

## **24th GARDA TRENINO HALF MARATHON - 2026 REGULATIONS**

Trentino Eventi s.s.d.a.r.l., with the patronage of the municipalities of Riva del Garda, Arco, and Nago-Torbole, is organizing the **24th GARDA TRENINO HALF MARATHON**, an international road race over a distance of 21.097 km, approved and included in the CSI (Italian Sports Center) race calendar in compliance with the FIDAL/EPS Convention.

The GARDA TRENINO HALF MARATHON will take place on **Sunday, November 8, 2026**, in Garda Trentino, **starting at 10:15 a.m. from the PalaFiere in Riva del Garda**. The organizers reserve the right to change the start time due to, for example, organizational and/or television requirements.

The GARDA TRENINO HALF MARATHON will have **a limited number of 4,800 participants** and will be held in all weather conditions.

### **1) PARTICIPATION REQUIREMENTS**

Open to Italian and foreign athletes born in or before 2008, and governed by the FIDAL (Italian Athletics Federation) and EPS (Sports Promotion Bodies) agreements dated November 8, 2026, as follows:

#### **GARDA TRENINO HALF MARATHON (sezione COMPETITIVA)**

##### **a) ITALIAN AND/OR FOREIGN ATHLETES RESIDENT IN ITALY**

- Members of clubs affiliated with the CSI (Italian Sports Center) or another Sports Promotion Body (EPS) that has signed the FIDAL/EPS Agreement for athletics, or individual members in possession of an EPS RUNCARD and a medical certificate for competitive athletics (no other wording accepted) valid as of November 8, 2026. The certificate must be uploaded to the online registration form no later than 5 days before the event.
- Members of clubs affiliated with FIDAL for the 2026 season in possession of a medical certificate for competitive athletics (no other wording accepted) valid as of November 8, 2026. The membership must be valid for 2026, and the associated certificate valid on the date of the event.
- Non-members of clubs affiliated with the CSI, FIDAL, or another Sports Promotion Body (EPS) that has signed the FIDAL/EPS Agreement for athletics, who are in possession of a STANDARD RUNCARD ([www.runcard.com](http://www.runcard.com)) and a medical certificate for competitive athletics (no other wording accepted) valid as of November 8, 2026. The certificate must be uploaded to the online registration no later than 5 days before the event.
- Non-members of Italian clubs affiliated with the CSI, FIDAL, or another Sports Promotion Body (EPS) that has signed the FIDAL/EPS Agreement for athletics, who are in possession of a medical certificate for competitive athletics (no other wording accepted) valid as of November 8, 2026. The certificate must be uploaded to the online registration no later than 5 days before the event.

##### **b) ITALIAN AND/OR FOREIGN ATHLETES NOT RESIDENT IN ITALY**

- Members of foreign Athletics Clubs and Federations affiliated with WA - World Athletics (formerly IAAF) for the 2026 season. A copy of their WA membership must be attached to the online registration form no later than 5 days before the event.

- Non-members of foreign Athletics Clubs and Federations or affiliated with WA - World Athletics (formerly IAAF) for the 2026 season, who possess a STANDARD RUNCARD ([www.runcard.com](http://www.runcard.com)) and a medical certificate for competitive athletics (other terms are not accepted) valid as of November 8, 2026.

The certificate must be uploaded to the online registration no later than 5 days before the event.

The certificate may also be issued in the athlete's country of residence, but must comply with the diagnostic tests required by Italian law (Ministerial Decree 18/02/182). The only Health Form accepted for participation in the event can be downloaded here. The Health Form, valid on the date of the event, must be completed, signed, and stamped by a doctor.

Download the Health Form here: [HEALTH FORM ENG](#) [HEALTH FORM FRA](#)

*Note 1:* Italian athletes, even those residing abroad, must provide a medical certificate issued in accordance with the legal requirements.

*Note 2:* Holders of "RUNCARD STANDARD" and "RUNCARD EPS" will be included in both the overall and category rankings. They will not be eligible for cash prizes (or vouchers, bonuses, fees, or expense reimbursements of any kind), and any cash prizes won will be converted into prizes in kind.

### ***GARDA TRENINO HALF MARATHON (Participation for tourism and sports purposes)***

- Open exclusively to foreign citizens residing abroad and not registered with a club affiliated with FIDAL or EPS, nor with a foreign club affiliated with World Athletics, born in 2008 or earlier.
- To participate, these athletes must carefully read and accept the liability waiver form included in the registration form.  
They will be placed in the starting grids (according to the time indicated during registration).  
Their race time will be announced, but they will not be included in the official rankings and will not be eligible for prize money.

