



15th Baltic Youth Volleyball Championship for Sport schools/Clubs

REGULATIONS (project)

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 2007 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 boys competition is organized by the Estonian Volleyball Federation, and the girls competition by the Lithuanian Volleyball Federation.

3. Place and time

- 3.1. Competition takes place:
 - 3.1.1. 3.-5.05 2024 - in Estonia, Kiili (close Tallinn) - Boys
 - 3.1.2. 3-5..05 2024 - in Lithuanian - Girls

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 2007 and younger (Latvia, Lithuania and Estonia).
 - 4.1.2. Boys – born in 2007 and younger (Latvia and Estonia).
 - 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 Lithuanian 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).

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. The 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:
- 3 points for the winner 3:0 or 3:1 of a match,
 - 2 points for the winner 3:2 of a match,
 - 1 point for the loser 2:3 of a match,
 - 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:
- In descending order by the number of allocated points for won and lost matches,
 - In descending order by the set quotient resulting from the division of all sets won by all sets lost during the CEV competition,
 - 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,
 - In descending order by the result(s) of the match(es) played between them.
- 7.4.4. Net Height:
- 7.4.4.1. Girls – 2.24;
- 7.4.4.2. 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 1st 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. GIRLS

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

11.4. BOYS

1st group

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

2nd group

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

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