

AUSTRALIAN OPEN SUPERSERIES 2014

– CALL FOR LINE JUDGES



Dear all,

Great news – for the first time ever, the Australian Open Superseries will be held in Sydney in June 2014. We are making advance preparations for the event by inviting expressions of interest from line judge volunteers.

Dates: 24 – 29 June 2014 (Tues – Sun) Venue: State Sports Centre, Sydney Olympic Park

Deadline for expressions of interest: 31 October 2013

Please be aware that:

- Volunteers are expected to have their own plain black pants (not jeans) and plain black shoes
- Volunteers must be available during the above period (both weekdays and weekends)
- Volunteers may be required for all-day duty on Tues and/or Wed and/or Thurs when the tournament is at its busiest.
- Line judges for Fri, Sat and Sun will be selected from those who attended the sessions earlier in the week. We hope to select the best from amongst you to deliver the semi-finals and finals.

Details of the event and criteria around time commitment, uniform, etc will be released once finalized.

Successful applicants must attend 2 training sessions as well as 2 practice sessions at a scheduled tournament. Please note that 2013 line judges will need to refresh their skills at a practice session.

Details of line judge training and the practice sessions will be released soon. For now, please note that there will be an upcoming training-cum-practice session for Sydney-based line judges at an ACBA tournament in Hurstville Aquatic Centre on 16 and 17 November which runs from 9 am to 7 pm. We will inform you of the meeting time.

If you would like to volunteer for this position, please send an email to: australianopenlinejudge2014@gmail.com and we will contact you with more information.

Meanwhile, do put aside these dates and pass the word around among badminton fans. We hope to have strong support from our badminton community for the event and deliver a successful first-ever Superseries for Australia in 2014.

Thanks and looking forward to hearing from you.

Best regards, Kate Tan