



Officials Meeting

August 18, 2026

2026.27 Badminton Ontario – Season Launch

Land Acknowledgement

We begin today by acknowledging the traditional territories of Indigenous peoples and their commitment to stewardship of the land. We acknowledge the communities in circle. The North, West, South and Eastern directions, and Haudenosaunee, Wendat, Anishnabeg, Seneca, Chippewa, and the Mississaugas of the Credit peoples. We share the responsibility with the caretakers of this land to ensure the dish is never empty and to restore relationships that are based on peace, friendship, and trust. We are committed to reconciliation, partnership and enhanced understanding.



The 2026.27 BON Season is a season of
change.



Agenda

- Land Acknowledgement
- Key Updates
- Reminders

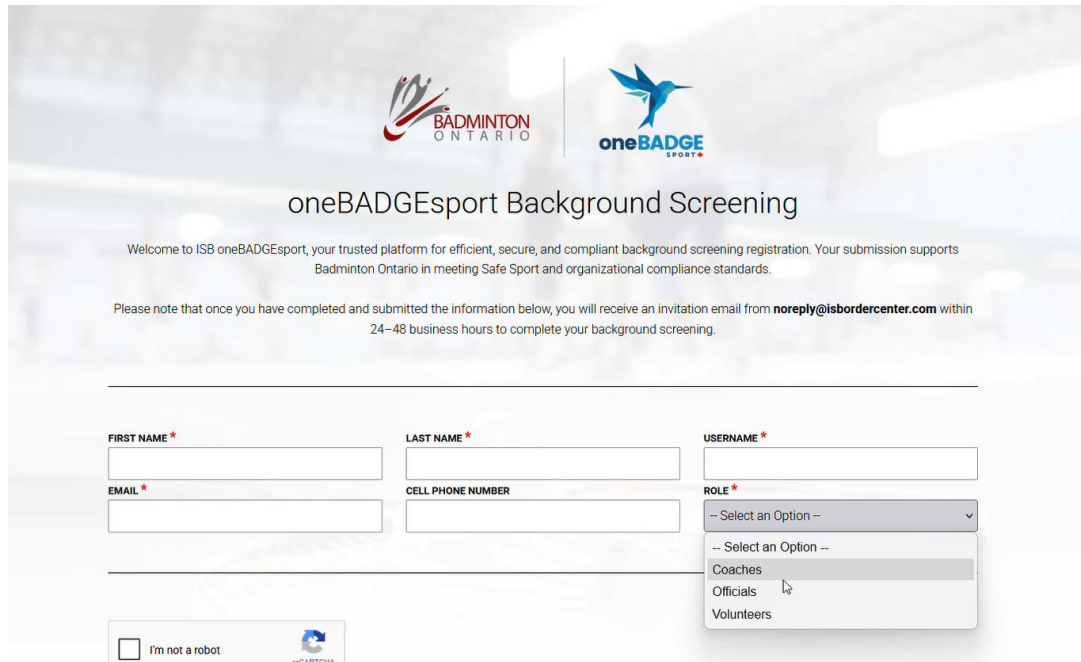


Key Updates

2026.27 Season



Introduction of oneBADGE



The screenshot shows the registration page for oneBADGEsport Background Screening. At the top, there are logos for Badminton Ontario and oneBADGE sport. The title "oneBADGEsport Background Screening" is centered. Below it, a welcome message states: "Welcome to ISB oneBADGEsport, your trusted platform for efficient, secure, and compliant background screening registration. Your submission supports Badminton Ontario in meeting Safe Sport and organizational compliance standards." A note follows: "Please note that once you have completed and submitted the information below, you will receive an invitation email from noreply@isbordercenter.com within 24-48 business hours to complete your background screening." The form fields are arranged in two rows. The first row contains "FIRST NAME *", "LAST NAME *", and "USERNAME *". The second row contains "EMAIL *", "CELL PHONE NUMBER", and "ROLE *". The "ROLE *" dropdown menu is open, showing options: "-- Select an Option --", "Coaches", "Officials", and "Volunteers". At the bottom left, there is a checkbox for "I'm not a robot" and a reCAPTCHA logo.