### **2) REGISTRATION**

Registration is open **from March 1, 2026, to October 31, 2026** (registration must be completed by October 20, 2026, to receive a personalized bib with a maximum of 30 characters), **subject to early closure once the number of 4,800 athletes has been reached.**

Any unregistered athletes will not be allowed to participate and/or join the race course, under penalty of immediate disqualification. In the event of an accident, they will be reported to the police.

### **3) REGISTRATION FEES**

€40.00 from March 1st to April 30th\*

€45.00 from May 1st to June 30th\*

€50.00 from July 1st to August 31st\*

€55.00 from September 1st to October 31st\*

**\*subject to the maximum number of 4,800 participants being reached**

### **4) "CHARITY" REGISTRATION FEES**

(The "CHARITY" fee of €2.00 will be donated, along with the doubling of the same fee made by our Company, to an association indicated among those found on our website under the Charity Program heading at [www.trentinoeventi.it](http://www.trentinoeventi.it))

€42.00 from March 1st to April 30th\*

€47.00 from May 1st to June 30th\*

€52.00 from July 1st to August 31st\*

€57.00 from September 1st to October 31st\*

**\*subject to reaching the maximum number of 4,800 participants**

## **5) GROUP REGISTRATION**

Groups, associations, or companies will receive one free bib for every 11 registered participants. The free bib will be applied automatically by the system. For group registrations, we recommend using the dedicated registration method (minimum 5 participants).

**For registration information, please write to: [gthm@evodata.it](mailto:gthm@evodata.it)**

**Note: Registrations are not accepted on race day.**

## **6) THE REGISTRATION FEE INCLUDES**

- Participation in all tastings on Friday and Saturday;
- Free breakfast for athletes and their families on race day;
- Personalized bib number if registered by October 20, 2026 (maximum 30 characters);
- Insurance and medical care;
- Race pack containing products offered by sponsors;
- Short-sleeved technical jersey;
- Medal for all finishing athletes;
- Refreshments along the route and takeaway at the finish line;
- Bag storage, changing rooms, and showers at the PalaFiere;
- Rankings (FOR COMPETITORS ONLY);
- Participation certificate downloadable from [www.trentinoeventi.it](http://www.trentinoeventi.it);
- Post-race transportation from the finish line to the PalaFiere.

## **7) REGISTRATION PROCEDURES**

Note: The cost of online registration fees (not dependent on the organization) is not included in the indicated fees.

- **Online registration.** Registration is only possible on the website [www.trentinoeventi.it](http://www.trentinoeventi.it) by bank transfer, VISA and MasterCard credit cards, or PayPal.

## **8) REGISTRATION VALIDATION**

Registrations will not be accepted without the registration fee, a photocopy of the CSI, FIDAL, or EPS membership card, and/or a medical certificate for competitive athletics (no other information), or with incomplete address and/or personal information. The registration fee will be calculated based on the date of payment.

## **9) REGISTRATION DEADLINE**

Registrations **will close at 11:59 PM on October 31, 2026, unless the maximum number of 4,800 participants has been reached.** Registrations received after this deadline will not be accepted. The organizers reserve the right to close registrations early or to accept registrations after the closing date at their sole discretion. Any early closure (e.g., due to SOLD OUT) will be announced on the website [www.trentinoeventi.it](http://www.trentinoeventi.it).

**Registrations will not be accepted on the day of the event.**

## **10) REGISTRATION CONFIRMATION**

You can check the status of your registration for the GARDA TRENTO HALF MARATHON 2026 at [www.trentinoeventi.it](http://www.trentinoeventi.it). A few days before the race, all registered athletes will receive an email that serves as an official "confirmation letter." This email will contain all the essential instructions for picking up your bib, your participation prize, and your race participation. It is not necessary to print a paper copy of the email itself; you can present it on a device such as a smartphone or tablet.

