# II CMAS Open Water Finswimming Master World Championships

**12<sup>nd</sup> - 16<sup>th</sup> SEPTEMBER 2022** 

**Viverone (BI) - ITALY** 







Lago Di Viverone - Italy - 12/17 sept. 2022





## WELCOME MESSAGE OF PRESIDENT'S FEDERATION



I have the pleasure to invite you to the event called "CMAS Open Water Finswimming World Championship", which will take place in Viverone (Biella), from 12 to 17 September 2022. The fact that the CMAS awarded this event to FIPSAS filled me special joy, because I believe that open water Finswimming is an exciting and fascinating event that deserves greater attention, including from the media, considering its undoubted potential. I hope that Italy's organisational skills will help raise the interest in this sport, whose popularity is still expanding. I am particularly pleased, therefore, to extend a warm welcome to the foreign delegations and to all the athletes taking part in this event, hoping they will experience days full of enthusiasm against a positive competitive backdrop. We will have the opportunity to enjoy a spectacular sports event. Indeed, given the obvious technical skills of

many of the competitors, I am most confident that we will be able to witness top competitive level performances. Finally, I wish to acknowledge and thank the "Underwater Activities International Events" Organising Committee chaired by Carlo Allegrini, the FIPSAS Piedmont Regional Committee, the local authorities and all those who will participate in this long-awaited event, including officials, coaches and athletes, who, I am sure, will do their best to ensure that this edition will prove most successful.

I wish the best of luck to all the ATHLETES: may the best win!

FIPSAS President Prof. Ugo Claudio Matteoli

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## **GENERAL INFORMATION**

The competition will take place in Viverone, Italy, from 12 to 16 September 2022.

- The participants shall register only individually or as persons representing clubs. No swimmer or team may be designated as representing a country, but a label of Federal Team is authorized.
- Since federal or club teams are not national ones, a club or a federation can present more than one relay team in each age group.
- Master competitors must be aware of the need of being well prepared and medically fit before entering master's
  competitions. They shall assume full responsibility for the risks included in competing in such competitions. In
  consideration of their entry, they must agree to waive and release CMAS, the Organizing National Federation
  and the Organizing Committee from any kind of liability for accidents, which may cause death, injury or property
  loss. Entry forms containing a warning of the risks, an Accident Waiver and Release of Liability must be signed
  by each master's competitor.
- Athletes belong to master only if during the current season:
  - Haven't participated in the national championship (senior category);
  - Have classified only in competitions with master category;
  - Have not taken part in world's cup competitions (senior category).
- For the competition, the number of enrolments is free for individual races and in relays for each participant.
- For the other points, please check the general rules of Master Championships attached.

### PLACE OF COMPETITION

Lake Viverone is the third largest lake in Piedmont. Located between the extreme north-eastern part of Canavese (eastern Eporediese) and the extreme southern part of Biella, it takes its name from the homonymous municipality to which it belongs. It is located in the south-eastern part of the morainic Serra of Ivrea and stands 230 metres above sea level. It is fed by underground waters and by some small tributaries. Its surface spanning 5.72 square km makes it the third largest lake in Piedmont; it reaches a maximum depth of 50 metres, while its length measures 3.470 metres, with a maximum width of 2.550 metres. Its total perimeter spans 13.06 km, though it is not totally accessible; the south-western part is interrupted, as it is very wild, rich in vegetation and lowland woods. The northern and eastern part, however, is more urbanised, with a greater presence of structures and businesses related to tourism (bars, ice cream shops, hotels, camping sites, beaches). This is the area where the base of the whole event will be located.







## **HOTEL**

Delegations will stay at the NOVOTEL TORINO CORSO GIULIO CESARE\*\*\*\*, located in Corso Giulio Cesare, 338/34 – 10154 Torino.

Accreditation operations and meetings will take place in this hotel.











## **LOGISTICS BASE**

The logistic base of the event is situated in the bathing establishment called "LA MARINELLA", located in Viale Lungo Lago Ignazio Tarello, 6 – 13886 Viverone (Biella), where lunch and dinner will be served to all participants. The competitions will start and end here. The facility is equipped with piers, boats, water slide, showers and toilets. The outdoor areas are sheltered by gazebos and canopies. Indoor areas are also available. In the past, the facility has already hosted open water Finswimming competitions.









