

RIDGEBACK UNIVERSITY CHALLENGE 2018

**Campus Recreation & Wellness Centre
University of Ontario Institute of Technology
2000 Simcoe Street North, Oshawa ON**

Dates

Saturday October 13th and Sunday October 14th

Location:

CRWC, Gyms 3, 4 and 5 (7 air-conditioned HP courts)
VIP Room (G2016) available for all players & coaches during the event
Team Rooms 1 and 2 available for female athletes – SUNDAY only
Team Rooms 7 and 8 available for male athletes – SUNDAY only

Events:

Men's Singles Women's Singles Mixed Doubles
Men's Doubles Women's Doubles
Team Event – maximum of 8 teams accepted in this event

Invited OUA Teams:

University of Ontario, Carleton University, McMaster University, University of Ottawa, Queen's University, Ryerson University, University of Toronto, University of Waterloo, Western University

Other Invited Teams:

Laval University, Team Ontario CWG 2019 team athletes, Equipe Quebec CWF 2019 team athletes
Full-time student athletes from other universities accepted for individual events but not team event.

Eligibility:

Athletes may compete in a maximum of two (2) events.

Partners in doubles and mixed doubles must be from same university.

Maximum per event

32 teams in men's doubles 32 teams in women's doubles

40 teams in mixed doubles

32 players in men's singles 32 players in women's singles

If a specific event does not reach maximum number, additional players or teams will be accepted into other events (example: if there are 32 teams in men's doubles and only 28 in women's doubles, then 4 additional teams will be added to the men's doubles registration)

Dress Code:

University team athletes are expected to wear team attire in all matches
Shoes with non-marking soles must be worn by all athletes on court.
All participants are encouraged to wear approved eyewear for play.

Shuttlecocks:

Victor Master 3 shuttlecocks supplied for all matches (within reason)

Coaching:

Coaching follows BWF rules (coaching behind court allowed, between points, intervals)
 Only university coaching staff or CWG (Quebec/Ontario) coaches permitted as coaches – maximum of 2 coaches per court.

Format (individual event):

A flight with B flight for players/teams who lose their first match
 Athletes may play in maximum of 2 events
 Rally point best 2 of 3 games to 21 points – all matches

Format (team event):

A tie consists of 5 matches – MS, WS, MD, WD, XD
All teams play 3 ties in the team event
 All matches will be played in all rounds
 Athletes may play in one (1) event only per tie
 Rally point best 2 of 3 games to 21 points – all matches

Schedule of Play**SATURDAY OCTOBER 13**

7:30 a.m. Registration of Players – by coaches
 8:00 a.m. Men’s and Women’s Doubles (to semi-finals)
 2:00 p.m. Round 1 Team Challenge
 4:00 p.m. Mixed Doubles (to semi-finals)
 8:00 p.m. END OF PLAY (approximate)

Schedule of Play**SUNDAY OCTOBER 13**

8:00 a.m. Round 2 Team Challenge
 10:00 a.m. Men’s and Women’s Singles (to semi-finals)
 2:00 p.m. Semi-Finals (all events)
 5:00 p.m. Finals, 3rd/4th, 5th/6th, 7th/8th in Team Challenge
 8:00 p.m. END OF PLAY

ENTRY FEES

Men’s Singles	\$20.00 per player	Women’s Singles	\$20.00 per player
Men’s Doubles	\$20.00 per player	Women’s Doubles	\$20.00 per player
Mixed Doubles	\$20.00 per player	Team Event	\$200 per team

**ENTRY FEE TO BE PAID BY TEAM COACHES AT REGISTRATION
 BY CHEQUE (made payable to UOIT BADMINTON) OR CASH
 Entry fee includes shuttlecocks and tournament T-shirt**

ENTRY DEADLINE: Players enter online at

<http://www.tournamentsoftware.com/sport/tournament.aspx?id=3EDC5972-992A-44DE-A24C-F6BBBBC731CA>

SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 30TH at midnight

TEAM ENTRY:

Coaches should register as early as possible to ensure acceptance – confirm that your university will have a team by sending an email to wayne.king@uoit.ca. ONLY 8 teams accepted.

AWARDS

INDIVIDUAL EVENTS

UOIT medallions and Victor product will be awarded to A champion, A finalist, B champion, B finalist in all events

TEAM EVENT

UOIT medallions will be awarded to 1st and 2nd in A flight and 1st and 2nd in B flight.
Team trophy will be awarded to 1st place in A flight.

PHOTOGRAPHY:

By registering online for this event, you agree to permit photographs and video to be taken of you for use in the promotion of badminton and UOIT Ridgebacks.

DRIVING DIRECTIONS TO UOIT:

http://www.ofsaa.on.ca/sites/default/files/championship/user52/Jim/ofsaa_map_2014v2.pdf

This link has directions from Toronto either by Highway 401 or Highway 407 and from Kingston/Ottawa via Highway 401.

CAMPUS MAP: <https://uoit.ca/maps/>

PARKING: Parking is **free** all weekend in Founders Parking Lot 2 – see campus map

ACCOMMODATION/HOTELS:

There are several hotels in the Whitby/Oshawa/Courtice area – I have listed several that are relatively close to UOIT North Campus. A good idea to book rooms early as there are always a lot of tournaments in Oshawa and Whitby on weekends.

1. Comfort Inn & Suites - 5 Spicer Square, Bowmanville, ON
This hotel has rates for UOIT events and rate includes breakfast.
2. Holiday Inn Express Whitby Oshawa - 180 Consumers Drive, Whitby, ON
3. Quality Suites Whitby - 1700 Champlain Avenue, L1N 6A7 Whitby, ON
4. Motel 6 Toronto East - Whitby 165 Consumers Dr Whitby ON
5. Residence Inn Marriott Whitby - 160 Consumers Drive, L1N 9S3 Whitby ON
6. Best Western Oshawa - 559 Bloor Street West, Oshawa, ON