

## Smash City, BANC, and Yonex are Proud to Support USA Badminton & Enhance Bay Area Junior Badminton!

Smash City & BANC Yonex Bay Area Junior Open Spring 2006 will include the USA Badminton Junior International Team Trials (JITT)! As explained in the News item at USA Badminton's web site [www.usabadminton.org](http://www.usabadminton.org), the results of the JITT will determine the Team representing the U.S. at the Pan American Junior Championships and the World Junior Championships. Following are the details of the JITT (all other details are as for BAJO):

Director: TBD – see [www.smashcity.net](http://www.smashcity.net)

Referee: TBD – see [www.smashcity.net](http://www.smashcity.net)

Eligibility: The JITT is open to all USAB members U19 and younger who registered with the USA Badminton office as described at [www.usabadminton.org](http://www.usabadminton.org) in News, whose eligibility to participate in the above named events has been verified, and who have agreed to travel to the XV Pan American Junior Badminton Team Championships if selected to the Team.

Format: Pool play per USAB regulations; some events may be Single elimination with Consolation if there are a large number of entries. **Scoring will be 3x21 Rally for all events.** Please note Pool play requires significantly more matches. Athletes entering the JITT should be prepared to play many matches each day of competition.

Seeding: Seeding will be according to normal USAB Junior Seeding procedures. JITT entries and seeding will be posted at [www.smashcity.net](http://www.smashcity.net) by Saturday, May 20, 2006. All challenges to JITT seeding must be emailed to Fred Coleman, USAB Junior Committee Chair, at [fcoleman@facstaff.wisc.edu](mailto:fcoleman@facstaff.wisc.edu) by Tuesday, May 23, 2006.

Draw: The Open Draw for the JITT is scheduled to be done 6pm Thursday, May 25, 2006 at Smash City.

Questions: JITT questions should be directed to the JITT Tournament Director above or Fred Coleman, USAB Junior Committee Chair, at [fcoleman@facstaff.wisc.edu](mailto:fcoleman@facstaff.wisc.edu) or 608-347-2582 (cell).

### Tournament Hotels

1) TBD – see [www.smashcity.net](http://www.smashcity.net)

## Yonex Bay Area Junior Open Spring 2006

Director: Norman Chan, [nkchan@yahoo.com](mailto:nkchan@yahoo.com), 510-685-2892

Date: May 26-29, 2006. (Memorial Day Weekend)

Site: Smash City, 408-934-5800  
1191 Montague Expressway, Milpitas, CA 95035  
See [www.smashcity.net](http://www.smashcity.net) for Directions!

Events: Singles, Doubles, and Mixed Doubles. If you enter a JITT event, you may not enter the same BAJO event.

Flights: U9, U11, U13, U15, U17, U19, and U22 as determined by your age as of December 31, 2006. See table.

Format: Single Elimination with Consolation. **Main draw scoring will be 3x21 Rally for all events.** Winners of each match must turn in score sheets to the Tournament Desk and then be available to Line Judge or help in other ways for a subsequent match.

Entries: \$30 for first event, \$15 for second event, and \$10 for third event. **Three JITT events maximum.** At the BAJO Tournament Director's sole option, a player may be allowed to play a fourth BAJO event (for an additional \$10). Entries may be limited, events may be modified, combined, or cancelled, and Consolation scoring may be 1x21 Rally at the Tournament Director's sole discretion. Mail entry form, signed waiver, emergency contact, and payment payable to:  
Smash City  
1191 Montague Expressway  
Milpitas, CA 95035

Deadlines: Entries including the JITT must be postmarked by **Saturday May 13, 2006. LATE JITT ENTRIES ABSOLUTELY CANNOT BE ACCEPTED!**

Entries not including the JITT must be received by Saturday, May 20, 2006.

**FREE T-SHIRT** for all players whose fees and entries are received before 11:59PM on Sunday, May 14, 2006.

Times: Nominal starting times will be 6:00pm Friday (if needed – local and other present athletes only), 8:00am Saturday, 8:00am Sunday, and 8:00am Monday. Play is expected to continue through Monday, May 30. A **default time of 10 minutes** will be enforced for all matches. On-court warm-ups are limited to 3 minutes.

Sponsors: Yonex ([www.yonex.com](http://www.yonex.com))  
Badminton Alley ([www.badmintonalley.com](http://www.badmintonalley.com))  
Badminton Association of Northern California

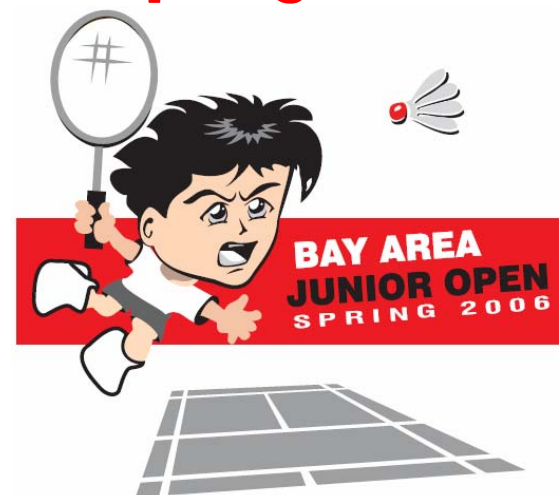
Prizes: Trophies will be awarded for first and second place as well as for consolation wins.

Shuttles: The official shuttle will be available at the tournament. Other shuttles allowed only if all players agree.

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## Spring 2006



including the

# USA Badminton Junior International Team Trials (JITT)

## May 26-29, 2006

(May 26 if needed; local and present athletes only)

## Waiver and Release of Liability Agreement

Note: This form must be read and signed before the participant is permitted to take part in event sessions. By signing this Agreement, the participant affirms having read it.

