## FRENCH RIVIERA A CHALLENGE

BACKGAMMON CHAMPIONSHIP

13-16 JUNE 2024 BEAULIEU-SUR-MER · FRANCE

Added money prize 5.000€





#### TOURNAMENT HOSTS

**Event Producer** Patricia Rey, President of M.C.B.A. **Tournament Director** 

Arda Findikoglu

**Ruling Committee** 

To be announced at the start of tournament

Venue

Casino de Beaulieu-sur-Mer

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for all the support.

#### IMPORTANT NOTES

The Tournament Director reserves the right to require the use of clocks in any round of any category.

The draw is manual (not computerized), public and random.

Tournament matches take precedence over all other forms of play.

Only cash payments are accepted.

The Tournament Committee reserves the right to refuse applications to play without giving any reasons.

Should a player wish to leave the playing area during the tournament, he/she must inform the Tournament Director. Failure to do so may result in penalty points being assigned.

The daily break for dinner is between 19:00 and 21:00.

Smoking is not permitted in the event venue other than in designated areas.

The tournament will be played on professional Tournament Boards. Our boards are regularly cleaned and disinfected at the end of each day.

Dice service is provided by organization.

All players are expected to be dressed appropriately.

All applicable regulations relating to Covid must be complied with at all times. In addition, the Tournament Director will have the right to request any participant displaying flu-like symptoms to either wear a mask at all times in the playing hall or to produce a negative PCR test and can exclude from the playing hall any participant that fails to do so.



#### PROGRAMME\*

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|---|-------|--|
|   |       | THURSDAY, JUNE 13                          |
|   | 13:00 | Registration at Casino de Beaulieu-sur-Mer |
|   |       | Gerard Duruz Memorial Seniors, DMP         |
|   |       | Challenge, Speedgammon & Mini Jackpots     |
|   | 18:00 | Welcome Cocktail & Opening Speech          |
|   | 19:00 | Closing of Main Flight registrations       |
| į |       | Dinner break                               |
|   | 20:30 | Start of Main Flights                      |
|   |       | (Masters & Intermediates)                  |
|   |       | FRIDAY, JUNE 14                            |
|   | 13:00 | Start of Second Chance Bracket matches     |
|   |       | All activities resume                      |
|   | 19:00 | Dinner break                               |
|   | 21:00 | Gameplay resumes                           |
|   |       | Start of Doubles Consultation              |
|   |       | SATURDAY, JUNE 15                          |
|   | 13:00 | All activities resume                      |
|   | 17:00 | Start of Super Jackpot                     |
|   | 19:00 | Dinner break                               |
|   | 21:00 | Gameplay resumes                           |
|   |       | SUNDAY, JUNE 16                            |
|   | 12:00 | Start of Last Chance Bracket matches       |
|   |       | All activities resume                      |
|   | 15:00 | Start of Main Finals                       |
|   | 15:30 | Closing of Mini Jackpots                   |
|   | 19:30 | M.C.B.A. Awarding Ceremony                 |
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\*Organizers reserve the right to change the programme in any of its parts.

Changes will be announced in advance and posted on the Notice Board.

#### CATEGORY FEES

| CATEGORY           | ENTRY<br>FEES (6) | REGISTRATION<br>FEES (6) |
|--------------------|-------------------|--------------------------|
| Masters            | 300               | 100                      |
| Intermediates      | 150               | 50                       |
| Super Jackpot      | 460               | 40                       |
| Doubles (per team) | 240               | 60                       |
| Speedgammon        | 40                | 10                       |
| Seniors (age 50+)  | 40                | 10                       |
| DMP Challenge      | 8                 | 2                        |

- \* 100% of entry fees will be added into the prize pool.
- \* Registration fees include:
- Thursday Welcome Cocktail
- Sunday Awarding Ceremony presentation
- Special design trophies for prize winners.

