



13th Baltic Youth Volleyball Championship for Sport schools/Clubs

REGULATIONS

1. Goals

- 1.1. Popularize volleyball among youth and improve young volleyball player's skills.
- 1.2. Determine the best Sport school/Club volleyball teams in the Baltic States for youth born in 2005 and younger.
- 1.3. To ensure friendly relations between youth teams in the Baltic States.
- 1.4. Give Sport school/Club team's international experience.

2. Competition organizers

- 2.1. The competition is managed by the Latvian Volleyball Federation and its youth coordinator Sandra Budkēviča sandra@volejbols.lv, Riga, Andrejostas 17,
- 2.2. The girl's competition is organized by the Latvian Volleyball Federation/Riga Volleyball School and the boy's competition by the Estonian Volleyball Federation/Tallinna VK.

3. Place and time

- 3.1. Competition takes place:
 - 3.1.1. 6.-8.05 2022 - in Latvia (Riga) - Girls.
 - 3.1.2. 6.-8.05 2022 - in Estonia (Tallinn) - Boys.

4. Participants

- 4.1. Participants will be the four best sport school/club teams from Latvia, Lithuania and Estonia.
 - 4.1.1. Girls – born in 2005 and younger.
 - 4.1.2. Boys – born in 2005 and younger
 - 4.1.3. Participating players must be registered with the sport school or club by the Latvian, Lithuanian or Estonian Volleyball Federation.
 - 4.1.4. Teams cannot be supplemented by players from other schools or clubs.
 - 4.1.5. Delegations consist of **14 players, 2 coaches, 1 team official and a game referee. (National category, 1 category).**

5. Applications

- 5.1. **The Federation's representative's signature guarantees that the player is licensed to the respective sport school or club.**

6. Financial conditions

- 6.1. Competition organizational expenses (hall rent and awards) for the girl's competition will be paid by the Latvian Volleyball Federation or the organizing school/club, and the boy's competition by the Estonian Volleyball Federation or the organizing school/club.
- 6.2. Expenses related to participation in the tournament (travel, lodging, meals) are paid by the delegating school/club.
- 6.3. Federations cover expenses for their referees (travel, meals, lodging), except, if the National Federation has a different decision within the Federation.

7. Rules

7.1. The games will be played according to FIVB International Volleyball rules. There will be no technical timeouts.

7.2. Official game ball - Mikasa V 200W/ V300W

7.3. Games are best of five sets.

7.4. ALLOCATION OF POINTS

7.4.1. For all the rounds of the BYVC Championships, the allocation of points shall be as follows:

7.4.2. BYVC competition standing is based on the number of matches won.

Points for won and lost matches are allocated as follows:

a. 3 points for the winner 3:0 or 3:1 of a match,

b. 2 points for the winner 3:2 of a match,

c. 1 point for the loser 2:3 of a match,

d. 0 point for the loser 0:3 or 1:3 of a match.

7.4.3. There is a tie between Participants when each Participant has the same number of matches won. In case of a tie, the standing of the Participants is established by using the following criteria in the following mentioned order, until the tie ends:

a. In descending order by the number of allocated points for won and lost matches,

b. In descending order by the set quotient resulting from the division of all sets won by all sets lost during the CEV competition,

c. In descending order by the set points quotient resulting from the division of all set points scored by all sets points lost during the CEV competition,

d. In descending order by the result(s) of the match(es) played between them.

7.5. Net height:

7.5.1. Girls – 2.24

7.5.2. Boys – 2.43

8. System of play

8.1. Based on the ratings submitted by the federations (1-4 places), teams will be split into three round robin groups of 4 teams each.

8.2. 1st place teams (based on federation ratings) are split into separate groups. 2nd, 3rd and 4th place teams are drawn by lot into the groups.

Final play

8.3. Teams:

After round robin games in groups, teams will play Play-off's crossed semi-finals and games for certain places on three (3) levels as follows:

Level I – Places 1.-4. – 4 games

First Place in Group A versus First place in Group C

First Place in Group B versus best Second place

For 3rd Place – Loser versus Loser

For I Place – Winner versus Winner

Level II – Places 5.-8. – 4 games

Second 2nd place in Groups versus second 3rd place in Groups

Third 2nd place in Groups versus best 3rd place in Groups

For 7th place – Loser versus Loser

For 5th place – Winner versus Winner

Level III – Places 9.-12. – 4 games

Third 3rd place in Groups versus third 4th place in Groups

First 4th place in Groups versus second 4th place in Groups

For 11th place – Loser versus Loser

For 7th place – Winner versus Winner

9. Protests

9.1. The Sport schools/Clubs coach or representative must notify the game's head referee of the protest after the game.

9.2. The submission of the protest will be noted in the score sheet within 15 minutes of the game's conclusion, in accordance with International Volleyball rules.

9.3. Protests will be reviewed by the competition's head referee, head secretary and competition coordinator.

10. Awards

- 10.1. The top three teams receive a trophy and a diploma.
 10.2. Top three teams' players receive medals. (14 players, 2 coaches, 1 team official).
 10.3. The best player from each team will receive an award.
 10.4. All other teams receive a diploma showing their place in the competition.

11. Various

- 11.1 Every federation designates one referee to the competition site
 11.2 Competition is organized according to the country's COVID rules
 11.3.

1st group

Nr.	Country	Ranking
1	LAT	1
2	LTU	2
3	LAT	3
4	EST	4

2nd group

Nr.	County	Ranking
1	LTU	1
2	EST	2
3	LTU	3
4	LAT	4

3rd group

Nr.	County	Ranking
1	EST	1
2	LAT	2
3	EST	3
4	LTU	4

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