



EEVZA BEACH VOLLEYBALL TOUR 2021

PRACTICAL INFO

IMPORTANT NOTES AT THE CHALLENGING TIMES OF COVID-19 PANDEMIC

(updated on **22.06.2021**)

The health and safety of athletes, coaches, officials and fans remain the top FIVB, CEV and EEVZA priority, therefore please find attached and follow the guidelines and basic information and important notes for COVID-19 restrictions.

COVID-19 test certificate

All athletes and accredited delegation members must have a printed negative COVID-19 PCR test certificate issued prior to their travel yet no later than 72 hours before the respective Preliminary Inquiry they attend.

Travel Restrictions (Constantly Updated)

IMPORTANT information regarding travel restrictions to Lithuania, COVID -19 tests and vaccination is available:

<https://urm.lt/default/en/important-covid19>

<https://koronastop.lrv.lt/en/#information>

In case your country is not on the list of countries that are eligible to enter Lithuania, please request your entry permit document to **Lithuania latest 3 weeks prior to the tournament from the organizers**. This document will enable You an entry to Lithuania for the duration of the tournament. A fully signed scanned copy of the document is going to be sent via email to the athletes. For such request please contact info@lrf.lt (please only request the entry permit document in case Your country is NOT eligible to enter Lithuania due to Covid-19 restrictions).

Specific Hygiene Protocols Implement at the event

EEVZA Competition Hygiene Guidelines

Waiver document

A waiver document is an Appendix to this document, which should be signed by all Team Delegation Members and provided during the Preliminary Inquiry.

Other Medical Requirement by the Government (constantly updated)

National institute of Public Health: <https://nvsc.lrv.lt/en/>

Ministry of Health: <https://sam.lrv.lt/en/>

Korona STOP webpage: <https://koronastop.lrv.lt/en/>

Specific Hygiene Protocols Implemented at the event

A set of Event Specific Hygiene Protocols are attached as an Appendix to this document and should be carefully reviewed and properly applied by all participants before, during and after the competition.

Important Contacts And Tournament Information

EVENT'S TITLE	EEVZA Beach Volleyball Tour 2021 ROKIŠKIS, LITHUANIA (MEN)
VENUE	„Velykalnis Arena“, Sporto street 13, Rokiškis, Lithuania
DATE	8-11 July 2021
LOCAL ORGANISER	Asociation Velykalnis, Sporto st. 8, Rokiškis, Contact person: Stasys Mekšėnas +370 603 05137 stmeksenas@gmail.com
EEVZA	Eastern European Volleyball Zonal Association http://www.eevza.eu/ <i>President:</i> Mr. Vladimir Patkin, E: rus@volley.ru ; <i>Secretary General:</i> Mrs. Inara Brokane, E: secretarygeneral@eevza.eu ; BVB and SV coordinator: Alisa Česnulevičiūtė , E: beach@eevza.eu ;
NATIONAL FEDERATION	Lithuanian volleyball federation Žemaitės st. 6 Vilnius President: Darius Čerka Contact person: Alisa Česnulevičiūtė Mobile: +370 627 50640 E-mail: info@ltf.lt www.ltf.lt
EVENT OFFICE	Beach volleyball courts „Velykalnis Arena“, Sporto street 13, Rokiškis, Lithuania. Stasys Mekšėnas +370 603 05137 stmeksenas@gmail.com
REGISTRATION	All teams from EEVZA countries who are interested to participate, should register the player through the FIVB Database. The deadline for registration in FIVB Data base to EEVZA beach volleyball tour is 23 June 2021. For Zonal Association Tour as “Continental Tour” Events: o Minimum 12 teams Main Draw; - Maximum 1 event per National Federation and maximum 5 events per Zonal Association count as “Continental Tour” event for the FIVB World Ranking; - Min. 3 National Federations must participate. -Total amount of the prize money per gender cannot be less as 1500 EUR and no more as 4000,00 EUR Mandatory for all Continental Tour events: o Usage of CEV/FIVB online registration system; o Usage of the BVIS competition software; o Usage of the CEV logo on all print materials; o Usage of FIVB homologated Beach Volleyball equipment -Enforced FIVB Rules of the Game;