### MATCH LENGTHS

| CATEGORY          |                        | MATCH LENGTH             |
|-------------------|------------------------|--------------------------|
|                   | Undefeated             | 13 pts (Semi & Final 15) |
| Masters           | 2 <sup>nd</sup> Chance | 9 pts (Semi & Final 11)  |
|                   | Grand Final            | 17 pts                   |
|                   | Last Chance            | 5 pts (Final 7)          |
| Intermediates     | Undefeated             | 11 pts (Semi & Final 13) |
|                   | 2 <sup>nd</sup> Chance | 7 pts (Semi & Final 9)   |
|                   | Grand Final            | 15 pts                   |
|                   | Last Chance            | 5 pts (Final 7)          |
| Super Jackpot     | 11 pts (incl. Final)   |                          |
| Doubles           | 7 pts (Final 9)        |                          |
| Speedgammon       | 5 pts (incl. Final)    |                          |
| Seniors (age 50+) |                        | 7 pts (incl. Final)      |
| DMP Challenge     |                        | 1 pt (incl. Final)       |

#### PRIZES

100% of entry fees will be returned as money prize. Organizers will donate an added value of 5,000 Euros into the prize pool of Masters Flight & the sum will be distributed as follows:

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| MASTERS CATEGORY TITLES<br>(TOTAL ADDED VALUE SHARE: <u>5.000 €</u> )  | PRIZE POOL<br>DISTRIBUTION (%)   |
| Main Winner  | 40   |
| Main Finalist  | 18   |
| Main 3 <sup>rd</sup>   | 9  |
| Main 4 <sup>th</sup> & 5 <sup>th</sup>   | 4.5 each   |
| Main 6 <sup>th</sup> , 7 <sup>th</sup> , 8 <sup>th</sup> & 9 <sup>th</sup>   | 2 each   |
| Undefeated Bracket Winner Bonus  | 5  |
| Undefeated Bracket Finalist Bonus  | 2  |
| Undefeated Bracket Semi Finalists Bonus  | 1 each   |
| Last Chance Winner   | 5  |
| Last Chance Finalist   | 2  |
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| PRIZE POOL<br>Distribution (%) |
|--------------------------------|
| 44                             |
| 20                             |
| 10                             |
| 5 each                         |
| 5                              |
| 2.5                            |
| 6                              |
| 2.5                            |
|                                |

| DOUBLES CONSULTATION TITLES | PRIZE POOL<br>DISTRIBUTION (%) |
|-----------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Doubles Winner Team         | 50                             |
| Doubles Finalist Team       | 25                             |
| Doubles Semi Finalist Teams | 12.5                           |

#### ACCOMMODATION

| ١ | NO. | HOTEL                      | AVERAGE RATE<br>PER NIGHT(E) | CONTACT<br>Information           |
|---|-----|----------------------------|------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| I | 1   | Hotel Ibis Styles          | 150                          | H8234-GM@accor.com               |
|   | 2   | The Originals Hotel Frisia | price on request             | info@frisia-beaulieu.com         |
|   | 3   | Hotel Le Havre Bleu        | 100                          | info@lehavrebleu.com             |
| ı | 4   | Hotel Comte de Nice        | 160                          | contact@hotel-comtedenice.com    |
|   | 5   | Hotel Select               | 115                          | contact@hotelselect-beaulieu.com |
|   | 6   | Hotel Carlton              | 350                          | info@carlton-beaulieu.com        |
|   | 7   | Hotel Royal Riviera        | 650                          | info@royal-riviera.com           |















#### ROUTE

Beaulieu-sur-Mer is a charming coastal town located in the Alpes-Maritimes department of France, on the Mediterranean Sea. It is known for its beautiful beaches, good restaurants and rich history.

Average temperature is 24°C day and 17°C night times during June.

It has a variety of train connections & is very easy to reach by car as well. The closest airport is Nice Cote D'Azur Airport which is only 17km away.

#### Transportation options from Nice Cote D'Azur Airport

- By taxi: (25 to 45 minutes cost approx. 60/70 €)
- By train: Check the link www.nice.aeroport.fr/acces/transports-en-commun
- By bus: Check the link www.lignesdazur.com









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