## **11) RACE NUMBER COLLECTION AND PARTICIPATION PRIZE**

Registered participants may collect their race bib and participation prize at the PalaFiere Pavilion B2, Via Baltera, 20 in Riva del Garda:

- Friday, November 6, 2026, from 3:00 PM to 7:00 PM
- Saturday, November 7, 2026, from 10:00 AM to 7:00 PM
- Sunday, November 8, 2026, from 7:00 AM to 9:00 AM

To collect the participation prize, participants must present the voucher included in the envelope containing the race bib. Race bibs and participation prizes may also be collected by third parties with a written authorization, a confirmation letter from the person delegating the race, and a photocopy of an identification document.

Race bibs are strictly personal, may not be tampered with, reduced, or transferred to anyone else, under penalty of disqualification.

## **12) DELEGATION TO COLLECT THE BIB AND PARTICIPATION PRIZE**

If you are unable to collect your bib and participation prize, you may delegate another person in writing. The person must present the following documentation:

- a) Signed Confirmation Letter
- b) Delegation Form (to be attached to the Confirmation Letter)
- c) Photocopy of a valid identification document.

## **13) RACE BIB**

Registered participants are responsible for the ownership and safekeeping of their race bib, thereby acquiring the right to use all the services mentioned in these regulations and/or subsequently communicated. Tampering with or reducing the race bib, or obscuring wording and/or symbols, is prohibited, under penalty of disqualification. Anyone who, without proper registration, participates without a bib and/or a counterfeit or otherwise non-compliant bib, in addition to being held responsible for damage to persons or property, including themselves, will incur sporting sanctions under the jurisdiction of federal and criminal law bodies (Article 624 of the Italian Criminal Code and/or Article 640 of the Italian Criminal Code and/or Article 650 of the Italian Criminal Code).

## **14) PARKING**

Ample free parking is available in the areas in front of the PalaFiere.

## **15) STARTING SECTORS**

Each athlete will be assigned a specific starting area, indicated by the color of their bib, to facilitate entry into their respective sectors. These sectors are determined based on the "personal best time" declared during registration and achieved in an official half marathon within the last two years. For this reason, it is not possible under any circumstances to assign a special number at the athlete's request or to replace an assigned bib, even if the athlete has mistakenly omitted to specify their personal best. The Organizing Committee reserves the right to verify the declared time and make appropriate changes to the assigned bib if discrepancies are found.

Five starting grids will be set up:

1st RED bib: Top and Master athletes up to 1:19:59  
2nd BLUE bib: Master athletes from 1:20:00 to 1:39:59  
3rd YELLOW bib: Master athletes from 1:40:00 to 1:59:59  
4th GREEN bib: Master athletes from 2:00:00 and athletes in their first HM  
5th WHITE bib: Nordic Walking & Fit Walking

#### **16) COURSE**

All route details will be available on the website [www.trentinoeventi.it](http://www.trentinoeventi.it). The Highway Code must be followed.

#### **17) RACE TIME LIMIT**

The time limit to complete the 24th GARDA TRENINO HALF MARATHON is 3 hours.

#### **18) TIME CUT-OFF**

A time cut-off point will be located at km 12.0 after 2 hours of racing (12:15 PM). For the safety and security of participants, the time cut-off point is designed to ensure that athletes run on a road course completely closed to traffic, according to the timetables authorized by the relevant authorities. Passing through a cut-off point after the indicated time will result in disqualification from the competition. Athletes will be asked by officials to board drop-off buses or to continue running on the sidewalk, not on the road, while still lowering their bibs and strictly adhering to the Highway Code.

#### **19) PACERS SERVICE**

Several groups of Pacers ("BEARS"), recognizable by their clothing and marked by special balloons, will be available free of charge to athletes who wish to use them. They will run the GARDA TRENINO HALF MARATHON 2026 at a steady pace to reach the finish line within the set time.

They will finish the race in 1:24–1:29–1:34–1:39–1:44–1:49–1:54–1:59–2:04–2:09.

#### **20) REFRESHMENTS**

As per the regulations, refreshment stops will be available at km 5, 10, and 15, along with a takeaway at the finish line.

#### **21) WITHDRAWN ATHLETES**

To recover retired athletes, sweeper vehicles will be available along the route. They will follow the race and transport them to the finish area.

#### **22) MEDICAL SERVICE**

Adequate medical assistance will be provided along the route and at the start and finish points.

#### **23) FINISH**

After crossing the finish line, athletes will be directed into designated corridors, receive a finisher's medal, and be able to access the final refreshments. Returning to the finish line and/or stopping to wait for other competitors at or immediately after the finish line are prohibited.

