



# ONLINE GAMING



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### 1.1. General

The league administration has the right to decide outside or even against the rulebook in special cases to guarantee fair play.

### 1.2. Code of Conduct

Every participant has to behave with respect towards the representatives of Viva, viewers, partners, and other players. The participants are requested to represent Viva and their Sponsors honourably. This applies to behaviour in-game and also in chats, messengers, comments, and other media. We expect players to conduct themselves according to the following values:

- Compassion: Treat others as you would like to be treated.
- Integrity: Be honest, committed, and play fair.
- Respect: Show respect to all other humans including teammates, competitors, and event staff.
- Courage: Be courageous in competition and in standing up for what is right.

Participants must not engage in harassment or hate speech in any form. This includes, but is not limited to:

- Hate speech, offensive behaviour, or verbal abuse related to sex, gender identity, and expression, race, ethnicity, disability, physical appearance, body size, age, or religion.
- Stalking or intimidation (physically or online).
- Spamming, raiding, hijacking, or inciting disruption of streams or social media.
- Posting or threatening to post other people's personally identifying information ("doxing").
- Advocating for, or encouraging, any of the above behaviour.

Violation of this Code of Conduct will result in 2 penalty points. In the case of repeat or extreme violations, penalties may include disqualification or banning from future Viva events.

#### **1.2.1. Insults and offensive behaviour**

All insults that happen during a Viva-Match or on the Viva platform may be punished. This includes but is not limited to in-game chat of the corresponding game, guest books, forums, Match- or News-Comments, Viva Messages, Match-Chat, and game IDs. Insults that happen on external/personal messengers are not taken into account.

Penalties are no longer limited to Penalty Points and barrages, but may also contain the following depending on the incident, location, and frequency of the insult:

- 3 Penalty Points and barrages are given for incidents within Viva-Matches
- Insults or inappropriate behaviour within Comments or other options for contacting a player will result in a Forum and Comment ban

Severe incidents including, but not limited to the following points, may be punished in other ways:

- Extremist statements
- Threat of violence
- Harassment
- Stalking
- Severe insults

The right to appeal is only with the injured.

### 1.3. Matches, competitions, meetings

In all competitions, there should be a fair playing field for all players.

Every encounter, whether a ladder match or other competition must be played according to the rules until it is complete and the result on the Viva page entered, or at events the result sheet is completed. Any encounter that did not take place, should be deleted. Matches will be opened only by admins to delete exceptions. Matches that did not take place will be considered fake matches and will be punished.

It is not allowed for participants to bet on matches in their own competition. Betting against yourself (in team leagues: against your own team) will get you (in team leagues: your team) disqualified and the betting player(s) banned.

Players and teams that are already qualified for or participating in an event or the later stages of a tournament (e.g. Open/Challenger League) are not allowed to participate in any of its ongoing or upcoming qualifiers. In the case of a player or team breaching this rule, they will be disqualified from the current qualifier and may face further punishment, up to and including disqualification from the event.

#### 1.4. Game/Client

In general, all programmes which are not part of the original game, including custom-data and modifications, are not allowed in any Viva game. All external voice programs are not allowed (e.g. Teamspeak TeamSpeak, Ventrilo, etc.). Scripts and changes to the game's configuration are not allowed. Programmes that provide an advantage during gameplay (e.g. drivers that allow the removal of walls) are forbidden. Any programmes that change the game itself are forbidden.

#### 1.5. Game Coverage

The Viva reserves exclusive right to the coverage of Viva matches. This includes all forms of transmission, including IRC Bots, Shoutcast-streams, HLTV, and Viva-Website Broadcasts. The Viva team can assign the coverage rights of a match or several matches to a third party or the actual players themselves. In this case, terms and conditions would have to be arranged with the Viva management before the match.

In general, the Viva team will contact any player or team if they wish to broadcast one of their matches. Should the game take place on a server that Viva administrators have no direct access to, it must be made sure that enough slots are available for the clients.

Participants must share a screenshot of the final winner details page post their game as per their slot, marking the Viva Coordinator in To: and the opponent in CC:

#### 1.6. Language

All players should be able to communicate in English.

### 2. Fraud/deception

#### 2.1. Deception

The attempt to deceive admins or other players with wrong or fake statements, information, or data will not be tolerated.

