The Badminton Bulletin – OCT 2026

October is season of harvest-a time to celebrate what we have achieved and invest in what comes next. Check out this month's bulletin board to check out the upcoming events for registrations.

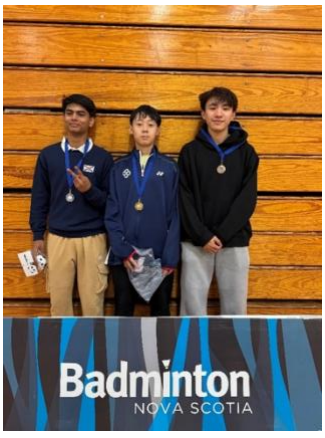
Thank you to our athletes, coaches, umpires, volunteers, and families for the energy you bring to badminton in Nova Scotia. Let's make October a month of learning, connection, and harvesting.

Best regards,

Ivy Wang - Director, Community Engagement & Member Services

Recap: 2026 Scotia Series Junior A

Our 2026/2027 season kicked off spectacularly on September 11-12 at CEC in Truro with the **Scotia Series Junior A Tournament**. As the first provincial event of the year, the courts were filled with incredible energy from our U15, U17, and U19 competitors. To check out final standings, match results, and podium photos.



Coaching Opportunity

Comp. Intro. Regional Coaching Course

Are you interested in taking your coaching skills to the next level?

The coaching course is the first level in the NCCP (National Coaching Certification Program) that used by Badminton Canada to educate coaches as well as used for coaches eligibility to coach on court at National tournaments.

This workshop will focus on fundamental skills, technical skills and beginner to intermediate level tactics and drills.

Course Details:

★ Date: **Saturday, November 7, 2026**

★ Time: **8:00 AM – 4:00 PM**

★ Location: **Louis Millet Community Complex, 9489 Commercial Street, New Minas**

★ Cost: **$75 per coach**

Please complete the **registration form** to secure your spot. Details for submitting payment, along with necessary course documents, will be sent to all registered participants a few days prior to the workshop. Don't miss this great opportunity to grow as a coach!

Upcoming Tournaments

October is packed with action! With three major tournaments lined up across the region, it is the perfect time to get on the court and showcase your skills.
Mark your calendars and make sure to register before the deadlines!

★ Scotia Series A #1

- Date: **October 9-10, 2026**
- Location: **CGC, Halifax**
- Registration Deadline: **October 4**

★ Atlantic Series – PEI

- Date: **October 16-18, 2026**
- Location: **UPEI, Charlottetown**
- Registration Deadline: **October 9**

★ Scotia Series B #1

- Date: **October 25, 2026**
- Location: **NKEC, Canning**
- Registration Deadline: **October 18**

★ Scotia Series B #2

- Date: **November 2, 2026**
- Location: **Cape Breton University**
- Registration Deadline: **November 1**

Register now to secure your spot.

Let's make this an unforgettable month of badminton!

Updated BNS Rankings: Check Your Standings!

Curious to see where you stand after an exciting start to the season?

The latest Badminton Nova Scotia player rankings is officially updated for October!

Thanks to our team, the ranking links on our official website have also been completely refreshed for the new season!

★ **What's New:** The updated official BNS Player Rankings for October.

★ **Where to Find It:** Head over to the Badminton Nova Scotia official website to view the newly **updated ranking links**.