#### **24) SHUTTLE**

On Sunday, November 8, 2026, a free shuttle service will be available for athletes and their companions, providing a circular route between the finish area and the Palafiere. It will make a single stop on Viale Rovereto, near the Benacense Stadium, approximately 150 meters from the finish line of the Garda Trentino Half Marathon and the finish line of the 10K and 5K races.

## **25) TIMING**

Timekeeping will be handled by EvoData using a disposable chip. The ranking will be based on the "Gun Time," the time calculated from the shot; in addition to the Gun Time, the ranking will also include the "Real Time," which is the time from crossing the start line to the finish line.

## **26) RESULTS AND RANKINGS**

Partial and final times will be displayed periodically in the awards ceremony area. The rankings will be published after validation by the designated referee. Athletes must check their results.

## **27) COMPLAINTS**

Any complaint about the results must be submitted verbally to the Race Referee within 30 minutes of the rankings being posted, and in writing to the Appeals Jury, accompanied by a €100.00 fee, which will be refunded if the complaint is upheld. After this time, any protests will be considered final.

## **28) PARTICIPATION DIPLOMA**

Starting November 9, 2026, all finishers will be able to download and print their participation diploma from the website [www.trentinoeventi.it](http://www.trentinoeventi.it).

## **29) AWARDS**

The awards ceremony will begin at 1:00 PM after the results have been validated and any complaints have been evaluated. Prizes not collected on-site after 2:00 PM on November 8, 2026, will not be sent and can no longer be claimed.

The first 5 men and 5 women to cross the finish line (excluding category prizes) will receive awards, as well as the first 3 men and 3 women in each category, with non-cash prizes.

## **30) CATEGORIES**

Men: JM-PM-SM-SM35-SM40-SM45-SM50-SM55-SM60-SM65-SM70-SM75 and above.

Women: JF-PF-SF-SF35-SF40-SF45-SF50-SF55-SF60-SF65-SF70-SF75 and above.

## **31) PARTICIPANT PHOTOGRAPHS**

All photographs taken during the race will be available for viewing on the website [www.fotostudio3.com](http://www.fotostudio3.com). For information: 0461.585691 - mobile 346.4169280 - email [info@fotostudio3.com](mailto:info@fotostudio3.com).

## **32) FEES TRANSFER**

Participation fees are non-refundable under any circumstances. Registered athletes who are unable to participate in the event have two options:

- 1) **Transfer their registration to another person\***. Request must be submitted no later than October 15, 2026, and a €10.00 administrative fee must be paid. The request must be sent to [gthm@evodata.it](mailto:gthm@evodata.it), which will provide a link to pay the administrative fee and instructions for making the substitution. The transfer can only take place within the same distance.
- 2) **Transfer their registration to the Garda Trentino Half Marathon 2027\***. Request must be submitted no later than October 15, 2026, and a €10.00 administrative fee must be paid. The request must be sent to [gthm@evodata.it](mailto:gthm@evodata.it), which will provide a link to pay the administrative fee and instructions for making the substitution.  
The fee will be considered valid for registration for the Garda Trentino Half

Marathon 2027 and cannot be transferred to 2028.

**\*After October 15, 2026, transfer requests to another person or to the 2027 edition will not be accepted.**

### **33) DATA PROCESSING REGULATIONS**

Pursuant to Article 13 of Legislative Decree No. 196 of June 30, 2003, we hereby inform you that:

- a) the data contained in the registration form is required for registration, to prepare the list of participants, the ranking, the historical archive, to perform the services stated in the regulations, to send informational materials about the GARDA TRENINO HALF MARATHON 2026 and subsequent editions, and to send information and commercial offers from its partners and sponsors;
- b) the consequences of failure to provide the aforementioned data or information will be non-admission to the event;
- c) the rights of the interested party regarding the processing of personal data are listed in Article 7 of the aforementioned Legislative Decree No. 196/03. At any time, the interested party may consult, modify, or delete their data free of charge by writing to the data controller at Trentino Eventi s.s.d.a.r.l.

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### **34) IMAGE RIGHTS**

The athlete registered and participating in the GARDA TRENINO HALF MARATHON 2026 expressly authorizes Trentino Eventi s.s.d.a.r.l., its Sponsors, and Partners to record their image using television, film, photography, or other media during their participation in the GARDA TRENINO HALF MARATHON 2026 and confirms such authorization with this declaration.