	<p>o CEV license fee of 20,00 EUR per athlete once per season (includes insurance cover)</p> <p>o Sending of a post event report to the CEV including the results directly after the event.</p> <p>All events must be homologated by CEV/FIVB</p> <p>All events have to be homologated by CEV/FIVB</p> <p>All participants for the EEVZA Tour events counting as CEV Continental Tour, must be registered as International players in the CEV/FIVB database and have CEV beach volleyball licenses; have to pay a CEV Entry and License Fee according current CEV Beach volleyball Regulations.</p>																											
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REFEREES	<p>NF Referee Manager: Aurelijus Kazys Zuoza (LTU)</p> <p>Local Referees: Vitalijus Ruselevičius, Vusal Guseinov, Simas Skilinskas, Nikolajus Staravaitovas</p> <p>Neutral Referees: Egils Tishanovs (LA) and Krszysztof Wojtunik (POL)</p> <p>EEVZA will appoint 1-2 neutral referees from EEVZA countries and will cover:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - International transportation costs; - Per Diem 75 Euro (for each day) 																											
GENDER	Men																											
COMPETITION FORMAT	<p>QT – single elimination, 4 teams qualify to MD</p> <p>MD – modified pool play+ single elimination</p>																											
NUMBER OF TEAMS	<p>QT – 16 teams</p> <p>MD – 16 teams (12 directly+4 Qualification)</p>																											
QUALIFICATION	No limitation for EEVZA countries																											

MAIN DRAW	NF: 4 EEVZA: 4 WC NF: 1 WC EEVZA: 1
COMPETITION SCHEDULE	<p>Preliminary Inquiry & Technical Meeting (if any) Athletes (<u>both players</u>) are required to attend the Preliminary Inquiry and the Technical Meeting (if any) and present their passports, medical certificates and signed version of waiver and a printed negative PCR test, if required.</p> <p>Failure to provide these documents will entail a disqualification of the team concerned.</p> <p>The access to the location of Preliminary Inquiry will be controlled to avoid mass gathering.</p> <p>All teams from EEVZA countries should provide a document from their National Volleyball Federation and have CEV players Agreement and CEV Medical certificate. All meetings will be held on the venue.</p>
	<p>Thursday, 8 July, 2021 QT Preliminary Inquiry QT: from 16:00 to 17:00 local time DRAW (If any) QT: from 18:00 to 19:00 local time</p>
	<p>Friday, 9 July, 2021 QT Qualification Tournament: 9:00 – 13:10 local time</p> <p>MD Preliminary Inquiry – MD: 14:00 to 15:00 local time DRAW (If any) MD: 15:00 local time to 16:00 local time Main Draw Pool Play Round 1 tournament: 16:00 to 18:30 local time</p>
	<p>Saturday, 10 July, 2021 Main Draw Pool play Round 2 tournament: 10:00 – 12:30 local time Draw: 13:30 local time Single elimination: 14.30 to 17:50 local time</p>
	<p>Sunday 11, 2021 Main Draw Single elimination SEMI finals: from 10.00 local time Main Draw Finals 3rd place: from 13:00 local time Main Draw Finals 1st place: from 14:00 local time Awarding Ceremony: 15.30. local time</p>
	<p>The detailed schedule is as follows:</p> <p>Training sessions</p> <p>Please note that reservation of training can be made one day in advance for the next day only and each team is entitled to make one reservation per day. Additional training session may be available only if the courts will be available.</p> <p>Provisional Match schedule</p>

