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MEDIA ACCREDITATION

Each person involved in the FIVB Beach Volleyball World Tour, Ostrava 2019 will receive an accreditation card, which must be worn during entire event and it has to be clearly visible. Security personnel will control all areas.

The accreditation card is non-transferable and doesn't allow the holder to take another person beyond checkpoint. Each accreditation card is personalized and requires passport information and a portrait photo.

The media accreditation card can be collected in the Accreditation Centre which is located in Multifunctional auditorium Gong.

Address: Ruská 2993, 703 00 Ostrava-Vítkovice

Opening hours:

Tuesday, May 28th	10:00 – 17:00
Wednesday, May 29th	8:00 – 19:00
Thursday, May 30th	8:00 – 19:00
Friday, May 31st	8:00 – 19:00
Saturday, June 1st	8:00 – 19:00
Sunday, June 2nd	8:00 – 17:00

The accreditation card must be picked up personally. The passport (or ID card) must be presented.

Lost Accreditation Card

Any lost or damaged accreditation card should be reported immediately to the Accreditation Centre. A new accreditation card may be issued after careful consideration.

Unauthorized use of the accreditation card will result in the card being confiscated.

MEDIA CENTRE

The Media Centre offers to all accredited journalists:

- Welcome desk with all information needed
- Working places for accredited media
- Internet connections (Wi-Fi and LAN)
- Pigeon holes with media information
- TV screens with live signal
- Copy centre
- Refreshments

The Media Centre is situated on the 1st floor of Multifunctional auditorium Gong in Dolní oblast Vítkovice and there is one working room for written press + photographers/TV and radios.

Opening hours:

Wednesday, May 29th	9:00 – 18:00
Thursday, May 30th	8:00 – 21:00
Friday, May 31st	8:00 – 21:00
Saturday, June 1st	8:00 – 21:00
Sunday, June 2nd	8:00 – 21:00

Refreshment - baguettes, sandwiches, sweets and drinks - will be available in the Media centre all day. Hot food will be available for purchase at the venue.

MEDIA TRIBUNE

Media Tribune is situated at the top of the main tribune on the court No1. Capacity of the media tribune is 40 seats with tables, electricity and WiFi internet connection.

MIXED ZONE

The athletes will pass through the Mixed Zone promptly after matches and they will be available for interviews. Mixed Zone will be split into three parts - for TV, radio and written press concerning the right-holders' priority.

The order of priority for interviews with athletes in the area is:

1. Host Broadcaster
2. Rights holding television
3. Rights holding radio
4. Print

The interview will be managed by the Mixed Zone Manager.

PHOTOGRAPHERS

The media team of the FIVB Beach Volleyball World Tour, Ostrava 2019 would like to present photographers satisfactory working conditions to ensure their working procedures will go well.

There will be a mandatory photographers' briefing scheduled. Time and place will be posted in the Media centre.

The photo bibs will be distributed on the photographer's briefing. It is mandatory to wear the photo bibs during the competition.

INTERNET

Dedicated Wi-Fi connection will be available in the Media centre and also at the media tribune. There will also be LAN cables available on request.

PARKING

There will be a limited number of reserved parking places at the venue. Access to this parking place will be possible only with the Media Parking Card.

The parking cards will be available for pick up at the pre-event press conference or at the Media centre at the venue.

TRANSPORT

Leoš Janáček Ostrava Airport

Bus to tournament area:

- from **Mošnov, Airport nádraží** to **Ostrava, Vítkovice, Dolní Vítkovice** (37 minutes)

Train and trams to tournament area:

- train from **Mošnov, Ostrava Airport** to **Ostrava-Svinov** + line **8** from **Svinov mosty h.z.** to **Karolina** (direction Hlavní nádraží) + line **2** from **Karolina** to **Dolní Vítkovice** (direction Výškovice; 49 minutes)

Ostrava-Svinov Station (train)

Trams to tournament area:

- line **8** from **Svinov mosty h.z.** to **Karolina** (direction Hlavní nádraží) + line **2** from **Karolina** to **Dolní Vítkovice** (direction Výškovice; 22 minutes)
- line **7** from **Svinov mosty h.z.** to **SPORT ARÉNA** (direction Výškovice) + line **2** from **SPORT ARÉNA** to **Dolní Vítkovice** (direction Hlavní nádraží; 24 minutes)

Ostrava Main Station (train)

Trams to tournament area:

- lines **1** (direction Dubina) and **2** (direction Výškovice) from **Hlavní nádraží** to **Dolní Vítkovice** (15 minutes)

Ostrava ÚAN (bus)

Trams to tournament area:

- lines **1** (direction Dubina) and **2** (direction Výškovice) from **Náměstí Republiky** to **Dolní Vítkovice** (4 minutes)

OSTRAVA

Ostrava, the third largest city in the Czech Republic, is situated in the northeast of the country and forms the heart of the Moravian-Silesian region. It is located close to the Slovak and Polish borders on the banks of Ostravice River and offers beautiful views of the Beskydy Mountains. The first written documentation about the founding of a village under the ownership of the Bishop Bruno originates from 1267. The city was established along the so-called Amber Trail, used by traders as the main route connecting the Baltic Sea to the Mediterranean Sea since time immemorial. In the 2nd half of the 14th century, city walls were built, and the city castle probably formed part of the fortification as well. Today, all that remains of the rampart is the name of the street, Na Hradbách, and fragment near the Church of St. Wenceslas.

The discovery of coal in the 2nd half of the 18th century was to be a turning point in the history of the area, which would become an important European centre for the production of steel. Ostrava lost its heavy industrial appearance long ago. Coal mining in the city came to an end in 1994.

Museums have been established where mines once stood. This industrial heritage presents the city with outstanding architectural jewels. In addition to technological sites of interest, the city also offers visitors a number of other cultural and historically attractive places, which allow people to enjoy pleasant days full of unforgettable experiences.

The city is an important thoroughfare and is very easily accessible by car, rail and air. Accommodation and dining are tailored to meet the expectations of even the most demanding guests. You can expect a level of comfort and care to remember long after your return home. The traditional Czech hospitality is well known, as is the excellent local cuisine. You will be attracted by the taste and aroma of meals known to you, as well as those unknown – specialities typical just for this region.

MORAVIAN-SILESIA REGION

People who have visited the Moravian-Silesian Region are often very happy to return. The north-eastern part of the country has its own specific atmosphere and offers plenty of possibilities, from a wide variety of sports tournaments and championships, to major conferences and international music festivals of many genres. The Moravian-Silesian Region is also known for its beautiful countryside and is home to three protected landscape areas: the Beskydy Mountains, Jeseníky Mountains and the Odra River Basin. The highest mountain is Praděd in the Jeseníky range, while the Beskydy skyline includes Lysá Mountain and the mythical Slavic mountain called Radhošť. The mountains offer great conditions for sporting activities, such as hiking and downhill skiing, and boast a dense network of cross-country skiing trails, which are used as cycling paths in the summer.

The Moravian-Silesian Region is full of cultural, historical and technological attractions. To name just a few: the famous chateaux in Hradec nad Moravicí and Bruntál, Hukvaldy and Sovinec Castles, technology attractions such as Lower Vítkovice, Landek Park and the Mining Museum, Michal Mine, Tatra Kopřivnice Technical Museum, and several military monuments on the Czech-Polish border. The region has three spas: Karlova Studánka, Klimkovice and Darkov. Each of these places has its own specific features. Darkov and Klimkovice take advantage of the effects of iodo-bromine mineral water – “brine” – to treat the musculoskeletal system. Karlova Studánka Spa is set in the pure environment of the Jeseníky Mountains and specialises mainly in respiratory tract ailments. In addition, air quality measurements show that the cleanest air in Central Europe is found here.

