



# OFFICIAL INVITATION



## ICELAND SPRON INTERNATIONAL 2008

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6th November – 9th November

Closing Date 14th October  
Price Money 5000 \$



Part of the Badminton Europe Circuit 2007/2008 – and a World Ranking Tournament

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<b>Venue</b>	TBR – Badminton Hall Gnoðavogi 1, 104 Reykjavik Tel. +354-581 2266 fax. +354-568 7622 e-mail: <a href="mailto:tbr@tbr.is">tbr@tbr.is</a> web: <a href="http://www.tbr.is">www.tbr.is</a>
<b>Draw</b>	Will be made by Badminton Europe.
<b>Schedule</b>	<b>QUALIFYING ROUNDS:</b> 6th November 2008 <b>MAIN ROUNDS:</b> 7th –8th November 2008 <b>FINALS:</b> 9th November 2008 – 10.00 hours
<b>Closing date</b>	14th October 2008
<b>Shuttles</b>	RSL Tourney
<b>Courts</b>	6 wooden floor and 4 warm up




<b>Entries</b>	Badminton Association of Iceland Engjavegi 6 104 Reykjavík Iceland Fax: +354-514 4046 e-mail: <a href="mailto:bsi@badminton.is">bsi@badminton.is</a>
	Entries have to be confirmed by your National Association and to be accompanied by each players BWF number. Entries must be done in order of strength and in national ranking order in each event. <b>No late entries will be accepted.</b>
<b>Entry fees</b>	30 EURO per player and event. The entry fee must be paid at the same time as the entries are submitted. The entry fee will not be refunded in the event of withdrawal.
<b>Bank Information: (payment)</b>	IBAN number IS660330260009874301694919 Swift code: KAUPISRE  <b>Bank Adress:</b> KBbanki Kirkjubraut 28 300 Akranes Iceland
<b>Conditions</b>	The tournament will be conducted under the BWF Competition Regulations and in accordance with the Instructions of the Badminton Europe Circuit. <u>The BWF Scoring System will be used</u>
<b>Price Money</b>	5000 \$ MS/WS 1st place: 600 \$ per player MS/WS 2nd place: 400 \$ per player MD/WD/MXD 1st place: 1000 \$ per pair



<b>Clothing and advertising</b>	Will be permitted in accordance with the regulation of the BWF 19-23. From semifinals on the name of the shirt is mandatory.
<b>Draw size</b>	The draw size will be max 32 in singles and 24 in doubles and mixed and no more than 3 rounds in qualifying.
<b>Visa</b>	After entering a player(s) in the tournament it is the Member Nation's responsibility to secure visas for their players - if this is needed. Make sure that visa applications are made early enough. The Tournament Organisers will have to do everything possible to enable the entered players to get visas.
<b>Withdrawals</b>	If a player who is accepted into the tournament withdraws from the entire competition for any reason whatsoever within 7(seven) days before the first scheduled match of the tournament, the Member Association entering the player shall make a payment of 100 EURO'S to the Badminton Europe.
<b>Insurance</b>	The organizer declines responsibility and covering of costs for possible injuries or other damages. It is up to each participant to insure himself.
<b>Drug testing</b>	May be carried out on random basis by the Icelandic Sport Association.



<b>Accomodation</b>	Shall be ordered directly with the hotel. Accommodation has to be ordered before 14th. October 2008. After that the hotel can't guarantee accommodation for your team.
	<b>Fosshótel Baron</b> E-mail: <a href="mailto:gulli@fosshotel.is">gulli@fosshotel.is</a> Baronsstígur 2-4 101 Reykjavík tel. +354 562 3350, fax.+354 562 4001(to Gulli)  <b>Price per night incl. breakfast:</b> Single room 7800 ISK Double room 8800 ISK
<b>Flight information</b>	Please visit: <a href="http://www.icelandexpress.is">www.icelandexpress.is</a> <a href="http://www.icelandair.is">www.icelandair.is</a>
<b>Transport</b>	Transport from Keflavik airport will be provided if travel information 's are sent one week before arrival.
<b>Departure</b>	“Players shall not plan their departure less than two (2) hours after their last match is planned to conclude. If a player/pair is unable to compete due to early departure, such a player/pair shall lose all the Circuit Ranking points gained at the particular tournament and BADMINTON EUROPE shall propose to BWF that the gained BWF ranking points are also removed. (Regulation 9.7 in Badminton Europe’s Circuit Instructions)”

**Looking forward to seeing you in Iceland**

**Kind regards**

**Ása Pálsdóttir**

**General Secretary of the Badminton Association of Iceland**

