

Venice Green Volley® 2018

Parco San Giuliano – Mestre | Venezia

June 23-24

A brand new and spectacular event of **Green Volley**, open to everyone, in one of the biggest city park in the world and in front of the amazing scenery of the Venetian lagoon. An unmissable summer tournament addressed to university students and anyone who want to share with friends a weekend of sport and evening parties.

Tournament format and regulations

The event is divided into three categories: **Men's 3x3**, **Women's 3x3**, **Mixed 4x4** (2 men and 2 women on the court). In each category there can be up to two substitute players per team. Athletes playing for a team are not allowed to play for another team in the same category. Those who participate in more than one category will have the certainty of not having overlapping matches. Each tournament has a qualifying round (first day) where teams are divided into groups. Once the qualifying round is over, a temporary ranking will be assigned to teams, based on the total points acquired (in case of equal amount of points acquired, the team who registered first will be placed on top). The final round matches (second day), to which all the teams will enter, will take place based on the predetermined rankings and will be direct elimination matches. The best teams of the university tournament will be also included by right to the final round of the open tournament (the number of university teams will be decided based on the number of registered teams to the open tournament).

All matches will be played in one set at best of 25 points with a limit of 27. Matches will be arbitrated by athletes of other teams according to the program that will be handed out at arrival. Federal referees will arbitrate the final games.

Indoor rules will be applied.

Court sizes are 8 x 16 meters

The height of the nets are set as follows:

- Women's 3x3: mt. 2,24
- Mixed 4x4: mt. 2,35
- Men's 3x3: mt. 2,43

Money Prize

The tournament will have a total money prize of **3.900,00 euro**, divided for each category as follows: 1° cl. = 600,00; 2° cl. = 400,00; 3° cl. = 200,00; 4° cl. = 100,00. Amounts are to be considered gross of statutory tax (at the moment 20% as by art. 30 Dpr 600/1973) and will be paid at the end of the tournament. In case there are less than 15 teams in one category, the prize money in that category will be halved.

Arrivals and departures

Upon arrival, each team leader (or one of his delegates) has to present himself at the check-in desk to complete registration and where all the information concerning the tournament, accommodation and evening parties will be provided. The check-in desk will be set up inside the event secretarial area within the Parco San Giuliano and will be open on Friday from 15.00 pm to 7.00 pm, Saturday from 7.45 am to 9.00 pm.

Game Schedule

Game times. Saturday from 8.30 am to 6.30 pm; Sunday from 8.30 am and finals beginning at 5.00 pm. The definitive program will be communicated at check-in.

Evening parties. Saturday. *Party on the park* (from 7.00 pm).

Weather conditions and other adversities

The tournament will be played under any weather condition; it is to be intended that in the presence of particular adverse weather conditions or other external events, the event organizer, to his unquestionable judgment and without this implying any refund obligation, may decide to suspend or cancel the matches and the evening parties or to move them at the indoor gym of the University Sport Complex in Dorsoduro 2407 in Venice.

For each tournament category, within a single game day, the Tournament Director may decide one or more match suspensions and decide on the resumption when conditions allow it. In this case, matches will resume taking into account the score at time of suspension.

For each category, if the Tournament Director decide to permanently suspend a qualifying round match, the temporary ranking will be decided based on the results achieved by each team at time of suspension; to all those teams that did not play any game will be given a default ranking score which will be calculated by averaging the points obtained in the matches within the referral category; in case of equal ranking points, the team who registered first (date and time of registration form reception) will be placed on top. In this case (permanent suspension of qualifying round matches) and in the case the final round match will not be played, the money prize related to the referring category will not be awarded. In case of definitive suspension of matches of the final stage, the prize money will be equally distributed among the teams still in play at the time of suspension and given only if the prize amount is not lower than euro 20,00.

Registration fee

The total registration fee within June 3rd is the following:

- **Individual athlete fee: euro 18,00 (euro 15,00 if associated CUS).** In case the athlete participates in two categories of game (3x3 and 4x4) the individual fee is **euro 27,00 (euro 24,00 if associated CUS).**

The total registration fee after June 3rd is the following:

- **Individual athlete fee: euro 23,00 (euro 20,00 if associated CUS).** In case the athlete participates in two categories of game (3x3 and 4x4) the individual fee is **euro 32,00 (euro 29,00 if associated CUS).**

The fee includes:

- tournament registration
- t-shirt of the event
- medical staff assistance during sports activities and evening parties

The fee does not include:

- any personal extra and all that is not specified in "The fee includes"

Optional services:

- Transfer available upon request

Free accommodation in tent

The organization offers the possibility to set up a tent in a reserved area of Parco San Giuliano, next to the playgrounds, for free.