	Address of the training courts	"Velykalis" Arena
	Availability Date	Any day – 09:00-1730
	Number of courts	2 (playing courts), 2 (practice courts)
	Contact person for booking	Name: Agnė Ruzgute
		Email address: agne.ruzgute9@gmail.com Mobile number: +370 622 85705
	Phase	Men's Event (approx.)
	Qualification	Friday 09.07.2021
	Main Draw – Pool phase	Saturday 09.07.2021 16.00 local time
	Main Draw – Pool phase	Saturday 10.07.2021 10:00 local time
	Semi finals	Sunday 11.07.2021 10.00 local time
Bronze and gold matches	Sunday 11.07.2021 13.00 local time, 14.00 local time	
<p>The detailed match schedule will be published immediately on the EEVZA website once approved by the Technical Delegate onsite. It will be no later than 1 hour after the end of last match of day or 1 hour after the seeding list is established after Preliminary Inquiry.</p>		
PRIZE MONEY AND BONUS POOL	<p>TOTAL PRIZE MONEY OF EEVZA Tour (m): 4000 EUR (per gender): Rank 1 - 1100 Eur Rank 2 - 800 Eur Rank 3 – 600 Eur Rank 4 – 460 Eur Rank 5-8 - 260 Eur</p>	
ENTRY FEE	<p>Entry Fee QT teams, 20 EUR, Entry Fee for MD teams, 40 EUR</p> <p>Entry fee is payed on site.</p>	
RULES OF THE GAME	FIVB Official Beach Volleyball Rules	
OFFICIAL BALL	Mikasa VLS-300	
OFFICIAL DAYS AND VENUE OF ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE	<p>Arrival QT teams: 8, July, 2021 Arrival MD teams: 9, July, 2021 Departure QT teams: after the elimination of the competition Departure MD teams: after the elimination of the competition</p>	
VISA	<p>Players (and/or Team Managers/Coaches/National Federations) are requested to apply early enough for their visas, whenever needed. The Host National Federation should be contacted to receive a letter of invitation or tourist invitation.</p>	

	<p>Please send to Organizer of Event the following data:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Full name as in passport (first name, last name) - Date of birth (dd/mm/yy) -Place of birth (city, country) - Passport # - Date of issue - Valid till (min 6 months after visa date) - Nationality - Permanent address (street, apt. No. city, country)
UNIFORMS	The organiser of the EEVZA beach volleyball tour Rokiskis will not provide uniforms. The players' uniform is the responsibility of the participating teams_and have to respond to CEV Regulations.
TRANSPORT	<p>Players, Team Managers, Coaches, Physiotherapists, NF members, etc. are responsible for their own international and domestic airfare and for any further expenses such as visa or airport taxes.</p> <p>For Neutral Referees, nominated by EEVZA, International travel expenses will be covered by EEVZA.</p>
LOCAL TRANSPORT	<p>Local Transportation for the players, coaches and etc., as for the accompanying persons is under their own responsibility.</p> <p>Transportation of Neutral Referees is organizers responsibility</p>
BOARD AND LODGING	<p>The Velykalis community is providing accommodation to EEVZA officials and Referees and for MD teams (coaches not included) during the tournament days.</p> <p>Players and competition refereess will be accommodated in the homestead "Prie dvaro". Address: Misiūniškio str. 14, Bajorų village, Rokiškis district municipality; contacts: J. Šapranaukaitė, +37061461775, sodybapriedvaro@gmail.com. Meals is the responsibility of the participating teams, the meals at the homestead will not be provided.</p> <p>For qualification teams and additional guests suggested accommodation: UAB "Leokordis", adresas: Perkūno g. 4, Rokiškis; kontaktai: tel.: +37060145696. 20 rooms are available during the tournament. Price per night: 12 eur. Distance to the venue - 2 km.</p>
OFFICIAL HOTELS FOR TEAMS	2 km
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LOCAL TIME ZONE	GTM+2
WEATHER CONDITIONS	<p>Min. Temperature: 16 Max. Temperature: 25 Sunrise:4.40 Sunset:21.52 Wind: 5 m/s</p>
CURRENCY	EUR
TOURIST INFORMATION	www.rokiskis.lt