



VOLLEYBALL WORLD
**BEACH
PRO TOUR**

BEACH PRO TOUR ELITE 16 - TORQUAY

29 NOVEMBER - 3 DECEMBER 2022

EVENT PLAYBOOK

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PRE-EVENT – BEFORE ARRIVAL

1. Invitation Letter, Visa & Entry Documents

ITEM	DETAILS
Invitation Letter	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Contact Person: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Emma Yee ○ Email: athlete.services@volleyball.org.au • It takes approximately 2 days to issue the Invitation Letter. • Information required for invitation letter: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Country of passport ○ Passport number ○ Current country of residence ○ Date of birth ○ Full name (as in passport) ○ Gender ○ Email/Phone number ○ Role at event (i.e. Athlete, Coach, Official) ○ Embassy that the VISA will be issued
Visa	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Participants are responsible for organizing their own Visa. See above information on the process to be followed to avoid issues upon arrival. <p>You must now apply for the visas on this link</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Temporary Activity (subclass 408) (Invited Participant) visa (where there is an inviting Australian organisation). For more information see: https://immi.homeaffairs.gov.au/visas/getting-a-visa/visa-listing/temporary-activity-408/invited-for-other-social-and-cultural-activity
Entry Documents	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Please note that it is the responsibility of each participant to check and issue their entry documents (e.g. VISA) on time to participate in the event. Please check with your airline if a PCR test is required to fly. • Please check if there are any regulations concerning coronavirus:
Medical Services and Procedures to be Followed	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The complete Covid-19 Event Protocol can be downloaded at the following link: https://en.volleyballworld.com/beachvolleyball/competitions/beach-pro-tour-2022/events/challenge/torquay-australia/competition/covid-19-protocol?

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Contact Person/Team: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ For any questions regarding the Event Covid-19 Protocol, please reach out to FIVB Medical department – medical@fivb.com
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2. Event Info

Elephant Walk - Torquay

Address	The Esplanade	
Website	https://www.google.com/maps/place/Elephant+Walk/@-38.3320776,144.3268173,15z/data=!4m5!3m4!1s0x0:0xd3237721b84a6248!8m2!3d-38.3320776!4d144.3268173	
Distance from hotel	3km	5 min
Distance from training courts	22km *	26 min
Distance from airport	112 km	1h 20 min

*** Training courts will be available at Geelong Sports Hub (1 Crown St, South Geelong) x 3 courts under cover. Transportation may be arranged if communicated 24h in advance.**



Accommodation

- Hotel accommodation will be provided to the Main Draw teams by the organiser.
- Athletes will be personally responsible for all extras at the hotel such as mini-bar, phone calls, etc. including any damage incurred to the room. Payments must be made upon checkout.
- Organisers are not responsible for reservations for coaches, team physiotherapists, guests or family members accompanying the participating athletes.

Official Hotel:	The Sands Torquay Website: thesandstorquay.com Booking contact: Simone Fernon - simone@sportslinktravel.com
Other Hotels:	Contact Simone Fernon for all your accommodation needs. Email - simone@sportslinktravel.com

- Qualification Tournament athletes, Coaching Staff, Friend & Family will have a discounted rate as follows:

The Sands Torquay

- Room – \$260AUD / night (1-2 PAX)
- Breakfast - \$30AUD per person per day
- Full board - \$110AUD per person per day
- Contact Person - Simone Fernon
- Email - simone@sportslinktravel.com

RATE CARD		
Item	Description	Cost
Accommodation	Single or Double Occupancy	\$260AUD

Transportation

- The official airport confirmed by the organiser is as follows:
 - **Airport : Melbourne International Airport - Melbourne (VIC)**
- The organiser will provide transportation for main draw athletes only. This will include.
 - Melbourne International Airport – The Sands Torquay (accommodation)
 - The Sands Torquay – Elephant Walk (Venue)
- **If airport pickup is required, please share with the organising Event Operations contact no later than 15/11/2022.** If this information is received after the deadline, the organiser has no obligation to provide

transportation from the airport to the official hotel. **Please communicate any changes or delays in real time to this email.**

- **Contact Person/Team: Emma Yee** - athlete.services@volleyball.org.au

Accreditation

- Accreditation will be required by all athletes, FIVB officials, referees, VW staff, VIPs, media, technical staff, court personnel, volunteers, vendors, etc. by organisers, and will ensure that only those with appropriate accreditation can access the designated venue areas.
- **Coaches and Physiotherapists**
 - Accreditation forms for coaches and physiotherapists are available at the following link: <https://www.fivb.com/en/beachvolleyball/tools/forms>. All applicants must include a 3x4 cm portrait photo as part of their submission.
- Contact Person/Team:
 - **Emma Yee** - athlete.services@volleyball.org.au