#### 2.2. Other Unauthorised Offences

Including but not limited to the abusing of bugs on the website.

These penalties are at the discretion of the responsible admin and are penalised according to severity.

### 2.3. Cheating

All forms of cheating in Viva matches are forbidden and will be penalised by the Viva Administrators. Players found cheating outside of the Viva may be barraged on Viva depending on the evidence available. Note, we do not accept publicly submitted demo or screenshot evidence in these cases. Should it become known to the Viva Administrators that any form of cheating was used to the advantage of a player or a team during a Viva match, the Viva team reserves the right to punish them to the full extent of the rules available. By breaking any rule a player risks being barred or completely excluded from a specific league or all leagues. This also includes the team.

The use of programmes (or "hacks") or other methods to circumvent, modify or in any way manipulate the game is forbidden. Any use of such programmes or methods will be punished as cheating. Even testing of such programs or methods in a match will be punished.

#### 2.3.1. Cheating

Contributing to the distribution of cheats in any way is not allowed on Viva online games. This includes but is not limited to referring to the name, website, or logo of cheats anywhere on Viva, such as player profiles, team profiles, forums, comments, guest book entries, etc.

Violating this rule will be punished from a warning up to exclusion from Viva.

### 2.4 Match-Fixing/betting fraud

Engaging in any action that improperly influences the outcome of a game or match by any means.

#### 2.4.1 Match-Fixing Sanctions

Results voided 1-year ban or a longer ban, with forfeiture (if discovered before the end of a tournament or disqualification).

### 2.5. Competition manipulation and bribery

Bribing or attempting to bribe a referee or organiser or trying to manipulate the competition will lead to immediate disqualification.

### 2.6. Competition manipulation and bribery sanctions

Results voided, ban of between 1 and 2 years, forfeiture of prize money and monetary fine (if discovered before the end of a tournament or disqualification)

### 2.7. Second and subsequent offences

For second and subsequent offences, participants should expect far harsher sanctions and in all likelihood a lifetime ban from Viva Online Games.

### 3. Accounts

#### 3.1 Player

A Viva online gaming account can only be created if the user is at least **five years old**. When registering, each player must provide an up-to-date and correct email address and it is the player's responsibility to keep this up-to-date. To play in a ladder, a method of contact must be available and visible to all users in your player profile.

Also, the permanent residence must be chosen according to the country he/she is currently living in.

##### 3.1.1. Multi-accounts

Each player in the Viva online game must only have one account. If a player cannot access his account and then creates a new one, then he/she must write a support ticket explaining in detail the reason for not being able to access the account.

##### 3.1.2. Nicknames, Team Names, and URL Aliases

We reserve the right to edit Nicknames and/or URL aliases if they fail to comply with the following requirements.

Nicknames/aliases are forbidden if they:

- are protected by third-party rights and the user has no written permission
- resemble or if they are identical to a brand or trademark, no matter whether it has been

Registered or not

- Resemble or if they are identical to a real person other than themselves
- Use names of any Gaming products
- Resemble or if they are identical to the names of Viva Gaming employees
- Have abusive language in them

In addition to the above, any nicknames/team names/aliases that are purely commercial (e.g. product names), defamatory, pejorative, offensive, vulgar, obscene, anti-Semitic, inciting hatred, or offending against good manners are forbidden. Using alternative spelling, gibberish, or wrong

spelling to avoid the requirements mentioned above is illegal. We reserve the right to extend, change, exchange, or delete these rules if necessary.

### 3.1.3. Photo

It would be nice if a player's photo clearly shows the face of the player. Photos with weapons are not allowed.

### 3.1.4. Country

A player's country must be set to their country of residence. Deliberately faking the country of residence is punishable.

If a player's country of residence is changed to avoid any country restrictions or if the player is trying to fake or abuse they will be punished with 2 penalty points. If the player does so and plays in a team match, the team will get 3 penalty points and the match is deleted.

### 3.1.5. Nationality

A player's nationality must be set to their nationality that is proven by a current passport. Deliberately faking nationality is punishable.

### 3.1.6. Account sharing

Each Viva account is strictly personal and cannot be shared with other Viva users and/or other players that don't have a Viva account. Failure to comply with this rule will result in a ban of participating in any event of Viva 12.

