



Invitation

Liepaja Sports Club „Ezerkrasts” in cooperation with Latvian Blind Sports Union invites you to the:

6th International showdown tournament

“AMBER OF LIEPAJA”

It will be held in Liepaja, Latvia from 9th to 13th of July 2025.

Organizational Details

1. Place and Date

Liepaja, Latvia from 9th to 13th of July 2025.

Arrival: Wednesday 9th of July 2025

Competitions: Thursday 10th to Saturday 12th of July 2025

Departure: Sunday 13th of July 2025

2. Organizing Committee

Tournament Manager – Raimonds Briezkalns

Sports Director – Arturs Buda

E-Mail: amberofliepaja@gmail.com

3. Accommodation

Participants will be accommodated at:

Amrita Hotel

Liela Street 11,

Liepaja, LV-3401,

Latvia

4. Tournament Venue

Competitions will be held from 10th to 12th of July 2025 at:

Liepaja Liedaga High school, Liedaga street 5, Liepaja, Latvia.

[Liedaga street 5 google maps](#)

Place may be changed for technical reasons!

5. Schedule

9th July

From 19:00 Dinner (In a hotel Liva)

20:30 Team Leader Meeting (In a hotel Liva)

20:45 Referee Meeting (In a hotel Liva)

10th July

From 7:00 Breakfast (In a hotel Liva)

8:20 Opening Ceremony (Playing area, Liedaga street 5)

8:40 Equipment Check (Playing area, Liedaga street 5)

9:00 – 13:00 Competition (Playing area, Liedaga street 5)

13:00 – 14:00 Lunch (Playing area, Liedaga street 5)

14:00 – 19:00 Competition (Playing area, Liedaga street 5)

From 19:00 Dinner (Playing area, Liedaga street 5)

11th July

From 7:00 Breakfast (In a hotel Liva)

9:00 – 13:00 Competition (Playing area, Liedaga street 5)

13:00 – 14:00 Lunch (Playing area, Liedaga street 5)

14:00–19:00 Competition(Playing area, Liedaga street

From 19:00 Dinner

12th July

From 7:00 Breakfast (In a hotel Liva)

9:00 – 13:00 Competition (Playing area, Liedaga street 5)

13:00 – 14:00 Lunch (Playing area, Liedaga street 5)

14:00 – 17:00 Competition (Playing area, Liedaga street 5)

From 17:00 Dinner (Playing area, Liedaga street 5)

18:00 Closing and Prize Giving Ceremony (Playing area,
Liedaga street 5)

From 21:00 Afterparty (Ganību street 197/205)

13th July

From 7:00 Breakfast (In a hotel Liva)

From 8:00 Departures

The program may be changed for the organizational reasons.

6. Participation Fee

Participation fee from 9th to 13th of July 2025 is **450 EUR** (double or triple room) or **500 EUR** (single room)

It includes:

- Accommodation
- Full board from Wednesday dinner to Sunday breakfast.
- Transfer fee from/to **Riga Airport** and **Riga Bus or Train Station, or Riga Port**

Deadline for **registration** is **10th April 2025**, to register you must fill the entry form on-line and it will be automatically sent to e-mail amberofliepaja@gmail.com

You will find the entry form for completion here: [Entry form](#)
Participation fee must be paid until **10th May 2025**.

In case you decide to cancel your participation, **refund is allowed until 1st June 2025**; at any later date, no refund is available.

7. Transportation

Transfers are guaranteed **only from/to Riga Airport** and **Riga Bus or Train Stations or Riga Port**, by bus at scheduled time.

Travel details must be communicated by e-mail to the Organizers by **1st June 2025**.

8. VISAS

All the participants must own a valid passport or ID card. European Union citizens do not need a VISA to enter Latvia. Otherwise, the Non-

European Union citizens must contact their Embassy in order to achieve the VISA.

9. Other Info

This Tournament will be governed by IBSA Rules.

According to the current IBSA Showdown Rules only B1, B2, B3 players are allowed to play. Players who have not been classified by IBSA have to provide a medical document providing their level of visual impairment.

The document with the classified players is available on IBSA's website.

No time limits will be applied to matches. One point will be awarded for a won match.

Participants will be divided into 2 categories – men and women. The

games will be played on 5 or 6 Czech tables with ten or eleven

referees. (Depends from amount of players)

Organizers will use gameresultsonline.com program.

We plan to organize live video translations from one of the tables.

Deadlines Summary:

Registration	10 th April 2025
Participation Fee Deposit	10 th May 2025
Participation Fee Refund	1 st June 2025
Travel Details	1 st June 2025

In case of any further questions, do not hesitate to contact us:
amberofliepaja@gmail.com

We hope to meet you in Liepaja!

Best regards,

Organizing Committee

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