



## Player Commitment A1 Swiss Volley Beachtour / Yuh Beachmasters 2022

Declaration of the player to:

**Swiss Volley**

and the

Organizers of the A1 Swiss Volley Beachtour:

**TIT-PIT GmbH or Swiss Beachevent GmbH**  
- hereinafter referred to as **organizer** -

In the following I declare myself (the undersigned) as a player of the A1 Swiss Volley Beachtour 2022 that I agree with the following rules and regulations:

1. The player hereby confirms that he will adhere to the present obligations and the terms and conditions of the A1 Swiss Volley Beachtour 2022, including the [official beach volleyball rules](#).
2. The player acknowledges that they are obliged to appear at the preliminary inquiry and the technical meeting before the qualifying tournament and the Main Draw. If no meeting is held, both players of each team must register at the information office (on the event grounds) 60 minutes before their first competition game starts. Here they receive all relevant information. Their receipt must be confirmed by signature. **If the registration is delayed, a fine of CHF 100.00 per person will be imposed. No exceptions are possible!**
3. It is the responsibility of the player to inform himself about the starting time of his games and to arrive on time.
4. The player explicitly grants the following rights to Swiss Volley and the organizer of the A1 Swiss Volley Beachtour 2022 free of charge:

The right to use his name, voice and images for marketing, advertising, communication and promotional purposes. This applies in particular to TV and radio recordings, broadcasting thereof and the filming itself.

Personal sponsors of players which appear in pictures may only be retouched (e.g. deleted) in consultation with the player concerned. Sponsors of the A1 Swiss Volley Beachtour may only be placed on players' shirts (and, e.g., not on players' personal garments) afterwards without consulting the player.

5. The player acknowledges that the organizer owns all rights to the A1 Swiss Volley Beachtour 2022 and all visual and sound recordings thereof.

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6. The player shall not claim any financial compensation for picture and sound recordings (live and recorded) which are recorded in conjunction with the A1 Swiss Volley Beachtour 2022. This also applies to all of their relatives, friends and acquaintances.
7. The player acknowledges that he needs a written permission from the organizer to use official photo and film material of the tournaments of the A1 Swiss Volley Beachtour 2022 (material which is available e.g. on the website of the A1 Swiss Volley Beachtour) for his own earnings and purposes.  
Picture and film recordings of the A1 Swiss Volley Beachtour taken by personal photographers of the players and own pictures may be used by players without permission.
8. The player agrees to wear the official player shirt/top (handed over by the organizer before the start of each match) as well as the shorts/bathing suits in accordance with point 11 in the following activities:
  - When warming up on the Center Court
  - During the presentation of the teams before the respective match
  - Throughout the entire match
  - Interviews and pictures for the press
  - TV recordings and press conferences
  - During the entire award ceremony

The respective mixed zone is defined for each location.

9. The player declares that he agrees to participate in press appointments (TV, radio, print etc.) associated with the A1 Swiss Volley Beachtour (e.g. TV interviews) during events held in the course of the A1 Swiss Volley Beachtour.
10. The player declares that he agrees not to wilfully damage the official player shirts/tops or cover or remove sponsors' logos and official imprints. In the event of a violation of this clause, the Swiss Volley's Beach Volleyball Championship Committee will impose sanctions on the player in question.
11. The player can wear his own shorts/bathing suit/headwear, which are comply with the official FIVB Regulations. The shorts/bathing suits must be identical in the team, according to the official beach volleyball rules. It is therefore recommended that the teams consult the Referee Delegate as regards match uniforms before the first game.
12. Players are authorised to have personal sponsors' logos on their shorts/bathing suits/headwear according to the FIVB Sport Regulations.
13. The player needs the written consent of the Referee Delegate for using any type of object during the games. The FIVB Sports Regulations are applied for this purpose.
14. The player declares that he agrees not to ask the organizer for any further remuneration over and above the prize money during the A1 Swiss Volley Beachtour 2022.

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15. The player understands that his performance is directly compensated by the prize money, which the organizer pays in cash, as long as the Player Commitment incl. attachments has been completely submitted.

The prize money will be paid out to players in ranks 1 - 3 after the award ceremony. From rank 4 the prize money will be paid out to the players immediately after they have been eliminated.

Only players who have qualified for the Main Draw are eligible for prize money. There is no other compensation owed by the organizer other than the prize money. It is the player's responsibility to collect the prize money from the organizer during the event. No bank transfers will be made.