The original registrant must always be the final user of the account, which cannot be lent or transferred in any case. This will be considered as account sharing or multi-account and pursued according to the Viva rules.

## 3.2. Teams

No Team Games this year

#### 4. Participation in prize tournaments & pro qualifiers

Prize-winning means any tournaments with physical (e.g. hardware) or money prizes or online certificates.

The details of the same will be mentioned against the game rules.

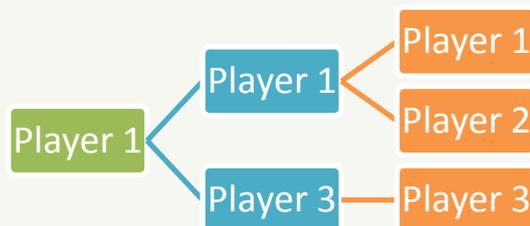
If in doubt, kindly contact Viva Event Coordinator.

#### 5. Slots Table

Slots will be divided by the Viva Organisers and be uploaded on the Viva Website.

Once the slots are distributed, the players are requested to complete the match and share the final winner page screenshot with the organisers keeping the opponent marked in CC.

Post confirmation from both the players, the Organisers will elevate the winner to the next slot of knockouts. Details of the same will be mentioned on the Viva Website or will be shared with the participants via mail.



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### Game Rules

#### Hot Wheels : Infinite Loop

- Players need to download the game on their Mobile Phone.
- Participants have to share their gaming names at the time of registration.
- Registration must be done in the same name as shared with us while registering for the competition. (Gmail /Facebook Login)
- Choose the multiplayer online option where you can add the person as per your slot designated (Top right button in blue with 2 helmets icon)
- Press on add by Player ID. Enter your competitors ID or share your Player ID with your competitor as per your slot.
- After completing the match, the winning player has to share a screenshot of the final winner page where both the players and the winner are mentioned.
- A screenshot and details need to be shared with the Viva Event Coordinator on the email id mentioned to you
- The finalist will be instructed on how to do a screen share for the final round.

#### Eight Ball pool - Miniclip

- Players need to download the game on their Android/Apple Mobile Phone.
- Participants have to share their gaming names at the time of registration.
- Registration must be done in the same name as shared with us while registering for the competition. (Gmail /Facebook Login)
- Choose the multiplayer online option where you can add the person as per your slot designated (Bottom Left Icon in yellow with human icons)
- Press on add by Unique ID. Enter your competitors ID or share your ID with your competitor as per your slot.
- After adding, press on the challenge button besides the player you have added. Select Sydney where the entry fee is 100 coins.
- After completing the match, the winning player has to share a screenshot of the final winner page where both the players and the winner are mentioned.
- A screenshot and details need to be shared with the Viva Event Coordinator on the email id mentioned to you
- The finalist will be instructed on how to do a screen share for the final round.

### Warlings : Armageddon

- Players need to download the game on their Android/Apple Mobile Phone.
- Participants have to share their gaming names at the time of registration.
- Registration must be done in the same name as shared with us while registering for the competition. (Gmail /Facebook Login)
- Press on play
- Choose the multiplayer online option where you can add the person as per your slot designated (Bottom Right icon)
- Press on invite friend.
- Select map (Camp/Graveyard/Space/ Teddy)- Select from these 4 only
- Select number of characters in your team as 3.
- Press on Battle
- Enter your competitors ID or share your ID with your competitor as per your slot.
- After completing the match, the winning player has to share a screenshot of the final winner page where both the players and the winner are mentioned.
- A screenshot and details need to be shared with the Viva Event Coordinator on the email id mentioned on the website.
- The finalist will be instructed on how to do a screen share for the final round.

### Online Chess

- Players need to download the game on their Android/Apple Mobile Phone.
- Registration must be done in the same name as shared with us while registering for the competition.
- Participants have to share their gaming names at the time of registration.
- Press on play with friends
- Press on Invite a friend or enter the user name of your opponent and challenge
- Connect with the player against you as per the slot.
- After completing the match, the winning player has to share a screenshot of the final winner page where both the players and the winner are mentioned.
- A screenshot and details need to be shared with the Viva Event Coordinator on the email id mentioned on the website.
- The finalist will be instructed on how to do a screen share for the final round.