They recognize Trentino Eventi s.s.d.a.r.l.'s full right to record, reproduce, print, publish, screen, broadcast, and otherwise use such images on its websites and social media, using any media now known or later developed, without time or any other limitations, worldwide. They also grant Trentino Eventi s.s.d.a.r.l. the rights to use their image, including for promotional and/or advertising purposes, to their commercial and institutional partners. The participant further declares that he/she has no claims against Trentino Eventi s.s.d.a.r.l. and/or its assignees and/or successors in title, and in general against anyone who uses or exploits his/her image and/or that of the minor accompanying him/her during his/her participation in the GARDA TRENINO HALF MARATHON 2026, even in group situations and for the purpose of documenting the event. All athlete claims are satisfied by the opportunity to participate in the sporting event.

### **35) CANCELLATION**

If the GARDA TRENINO HALF MARATHON 2026 is canceled and/or not held for reasons beyond the control and/or control of the organizers, including the revocation of permits by the competent public authorities, the participant will have no claims against Trentino Eventi s.s.d.a.r.l. or by other co-organizers, not even by way of reimbursement of expenses incurred or incurred, with the signing of the registration form being considered as a waiver of any claim for compensation for damages and/or indemnity and/or any claim for reinstatement and/or satisfaction for any financial loss suffered and being suffered.

### **36) CHANGES**

The Organizing Committee reserves the right to amend these regulations at any time due to changes to the regulations, current legislation, or participation criteria (for example, whether or not to sign agreements), whether due to health regulations,

requests from local authorities or public safety authorities, or for reasons deemed appropriate for better race organization. Any changes to schedules, services, and locations will be communicated to participants in the confirmation letter and/or on the website [www.trentinoeventi.it](http://www.trentinoeventi.it).

### **37) MISCELLANEOUS**

For anything not covered in these regulations, please refer to the specific regulations and applicable laws. The Race Judges Group may disqualify athletes who fail to pass through the checkpoints located along the course. The race will take place on a completely paved, flat, and closed to traffic course.

It is prohibited to use racing or baby strollers, run with dogs on a leash, or be accompanied by a bicycle or other unauthorized personnel.

### **38) ATHLETE DECLARATION**

"I declare that I understand and comply with the rules of the 24th GARDA TRENINO HALF MARATHON published on the website [www.trentinoeventi.it](http://www.trentinoeventi.it), drawn up in accordance with current sports regulations, and that I was born in 2008 or earlier. I declare that I have a valid medical certificate for competitive athletics as of November 8, 2026. I will submit this certificate with the registration form.

I understand that participating in the GARDA TRENINO HALF MARATHON 2026 and/or sporting events in general is potentially risky.

I further declare that I am registering voluntarily and assume all risks arising from my participation in the event: falls, contact with vehicles, other participants, spectators, or others, weather conditions, including scorching heat, extreme cold and/or humidity, traffic and road conditions, and any other known risks. and assessed by me, and any consequences arising from illnesses and/or injuries suffered or caused to myself or others, including those attributable to inadequate physical condition, which may occur before, during, or after participation in the event.

Being aware of the above, considering the acceptance of my registration, on my behalf and in the interest of no one else, I release and release the Organizing Committee of the GARDA TRENINO HALF MARATHON 2026, Trentino Eventi s.s.d.a.r.l., the Provincial Administration of Trento, the Regional Administration of Trentino Alto Adige, the administrations of the municipalities affected by the passage of the GARDA TRENINO HALF MARATHON 2026, CSI, ASI, UISP, FIDAL and all regional and territorial branches, the G.G.G., all Sponsors of the event, their respective releasees, successors, officers, directors, members, agents, and employees of the aforementioned companies, from all present and future claims or liability of any kind, known or unknown, arising from my participation in the event.

Once my registration for the GARDA TRENINO HALF MARATHON 2026 has been accepted, I understand that the registration fee is non-refundable, even in the event of cancellation.

I further grant my authorization to all the entities listed above to use photographs, tapes, videos, images on their website, and anything related to my participation in the event for any legitimate use without compensation.

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### **39) INFORMATION AND CONTACTS**

Mobile phone 380.4992635 (only between 1:00 PM and 2:30 PM)

For registration information: [gthm@evodata.it](mailto:gthm@evodata.it)

Website: [www.trentinoeventi.it](http://www.trentinoeventi.it)

Facebook: Garda Trentino Half Marathon

### **40) OPERATIONAL HEADQUARTERS**

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