Catering

- Organiser will provide all three meals for athletes and referees, being breakfast at the official hotel, lunch, and dinner at the competition venue. Meals will be arranged by the organiser from dinner the day before the event starts until breakfast the day after the team was eliminated from the event.
- **For coaches and teams eliminated in the QT, meals can be purchased from food vendors at the venue. Meals ranging from \$10AUD.**

Medical Services and Procedures

- During Competition & Training
 - During Competition & Training, there will be a first responders with an ambulance will be on standby at the venue
 - Doping control may be conducted, therefore, athletes are highly recommended to keep their passports and official ids of the players with him/her.
- Out of Competition & Training
 - For Out of Competition & Training there will be the option to arrange a first aid treatment in the hotel. If more treatment is necessary, local organiser will provide a transportation where needed.
 - Teams and all participants are requested to follow the hygiene protocol posted by the FIVB Medical Department. It is no longer mandatory to keep the face masks at this time. It is only recommended to wear it at hospitals and in public transportations.
- Hospital will be chosen depending on the injury
 - Emergency Services Number (Medical & Fire Department) 000
 - Emergency Services Number (Police): 000
- In the case of an emergency, organizer will provide first responders and transportation all the way to the hospital and back. The cost of treatment will be covered by the athlete concerned.
- Each individual athlete is obliged to have their own insurance as per FIVB Event Regulations – Chapter 17.

Mixed Zones and Press Conferences

- Athletes are required to attend mixed zone interviews after each match, while still in competition uniform. The scheduling of press conferences will be communicated to athletes in advance. All athletes are required to attend the press conference(s), if requested.

Uniforms

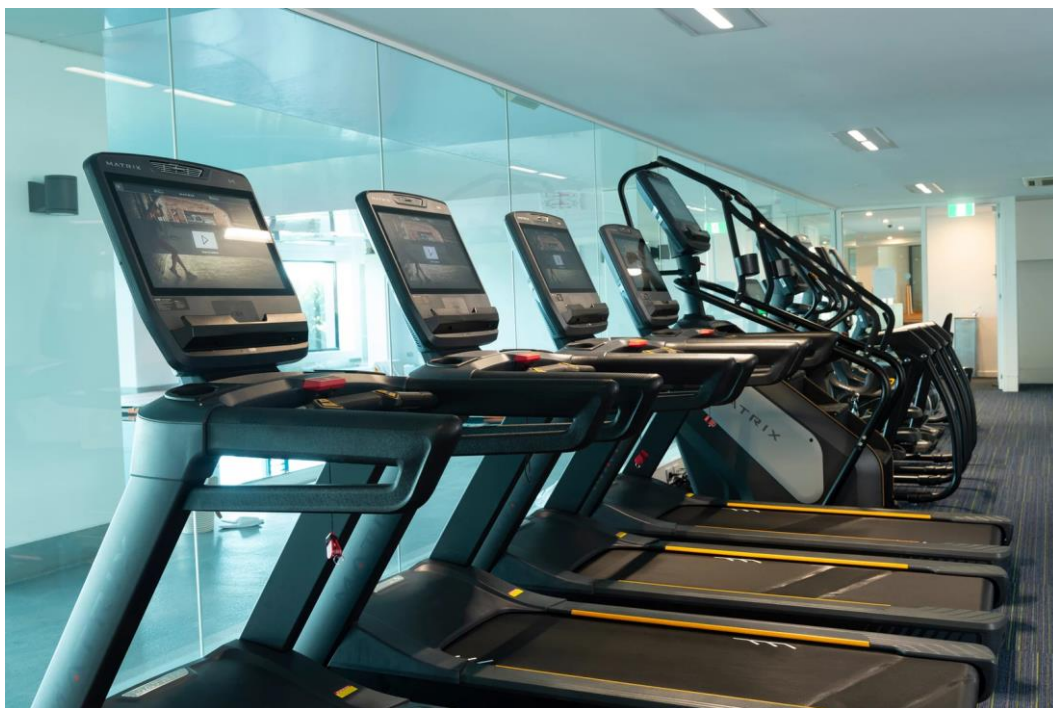
- Playing tops/tanks will be provided to all athletes (Main Draw and Qualification) by the organiser. Shorts/bottoms and accessories are the responsibility of the players and/or their sponsors. If required by the FIVB Technical Delegate, other uniforms and accessories will be checked during the Preliminary Inquiry. Athletes of the same team must wear the same colour and style of shorts.