### Scrabble GO- By Mattel

- Players need to download the game on their Android/Apple Mobile Phone.
- Participants have to share their gaming names at the time of registration.
- Registration must be done in the same name as shared with us while registering for the competition. (Gmail /Facebook Login)
- Press on Start new game
- Press on Play Scrabble (Pick your opponent)
- Search player by name/User ID. Press on start.
- Or Press on invite friend. Send request to your opponent.
- After completing the match, the winning player has to share a screenshot of the final winner page where both the players and the winner are mentioned.
- A screenshot and details need to be shared with the Viva Event Coordinator on the email id mentioned on the website.
- The finalist will be instructed on how to do a screen share for the final round.

### Golf Battle : Miniclip

- Players need to download the game on their Android/Apple Mobile Phone.
- Participants have to share their gaming names at the time of registration.
- Registration must be done in the same name as shared with us while registering for the competition. (Gmail /Facebook Login)
- Press on Friends (Right bottom icon with human figures)
- Connect with the player against you as per the slot.
- Enter your competitors ID or share your ID with your competitor as per your slot.
- Add each other as friends
- Press on challenge icon besides your opponent
- Select any map from the above options and start the game
- After completing the match, the winning player has to share a screenshot of the final winner page where both the players and the winner are mentioned.
- A screenshot and details need to be shared with the Viva Event Coordinator on the email id mentioned on the website.
- The finalist will be instructed on how to do a screen share for the final round.

### Soccer Stars

- Players need to download the game on their Android/Apple Mobile Phone.
- Participants have to share their gaming names at the time of registration.
- Registration must be done in the same name as shared with us while registering for the competition. (Gmail /Facebook Login)
- Press on Friends (Top left icon in yellow and blue)
- Connect with the player against you as per the slot.
- Enter your competitors ID or share your ID with your competitor as per your slot.( Add a friends- In search option search for ID)
- Add each other as friends
- Press on challenge icon and play the match
- After completing the match, the winning player has to share a screenshot of the final winner page where both the players and the winner are mentioned.
- A screenshot and details need to be shared with the Viva Event Coordinator on the email id mentioned on the website.
- The finalist will be instructed on how to do a screen share for the final round.

### Head Ball 2

- Players need to download the game on their Android/Apple Mobile Phone.
- Participants have to share their gaming names at the time of registration.
- Registration must be done in the same name as shared with us while registering for the competition. (Gmail /Facebook Login)
- Press on Friends (Right bottom- Besides Manager Icon)
- Connect with the player against you as per the slot.
- Enter your competitors ID or share your ID with your competitor as per your slot.( In search option)
- Add each other as friends
- Press on challenge icon and play the match
- After completing the match, the winning player has to share a screenshot of the final winner page where both the players and the winner are mentioned.
- A screenshot and details need to be shared with the Viva Event Coordinator on the email id mentioned on the website.
- The finalist will be instructed on how to do a screen share for the final round.

### Tennis Clash

- Players need to download the game on their Android/Apple Mobile Phone.
- Play the tutorial
- Play one match against an opponent
- Enter your name
- Participants have to share their gaming names at the time of registration.
- Press on friends icon (Right Mid)
- Registration must be done in the same name as shared with us while registering for the competition. (Facebook Login)
- Press on Friends(Right Mid)
- Press on invite a friend and send your request to the opponent as per your slot
- Add each other as friends
- Press on play icon and play the match
- After completing the match, the winning player has to share a screenshot of the final winner page where both the players and the winner are mentioned.
- A screenshot and details need to be shared with the Viva Event Coordinator on the email id mentioned on the website.
- The finalist will be instructed on how to do a screen share for the final round.

### Stick Cricket Live 2020 - Play tv

- Players need to download the game on their Android/Apple Mobile Phone.
- Participants have to share their gaming names at the time of registration.
- Registration must be done in the same name as shared with us while registering for the competition. (Gmail /Facebook Login)
- Press on Play Icon(Right bottom)
- Press on Play Friends (Right bottom)
- Press on Invite Friends and send the message to your opponent
- Add each other as friends
- Press on the player then press on play and play the match
- After completing the match, the winning player has to share a screenshot of the final winner page where both the players and the winner are mentioned.
- A screenshot and details need to be shared with the Viva Event Coordinator on the email id mentioned on the website.
- The finalist will be instructed on how to do a screen share for the final round.