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**2015 ParaVolley Europe
Sitting Volleyball Championship Men**

**30 September – 08 October
Warendorf, Germany**



Deutscher Behindertensportverband e.V.
National Paralympic Committee Germany

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The Organiser has made every effort to ensure the accuracy of the information in the Bulletins. However, Team Managers are asked to check with the Information Desk regularly.

1. Greetings

Friedhelm Julius Beucher

Präsident des Deutschen Behindertensportverbandes (DBS)
President of National Paralympic Committee Germany



Ladies and Gentlemen, dear sports friends!

I cordially welcome you to the European Sitting Volleyball Championships in Warendorf.

About 150 athletes from twelve nations will compete at the city of horse not only to achieve the titles of the European Champions but also to qualify for the 2016 Paralympic Games in Rio de Janeiro. As a sport rich in tradition and as a part of the Paralympic Games from 1980, sitting volleyball sets high demands on strategy a high degree of interaction and physical exertion and promises top-class sport with spectacular competitions. The Federal Sports School of the German Armed Forces of Warendorf provides ideal competition conditions for the athletes and ensures an appealing atmosphere.

The European Sitting Volleyball Championships is the second major event organized by the National Paralympic Committee Germany in this year. Our special thanks go to the Federal Ministry of defense and the federal minister Dr. Ursula von der Leyen, who has taken over the patronage of this European Championship 2015, and the Federal Sports School of the German Armed Forces of Warendorf, who supports us in the organization and implementation of these European Championships, as well as to the Ministry of Family, Children, Youth, Culture and Sports of the state of North Rhine-Westphalia, who supports us financially, as well as to our partners and sponsors.

An essential part for the successful organisation of such a major event are the numerous voluntary helpers who I would like to explicitly include in our words of thanks.

Sehr geehrte Damen und Herren, liebe Sportfreundinnen und Sportfreunde!

Ich begrüße Sie ganz herzlich zu den Europameisterschaften im Sitzvolleyball der Herren für Menschen mit Behinderung in Warendorf.

Etwa 150 Sportler aus zwölf Nationen wollen in der Stadt des Pferdes den Europameistertitel erringen und Medaillen gewinnen. Ebenso geht es bei einer der größten Behindertensportveranstaltungen in Deutschland in diesem Jahr um einen begehrten Qualifikationsplatz für die Paralympischen Spiele 2016 in Rio de Janeiro.

Sitzvolleyball gehört seit 1980 zum Programm der Paralympischen Spiele und verspricht vor allem durch seine hohen Anforderungen an Strategieverständnis, einem hohen Maß an Zusammenspiel und körperlicher Anstrengung interessante Spiele und hochklassigen Sport.

Die Sportschule der Bundeswehr in Warendorf bietet den Sportlerinnen und Sportlern ideale Wettkampfbedingungen und sorgt für eine ansprechende Atmosphäre im Kampf um die Platzierungen und Medaillen.

Der DBS richtet mit der EM im Sitzvolleyball der Herren eine zweite Großveranstaltung neben der WM Bogensport in diesem Jahr aus. Unser besonderer Dank geht an das Bundesministerium der Verteidigung. Zum einen wegen der Zusage von Frau Bundesministerin der Verteidigung Frau Dr. von der Leyen, MdB, die Schirmherrschaft über diese – für uns elementar wichtige Veranstaltung - zu übernehmen. Zum anderen aufgrund der herausragenden Unterstützung der Sportschule Warendorf bei der Organisation und Durchführung dieser sehr kurzfristig übernommenen EM, ebenso wie an das Ministerium für Familie, Kinder, Jugend, Kultur und Sport des Landes Nordrhein-Westfalen, die uns finanziell unterstützt haben und nicht zuletzt an unsere Partner und Sponsoren.

Ein unverzichtbarer Baustein für die erfolgreiche Organisation einer solchen Großveranstaltung sind jedoch die zahlreichen freiwilligen Helferinnen und Helfer, sie beziehe ich ausdrücklich in unseren Dank mit ein.

2. General Information

2.1. Venue

Sportschule der Bundeswehr
Dr.-Rau-Allee 32
48231 Warendorf (Germany)

2.2. Key Dates

Wed, 30 September		Latest arrival of PVE Officials
	10:00	Competition Meeting (LOC, PVE)
	10:00 – 18:00	Arrival of teams
	tba	Classification
	10:00 – 12:00 14:00 – 18:00	Training (daily from 30 September to 06 October)
Thu, 01 October	09:00 – 13:00 14:00 – 18:00	Classification
	09:00 – 12:30 14:00 – 17:00	Referee Clinics
	10:00 - 14:00	Preliminary Inquiry
	10:00 – 18:00	Official Training
	20:00	Technical Meeting
Fri, 02 October		Competition (Pool Round)
	18:00 – 19:00	Opening Ceremony
Sat, 03 October		Competition (Pool Round)
Sun, 04 October		Competition (Pool Round)
	16:00 – 20:00	PVE General Assembly
Mon, 05 October		Competition
Tue, 06 October		Competition
Wed, 07 October		Competition
	18:00 – 19:00	Medal and Closing Ceremonies
	from 20:00	Closing Party
Thu, 08 October		Departure

