



LITHUANIA OPEN
EEVZA BEACH VOLLEYBALL TOUR 2015
PRACTICAL INFO

EVENT'S TITLE	EEVZA Beach volleyball Tour 2015 Lithuania OPEN (men)
VENUE	Credit24 ARENA, Vilnius
DATE	July 3-5, 2015
LOCAL ORGANISER	Company: Sports Club „Auksma” Contact person: Mr. Marius Vasiliauskas E-mail: marius@spec.lt, Cell: +37068689009
EEVZA	Eastern European Volleyball Zonal Association http://www.eevza.eu/ E-mail: rus@volley.ru , inara@volejbols.lv President: Mr. Vladimir Patkin Secretary General, contact person: Mrs. Inara Brokane BVB Coordinator: Ms. Sarma Reitere eevzabeach@volejbols.lv
NATIONAL FEDERATION	Lithuanian National Volleyball Federation Žemaitės g. 6, LT-03117 Vilnius Tel./faks. +370 5 2333901 Marius Vasiliauskas (President) Cell: +370 686 89009 Email.: marius@spec.lt Contact person: Darius Čerka Tel.: +370699177787 Email.: darius@ltf.com
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REGISTRATION	<p>All teams from EEVZA countries who are interested to participate, should send an official request (also WC requests) from their National Federation to following e-mails: eevzabeach@volejbols.lv tinklinis@takas.lt (local contacts)</p> <p>For Zonal Association Tour as “ Continental Tour” Events: 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 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; 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. All events must be homologated by CEV/FIV All events have to be homologated by CEV/FIVB 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 2015 CEV Beach volleyball Regulations. All National Federations should provide an Organizer with the FIVB, National ranking points of the participating teams to the e-mails: eevzabeach@volejbols.lv tinklinis@takas.lt (local contacts) Official Registration form is available in EEVZA website www.eevza.eu The deadline for registration in FIVB Data base to EEVZA Beach volleyball Tour Lithuania OPEN 2015 is June 23, 2015. Official Registration form 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 Player commitment or EEVZA Medical Certificate.</p>																					
ORGANIZING COMMITTEE	<p>Org. Committee</p> <table border="1" data-bbox="352 1653 1406 1758"> <tr> <td>Tournament Director</td> <td>Marius Vasiliauskas</td> <td>+37068689009</td> </tr> <tr> <td>NF Delegate:</td> <td>Dainius Budrys</td> <td>+37069842144</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Competition Director</td> <td>Paulius Mačiulevičius</td> <td>+37061456854</td> </tr> </table> <p>Technical and Administrative Area</p> <table border="1" data-bbox="352 1861 1406 1995"> <tr> <td>Administrative Director</td> <td>Darius Čerka</td> <td>+37069917787</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Press Director</td> <td>Ieva Kutkaite</td> <td>+370 630 42540</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Technical Director</td> <td>Tadas Donela</td> <td>+37068514733</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Court Manager</td> <td>Arturas Bekis</td> <td>+37068362546</td> </tr> </table>	Tournament Director	Marius Vasiliauskas	+37068689009	NF Delegate:	Dainius Budrys	+37069842144	Competition Director	Paulius Mačiulevičius	+37061456854	Administrative Director	Darius Čerka	+37069917787	Press Director	Ieva Kutkaite	+370 630 42540	Technical Director	Tadas Donela	+37068514733	Court Manager	Arturas Bekis	+37068362546
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	Referee Manager	Aurelijus Zuoza	+37060019191
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	EEVZA Technical Supervisor: Michael Gotwald (AZE/CZE)		
REFEREES	<p>NF Referee Manager: Aurelijus Zuoza +37060019191</p> <p>EEVZA Neutral Referees: Piotr Kosiacki (POL) Fuad Hajiyev (AZE) Local Referees: Raimonda Strelkauskaite Ieva Vasiliauskaite Sergej Rodin Zilvinas Galimovas Nerijus Marcinkus Donatas Andriulis</p> <p>EEVZA will appoint 2 neutral referees from EEVZA countries and will cover for them: - International transportation costs; - Per Diem 75 Euro (only per competition days)</p>		
GENDER	Men		
COMPETITION FORMAT	QT – single elimination MD – double elimination		
NUMBER OF TEAMS	QT – max 16 teams teams MD – 16 teams teams		
QUALIFICATION	No limitation for EEVZA countries		
MAIN DRAW	LTU 4 EEVZA 4 WC NF 2 WC EEVZA 2		
COMPETITION SCHEDULE	<p>Preliminary Inquiry & Technical Meeting Women: Athletes are required to attend the Preliminary Inquiry and the Technical Meeting and present their passports, medical certificates. 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 All meetings will be held on the venue. July 3, 2015 (if needed) QT: Preliminary Inquiry 10:00-10:30 DRAW (If any) 10:45 – 10:55 Qualification Tournament Technical Meeting 11:00 Qualification Tournament 12:00 July 4, 2015 MD: Preliminary Inquiry 9:00-9:30 DRAW (If any) 9:30-9:40 Main Draw Technical Meeting 9:50 Main Draw Double elimination from 10:00. Total 22 matches. July 5, 2015 Main Draw Double elimination from 10. Total 8 matches.</p>		

