



U17  
CIRCUIT

INVITATION  
VICTOR FRENCH U17 INTERNATIONAL 2026

U17 International Series  
14, 15 & 16 August 2026



# KEY DATES

## VICTOR FRENCH U17 INTERNATIONAL 2026

US Talence Badminton is pleased to invite you for his Victor French U17 International 2026, from 14th August to 16th August 2026, part of the Badminton Europe U17 Circuit, U17 International Challenge and the tournament is sanctioned by BEC, resp. BWF.

<b>Enter in the tournament</b> Before Tuesday, 14th July 2026, 4:59 pm (GMT+01:00)	<b>Seeding and draws</b> Tuesday, 4th August 2026, by Badminton Europe
<b>Withdrawal deadline</b> Monday, 3rd August 2026, 11:59 pm (GMT +01:00)	<b>Ask an official invitation</b> u17@ustbadminton.fr
<b>Receive an official invitation letter for a visa</b> As soon as possible and no later than Thursday, 16th July 2026	<b>BWF Online Entry System</b> <a href="https://bwf.tournamentsoftware.com/tournament/4DBCAE72-8D13-468">https://bwf.tournamentsoftware.com/tournament/4DBCAE72-8D13-468</a>
<b>Pay my entry fees invoice for the tournament</b> Before Thursday, 30th July 2026	<b>Pay my entry fees</b> US TALENCE BADMINTON - CM TALENCE IBAN : FR76 1558 9335 5407 6152 0294 341 BIC : CMBRFR2BXXX
<b>Book a transport from an official point of arrival</b> Before Thursday, 6th August 2026	<b>Ask and book a transport</b> u17@ustbadminton.fr
<b>Book a room at CREPS BORDEAUX</b> Before Thursday, 16th July 2026	<b>Book a room at CREPS BORDEAUX</b> u17@ustbadminton.fr
<b>Book a training court on Wednesday afternoon</b> Before Thursday, 6th August 2026	<b>Book a court</b> u17@ustbadminton.fr
<b>Team Managers Meeting</b> Thursday, 13 <sup>th</sup> August 2026 at 7:00 pm. at the tournament venue (CREPS de Bordeaux).	<b>Team Empires Meeting</b> Thursday, 13 <sup>th</sup> August 2026 at 8:00 pm. at the tournament venue (CREPS de Bordeaux).

More informations in our website <https://www.ustbadminton.fr/french-u17-international-2026>.  
 You can follow us on Facebook page (UST Badminton) or Instagram (ustalence\_badminton)

# TOURNAMENT INFORMATION

## VICTOR FRENCH U17 INTERNATIONAL 2026

### VENUE

Gymnase Hand-bad CREPS - 653 avenue de la libération 33400 TALENCE  
6 courts Taraflex

### TOURNAMENT TEAM

Hugo CLAERBOUT / Tournament director  
+33674424880 - u17@ustbadminton.fr

Sebastien BOURDIN / Referee  
sebastien.bourdin@ffbad.org

Jeremy SIROUX / Deputy referee

### OFFICIAL SHUTTLES

Victor Gold Champion

### STRINGING

A stringing service is provided during the tournament, at the stringing area, in charge of players.  
Credit card payment (fast and secure) is possible on site.

### OFFICIAL SHUTTLES

Sessions of 30 min on Thursday 13th August 2026 from 4:00 pm to 7:00 pm, with reservations prior. Shuttles are not provided. Courts will be allocated in accordance with reservations.

### PRIZES

Trophies and practical prizes for every winner & runner-up. Every prize-giving will take place on Sunday 16th August 2026, after each final.

### MEDICAL SERVICE

A first aid person will be available at the venue.

### INSURANCE

The organisation declines responsibility and doesn't cover costs for possible injuries or other damages. Every player or member of a delegation have to be insured for all costs incurred, including hotel fees, travel expenses and medical care.

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### ENTRY FEES

Singles : 40€ per player

Doubles : 25€ per player per event

The entry fees are payable on our bank account before Thursday, 6th August for all player is entered and has not been withdrawn when the entry deadline passes :

US TALENCE / CM TALENCE

IBAN : FR76 1558 9335 5407 6152 0294 341

BIC : CMBRFR2BXXX

All associations that have entered players will be contacted after the entry deadline to establish how entry fees will be paid. All fees must also be paid before Thursday, 6th August 2026, for any players listed in main draw and not withdrawn before the deadline. Thanks in advance for understanding.

### COMPLIANCE WITH BEC U17 CIRCUIT REGULATIONS ABOUT ENTRY FEES

“The Member that enters a player/pair into a BEC U17 Circuit tournament is responsible for paying the entry fees for that player/pair. The entry fees become due if a player is entered and has not been withdrawn when the entry deadline passes.” (Badminton Europe U17 Circuit Regulations, § 12.1, page 7). The entry fees will not be refunded in the case of a withdrawal. For all the withdrawn players the organisers can invoice the entry fee to the relevant Member.” (Badminton Europe U17 Circuit Regulations, § 12.2, page 7).

