



# Virginia Senior Games

Henrico County, VA ♦ May 12-16, 2020 ♦ (804) 501-7489  
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<b>Sport</b>	<b><i>Badminton</i></b>
<b>Events</b>	Singles, Doubles, and Mixed
<b>Dates &amp; Times</b>	Saturday, May 16 Singles: 8:00 a.m., Doubles: 10:30 a.m., Mixed: 1:00 p.m.
<b>Location</b>	Deep Run Recreation Center 9910 Ridgefield Parkway Henrico, VA 23233
<b>Contact Person</b>	Jason Blake Phone: (804) 501-5121      Email: bla083@henrico.us
<b>Format of Event</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Tournament format will be double elimination or round robin based on participation numbers. Round Robin will go to single elimination bracket play based on seeding to determine medal finish.</li><li>2. Awards will be presented for 1st through 3rd place for each event within each age division.</li><li>3. The NSGA and LOC reserve the right to change the tournament format for any age division based on entry numbers, space restrictions, or other circumstance.</li><li>4. Default during competition Rule R will be strictly enforced.</li></ol> <p><b>Rule R:</b> "Athletes or teams that forfeit during pool play rounds shall not be permitted to advance to the championship or consolation brackets except where such a forfeit is the result of a verified medical reason, or a good-faith effort was made to compete."</p> <p>The organizer reserves the right to change the format for any age division based on entry numbers, space restrictions, or any other circumstances.</p>
<b>Rules</b>	All matches will be conducted in accordance with USA Badminton Association rules, except as modified herein. For a copy of these rules, please write or call: USA Badminton One Olympic Plaza Colorado Springs, CO 80909 (719) 866-4808 <a href="http://www.usabadminton.org">www.usabadminton.org</a>



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<b>Awards</b>	Gold, Silver, and Bronze Medals will be given for Singles, Doubles, and Mixed Divisions in each age category (50-54; 55-59; 60-64; 65-69; 70-74; 75-79; 80-84; 85-89; 90-94; 95-99; 100+). All medal winners will be recognized immediately following competition.
<b>Entry Regulations</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Athletes may compete with only one partner per event. Under NSGA rules, doubles and mixed doubles are classified as events. Therefore, athletes may not compete in more than one age division for doubles or mixed doubles.</li> <li>2. The age division of competition for doubles and mixed doubles will be determined by the younger age of the two partners as of December 31, 2019.</li> <li>3. Competitors must bring their own racquets. Natural-feathered shuttlecocks will be provided.</li> <li>4. Partners must register online through VRPS to be eligible to participate.</li> </ol> <p>Individuals age 50 or older by December 31 of the competition year are eligible to participate, if properly registered. The Virginia Senior Games are considered “open” games, meaning participants from other states are permitted and encouraged to compete in the Virginia Senior Games. The Senior Games strongly recommends that each participant consult his or her physician in regard to practice and participation in this program or any similar physical activity program.</p>
<b>Equipment</b>	Competitors must bring their own racquets. Natural-feathered shuttlecocks will be provided.
<b>Athlete Packet Pick-Up</b>	<p>Packet Pick-Up is where athletes can pick up their <b>information packet, VSG 2020 t-shirt, participant bag, and name tag</b>. Multiple pick-ups are permitted.</p> <p>Athletes <b>DO NOT</b> need to pick up packets prior to their events in order to participate. However, shipping charges will apply to athletes who are not onsite to pick up their registration packets or medals and would like them later.</p> <p><b>BELMONT RECREATION CENTER</b>  1600 Hilliard Rd, Henrico, VA 23228, (804) 652-1410  Tue, May 12 ..... 4:00pm-6:00pm  Wed, May 13 ..... 7:00am-2:00pm  Thu, May 14 ..... 7:00am-2:00pm  Fri, May 15 ..... 7:00am-6:00pm  Sat, May 16 ..... 7:00am-10:00am</p>