Team Video Service

- In collaboration with a service provider, Volleyball World will provide Team Video Services at all Challenge and Elite16 events. For the login information of the Team Video Service, please email the FIVB Beach Volleyball department – beachvolleyball@fivb.com

Fitness Gym

Fitness Gym:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Sands Torquay • Address: 2 Sands Boulevard - Torquay VIC - 3228 • Website: https://www.thesandstorquay.com/
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Event Website and Social Media

Event Website	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • https://en.volleyballworld.com/beachvolleyball/competitions/beach-pro-tour-2022/events/elite16/torquay-australia/
Instagram/Facebook	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Volleyball World (Beach) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ @beachvolleyballworld
YouTube	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Volleyball World (Beach) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ https://www.youtube.com/channel/UHQQUWveEpeO1KtkwbDn6jNA
OTT Platform	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Matches will be streamed on Volleyball World TV app or VolleyballWorld.tv
Hashtags	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • #BeachProTour

Contacts

Role	Name	Email Address
Contacts		
FIVB Technical Delegate	David Cox	david.cox@volleyball.no
FIVB Referee Coach	José Casanova	jcasanova@netmadeira.com
VW Event Ops	N/A	torquayeventops@volleyball.world
FIVB Medical department	N/A	medical@fivb.com
FIVB Beach Volleyball department	N/A	beachvolleyball@fivb.com

3. Competition

Preliminary Inquiry Requirements & Schedule

- Attendance to the Preliminary Enquiry and Technical Meeting (if required) is mandatory for both team athletes. Athletes must bring their uniform, including any headgear, armbands or other pieces of uniform intended to be used during matches for approval of the Technical Delegate. The detailed schedule is as follows:

Preliminary Inquiry	
Qualification	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Date: 28/11/2022 • Time: 15:00 – 17:00 (both genders) Location: Competition venue
Main Draw	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Date: 29/11/2022 • Time: 17:00 – 19:00 (Men) / 17:00 - 20:00 (Women) Location : Competition venue
Technical Meeting	N/A

Training

- Please note that training session reservations can be made no more than 24 hours in advance. Each team is entitled to make one reservation per day (i.e. teams cannot reserve multiple training sessions for the week ahead). Additional training sessions may be possible only if the courts are available.
- Details on how to book this time will be shared closer to the event

Training Courts Address:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 Crown St, South Geelong
Availability Date for Training:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1/11/2022
Number of courts available for training:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3 Courts
Training Booking:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • https://fivb.beachcourts.net torquayeventops@volleyball.world for any assistance with the booking tool.

Competition Schedule

- The detailed match-up schedule will be confirmed after the completion of the preliminary inquiry (per gender tournament) following the results progressed

Qualification Tournament			
Day 1 (Tues)	10:00	M QT R16	M QT R16
	11:00	M QT R16	M QT R16
	12:00	M QT R16	M QT R16
	13:00	M QT R16	M QT R16
	14:00	W QT R16	W QT R16
	15:00	W QT R16	W QT R16
	16:00	W QT R16	W QT R16
	17:00	W QT R16	W QT R16
	18:00	M QT R8	M QT R8
	19:00	M QT R8	M QT R8
	20:00	W QT R8	W QT R8
21:00	W QT R8	W QT R8	
Main Draw Tournament			
Day 2 (Wed)	09:00	M Pool A #1	M Pool A #2
	10:00	M Pool B #1	M Pool B #2
	11:00	W Pool A #1	W Pool A #2
	12:00	W Pool B #1	W Pool B #2
	13:00	M Pool C #1	M Pool C #2
	14:00	M Pool D #1	M Pool D #2
	15:00	W Pool C #1	W Pool C #2
	16:00	W Pool D #1	W Pool D #2
	BREAK		
	18:00	M Pool A #3	M Pool A #4
	19:00	M Pool B #3	M Pool B #4
	20:00	W Pool A #3	W Pool A #4
	21:00	W Pool B #3	W Pool B #4
	Day 3 (Thurs)	09:00	M Pool C #3
10:00		M Pool D #3	M Pool D #4
11:00		W Pool C #3	W Pool C #4
12:00		W Pool D #3	W Pool D #4
13:00		M Pool A #5	M Pool A #6
14:00		M Pool B #5	M Pool B #6
15:00		W Pool C #5	W Pool C #6
16:00		W Pool D #5	W Pool D #6
BREAK			
18:00		M Pool C #5	M Pool C #6
19:00		M Pool D #5	M Pool D #6
20:00		W Pool A #5	W Pool A #6
21:00		W Pool B #5	W Pool B #6
Day 4 (Fri)		12:00	MQF1
	13:00	MQF3	MQF4
	14:00	WQF1	WQF2
	15:00	WQF3	WQF4
	BREAK		
	18:00	MSF1	
	19:00	MSF2	
20:00	WSF1		
21:00	WSF2		
Day 5 (Sat)	17:00	M - Bronze	
	18:00	M - Gold	
	19:00	Entertainment	
	20:00	W-Bronze	
	21:00	W-Gold	
22:00	Awarding Ceremonies		

COVID Protocol – Annex 1

- Updated information from the Australian Government <https://www.health.gov.au/health-alerts/covid-19>

Event Schedule – Annex 2