

#### 1.0 Name of Sport

Badminton

#### 2.0 Venues

#### 2.1\* Name of Venue

2.1 FUENSANTA Pavilion2.2 PETXINA Sports Center Pavilion

#### 2.2 Location

C/ Rei Saud 2 – 46014 Paseo de la Petxina, 42 - 46008

# 2.3 Which other sports or other Gay Games events will be organized in the same area? How will you take advantage of this proximity?

2.1 None

2.2 Bodybuilding. Nearby: Rugby, Soccer, Bowling, Quidditch, Softball

#### 2.4 Accessibility/Transportation

València is a city with an extensive transport network that facilitates mobility. It has regular public transportation services such as the subway, bus or taxis. FUENSANTA:

Subway: L3-L5-L9 (Nou d'Octubre)

Bus: 3 - 20 - 29 - 70 - 71 - 72 - 73 - 95 - 99 - N4 - N5

Valenbisi Stations: 248-262-263-264 5.2 km walking distance from the Village

PETXINA:

Subway: L2-L1 (Túria) / L1-L2-L3-L5-L9 (Àngel Guimera)

Bus: 2 - 29 - 60 - 62 - 63 - 64 - 67 - 73 - 79 - 80 - 89 -

90 - 99 - 95 - N3 - N4 - N89 - N90

Valenbisi Station: 19-20-143-144-202-222-220-201

4.6 km walking distance from the Village

### 2.5 Description of the facilities (spectator seating, locker rooms, warm-up areas, etc.)

The Fuensanta Pavilion is a dynamic, multi-purpose facility that can seat more than 1,000 spectators. It's a perfect place to play badminton and it's the home of the two badminton clubs in València. Spacious locker room facilities are available and a warm-up area.

Petxina is a dynamic, multi-purpose facility. Spacious locker room facilities are available and a warm-up area. Both have 7 playing courts.

# 2.6 Describe the venue with respect to the Red Book requirements. If the venue does not meet the Red Book requirements, what are your plans for dealing with this?

The venue meets all requirements of the Red Book.

14 full courts are available for the badminton tournament, and the venue meets the tournament standards.

### 2.7 What events are usually held in this venue?

Local and regional badminton, basketball, volleyball, gymnastics, handball and futsal leagues.

### 2.8 Why did you choose this venue?

The playing court (lighting, height and illumination) is perfect for badminton. A National Master is played on these courts as a benchmark for badminton in Spain.

## 2.9 If more than one venue will be used, what are the issues and solutions for this (transportation, communication, etc.)?

Both venues are located 3.5 km away and they are well communicated. There will be different categories in each venue, therefore only one venue will be required per participant.

#### 3.0 Nature of the Event

#### 3.1 Anticipated number of participants

380 participants

### 3.2 Expected breakdown (by gender, by region of origin). On what basis were these numbers derived?

50% men. 50% women based on prior events.

#### 4.0 Organizational Resources

### 4.1\* Is there a national and/or international LGBT sports organization for the sport?

There is no LGBTQ+ sports organization directly associated with the Federation of Gay Games for this sport.

### 4.2\* Will a regional (national, international) sanctioning or governing body be involved?

Badminton World Federation (BWF, <u>bwfbadminton.org</u>)
Spain Badminton - (FESBA, <u>www.badminton.es</u>)
and the València Region Badminton Federation
(FBadCV, <u>www.badmintoncv.org</u>).

#### 4.3 Will this event be sanctioned?

Yes, it will be sanctioned by the València Region Badminton Federation.

### 4.4\* Who will organize/manage the event?

The València Region Badminton Federation

### 4.5\* Will a local club be involved in the organization of the event?

Two local clubs:

- -San Fernando Badminton Club
- -Drop València Badminton Club

### 4.6 What local experience is available to the host in organizing competitions for this sport?

The València Region Badminton Federation has been organizing the National Badminton Master for many years.

Iván Gallardo, its Sports Director, coaches one of the federation's training teams and has experience at a national and international level.

#### 5.0 Organization of the Event

### 5.1 Description of tournament (seeding, rounds, etc.), relative to Red Book requirements.

The competition will comply with the requirements of the Red Book.

#### 5.2 Categories/Divisions

General (Singles and Doubles), Women's (Singles and Doubles).

There will be six categories of play:

A+ International and national level

A- Regional level

B+ Competitive level

B- Intermediate level

C+ Recreational with competition/tournament experience

C- Recreational without competition/tournament experience

### 5.3 Scheduling (number of days, etc.)

5 days

### 5.4 Number of competitive instances per athlete

Minimum - 3 matches per event

### 5.5 Total number of competitiveinstances

900-1000 matches expected depending on the number of registered participants.

### 5.6 If the event is ticketed, how will tickets be sold, distributed, and collected?

Event is not slated to be ticketed.

### 5.7 Is sport-specific sponsorship possible for this event?

It is possible. In fact, we will be exploring various options as we move towards hosting the event.

#### 6.0 Specific FGG Policies

### 6.1 How will you address requirements of Policy guidelines for Age and Ability?

Participants will be separated by age categories depending on the FGG Policy Guidelines for Age and Abilities.

Categories. Specifically, Junior and Senior categories will be offered, as outlined in the Red Book for Badminton.

### 6.2 How will you address requirements of Policy guidelines for Disability?

We will follow the Red Book for Badminton's guidelines. Participants with a disability who are able to execute a legal serve may participate in any event. If the number of registered participants so warrants, a separate Paralympic competition will be established. The venues are accessible for wheelchair access and participation. Reasonable accommodations will be offered for spectators who need them.



### 6.3 How will you address requirements of Policy guidelines for Gender in Sport?

A Women-Only competition will be offered as specified in the Red Book for Badminton. A Mixed Doubles competition will also be offered. We will offer competitions in General and Only-Women's formats.

# 6.4 How will you address requirements of Policy guidelines for Health and Well- being, and in particular, Performance-Enhancing Drugs?

Badminton is traditionally a low-risk sport, so there will be no medical supervision stationed at the venue. However, medical support will be provided should it be needed. All policies for health and well-being, including the use of performance-enhancing drugs, will be adhered to.

### 6.5 How will you address requirements of Policy guidelines for Officials?

We will recruit qualified officials from the LGBTQ+ community (including participants), local clubs, and from the pool of qualified officials maintained by the FESBA and FBadCV. All FGG guidelines regarding the training, accreditation and recruitment of officials will be observed.

6.6 Will you be able to meet sport- specific Red Book requirements? What are the difficulties you foresee for meeting these requirements, and how will you deal with them? What gives you confidence that you will be able to respect Red Book requirements?

Yes, we will be able to meet the requirements of the Red Book for Badminton. The Red Book requirements and the expected levels of participation are consistent with other tournaments we have organized and run successfully.

#### 7.0 Additional Comments

None



