to adhere to these terms may result in immediate revocation of the Participant's membership. Further, should any Participant provide the PSO or Badminton Canada with fraudulent information or documentation or should they make any misrepresentation to the PSO or Badminton Canada when applying for a membership, their membership will be immediately revoked and the Participant may be subject to further discipline in accordance with the relevant disciplinary policy of the PSO or Badminton Canada.

Date of Document: June 4, 2021

By typing your name or parent/Guardian on this, you agree that you are to be bound by all that is contained in this Consent Form.

Signature: _____ **Date:** _____
Name

Signature: _____ **Date:** _____
Parent/Guardian (if the individual is younger than eighteen (18) years old)

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