# **MAP OF VIVERONE**









#### How to reach Viverone

#### By car

From Torino-Milano motorway (A4): recommended exit is Santhià, then continue towards Ivrea/Aosta on highway 228 for about 6 km.

From Aosta: follow highway 26 up to Ivrea and then take highway 228 towards Vercelli for about 14 km. Alternatively, take motorway A5 towards Turin up to Ivrea, then you can:

- Take the interchange that connects motorway A5 to motorway A4 towards Milan, exit at Santhià and then continue towards Ivrea/Aosta on highway 228 for about 7 km.
- Exit at Ivrea tollgate and then take highway 228 towards Vercelli for about 15 km.

#### By Train

The train station is located in Santhià, which can be reached by taking the trains of the Turin/Milan line. Then continue towards Viverone using the bus line.

#### By plane - Airports

Below are the distances between the chosen logistics base and the airports (source google): TORINO CASELLE AIRPORT: 68 km (50 minutes travel time in the most favourable traffic conditions); MILAN MALPENSA AIRPORT: 96 KM (1 hour and 2 minutes travel time in the most favourable traffic conditions);

## **DISCIPLINES AND DISTANCES (Male and Female)**

- Surface Finswimming (SF): 3km, 1km
- Bi Fins (BF): 3km, 1km
- Relay: 4x1km SB

### INTERNATIONAL JURY

CMAS Technical Delegate according to the CMAS rules.

### **CLASSIFICATION AND AWARDS**

According to the CMAS rules and regulations.

### **PROTEST**

According to the CMAS rules.

### DOPING CONTROL

The Organizing Committee guarantees to provide doping control in accordance with the rules WADA and CMAS.





### REGISTRATION

Please note the following instructions regarding the registration in the CMAS sport database managed by SportData. The link is https://www.sportdata.org/cmas/

#### 1. Registration

All registration of athletes for events must be submitted <u>only through an electronic way</u>. Application forms can be used only for accommodation, general organisation and other items proposed.



For registration, the website is

https://www.sportdata.org/cmas

The opening date of registration is May 1st. Closing date (§ Point 11 Deadlines)

#### 2. Registration short Tutorial:

For registration, you need an account.

- a) Users who already have registered an account <u>in the system</u>, please re-use your account. In this case, you can also re-use all competitors, coaches, referees and officials data.
- b) If you don't have an account yet, please register online:

https://www.sportdata.org/cmas/set-online/registrate registrator main.php?active menu=registration

For event registration of your competitors, coaches, referees and officials, please follow these steps:

- Log in with your account.
- Check your team data. Please check if the data is correct and up to date.
- Enter or change the data of your competitors, coaches, referees and officials.
- If the calendar goes to the event you want to register for, click on the "Registration" button of the event you want to register.
- On the bottom of the entries site, you see the functions to make new entries.
- Register your competitors/teams in categories, as well as your coaches, referees and officials.
- All your registrations go first on a waiting list to be validated. After the payment process is finished, your registrations are approved, and you are notified by email.
- You can find an overview of all your registrations at "My current entries". There you can also find the amount you have to pay and the provided payment method.
- Please also check out the "Other Items" section of the event. The organiser may also provide here additional purchase items, like transport, accommodation, etc.
- If you need help, please contact the Sportdata Support Team: <a href="mailto:support@sportdata.org">support@sportdata.org</a>

### FEES OF REGISTRATION

It's not necessary to buy a CMAS licence to participate in the Master's Championships. The system considers only CMAS Fees. To participate, each competitor must pay CMAS fees fixed annually by CMAS.

#### a. CMAS Fees

40,00 Euro for participant fees by participant







Please note that the names of relays members must be entered during the registration process based on individual registration even if they swim only in a relay and even if, according to the rules, the composition of relays can be changed on-site before the beginning of the competition.

These fees are paid only at the end of the registration process online by credit card. Until payment validated, the registration stays in the "waiting list". After payment, the registration goes directly into the start lists.