Launch: Aug 20th, 2026

- Information and website to be updated
- Video and instruction guide will be shared from oneBADGE
- All payments will be collected through this process:
 - Officials License
 - BON Membership
 - P-Crim (replacement for CRC)
- The key drivers are:
 - Simplify overall process for all stakeholders
 - Manage PII data
 - Align with NSOs



Adoption of 3 x 15 Scoring

Junior A & B

Will adopt the new 3 x 15 scoring at the start of the 2026.27 Season. The plan is that Open events will make the same change.

*Note: Badminton Canada announced similar change on Aug. 6th, 2026

Junior C

Will maintain the current 3 x 21 scoring for the 2026.27 Season. The plan is that Masters events will remain the same.

*Note: Badminton Canada will keep 3 x 21 scoring for Masters



Official Shuttles

Junior A & B, Open, & Masters

Official shuttle: Victor Master 3, Speed 78 shuttles

Junior C

Official shuttle: Victor NCS Max, Speed 78

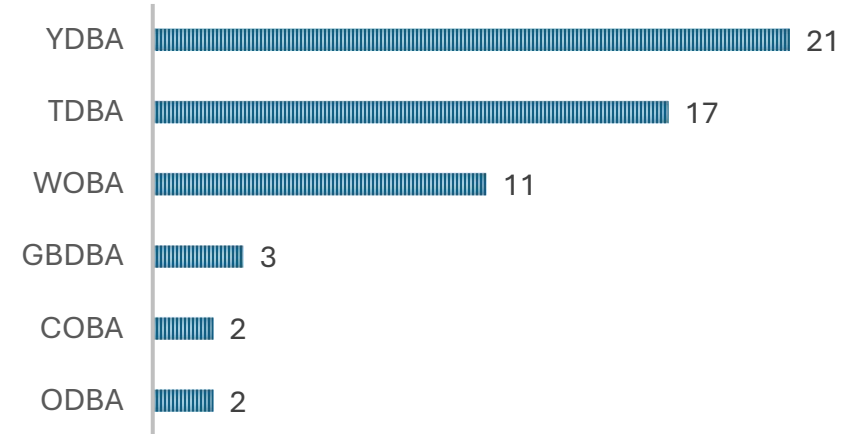
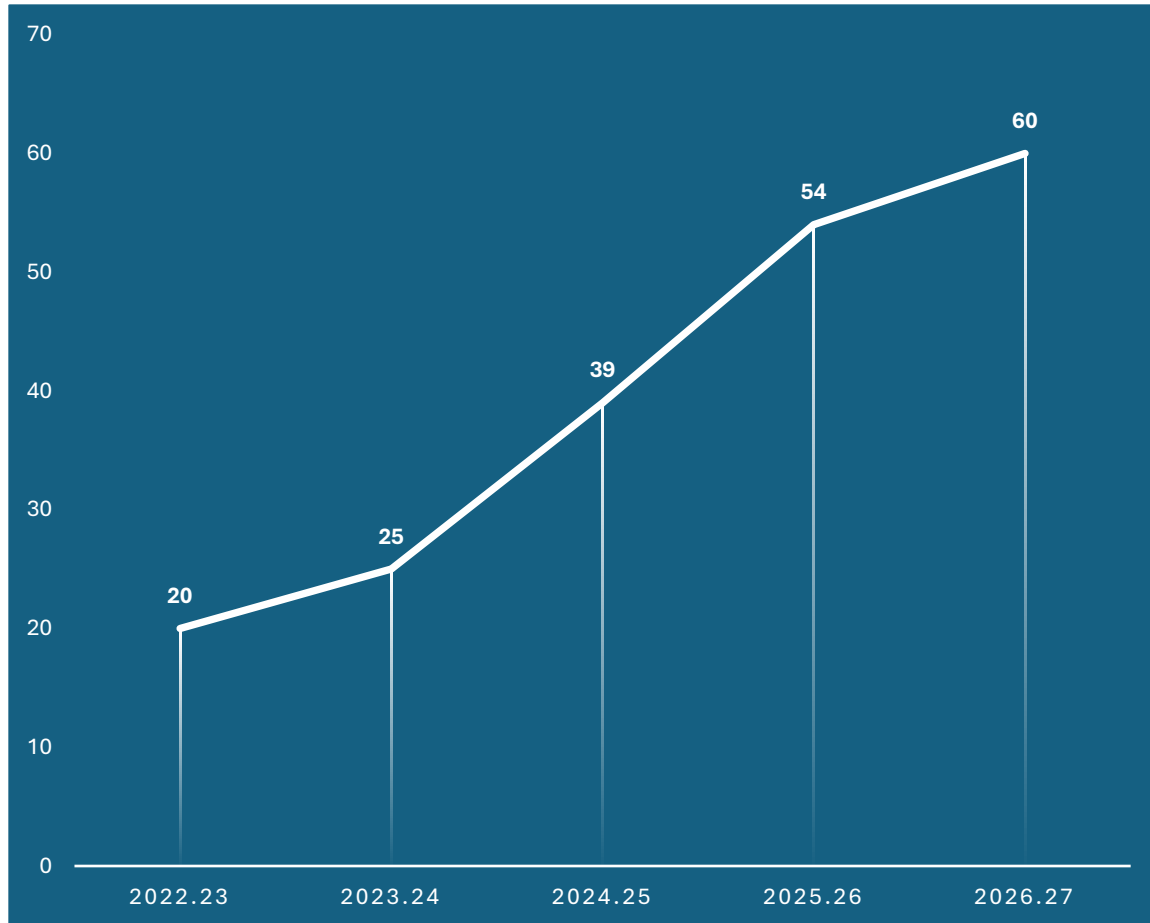


