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you are
BUT
HOW BIG
you play

**BELGIAN JUNIOR OPEN
HERENTALS**



1. FOREWORD

1.1 Welcoming of the Flemish Squash Federation

To all the young athletes, coaches and parents

On behalf of the Flemish and Belgian Squash Federation, we would like to welcome you all to Belgian Junior Open 2023! We are delighted to have you all as our participants.

We hope that your time with us will be filled with not only intense and thrilling matches but also memorable experiences both on and off the court.

Let us remember you that the hotels are a place of rest and relaxation for all its guests. We kindly request your respect and cooperation in maintaining a serene and peaceful atmosphere for everyone. By doing so, we would like to maintain the good relationship with the hotel staff for future events.

We would like to thank our sponsors, Sport Vlaanderen and Lotto, whose support has made this event possible. Their commitment to promoting and nurturing young talent in squash is invaluable.

Should you have any questions, concerns, or require assistance during your stay, please do not hesitate to reach out to the tournament office. We are here to ensure your experience is as smooth and enjoyable as possible.

We wish you the best of luck, and most importantly, we encourage you to have an absolute blast! May the Belgian Junior Open 2023 be a stage for incredible squash and lifelong memories.

Thank you for joining us, and let the games begin!

SQV-team



2. ORGANISATION

Tournament Director	Kim Hannes
Tournament Desk	Kim Hannes Tine Hannes
Tournament Press & Communication	Tine Hannes
Tournament Referee	Philippe Gebruers
Tournament Transport Director	Stefan Casteleyn
Tournament Treasurer	Tine Hannes
Tournament Hotel Director	Stefan Casteleyn

3. IMPORTANT ADDRESSES & TELEPHONE NUMBERS

Flemish Squash Federation

Vorselaarsebaan 62 - 2200 Herentals - 0032 (0)14 85 96 00

e-mail: SQV@squashvlaanderen.be

<https://squashvlaanderen.be/belgian-junior-open-2023/>

Flemish Squash Centre

Vorselaarsebaan 60 - 2200 Herentals - 0032 (0)14 85 96 00

Sporthotel Sport Vlaanderen

Vorselaarsebaan 60 - 2200 Herentals - 0032 (0)14 85 95 24

Best Western Plus Aldhem Hotel

Jagersdreef 1 - 2280 Grobbendonk - 0032 (0)14 50 10 01

4. GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

- Any costs due to extra services or accommodation must be paid fully by individual player to the Tournament Organizing Committee prior to departure.
- All players and officials must cover their own personal insurance. Competitors enter and play in the Championship at their own risk.
- Neither the ESF, SQV or host venue accept any responsibility for injury arising from participation in the Championship.
- The ESF and Host Nation reserve the right to implement compulsory dope testing for any players participating in the Championship.
- There shall be no doping before or during play in any competition under ESF rules.
- Any player refusing to undergo doping control and any person found guilty of doping will be dealt with by the ESF, which shall take disciplinary action in accordance with its constitutions/regulations.
- All participants are required to wear protective eye guards throughout the Championships in accordance with European Tournament Regulations.
- Age requirements shall be defined as under 19 years as at the final scheduled day of the Championship event.
- All matches will be played 'best of five' according to the WSF rules of squash, with the PAR 11 scoring system.
- The official Championship ball is Dunlop Pro XX.

- We expect that each one of you will behave as perfect ambassadors for your country. The Organizing Committee will not tolerate any misconduct. All cases of misconduct will be immediately handled by the Organizing Committee and action will be taken such as being removed from the Tournament.
- By entering the Tournament you agree with the above regulations.

5. SPORT VLAANDEREN HOTEL

- You are not allowed to smoke in the hotel.
- This hotel is basic standard. There is no tv in the room, but there is one in the recreational room. There is no daily cleaning and there are no towels, so bring your own towels.
- ***Because there are other athletes staying in this hotel, it is strictly forbidden to make noise after 22.00. We kindly ask you to respect this. If there are any complaints it could be possible that you will be excluded from the tournament.***
- Breakfast is at 8 o'clock.
- On Sunday at 10 o'clock everyone has to leave the room.
- When leaving your room on Sunday, empty your dustbin in the dustbin of the hallway and leave your blankets in the appointed laundry basket on the hallway. Thank you!
- Please bring back your key to the tournament office.