2.3. Local Organising Committee

Deutscher Behindertensportverband e.V.
National Paralympic Committee Germany
Im Hause der Gold-Kraemer-Stiftung
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2.4. PVE Officials

Name	Country	Function
Toralv Thorkildsen	NOR	PVE President
Maciej Chodzko-Zajko	GBR	Technical Delegate/PVE Sport Director
Eddy Schipper	NED	Jury Member/Acting Secretary General
Ferhat Esatbeyoglu	TUR	Jury Member
Suvi Blechschmidt	FIN	Jury Member/PVE Development Director
Steve Walton	GBR	Referee Delegate/PVE Vice President
Senad Helac	BIH	Referee Observer
Dariusz Jasinski	POL	Referee Observer
Dora Szatmari	HUN	WPV Classifier/Chief Classifier
Jurate Kesiene	LTU	WPV Classifier
Jenni Cole	AUS	WPV Classifier
Louise Ashcroft	CAN	WPV Classifier

2.5. Referees

Name	Country
Glynn Archibald	GBR
Nello Calleja	MLT
Sefka Hasanic	BIH
Kirsten Kohn	GER
Adnan Kolos	BIH
Slavisa Kuzmanovic	SRB
Sari Mannersuo	FIN
Benno Meijer	NED
Toomas Murulo	EST
Anton Probst	GER
Dominik Raca	CRO
Dee Wauchope	GBR

2.6. Line Judges and Scorers

Name	Country
Zvezdan Aleksic-Capell	GER
Thomas Asche	GER
Lea Becker	GER
Ute Fenstermann	GER
Knud Gentz	GER
Jürgen Pospiech	GER
Andreas Ruppert	GER
Lara Sahlberg	GER
Thomas Sahlberg	GER
Esther Senneker	NED
Kevin Vaassen	NED
Justin Wolff	GER

3. Event Information

3.1. Competition Schedule

Date	Time	Match #	Court	Round	Team A	Team B
Fri 02 Oct	12:30	2	B	Pool B	BIH	HUN
	14:00	3	A	Pool C	RUS	AZE
	14:30	4	B	Pool A	POL	CRO
	16:00	5	A	Pool B	NED	SRB
	16:30	6	B	Pool C	UKR	LAT
	19:30	1	A	Pool A	GER	ITA
Sat 03 Oct	11:00	8	A	Pool B	HUN	SRB
	11:30	7	B	Pool A	ITA	CRO
	14:00	9	A	Pool C	AZE	LAT
	14:30	10	B	Pool A	GER	POL
	16:00	11	A	Pool B	BIH	NED
	16:30	12	B	Pool C	RUS	UKR
Sun 04 Oct	09:00	13	A	Pool A	POL	ITA
	09:30	14	B	Pool B	NED	HUN
	11:00	15	A	Pool C	UKR	AZE
	11:30	16	B	Pool A	CRO	GER
	13:00	17	A	Pool B	SRB	BIH
	13:30	18	B	Pool C	LAT	RUS
Mon 05 Oct	11:00	19	A	Quarter Final	1A	3B/3C
	11:30	20	B	Quarter Final	2C	2B
	14:00	21	A	Quarter Final	1C	2A
	14:30	22	B	Quarter Final	1B	3A/3C
	16:00	23	A	Places 9 – 12	4B/4C	4B/4C
	16:30	24	B	Places 9 – 12	4A	3B/3C
Tue 06 Oct	11:00	25	A	Places 5 – 8	L19	L20
	11:30	26	B	Places 5 – 8	L21	L22
	14:00	27	A	Semi Final	W19	W20
	14:30	28	B	Semi Final	W21	W22
	16:00	29	A	Places 11 – 12	L23	L24
	16:30	30	B	Places 9 – 10	W23	W24
Wed 07 Oct	09:00	31		Places 7 – 8	L25	L26
	11:00	32		Places 5 – 6	W25	W26
	13:30	33		Bronze Final	L27	L28
	15:30	34		Gold Final	W27	W28