Junior C – Withdrawal Rule

- Players / Teams that withdraw by Thurs @ 3pm prior to the event will be removed.
- Opponents will receive a **bye** (and not a walkover).
- Schedule will remain as-is.
- The objective of the new rule is to increase the potential of additional matches allowing teams to qualify for consolation rounds



2026.27 Season Preview



1. Launch of Little Birdies
2. Launch of Classic Masters
 - B&R Club
 - Boulevard Club



Little Birdies



BADMINTON ONTARIO 
LITTLE BIRDIES

A GRASSROOTS DEVELOPMENT INITIATIVE

Little Birdies was designed to introduce young athletes to the fundamentals of badminton while building confidence, coordination, and key skills. Through engaging drills and guided play, participants refine their technique and develop a lasting love for the game.

Targeted to athletes ages 8-14



Reminders

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Hotel and Transportation

- This policy has been updated to provide better clarity
- Hotel accommodations clarifies when a hotel will be provided prior and during an event
- Transportation clarifies that the driver will be reimbursed; in addition, clarification on the use of Uber or public transit
- Lastly, all hotel bookings will be managed and communicate by Yzabel



Additional Reminders

Replacement

- Officials are responsible for finding a replacement
- Use the WhatsApp change to expedite replacement request to the community
- Update Yzabel of the change
- Reminder: UIT must be replaced by another UIT unless permission is given

Code of Conduct

- All parties must adhere to the Code of Conduct and Ethical Conduct Policy

Punctuality and Absences

- If an emergency arises, please **contact the onsite Tournament Coordinator and Yzabel** that you will be late or you're unable to attend



Reference Material

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BON Policies

- [BON Code of Conduct & Ethical Conduct Policy](#)
- [Safe Sport Policy](#)
- See full list of policies [here](#)