6. REFEREEING

The Tournament Referee Philippe Gebreurs expects that you will support his team of officials throughout the tournament. Both players will be expected to referee the following match on the same court. The loser will always be the marker and the winner will always be the referee. Please help the matches to run on time by reporting to the tournament desk immediately after your completed match to receive the referee papers for the following match.

7. PLAYERS ELIGIBILITY / ACCREDITATION

Players may be required to present their passport to the Tournament Desk, prior to play.

8. TOURNAMENT OFFICE

Responsible : Kim Hannes

Telephone : +32 (0)14 85 96 00

Check in: players need to check in at the tournament office. All costs have to be paid for before the start of their first match. NO PAY = NO PLAY.

9. MEALS

- Breakfast will be served in your hotel.
- The tournament package will start from Thursday dinner on. Lunch and dinner will be served in the auditorium of the Flemish Squash Centre. Lunch

is available from 11.00 till 15.00 and dinner from 18.00 till 22.00. Please respect the following things:

- Please respect the opening hours of the restaurant to have your meal.
- Clear your table after your meal.
- It is not allowed to take food or drinks from the restaurant.
- Every player receives a bracelet at the tournament office. You need this for your meals. If you lose this, you will need to pay for a new bracelet. If it gets broken, bring the broken one to the tournament office and we will give you a new one.

10. FOOD & BEVERAGES

Meals of the package will be served in the auditorium of The Flemish Squash Centre. Snacks and drinks are available at the courts. There is a BarRr-sportsbar located in the Centre where you also can have meals and drinks. All food and drinks ordered at the bar are to be paid for immediately. Please respect this request.

11. TRANSPORT

Players and officials with a package will be picked up at Herentals Train Station **upon request**. They will be dropped off at Herentals Train Station. **Pick up will start on 02/11 as from 09.00 am and drop off until 5/11 17.00 pm.**

There will be a regular bus service between hotel and venue. **See bus schedule.** The times on the schedule are departing times.

12. MEDICAL ASSISTANCE

Assistance will be on call throughout. Players who require medical attention should liase with the Championship Office.

13. DEPARTURE

Drop off service is until 05/11 17.00 pm at Herentals train station for players with package.

Players / managers should ensure that all outstanding charges have been cleared with the hotel and the organizing committee prior to their departure.

15. DOPE TESTING

All players should be aware that a random dope testing by the Flemish government could occur during the tournament.

16. RESULTS BOOK

You can check results [here](#).

17. TRAVELLING DETAILS

Train to Herentals station

We regret that there will be disruptions in train services from 1st November to 5th November due to track maintenance, coinciding with our event.

Unfortunately, this is beyond our control, and we apologize for any inconvenience caused.

For participants traveling by train through Brussels-Central and Antwerp-Central to Herentals, please take the train to Lier. From Lier, you can use the De Lijn bus service to reach Herentals station. Our shuttle service will then pick you up from the station and transport you to the club and designated hotels.

Car to the Flemish Squash Center

- from Hasselt, Luik and Antwerp (also people coming from Antwerp need to take this alternative route due to road works)
 - E 313 Antwerp
 - exit 22 Herentals Oost / Olen
 - Follow the sign Herentals
 - at the intersection left
 - traffic lights to the right
 - Follow the signs 'Sport Vlaanderen sportcentrum Netepark'

Bus schedule Belgian Junior Open

THURSDAY 2 NOVEMBER			FRIDAY 3 NOVEMBER		SATURDAY 4 NOVEMBER		SUNDAY 5 NOVEMBER		
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** DUE TO THE BELGIAN LAW THE DUSDRIVER HAS TO TAKE A BREAK AFTER 4,5 HOURS

THE DEDICATED TIME IS THE TIME OF DEPARTURE

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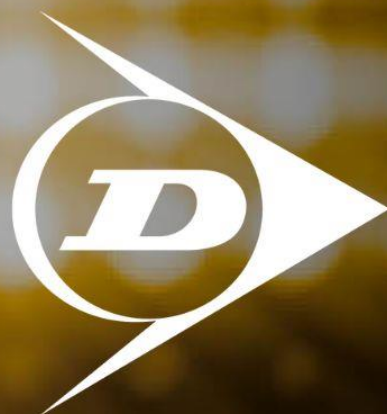
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