3.2. Training Schedule

Date	Time	Competition Venue		Training Venue		
		Court A	Court B	Court C	Court D	Court E
Wed 30 Sep	10:00 – 11:00					
	11:00 – 12:00					
	14:00 – 15:00					
	15:00 – 16:00					
	16:00 – 17:00			BIH		
	17:00 – 18:00			GER		
	18:00 – 19:00					
	19:00 – 20:00					
Thu 01 Oct	20:00 – 21:00					
	10:00 – 11:00	RUS	UKR	SRB	AZE	
	11:00 – 12:00	AZE	BIH	GER		
	14:00 – 15:00	POL	LAT			
	15:00 – 16:00	CRO	SRB			
	16:00 – 17:00	HUN	NED			
Fri 02 Oct	17:00 – 18:00	GER	ITA			
	10:00 – 11:00					UKR
	11:00 – 12:00					
	14:00 – 15:00				Warm-up	
	15:00 – 16:00					
	16:00 – 17:00					
Sat 03 Oct	17:00 – 18:00					
	10:00 – 11:00					UKR
	11:00 – 12:00					
	14:00 – 15:00				Warm-up	
	15:00 – 16:00					
	16:00 – 17:00					UKR
Sun 04 Oct	17:00 – 18:00					
	10:00 – 11:00					
	11:00 – 12:00					
	14:00 – 15:00				Warm-up	
	15:00 – 16:00					
	16:00 – 17:00					
Mon 05 Oct	17:00 – 18:00					
	10:00 – 11:00					
	11:00 – 12:00					
	14:00 – 15:00				Warm-up	
	15:00 – 16:00					
	16:00 – 17:00					

Tue 06 Oct	10:00 – 11:00				Warm-up	
	11:00 – 12:00					
	14:00 – 15:00					
	15:00 – 16:00					
	16:00 – 17:00					
	17:00 – 18:00					
Wed 07 Oct	10:00 – 11:00				Warm-up	
	11:00 – 12:00					
	14:00 – 15:00					
	15:00 – 16:00					
	16:00 – 17:00					
	17:00 – 18:00					

3.3. Preliminary Inquiry

Time	Team
10:00	Germany
10:20	Netherlands
10:40	Croatia
11:00	Hungary
11:20	Poland
11:40	Serbia
12:00	Russia
12:20	Latvia
12:40	Bosnia and Herzegovina
13:00	Ukraine
13:20	Azerbaijan
13:40	Italy

3.4. Classification Schedule

Date	Time	Room	Nation	Family Name	Given Name
Thu 01 Oct	09.00	A	SRB	Kerezovic	Velimir
	09.10-12.00	A	ITA	Complete Team	
	09.00	B	LAT	Ronis	Alesandrs
	09.45	B	LAT	Sprukts	Juris
	10.30	B	POL	Machowski	Michal
	11.15	B	POL	Kaczmarek	Michal

	12.00	B	GER	Schu	Stefan
	14.00	A	AZE	Sehic	Armin
	14.00	B	BIH	Sajedinia	Hadi
	14.45	A	NED	Adema	Luuk
	14.45	B	AZE	Ramezani Gerakoei	Murteza
	15.30	B	AZE	Akhlaghi	Ghader

3.5. Meetings and Ceremonies

Both the Technical **Meeting and the General Assembly** will be held at Room "Warendorf" which is located in building 15 between the accommodation and the sports hall.

The **Opening Ceremony** will be held on Friday, 02 October from 18:00 to 19:00 h at the Competition Venue and will be followed by the Opening Match.

The **Medal and Closing Ceremony** will be held on Wednesday, 07 October from 18:00 to 19:00 h at the Competition Venue and will be followed by the **Closing Party** at the "Timeout" sports bar from 20:00 h.

4. Additional Information

Accreditation

The accreditation cards must be carried all the time while on the premises of the Sportschule. If you are leaving the premises, make sure you take the accreditation card with you.

A strict ban on smoking is in force on the whole premises. Smoking is permitted in designated areas in the outdoor area only. All disregarding will be subject from a fine up to an ejection from the premises which will lead to an exclusion from the Championship.

Emergencies

Emergency telephone number: 112

Medical service:

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Information Desk

Please regularly check with the Information Desk if any changes have been necessary.

Operating hours (subject to change):	30 September	10:00 – 18:00 h
	01 – 03 October	8:00 – 16:00 h
	04 October	8:00 – 16:00 h
	05 – 06 October	9:00 – 18:00 h
	07 October	9:00 – 18:00 h

Laundry and towels

Every floor is equipped with a washing machine and a dryer. A basic stock of detergent will be provided by the organiser.

Every day there will be an additional laundry service. You can leave your laundry at the information desk until 11.00 h and you will get it back the next day at 14.00 h. The costs are EUR 3.00 per set (1 jersey, 1 short, 1 long trousers), payable in cash in euros at drop-off. This service is available from 01 October until 06 October, please note that for drop-off on Friday, 02 October the pick-up will be available on Monday, 05 October due to the weekend.

Website and Social Media

Please visit our website as well as our Facebook, Twitter and Instagram account for updated information during the Championship, where you will also find all published Bulletins:

www.dbs-npc.de/warendorf2015.html

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[instagram.com/dbs_npc](https://www.instagram.com/dbs_npc);

For social media activities, please use the hashtags *#SittingVolleyball* and *#Warendorf2015*.