

## 2015 Butterfly Badger Open

September 18, 19 & 20, 2015







Venue (Do not mail entry to venue): Milwaukee County Sports Complex, 6000 W. Ryan Rd., Franklin, WI, 53132

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## New location and larger venue! More amenities, including FREE LUNCH!!

For directions to venue go to:

<u>badgeropen.com</u> - Registration & **entry fee** must be received by Friday,
September 11, 2015

No.	Event	Date	Time	Fee	1st	2nd	3rd	5-8 9-16	
1	Open Singles	Sat	11:00AM	\$58	\$2,000	\$1,000	\$500	\$200 \$100	
2	U-2500	Sun	9:00AM	40	700	350	150		
3	U-2400	Sun	1:00PM	32	500	225	100	Note: Get	
4	U-2300	Sat	4:00PM	32	300	150	75	your entry in	
5	U-2200	Sun	2:30PM	32	250	125	75		
6	U-2100	Sat	1:00PM	32	150	100	T	early. \$20	
7	U-2000	Sat	6:00PM	32	100	50	T	late fee for	
8	U-1900	Sat	9:00AM	32	100	50	T	entries	
9	U-1800	Sat	3:00PM	30	T	T	T	postmarked	
10	U-1750	Sun	12:00PM	30	T	T	T	after	
11	U-1700	Sat	12:30PM	30	T	T	T	September	
12	U-1600	Sun	9:00AM	30	T	T	T	_	
13	U-1500	Sun	12:00PM	30	T	T	T	4, 2015.	
14	U-1400	Sat	9:00AM	30	T	T	T	Entries will	
15	U-1200	Sat	12:30PM	30	T	T	T	close for	
16	U-1000	Sun	11:00AM	30	T	T	T	events that	
17	U-800	Sat	11:00AM	30	T	T	T	reach	
18	Open Doubles SE	Sat	6:30PM	58/team	600	300	T	maximum	
19	Doubles U-3800 RR	Sun	2:30PM	58/team	100	50	T		
20	Youth18 & under	Sat	3:00PM	30	T	T	T	capacity.	
21	Youth14 & under	Sun	1:00PM	30	T	T	T		
22	40 & Over	Sun	1:00PM	32	T	T	T	See backside	
23	55 & Over	Sat	4:00PM	32	T	T	T	for additional	
24	Hardbat	Sun	3:00PM	32	T	T	T	information.	
25	Recreational	Fri	6:00PM	15	T	T	T	1	
26	Corporate Team	Fri	6:00PM	40/team	T	T	T	]	
27	51 Point Handicap	Fri	7:30PM	*20	250	50	T		

Name:			DOB:		Telephone:					
Address:	(	City:		State:						
E-mail:	USATT#:		Exp:		Rating:	;				
Club Affiliation:	Doubles partner (list both Open and/or U-3800):									
Corporate Team (company i	Team partner:									
Circle events entered & make checks payable to & mail entry to: Milwaukee TTC, P.O. Box 11366, Shorewood, WI 532								<u>211</u> .		
1 2 3 4 5 6	7 8	9 10 11 12 1	3 14 15	16 17	18 19 2	20 21 22	23 24	4 25	26	27
			consibility while playing in this tournament. I release Milwaukee TTC, USATT, Center and the tournament staff from any claims or loss from damage or injury sustained by my							
Registration fee 5.00		person or property. I will abide by USATT rules and the decisions of the tournament staff.								
Tournament Processing Fee 10.00										
Add \$20 late fee if Signature (parent/guardi postmarked after 9/4			dian signature if under 18):							
USATT membership fee* *USATT memberships – annual fee:				t \$49; Junio	(U-17 on July	(1) \$25; College	e student \$	25; House	ehold \$	90; or
T-shirts @ \$20 each**		one time \$10 tournament pass.  **Circle t-shirt(s) sizes: S M L XL XXL								
TOTAL enclosed										