Registration and payment

Registration must be completed **within thursday June 21st** by email, sending the registration form together with the athletes form and the proof of payment by bank transfer of the entire fee including the participation fee and insurance fee of all team members and the eventual fee to stay in tent. Please indicate Venice Green Volley and the name of the team or teams as the cause of payment. To facilitate the registration process, please send all the paperwork within three days from the date of payment.

Note: the registration confirmation will be sent by e-mail within 10 working days from receipt of the registration form and proof of payment.

1. Registration form and Athletes Form. You can go online to www.cusvenezia.it/venicegreenvolley and download the registration form and athletes form in PDF format. The forms must be printed out, filled in and sent in PDF format to venicegreenvolley@cusvenezia.it together with the proof of payment by bank transfer.

2. Payment methods. Payment can be made by bank transfer to the following account: C.U.S. Venezia A.S.D., IBAN: IT97N0306902126100000300005 - SWIFT:BCITITMMXXX; please indicate Venice Green Volley and the name of the team or teams as cause of payment. Payment can be also made in person at the secretarial office of CUS Venezia in Sestiere Dorsoduro 2407 in Venice.

3. Medical Certificate. When practicing a competitive sport, it is required by Italian law to have a medical certificate stating that you are allowed to practice competitive sports, for this event a medical certificate of good health is enough. When checking-in, the team leader must submit the medical certificate of each member (a copy is accepted). The team leader can ask for the certificates back once the matches are over on Saturday between 3.00 pm and 6.30 pm and Sunday between 8.30 am and 6.30 pm. It will not be possible to request the certificates back after 6.30 pm on Sunday or following days. **Note:** the athletes, who are registered with any national sport federation recognized by CONI and who already have a medical certificate to practice sport for the 2017/2018 season, do not need to submit the medical certificate as long as they indicate in the Athletes Form the name of the federation and club team they are registered to and declares that they already obtained a medical certificate to practice sport.

Location

Parco San Giuliano faces the spectacular scenery of the Venetian lagoon and has a beautiful view of the city of Venice. The park has 700 hectares of green, water channels and connected little islands and it is considered the biggest city park in Europe. It is open to the public since 2004 and it offers recreational and well-equipped refreshment areas, a skating track, a sport complex and many walking and cycling paths. It hosted important events as the Heineken Jammin' Festival, Venice-marathon, Nautical Expo.

How to reach Parco San Giuliano.

By car:

ARRIVING FROM PADOVA

Once arrived at the paytoll of Venezia, follow the signs to Venezia.

At the end of the street Via della Libertà, SR 11, turn right toward Trieste, Venezia/Airport, pass the overpass and on the right you can find the park entrance.

ARRIVING FROM TREVISO/BELLUNO/UDINE/TRIESTE

Once you exit at the paytoll of Venezia, keep left and go toward the Mestre Tangenziale following the signs to Venezia/Airport. After about 8km take the exit SS13 toward Venezia/Treviso/Trieste and at the roundabout take the third exit toward SS13/SS14bis, Via Martiri della Libertà. Follow the route for about 6km toward Venezia and you will arrive at the park entrance.

Available parkings:

Porta Rossa, Porta Blu, Porta Gialla (Red, Blu and Yellow gate). Other available parking will be communicated the day of the event.

By train:

From Mestre train station:

line n.9 – get off at Via Forte Marghera stop and go left toward Viale San Marco where you can find a footbridge entering the park;

line n. 15 – get off at the last stop of Viale San Marco ("Forte Marghera").

By plane:

From Marco Polo Airport:

ACTV bus line n. 5 to Venezia, get off at San Giuliano stop - 8 € per person.

Organizational staff

The **Venice Green Volley** is organized by **C.U.S. Venezia A.S.D.**

Info

For any information please contact the event office Monday to Friday from 8.30 am to 12.30 pm and from 2.30 pm to 5.00 pm.

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