	Awarding Ceremony
PRIZE MONEY AND BONUS POOL	TOTAL PRIZE MONEY OF LITHUANIA OPEN (MEN): minimum 1200 EUR Rank 1 300 Rank 2 250 Rank 3 200 Rank 4 150 Rank 5-6 100 Rank 7-8 50
ENTRY FEE	Entry Fee QT teams – 20EUR, Entry Fee for MD teams – 40EUR.
RULES OF THE GAME	FIVB Official Beach Volleyball Rules 2015
OFFICIAL BALL	Mikasa VLS-300
OFFICIAL DAYS AND VENUE OF ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE	Arrival 3 (4 for MD teams) of July, 2015 Departure July 5, 2015
VISA	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. Please send to tinklinis@takas.lt the following data: - 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	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. For Neutral Referees, nominated by EEVZA, International travel expenses will be covered by EEVZA.
LOCAL TRANSPORT	Local Transportation for the players, coaches and etc., as for the accompanying persons is under their own responsibility. Transportation of Neutral Referees is organizers responsibility
BOARD AND LODGING	The accommodation and meals is under own responsibilities of athletes. The Local Organizer will help to find accommodation with special price. 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.
OFFICIAL HOTELS FOR TEAMS	HOTEL ECOTEL VILNIUS Address : Slucko str. 8, Vilnius LT-09312 Phone : +37052102700 Phone : +37068602779 Fax : +37052102707 Email : hotel@ecotel.lt http://www.ecotel.lt

HOTELS FOR OFFICIALS	Distance from Hotel to competitions place 600 m.
	<p>LEU GUEST HOUSE Vivulskio st. 36, Vilnius, Lithuania Tel:+370 5 213 0509 Email: sveciunamai@vpu.lt http://guesthouse.us.lt/ Distance from Hotel to competitions place 500 m.</p> <p>Best Western Vilnius Hotel*** Konstitucijos pr.14 LT-09308 Vilnius Lithuania Tel: +370 5 2739595 Fax: +370 5 2739500 E-mail: office@vilniushotel.eu http://vilniushotel.eu/EN/Vilnius Distance from Hotel to competitions place 300 m.</p>
LOCAL TIME ZONE	GMT + 3:00 (EEST)
WEATHER CONDITIONS	Min. Temperature: 17 Max. Temperature: 34 Sunrise: 05:34 Sunset: 21:15 Precipitation: 2,4mm Wind: 6km/h
CURRENCY	EUR
TOURIST INFORMATION	http://www.vilnius-tourism.lt/