## Format/Additional Information

- 1. Except for events #18, 19, 25, 26 and 27 players must be current USATT members or must join (see membership information on entry portion). Memberships can be purchased at the tournament. For events #19 (U-3800 Doubles) and #27 (Handicap) players must have a current USATT rating (within 3 years).
- 2. Recreational (#25) is for players who have never been rated.
- 3. On site registration is permitted for events #25, 26 and 27 only.
- 4. \*51 Point Handicap (#27) it is unrated, single elimination and open only to rated players. Players rated 2300 or over have free entry in this event.
- 5. Event #26 is a team event for employees who work for the same corporation, government entity (such as police officers or firemen), any employer, etc. Teams are two players (rated or unrated players) and a team match will be A v. X, B v. Y, doubles, A v. Y, and B v. X. Companies may field more than one team.
- 6. All matches will be 3 of 5 games, except in Open Doubles and elimination rounds in Open Singles which will be 4 of 7.
- 7. Format will be RR groups of four with top player advancing in all events, except Open Doubles and Handicap will be single elimination.
- 8. Unrated players may enter any event **BUT** will not advance from their round robin in events #2 through #17.
- 9. Depending on entries, top seeded players in Open singles may be placed directly into the elimination round.
- 10. All age events cutoffs will be 9/18/15.
- 11. Any event starting 3:30 PM or later on Saturday MAY carryover elimination rounds to Sunday.
- 12. Event #24 is a hardbat event. Hardbat rules are listed at www.hardbat.com. Matches are 2/3 games to 21.
- 13. All players must pay \$5 registration fee and \$10 tournament processing fee, except players entering in events #18, 19, 25, 26 and 27 only and no other events do not pay \$10 tournament processing fee.
- 14. Players may not enter more than one event with the same starting time. **Default time is start time.**
- 15. Tournament management may modify, combine, or cancel events, limit total entries or total entries by event.
- 16. All USATT rules will be enforced. Boosters or glue with VOC's are not permitted. No prizes awarded for splits, dumps, defaults, or no-shows. No white shirts, shorts or skirts.
- 17. Ratings as of 8/21/15 will be used for event eligibility; seeding will be based upon latest available ratings.
- 18. No refunds after entry deadline.
- 19. Questions, contact Linda Leaf, 414-281-3123, linda.leaf@gmail.com.
- 20. Any image, photographic or otherwise, taken of tournament play or within the official venue is essentially the property of MTTC and Butterfly North America. Entrants agree to allow their voice and likeness in such images to be reproduced in connection with MTTC and Butterfly North America by way of any medium.
- 21. Trophies must be picked up at control desk by players. They will not be shipped.

**Equipment:** Butterfly tables and Butterfly nets; white Butterfly 40+ 3-Star plastic balls. Venue has all purpose sport flooring.

<u>Amenities:</u> Milwaukee County Sports Complex is the new venue for the Butterfly Badger Open and is located in Franklin, which is south of Milwaukee and a little over an hour from Chicago. Locker rooms are available and ample free parking. Hot food and beverages are available on site. <u>EVERY PLAYER WILL RECEIVE FREE FOOD AND BEVERAGE TICKETS.</u>

## **Tournament Staff & Officials**

Tournament Director and Deputy Referee: Linda Leaf, CR, IU

Tournament Referee: Ed Hogshead, CR, IU.

Tournament Committee: Linda Leaf, Mike Bernhard, Jim Zonoozi, Paul Scobey, and Douglas Wruck.

<u>Host Hotels:</u> Rooms have been set aside at a special rate at: Staybridge Suites Milwaukee Airport South. Rooms are \$109 and include sleeper sofa. Call 414-761-3810 for reservations and identify Badger Open for the group rate. Additional hotel information can be found on www.badgeropen.com.

Additional Information: All U.S. prize money winners are required to provide Social Security numbers. All international prize money winners are required to provide Passport/Visa. We are required by U.S. Department of Treasury to withhold 30% tax on all prize money recipients from countries that do not have a treaty with the U.S. Midwest Circuit and Butterfly North American Tour: The Butterfly Badger Open is proud to announce that the tournament participates in the Midwest Circuit and Butterfly North American Tour. The Midwest Circuit is for players of all levels of play and the Badger Open is the final stop in the tour.