VENUE MAP



EVENT SCHEDULE

Women Men

Wednesday 29/5 - Qualification

	Center court	Court 2	Court 3	Court 4
9:00	QF Rd 1	QF Rd 1	QF Rd 1	QF Rd 1
9:50	QF Rd 1	QF Rd 1	QF Rd 1	QF Rd 1
10:40	QF Rd 1	QF Rd 1	QF Rd 1	QF Rd 1
11:30	QF Rd 1	QF Rd 1	QF Rd 1	QF Rd 1
12:20	QF Rd 1	QF Rd 1	QF Rd 1	QF Rd 1
13:10	QF Rd 1	QF Rd 1	QF Rd 1	QF Rd 1
14:00	QF Rd 1	QF Rd 1	QF Rd 1	QF Rd 1
14:50	QF Rd 1	QF Rd 1	QF Rd 1	QF Rd 1
15:40	QF Rd 2	QF Rd 2	QF Rd 2	QF Rd 2
16:30	QF Rd 2	QF Rd 2	QF Rd 2	QF Rd 2
17:30	QF Rd 2	QF Rd 2	QF Rd 2	QF Rd 2
18:30	QF Rd 2	QF Rd 2	QF Rd 2	QF Rd 2

Thursday 30/5 - Main Draw (Pool Play)

	Center court	Court 2	Court 3	Court 4
9:00	A #1	A #2	B #1	B #2
9:50	C #1	C #2	D #1	D #2
10:40	E #1	E #2	F #1	F #2
11:30	G #1	G #2	H #1	H #2
12:20	A #1	A #2	B #1	B #2
13:10	C #1	C #2	D #1	D #2
14:00	E #1	E #2	F #1	F #2
15:00	G #1	G #2	H #1	H #2
16:00	A #4 (winners)	B #4 (winners)	C #4 (winners)	D #4 (winners)
17:00	E #4 (winners)	F #4 (winners)	G #4 (winners)	H #4 (winners)
18:00	A #4 (winners)	B #4 (winners)	C #4 (winners)	D #4 (winners)
19:00	E #4 (winners)	F #4 (winners)	G #4 (winners)	H #4 (winners)

Friday 31/5 - (Pool Play & Play Off)

	Center court	Court 2	Court 3	Court 4
9:00	A #3 (losers)	B #3 (losers)	C #3 (losers)	D #3 (losers)
9:50	E #3 (losers)	F #3 (losers)	G #3 (losers)	H #3 (losers)
10:50	A #3 (losers)	B #3 (losers)	C #3 (losers)	D #3 (losers)

draw for women (min. 90 mins break between draw and playoff)

11:40	E #3 (losers)	F #3 (losers)	G #3 (losers)	H #3 (losers)
13:30	WR24	WR24	WR24	WR24
14:30	WR24	WR24	WR24	WR24
15:30	MR24	MR24		
16:30	MR24	MR24		
17:30	MR24	MR24		
18:30	MR24	MR24		

draw for men (min. 90 mins break between draw and playoff)

Saturday 1/6 (Play Off)

	Center court	Court 2
9:00	WR16	WR16
9:50	WR16	WR16
10:40	WR16	WR16
11:30	WR16	WR16
12:30	MR16	MR16
13:30	MR16	MR16
14:20	MR16	MR16
15:10	MR16	MR16
16:00	WQF	WQF
17:00	WQF	WQF
18:00	MQF	MQF
19:00	MQF	MQF

Sunday 2/6 (Semifinals & Finals)

	Center court
9:00	WSF
10:00	WSF
11:30	MSF
12:30	MSF
13:45	WBronze
15:00	MBronze
16:15	WGold
17:30	MGold

USEFUL LINKS

Website of the FIVB Beach Volleyball World Tour, Ostrava 2019

<http://www.ostravabeachopen.cz>

Official website of FIVB

<http://www.fivb.com>

HELPFULL CONTACTS

+420 country area code:

112 European SOS

150 Fire Emergency

155 Ambulance

158 Police

1188 Information