



## 4<sup>th</sup> BALTIC VOLLEYBALL YOUTH CHAMPIONSHIPS FOR SPORTS SCHOOLS AND CLUBS

20.-22.05. 2011.  
PÄRNU, ESTONIA  
GIRLS

# BULLETIN

# NO 1

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## 1. ORGANIZING COMMITTEE

### Head of Organizing Committee:

Mrs. Vilja Savisaar-Toomast - President of EVF

### Members:

Mr. Tarvi Pürn - Secretary General of EVF  
 Mrs. Helju Sutt - Tournament Coordinator in Pärnu  
 Mr. Mati Koorep - Head of EVF Referee Commission  
 Mr. Mehis Merilaine - Head Referee of the Tournament  
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## 2. PÄRNU INFO TELEPHONES, ADDRESSES

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## 3. PARTICIPANTS and REGISTRATION

Rk.	Estonia	Lithuania	Latvia
1	Võru Sports School	KCSM Kaunas	Zvejniekciema School
2	Viljandi Sports School	SM „Tauras”	Rīgas Volleyball School
3	Saaremaa Sports School	SM „Dubysa” Šiauliai	Cēsu Sports School
4	Pärnu Sports School		VC Mārupe
5	VC Täht Tallinn		

Registration must be done **May 12th 2011** to must be sent to Estonian Volleyball Federation fax +372 6031551 or [evf@sport.ee](mailto:evf@sport.ee) and copy to Latvian VF fax +371 67334359 or [lvf@volejbols.lv](mailto:lvf@volejbols.lv)

## 4. ARRIVAL and DEPARTURE

**Official arrival day** – Friday 20.05.2011. **Official departure day** – Sunday 22.05.2011.

## 5. ACCOMMODATIONS

**Sport schools/clubs must reserve their own accommodations in close co-operation with Pärnu Sports School and Mrs Helju Sutt (+372 5018291; e-mail: spordi.kool@mail.ee)**

**LTU – Hostel Lõuna (Lõuna 2, Pärnu) price per person 7.- EUR**

**LAT – Kalevi staadion (Ranna pst 2, Pärnu)– price per person 7.- EUR**

**Meals will arranged in co-operation with organizer by participants own responsibility.**

## 6. COMPETITION HALL

**Pärnu Sports Hall**, Riia mnt. 129, Pärnu – 3 courts

## 7. COMPETITION SYSTEM

1. Twelve 12 teams – 4 teams from Estonia, Latvia, Lithuania are divided in three Group A, Group B and Group C - four teams in each Group
2. By drawing lots, made by Jury before, teams are placed in Groups as follows:

	GROUP A	GROUP B	GROUP C
<b>Ranking 1</b>	LAT 1	LTU 1	EST 1
<b>Ranking 2</b>	LTU 2	EST 2	LAT 2
<b>Ranking 3</b>	LAT 3	LTU 3	EST 3
<b>Ranking 4</b>	EST 4	LAT 4	EST 5

3. Teams play in groups single round robin by *Berger System* for 4 teams:  
3 games per each team = 18 games
4. After games in groups teams will play Play-off's crossed semi-finals and games for certain places on three (3) level in 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 3<sup>rd</sup> Place – Loser versus Loser  
 For 1<sup>st</sup> Place – Winner versus Winner

**Level II** – Places 5.-8. – 4 games

Second 2<sup>nd</sup> Place in Groups versus second 3<sup>rd</sup> Place in Groups  
 Third 2<sup>nd</sup> Place in Groups versus best 3<sup>rd</sup> Place in Groups  
 For 7<sup>th</sup> Place – Loser versus Loser  
 For 5<sup>th</sup> Place – Winner versus Winner

**Level III** – Places 9.-12. – 4 games

Third 3<sup>rd</sup> Place in Groups versus third 4<sup>th</sup> Place in Groups  
 First 4<sup>th</sup> Place in Groups versus second 4<sup>th</sup> Place in Groups  
 For 11<sup>th</sup> Place – Loser versus Loser  
 For 7<sup>th</sup> Place – Winner versus Winner

**All together 18 + 12 = 30 games**

## 7. COMPETITION CALENDAR

### Opening ceremony

will be held on 20<sup>th</sup> May 2011 – 17.00 in Pärnu Sports Hall, Riia mnt. 129, Pärnu

