



**LATVIA MASTERS
EEVZA BEACH VOLLEYBALL TOUR 2016
PRACTICAL INFO**

EVENT'S TITLE	EEVZA – beach volleyball tour 2016 Latvia Masters (men/women)
VENUE	Jurmala Beach stadium, Kaiju street 1, Jurmala
DATE	26.-28. August 2016
LOCAL ORGANISER	Volleyball federation of Latvia
EEVZA	Eastern European Volleyball Zonal Association http://www.eevza.eu/ <i>E-mail: rus@volley.ru, inara@volejbols.lv</i> <i>President: Mr. Vladimir Patkin</i> <i>Secretary General, contact person: Mrs. Inara Brokane</i> <i>BVB Coordinator: Ms. Sarma Reitere beach@eevza.eu</i>
NATIONAL FEDERATION	Volleyball federation of Latvia
EVENT OFFICE	Volleyball federation of Latvia Grostonas str.6b, Riga, LV-1013, Latvia Tel: +371 67876317 Email: lvf@volejbols.lv

REGISTRATION	<p>All teams from EEVZA countries who is interested to participate, should send an official request (also WC requests) from their National Federation to following e-mails: beach@eevza.eu lvf@volejbols.lv (local contact)</p> <p>For Zonal Association Tour as “ Continental Tour” Events:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> o Minimum 12 teams Main Draw; •Maximum 1 event per National Federation and maximum 5 (no less than 2 of them must be played from October 1 till April 30) 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 more as EUR 5000,00 <p>Mandatory for all Continental Tour events:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 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; o CEV license fee of 15.50 EUR per athlete once per season (includes insurance cover) o Sending of a post event report to the CEV including the results directly after the event. <p>All events must be homologated by CEV/FIVB 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 2016 CEV Beach volleyball Regulations.</p> <p>All National Federations should provide an Organizer with the FIVB, National ranking points of the participating teams to the e-mails: beach@eevza.eu lvf@volejbols.lv (local contacts)</p> <p>Official Registration form is available in EEVZA website www.eevza.eu The deadline for registration in FIVB Data base to EEVZA Beach volleyball Tour Latvia MASTERS 2016 is 16/08/2016.</p> <p>Official Registration form are available on EEVZA website www.eevza.eu. This form has to be filled only for information about current FIVB/National Ranking points of players. Players, who wish participate in EEVZA Tours, have to fill CEV players commitment or EEVZA Medical Certificate.</p>																											
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REFEREES	<p>NF Referee Manager: Valdis Jankovskis EEVZA Neutra Referees: Uku Rummi, Pavel Remizov Local Referees: TBD</p>																											

	<p>EEVZA will appoint 2 neutral referees from EEVZA countries and will cover for them:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - International transportation costs; - Per Diem 75 Euro (only per competition days)
GENDER	Men/Women
COMPETITION FORMAT	<p>QT – single elimination</p> <p>MD – Pool play followed by single elimination</p>
NUMBER OF TEAMS	<p>QT – 16 teams per gender</p> <p>MD – 16 teams per gender</p>
QUALIFICATION	16 teams per gender
MAIN DRAW	<p>NF 4</p> <p>EEVZA 5</p> <p>WC 3</p> <p>QT 4</p>
COMPETITION SCHEDULE	<p>Preliminary Inquiry & Technical Meeting</p> <p>Women: Athletes are required to attend the Preliminary Inquiry and the Technical Meeting and present their passports, medical certificates.</p> <p>All teams from EEVZA countries should provide a document from their National Volleyball Federation including the National Ranking of the participating teams/players and local medical certificate approved by their National Federation</p> <p>All meetings will be held on the venue.</p> <p>26/08/2016</p> <p>QT: Preliminary Inquiry: 09:00 local time</p> <p>Qualification tournament Single elimination 2 rounds from 10:00. Total 12 matches per gender.</p> <p>26/08/2016</p> <p>MD: Preliminary Inquiry: 17:00 local time</p> <p>Technical Meeting: 19:00 local time</p> <p>27/08/2016</p> <p>Main Draw Pool Play from 09:00. Total 24 matches per gender.</p> <p>28/08/2016</p> <p>Main Draw Single elimination 1/4finals, 1/2finals and finals from 09:00. Total 8 matches per gender.</p> <p>Awarding Ceremony ca. at 18:00</p>
PRIZE MONEY AND BONUS POOL	<p>TOTAL PRIZE MONEY OF LATVIA OPEN (m/w): 2400EUR (1200EUR per gender)</p> <p>Rank 1 400Eur per gender</p> <p>Rank 2 300Eur per gender</p> <p>Rank 3 200Eur per gender</p> <p>Rank 4 100Eur per gender</p> <p>Rank 5-8 50Eur per gender</p>
ENTRY FEE	Entry Fee for MD teams – 40EUR per team
RULES OF THE GAME	FIVB Official Beach Volleyball Rules 2016
OFFICIAL BALL	Mikasa VLS-300
OFFICIAL DAYS	Arrival for QT teams 25/08/2016

AND VENUE OF ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE	Arrival for MD teams 26/08/2016 Departure for MD teams 29/08/2016
VISA	<p>Players (and/or Team Managers/Coaches/National Federations) are requested to apply early enough for their visas, whenever needed.</p> <p>The Host National Federation should be contacted to receive a letter of invitation or tourist invitation.</p> <p>Please send to lvf@volejbols.lv 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)
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 accommodation and meals is under own responsibilities of athletes. The Local Organizer will help to find accommodation with special price.</p> <p>For Neutral Referees, nominated by EEVZA - Lodging and meals, with limitation no more than 50 EUR per day per person from the official day of arrival and till official day of departure; in case of shorter staying it will be covered to only days of staying; in case of longer staying – it is responsibility of nominated referees. In case expenses of board and lodging of Neutral Referees exceeds this amount, it is covered by Organizer.</p>
OFFICIAL HOTELS FOR TEAMS	<p>Distance from Hotel to the venue 1,1km, walking time ca.14min</p> <p>Good Stay Eiropa Hotel, www.eiropahotel.lv Juras str. 56, Jurmala, Latvia For reservations: Email: marketing@eiropahotel.lv Tel: +371 27079169 Password for reservations: "EIROPA76VOLLEY" <u>Special prices from 24.-29.august for participants with above mentioned Password:</u> Single room (breakfast included, free WiFi) – 40Eur/ 1 night Twin room (breakfast included, free WiFi) – 50Eur/ 1 night Twin room Bussines class (breakfast included, free WiFi) – 60Eur/ 1 night</p> <p>Distance from Hotel to the venue 1,0km, walking time ca.12min Hotel Jurmala SPA, www.hoteljurmala.com</p>

HOTEL FOR OFFICIALS	<p>For reservations: Email: booking@hoteljurmala.com Tel: + 371 67784422 Password for reservations to get 15% discount from public prices: "BEACHVOLLEYBALL'16"</p> <p><u>Meals:</u> It will be arranged meals (lunch, dinner) on competition venue at cafe for a good price by own expenses of participants.</p> <p>Good Stay Eiropa Hotel, www.eiropahotel.lv Juras str. 56, Jurmala, Latvia</p>
LOCAL TIME ZONE	EET +2
WEATHER CONDITIONS	<p>Min. Temperature: 15C Max. Temperature: 35C Sunrise: 6:21 Sunset: 20:34 Precipitation: 0 – 4mm Wind: ~6m/s</p>
CURRENCY	EUR
TOURIST INFORMATION	