### COMPLIANCE WITH GENERAL COMPETITIONS REGULATIONS

“In making or authorising entries, the Member concerned is reconfirming its acceptance, and acceptance by the players being entered, of the BWF’s regulations and Disciplinary processes” . (BWF Statues, Section 5.1, General Competitions Regulations, § 7.9, page 22)

### VISAS

If you need to arrange a visa for arriving in France for the tournament, please fill out the following online form. Please consider the fact that arranging a visa can take some time, so please do not hesitate to contact us in advance.

<https://france-visas.gouv.fr/web/france-visas/demande-en-ligne>

“After entering 1 (one) or more players in the tournament, it is the Member's responsibility to secure visas for their players - if this is needed. Members must make sure that visa applications are made early enough. (Badminton Europe U17 Circuit Regulations, § 11.2, page 7)

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### **ANTI-DOPING**

Doping control in badminton, in accordance with BWF Anti-Doping Regulations, is conducted out-of-competition and in-competition with the collection of urine and/or blood samples. Athletes are responsible for any substance found in their body. Before an athlete takes any medication, they should check with their doctor, and if necessary, get a Therapeutic Use Exemption (TUE).

For more information: anti-doping overview on BWF Corporate website :

<https://corporate.bwfbadminton.com/integrity/anti-doping-overview/>

### **BADMINTON INTEGRITY**

Section 2.4 of the BWF Statutes (Code on The Prevention of The Manipulation of Competitions) relates to anti-corruption and antimatch manipulation, and this code applies to all participants at this tournament. To protect the integrity of BWF sanctioned tournaments, participants are not allowed to bet in any way on badminton matches, shall respect the principle of fair play, and shall not attempt to influence the course or result of a game or match.

Every person has an obligation to report to the BWF any approaches by anyone to gather inside information or to change the outcome of a match(es).

For more information, please refer to BWF's website:

<https://corporate.bwfbadminton.com/integrity/anti-match-fixing-overview/>

For more information: anti-fixing match overview on BWF Corporate website

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# EVENTS AND SCHEDULE

## VICTOR FRENCH U17 INTERNATIONAL 2026

Tournament for U17 players, born in 2010 or later. Knockout system for all disciplines. A player can enter in the 3 disciplines: single, double and mixed.

All entries must be made by using the BWF Online Entry System, before Tuesday, 14th July 2026.

6 courts 3 days	Round 64	Round 32	Round 16	QF	SF	Final
MS – 64	32	16	8	4	2	1
WS – 64	32	16	8	4	2	1
MD -32	-	16	8	4	2	1
WD – 32	-	16	8	4	2	1
XD - 48	16	16	8	4	2	1
Total	128		94		13	

In accordance with regulation § 9.2 and § 9.3 in BWF Statutes, Section 5.3.3.2: World Junior Ranking System, an event must contain at least 8 (eight) competitors in the first published version of the main draw. If the required number of competitors is not met in the first published version of the main draw, this particular event shall not count towards any ranking. In accordance with regulation § 9.4 in BWF Statutes, Section 5.3.3.2: World Junior Ranking System, an event must contain at least 1 (one) entry from a Member other than the hosting Member in the first published version of the main draw. If an event does not contain at least 1 (one) entry from a Member other than the hosting Member in the first published version of the main draw, this particular event shall not count towards any ranking. Badminton Europe is not liable for any costs incurred by third persons (players, coaches, umpires, team managers etc.) because of an event not having enough competitors to count for the rankings” . (Badminton Europe U17 Circuit, § 2.3, page 1)

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### TRANSPORT / OFFICIAL POINT OF ARRIVAL

Bordeaux Merignac Airport : Transport is organized by the organization directly from Bordeaux Merignac Airport (6€ per person per- trip).

Send the reservation form before August 6th to: [u17@ustbadminton.fr](mailto:u17@ustbadminton.fr)

### ACCOMMODATIONS

The official hotel is in the same place as the hall :

CREPS Bordeaux Aquitaine, 653 cours de la libération, 33400 TALENCE

In the CREPS, all can be included (the room for 2 persons and breakfast at the cafeteria in the CREPS).

Rates :

- 45 euros « night and breakfast » per person per night in a twin room

- The lunch and dinner are in the catering in the main hall.

Arrival possible in Thursday afternoon.

Send the reservation form before July 16th to: [u17@ustbadminton.fr](mailto:u17@ustbadminton.fr)

After July 16th, all that is booked can't be cancelled and must be paid.