In consideration of my involvement at this Smash City & BANC Yonex Bay Area Junior Open Spring 2006 including the USA Badminton Junior International Team Trials under the auspices of Smash City, Inc., Badminton Association of Northern California ("BANC"), Yonex, and USA Badminton, I acknowledge, appreciate, and agree that:

- I risk bodily injury, including paralysis, dismemberment, disability, and death, and while particular rules of the sport, equipment, and discipline may reduce this risk, this risk of injury does exist, as well as the risk of damage to or loss of property.
- I knowingly and freely assume all such risk; both known and unknown, even if arising from the negligence of the releases of others;
- I willingly agree to comply with the state and customary terms and conditions for participation. If, however, I observe any unusual or unnecessary hazard during my presence or participation or if I observe any concern in my readiness for participation, I will immediately bring such to the attention of the nearest official and refrain from participation; and
- I, for myself, and on behalf of my heirs, assigns, personal representatives and next of kin, hereby release, hold harmless and promise not to sue Smash City, Inc., BANC, Yonex, USA Badminton, all committees, officers, volunteers, staff, sponsors and/or agents, ("Releasees") with respect to any and all injury and loss arising from my participation, whether caused by the negligence of the releases, the condition of the premises or otherwise, except that which is the result of gross negligence or wanton misconduct, to the fullest extent permitted by law.
- I agree to be bound by the rules and regulations of the International Badminton Federation, those of Smash City, Inc., those of BANC, those of USA Badminton, and those of any venue hosting BANC or Smash City, Inc., Programs and I hereby stipulate that I am eligible to play in the events for which I am applying and that I understand that the above mentioned make no representation or warranty with respect to the condition of the premises or the operation of the event. I agree that violation of any rule or regulation may result in my immediate removal with no refund or recourse and the decision of releases in these matters is final.
- I hereby grant to Smash City, Inc., BANC, USA Badminton, and their licensees including photographers, print, television, and motion picture rights including to film or videotape me during matches, narratives, personal interviews, or comment thereon for any and all commercial, news or other purposes together with the right to transfer or grant their rights to others, all without remuneration or compensation to me whatsoever.
- My agreement to this Waiver and Release of Liability applies in its entirety to all current and future BANC and Smash City, Inc. Programs until explicitly withdrawn by me in writing delivered to the respective Secretaries of Smash City, Inc. and BANC.
- If any part of this Agreement is deemed invalid, all other parts shall continue in full force and effect.

I have read the foregoing Waiver and Release of Liability Agreement, fully understand the terms, understand that I have given up substantial rights by signing it, and sign it freely and voluntarily without any inducement. And I further acknowledge by these presents that I am aware that DRUG TESTING may occur at this event.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Participant's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Participant's Name (Printed)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date of Signature

### For Participants of Minority Age

This is to certify that I/We as parent(s)/guardian(s) with legal responsibility for this participant, do consent and agree not only to his/her release, but also for myself, ourselves and my/our child's involvement as stated above, EVEN IF ARISING FROM THE NEGLIGENCE OF THE RELEASEES, to the fullest extent permitted by law.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent's/Guardian's Signature(s)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent's/Guardian's Name (Printed)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date of Signature

### REQUIRED EMERGENCY CONTACT INFORMATION:

Contact: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone No. \_\_\_\_\_

### Umpires Needed!

If you are able to help with umpiring matches, please let us know – no previous experience required!

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Experience: \_\_\_\_\_

### Find Your Flight! (Please circle correct row below):

<u>I was born in</u>	<u>So I can play</u>
1998 or 1999	JITT and/or U9 or higher
1996 or 1997	JITT and/or U11 or higher
1994 or 1995	JITT and/or U13 or higher
1992 or 1993	JITT and/or U15 or higher
1990 or 1991	JITT and/or U17 or higher
1988 or 1989	JITT and/or U19 or higher
1985, 1986, or 1987	U22 only

## Smash City & BANC Yonex Bay Area Junior Open Spring 2006 and USA Badminton Junior International Team Trial Entry Form (Signed Waiver also required!)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Sex: Male / Female

Birth Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Age as of 12/31/2006: \_\_\_\_\_

USAB Membership #: \_\_\_\_\_ Date Expires: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Club or School: \_\_\_\_\_

Previous tournaments: \_\_\_\_\_ Year \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Year \_\_\_\_\_

Parent(s) Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent(s) Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent(s) Email: \_\_\_\_\_

<u>Events &amp; Payment:</u>	<u>"JITT" or BAJO (e.g., BAJO U15)</u>	<u>MS, WS, MD, WD, or XD</u>	<u>Partner (or "Need")</u>	<u>Fee</u>
Event 1 (\$30)				
Event 2 (\$15)				
Event 3 (\$10)				
Event 4 (\$10 – Tournament Director option)				
USAB Junior Membership – Required if not a USAB member (\$20 for 1 year, \$50 for 3 years, \$75 for 5 years)				
Total				

Paid by  
Check #: \_\_\_\_\_ Dated: \_\_\_\_\_

or Credit Card:  
VISA/MasterCard: \_\_\_\_\_ Number: \_\_\_\_\_  
(sorry, no AMEX, etc.)

Name on card: \_\_\_\_\_ Expiration: \_\_\_\_\_

T-shirt (adult) size: \_\_X-Small \_\_Small \_\_Medium \_\_Large \_\_X-Large  
\* Free T-Shirt only for paid entry received by May 14, 2006. (\$10 value).