### I Games in Groups - Group A

LAT 1
LTU 2
LAT 3
EST 4

Nr.	Date	Court	Time	Team	Team
A/1	20.05.	1	14.00	LAT 1	EST 4
A/2	20.05.	2	14.00	LTU 2	LAT 3
A/3	20.05.	1	17.30	LAT 1	LTU 2
A/4	20.05.	2	17.30	EST 4	LAT 3
A/5	21.05.	1	11.00	LAT 3	LAT 1
A/6	21.05.	1	12.30	LTU 2	EST 4

### I Games in Groups - Group B

LTU 1
EST 2
LTU 3
LAT 4

Nr.	Date	Court	Time	Team	Team
B/1	20.05.	3	14.00	LTU 1	EST 2
B/2	20.05.	1	15.30	LTU 3	LAT 4
B/3	20.05.	3	17.30	LTU 1	LAT 4
B/4	20.05.	1	19.00	EST 2	LTU 3
B/5	21.05.	2	11.00	EST 2	LAT 4
B/6	21.05.	2	12.30	LTU 3	LTU 1

### I Games in Groups - Group C

EST 1
LAT 2
EST 3
LTU 4

Nr.	Date	Court	Time	Team	Team
C/1	20.05.	2	15.30	EST 1	EST 5
C/2	20.05.	3	15.30	LAT 2	EST 3
C/3	20.05.	2	19.00	EST 1	LAT 2
C/4	20.05.	3	19.00	EST 5	EST 3
C/5	21.05.	3	11.00	EST 3	EST 1
C/6	21.05.	3	12.30	LAT 2	EST 5

### II Semi-finals (I, II, III level – Games SF 1 – SF 6): Saturday 21.May 2011

Pärnu Sports Hall – Courts 1/2 **3<sup>rd</sup> Leg** - 17.00;

Courts 3/1 **2<sup>nd</sup> Leg** - 17.00 and 18.30;

Courts 2/3 **1<sup>st</sup> Leg** - 18.30;

### III Final games (Places 1., 3., 5., 7., 9., 11. – Games F 1 – F 6): Sunday 22.May 2011

Pärnu Sports Hall – Courts 1/2 **3<sup>rd</sup> Leg** 10.00; Courts 1/2 **2<sup>nd</sup> Leg** 11.30; Courts 1/2 **1<sup>st</sup> Leg** 13.00

**Awarding Ceremony** - Pärnu Sports Hall - Sunday 22.May 2011 at 14.30

## 8. 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 1994 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 (t.26188150, fax 7334359, [jaunatne@volejbols.lv](mailto:jaunatne@volejbols.lv), Riga, Grostonas St 6b, LV-1013.
- 2.2. The girls competition will be organized by the Estonian Volleyball Federation and the boys competition by the Latvian Volleyball Federation.

### 3. Place and time

- 3.1. Competition takes place:
  - 3.1.1. 20-22 May Estonia, Pärnu - Girls.
  - 3.1.2. 20-22 May Latvia, Kuldīga - 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 1994 and younger.
  - 4.1.2. Boys – born 1994 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 12 players, 1 coach, 2 team officials, **and a game referee. (National category, 1 category).**

### 5. Applications

- 5.1. Team final application CH –05 in bis form (12 players) team representatives submit to the secretariat at the games venue.
- 5.2. **The Federation's Secretary General'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 Estonian Volleyball Federation or the organizing school/club, and the boy's competition by the Latvian 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 MVA 200.
- 7.3. Games are best of five sets.

- 7.4. Teams receive:
- 7.4.1. For a win – 2 points;
  - 7.4.2. For a loss – 1 point;
  - 7.4.3. For not arriving – 0 points.(0:25;0:25; 0:25).
- 7.5. If teams are tied in points the following tiebreakers are used:
- 7.5.1. Sets won-lost in all games;
  - 7.5.2. Points won-lost in all games;
  - 7.5.3. Head to head scores.
- 7.6. Net height:
- 7.6.1. Girls – 2.24;
  - 7.6.2. 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. 1<sup>st</sup> place teams (based on federation ratings) are split into separate groups. 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> 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:

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For 1 Place – Winner versus Winner

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For 11<sup>th</sup> place – Loser versus Loser  
For 7<sup>th</sup> 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. (12 players, 2 coaches).
- 10.3. The six best players receive a memento trophy.
- 10.4. All other teams receive a diploma showing their place in the competition.