



**LATVIA OPEN**  
**EEVZA BEACH VOLLEYBALL TOUR 2014**  
**PRACTICAL INFO**

<b>EVENT'S TITLE</b>	<b>EEVZA – Beach volleyball Tour 2014</b> <b>LATVIA OPEN (for men)</b>
<b>VENUE</b>	Riga Olympic Centre Beach Volleyball indoor courts, Riga, Grostonas street 6b
<b>DATE</b>	Competition dates <b>15-16 November 2014</b>
<b>EEVZA</b>	Eastern European Volleyball Zonal Association <a href="http://www.eevza.eu/">http://www.eevza.eu/</a> E-mail: <a href="mailto:rus@volley.ru">rus@volley.ru</a> , <a href="mailto:inara@volejbols.lv">inara@volejbols.lv</a> President: Mr. Vladimir Patkin Secretary General, contact person: Mrs. Inara Brokane BVB Coordinator: Ms. Sarma Reitere <a href="mailto:eevzabeach@volejbols.lv">eevzabeach@volejbols.lv</a>
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<b>LOCAL ORGANISER</b>	Volleyball Federation of Latvia Contact person: Mrs. Inara Brokane E-mail: <a href="mailto:inara@volejbols.lv">inara@volejbols.lv</a> Cell: +37126191094
<b>REGISTRATION</b>	All teams from EEVZA countries who want to participate, should send an official request from their National Federation to following e-mails: <a href="mailto:eevzabeach@volejbols.lv">eevzabeach@volejbols.lv</a> <a href="mailto:lvf@volejbols.lv">lvf@volejbols.lv</a> <a href="mailto:inara@volejbols.lv">inara@volejbols.lv</a> 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 7500,00 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 15.5 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/FIVB 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 2014 CEV Beach volleyball Regulations. All National Federations should provide an Organizer with the FIVB, CEV, National ranking points of the participating teams to the e-mails:

	<p><a href="mailto:eevzabeach@volejbols.lv">eevzabeach@volejbols.lv</a>  <a href="mailto:lvf@volejbols.lv">lvf@volejbols.lv</a>  <a href="mailto:inara@volejbols.lv">inara@volejbols.lv</a></p> <p>The deadline for all registrations to EEVZA Beach volleyball Tour Georgia Open 2014 is <b>05 November 2014</b>.</p> <p>Teams have to be registered both through FIVB VIS System and with official registration forms, signed and sent by concerned National federations.</p> <p>Official Registration form are available on EEVZA website <a href="http://www.eevza.eu">www.eevza.eu</a></p> <p>Players, who wish participate in EEVZA Tours, mandatory have CEV players commitment or EEVZA Medical certificate, which is available in EEVZA website.</p>																														
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<b>REFEREES</b>	<p>EEVZA Technical Supervisor: Ilya Volodarskiy (RUS), +79039603623;  E-mail: <a href="mailto:pliah@mail.ru">pliah@mail.ru</a>  EEVZA Technical Supervisor Assistant: Ruta Millere (LAT)  NF Referee Manager: Egīls Tišanovs  EEVZA Neutral Referees: Pavel Remizov (RUS)  Vitalijus Valteris (LTU)</p> <p><b>Local Referees:</b>  Salvis Kurtišs,  Ilja Miņins,  Pāvels Poršņevs,  Aleksejs Prigošins  Jānis Gaļanskis  Egīls Tišanovs</p> <p><b>EEVZA will appoint 3 neutral referees from EEVZA countries and will cover for them:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- International transportation costs;</li> <li>- Per Diem 75 Euro (only for competition days)for EEVZA Neutral Referees,</li> <li>- Per Diem 75 Euro for all the days to EEVZA Technical Supervisor and assistant if any</li> </ul>																														
<b>COMPETITION SCHEDULE</b>	<p><b>Preliminary Inquiry &amp; Technical Meeting</b></p> <p><b>Men:</b>  Athletes are required to attend the Preliminary Inquiry and the Technical Meeting and present their passportsor official ID documents.  <b>All teams from EEVZA countries should provide a document from their National Volleyball Federation including the National Ranking of the participating teams/players.</b>  All meetings will be held on the venue.  <b>Saturday, 15 November, 2014</b>  08:30 Preliminary Inquiry MD men (Draw if any)  09:00Technical Meeting  10:30 Double elimination for Men  <b>Sunday, 16 November, 2014</b>  10:00 Starting of competition  17:00 Match for 3<sup>rd</sup> place  18:00 Match for 1<sup>st</sup> place  Awarding Ceremony</p>																														
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	Rank 5-6 100 Euro (per team); Rank 7-8 50 Euro (per team) .
<b>ENTRY FEE</b>	Entry fee for Main Draw teams – 40 EUR.
<b>GENDER</b>	MEN
<b>NUMBER OF TEAMS</b>	MD – 16 teams
<b>MAIN DRAW</b>	LATVIA 4 EEVZA 4 WC NF 2 WC EEVZA 2 Other 4 teams according to the received registrations from federations according to the rankings Tournament will be played 16 teams with double elimination.
<b>RULES OF THE GAME</b>	FIVB Official Beach Volleyball Rules 2014
<b>OFFICIAL BALL</b>	Mikasa VLS-300
<b>OFFICIAL DAYS AND VENUE OF ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE</b>	Arrival <b>14 November, 2014</b> Departure <b>17 November, 2014</b> Proposed International Airport is <b>Riga</b>
<b>VISA</b>	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)
<b>TRANSPORT</b>	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 and Officials, nominated by EEVZA, International travel expenses will be covered by EEVZA.
<b>LOCAL TRANSPORT</b>	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.
<b>BOARD AND LODGING</b>	The accommodation and meals is under own responsibilities of athletes. The Local Organizer will help to find accommodation with special price Board and Lodging information will be provided as soon as possible; In case players need assistance in Hotel reservation, organizers have to be informed about it accordingly in a due time.  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 will be covered by EEVZA; 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.
<b>OFFICIAL HOTELS FOR TEAMS</b>	Hotel for officials & athletes: “Days Hotel VEF Riga”, Riga Brīvības street 199 Hotels for athletes: 45 EURO per double or single room. For hotel reservation necessity for special price, athletes have to inform Volleyball Federation of Latvia.
<b>WEATHER CONDITIONS</b>	Min. Temperature: 15° C
<b>CURRENCY</b>	1 EURO

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