## **SCHEDULE**

The Championship program is as follows:

#### Day 1 - 12/09/2022

Arrival of delegations throughout day

#### Day 2 - 13/09/2022

12:00 Lunch

13:30 Departure from the hotel

Training from 14:30 to 17:30

Arrival of delegations until 16:00

16:45 Departure from the hotel for those who did not leave at 13:30

18:00 Opening Ceremony of the Championship

19:15 Return to the hotel

20:30 Dinner

#### Day 3 - 14/09/2022

10:30 Technical Meeting in the hotel

12:00 Lunch

13:30 Departure from the hotel

Training from 14:30 to 15:30

#### Session 1 Competition starts after World Championship competition will finished

1km BF Women 1km BF Men 3km SF Women 3km SF Men

#### Day 4 - 15/09/2022

07:30 Departure from the hotel

#### Session 2 Competition starts after World Championship competition will finished

1km SF Women 1km SF Men 3km BF Women





3km BF Men

Session 3 Competition starts after World Championship competition will finished

4x1km SB

Day 5 - 16/09/2022

Day of departure of the delegations

## RESERVATION AND ENTRIES FEES

#### **OPTION 1: Four (4) days**

From Tuesday 13 to Friday 16 September (Open Water World Master Championship)

The registration fee per participant is 350,00 Euro

#### The organizer will provide

- Accommodation in four-star hotels with double or triple rooms in full board
- Supply of 2x0,5 liters of drinking water per pax / day
- Participation in the opening ceremony
- Transfer from hotel to the competition field and return (only one trip per day)

The extra charges for single room amount to 30,00 Euro per pax per day.

Participants who choose to be accommodated in hotels other than official will have to pay 150,00 Euro per pax for secretarial fees and competition. No local transfers will be provided.

#### **OPTION 2: Five (5) days**

From Monday 12 to Friday 16 September (Open Water World Master Championship)

The registration fee per participant is 450,00 Euro

#### The organizer will provide

- Accommodation in four-star hotels with double or triple rooms in full board
- Supply of 2x0,5 liters of drinking water per pax / day
- Participation in the opening ceremony
- Transfer from hotel to the competition field and return (only one trip per day)

The extra charges for single room amount to 30,00 Euro per pax per day.

Participants who choose to be accommodated in hotels other than official will have to pay 150,00 Euro per pax for secretarial fees and competition. No local transfers will be provided.





Extra day charged at 120,00 Euro per pax per day including full board accommodation (breakfast, lunch, dinner and water drink per meal included).





## **TRANSPORTATION**

### **Transfer Airport – Hotel – Airport**

Transfer from Torino Caselle Airport to hotel and return, from 1 to 5 people is 80,00 Euro / person

Transfer from Torino Caselle Airport to hotel and return, from 6 people onwards is 60,00 Euro / person

Transfer from Milano Malpensa Airport to hotel and return, from 1 to 5 people is 80,00 Euro / person

Transfer from Milano Malpensa Airport to hotel and return, from 6 people onwards is 60,00 Euro / person

# **ATTENTION**

Later registrations will not be accepted.

#### 1. PAYMENT

Minimum 50% of total entry fee should be deposited at our bank no later than **July 12<sup>nd</sup>** to guarantee the booking. After this date **July 12<sup>nd</sup>**, the participation fees will increase by a further 10% of total amount. The remaining payment should be made on arrival. The organizer will only accept transfers (bank charges will be charged to the remitter).

Bank cheques and credit cards will not be accepted.

Minimum 50% of total entry fee must be paid, via bank transfer, to:

**UNDERWATER ACTIVITIES INTERNATIONAL EVENTS** 

**Bank: UniCredit** 

IBAN code: IT35C0200805314000104162924

**BIC SWIFT: UNCRITM1B41** 

(Reason for payment: Fee for participation of National Team in Open Water Finswimming Master World Championship 2022)

#### 2. VISA

If you require a visa, please contact the embassy or consulate in your country at least forty 40 days prior to entry.





#### **DEADLINE – CONDITION FOR ENTRY AND PARTICIPATION**

- No later than June 12<sup>nd</sup> 2022
   (Annex 1) The preliminary declaration of participation and registration form should be sent to the CMAS and Organizing Committee.
- No later than July 12<sup>nd</sup> 2022
   (Annex 2) Final hotel booking form and entry fee should be sent to the Organizing Committee. Send also copy of "bank transfer".
- No later than August 20<sup>th</sup> 2022
  - The competitor's must be entered online through SportData
  - (Annex 3) The list form should be sent to the Organizing Committee.

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