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INVITATION

2021-2022 European Sitting Volleyball Clubs' Competitions Men and Women

ParaVolley Europe is pleased to announce the staging of the 2021-2022 European Sitting Volleyball Clubs Competitions – Men and Women.

Competitions:

Four separate competitions will be held as part of the 2021-2022 European Sitting Volleyball Clubs' Competitions.

- *PVE Women's Champions Cup*
- *PVE Men's Champions Cup*
- *PVE Women's EuroLeague*
- *PVE Men's EuroLeague*

The Champions Cups will be reserved for the National Champions from participating member nations. Each of the PVE Champions Cup competitions will be played over one weekend. More information regarding the Champions Cups can be found in the attached PVE Champions Cup General Regulations.

The PVE EuroLeague competition will be open to a number of teams affiliated to member nations. The maximum number of teams participating in the PVE EuroLeague competition will be of 48 teams per gender. The quota of teams per National Federation will be based on the PVE National Teams Ranking List issued in November 2021 and according to the attached PVE EuroLeague General Regulations.

PVE Member Nations "in good standing" are eligible to apply for their clubs to participate in and host tournaments from the 2021-2022 European Sitting Volleyball Clubs' Competitions according to the General Regulations attached to this invitation letter.

National Federations/Associations who are not WPV members in the European Zone are also encouraged to apply.

Teams Eligibility:

The club team is eligible to play if:

- *The PVE Club Teams Entry Form is submitted by the National Federation by **12th December 2021**.*
- *The PVE Final Team Registration Form is submitted by the club team by the deadline as per the attached General Regulations.*
- *The PVE Final Team Registration Form (licence) is approved by PVE Sport Department*
- *The Club team registration fee for season 2021-2022 is paid in due time.*

The Member Nation/national responsible body has the right to ban a club team from participating in any of the competitions based on internal decision, and PVE shall accept the decision as final. It is the national responsible body's decision which national scheme is to be used to decide which club team participates in which competition.

Players' Eligibility:

- *Players can only be registered with **one club team** for the duration of the 2021-2022 European Sitting Volleyball Clubs' Competitions.*
- *Players cannot play with two different teams in two different competitions.*
- *Players who have already played with a club pertaining to another zone cannot take part as long as the player is still registered with the non-PVE club.*

Hosts:

*National Federations/National Responsible Bodies/Clubs wishing to host one or more rounds of the 2021-2022 European Sitting Volleyball Clubs' Competitions are asked to fill in and send the **Form N2 – Expression of Interest** no later than **12th December 2021**.*

The final schedule, rounds, draw and hosts will be determined after the deadline for the NFs/national responsible bodies to submit the Club Teams Entry Forms and the Form N2 – Expression of Interest form.

*The groups are to be decided by Drawing of Lots by **31st December 2021**. The PVE Sports Department reserves the right to propose the structure of the competitions' rounds/pools after the Club Teams Entry Forms are received.*

*Club teams withdrawing after the Drawing of Lots will incur a PVE penalty fee of **€1,000.00** which will result in the member nation not being "in good standing" until the penalty fee is paid.*

Should there be no organiser available for a particular group/pool, PVE will issue another call for hosts after 1st January 2022.

Fees:

All information regarding fees can be found in the attached General Regulations.

Education:

It is ParaVolley Europe's intention that tournaments held as part of the 2021-2022 European Sitting Volleyball Clubs' Competitions are also used for education purposes. Host NFs/Clubs may be asked to hold courses before or during the tournaments.

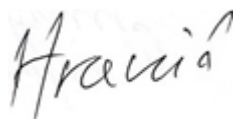
To be considered for participation, the National Federations/national responsible bodies must complete and return the PVE Club Teams Entry Form no later than 12th December 2021.

To be considered as hosts, National Federations/national responsible bodies/Clubs must complete and submit the Form F2 - Expression of Interest also by 12th December.

All forms are to be sent to mail@paravolley.eu

Please do not hesitate to contact PVE on mail@paravolley.eu should you have any queries.

Regards,



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