**The player undertakes to deliver a signed copy of this Player Commitment, including the necessary attachments, to the organizer Tit-Pit GmbH, or, if this is not possible, to the organizer at the latest before his first participation in the tournament. The prize money will only be paid after the complete documents have been submitted.**

16. Prize money payment to **players' resident in Switzerland**:

In principle, statutory social security contributions are not deducted from the prize money. The player hereby confirms that he will declare and specify in his accounts for the duration of his deployment that the prize money they receive has been obtained in their capacity as a self-employed person. It is therefore completely incumbent upon the player to pay any applicable social security contributions.

In the event that the organizer is nevertheless urged or obliged by a social security institution to pay social security contributions in conjunction with this declaration, the player undertakes to take all action and pursue all legal avenues open to them, and bear all associated costs, in order to prevent the organizer from being obliged to pay such contributions. Should such action be unsuccessful and if the organizer is ordered to pay social security contributions, the player shall fully reimburse the former for any contributions it is forced to pay at the first request. Alternatively, the organizer's claims may be offset against any future prize money payable to the player.

The payment includes a possible value added tax to be paid by the player, if the player is or becomes liable for value added tax.

The player shall prove this is the case by submitting their official OASI-IV insurance certificate and provide evidence of their self-employed status in the form of an official letter of confirmation from their compensation office.

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**17. Prize money payment to players' resident abroad:**

In Switzerland, the payment of prize money is subject to withholding tax for athletes. The withholding tax is deducted directly from the prize money by the organizer and forwarded to the relevant tax authority. The deduction for the withholding tax and the compensation for the costs of the event amounts to a flat rate of 15% of the prize money, irrespective of the amount of the prize money. The reclaim of the withholding tax paid in the country of residence is, if possible, the responsibility of the player.

**18. Accident insurance/health insurance:** the player residing abroad hereby declares that he has adequate accident and health insurance in his country of residence and, in particular, have appropriate insurance cover in Switzerland. The player is responsible themselves for bearing the costs associated with treatment following an accident or illness. The player shall indemnify the organizer under all circumstances.

**19. The player declares that he is in good physical condition to participate in a beach volleyball tournament.** He takes full responsibility for any health problems he may suffer during a A1 Swiss Volley Beachtour tournament.

**20. The player agrees to submit to the rules of Swiss Sport Integrity and Swiss Volley if an anti-doping test is ordered by Swiss Sport Integrity at a A1 Swiss Volley Beachtour tournament 2022.** Such an anti-doping test will be conducted according to the rules and regulations of Swiss Sport Integrity. The player knows that he is personally responsible for knowing the exact doping regulations. The player acknowledges that he accepts the sanctions of Swiss Volley and Swiss Sport Integrity in the case of a positive control and will not appeal against them before any civil court. He recognises the competence of the International Court of Justice for ruling on sporting disputes, the latter being recognised by the IOC, Swiss Olympic and Swiss Volley. **Doping list 2022:**

[https://www.volleyball.ch/fileadmin/user\\_uploads/manually\\_uploads\\_via\\_webtool/dopingliste\\_2022\\_de.pdf](https://www.volleyball.ch/fileadmin/user_uploads/manually_uploads_via_webtool/dopingliste_2022_de.pdf)

**21. The player acknowledges that by competing in a national or international tournament which is not authorised by Swiss Volley, he run the risk of being banned by Swiss Volley from all beach volleyball tournaments in the current calendar year and losing all ranking points.** The FIVB will decide whether to impose any further sanctions.

The player acknowledges that if he fails to meet any of the aforementioned obligations, Swiss Volley can exclude the player from any A1 Swiss Volley Beachtour 2022 tournament.

The present Player Commitment is valid for the entire A1 Swiss Volley Beachtour 2022 tournament series.

The player has the right to request a copy of the present Player Commitment.

Signature player: \_\_\_\_\_

I have read and understood the Player Commitment which was distributed to all participants of an A1 Swiss Volley Beachtour 2022 tournament and I agree with its content.

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Surname: \_\_\_\_\_ First name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Nationality: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Country of residence: \_\_\_\_\_

Mobile-Nr.: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

OASI-IV insurance number: \_\_\_\_\_

Foreigners: Status of Swiss residence permit Kat. (B, C, G, L): \_\_\_\_\_

**Place, Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Attachments:**

- Copy of passport
- Copy of OASI-IV insurance certificate  
(only applicable to players' resident in Switzerland)
- Copy of foreigner's identity card  
(only for foreigners residing in Switzerland)