



2015 ICF WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP 19 – 23 August 2015 Milan – Italy



BULLETIN

WELCOME to Milan – Idroscalo Club



My Dear Friends

The Idroscalo racing venue in Milan is practically on my doorstep.

It is there that I started kayaking at a competitive level as a kid and is always here that I try to keep on paddling during the little spare time that I have.

You can well imagine how much I love this great Sport of ours.

Thanks to the Italian Olympic Committee, to the priceless support of the Provincial Administration which is the owner of this fantastic venue, to the Regional Administration, to the City of Milan and Segrate along with several sponsorships, we have been able to stage many high level events, including the 1999 ICF Canoe Sprint World Championships, the 2001 and 2008 European Championships, 2010 Polo World Championships, further to several Paracanoeing events at all levels.

It will be there that we will organize the ICF 2015 Sprint World Championships, the Sports event of the year at Expo 2015 in which the best paddlers will get a pass for Rio 2016.

The spirit of this wonderful place always pushes all of us to give the best of ourselves and seek new frontiers to be crossed. It is the spirit of those sport values that reign within us which allows each single member of this Club to give his best with great enthusiasm; the same spirit that about 80 years ago made those heroic pioneers of Canoe Kayak to begin a new era with the first Italian Canoe Sprint races.

We are looking forward to seeing you in Milan.

Luciano Buonfiglio

President

Milan City

Milan, 1.300.000 inhabitants, the main financial and economic centre in Italy, is the capital of Lombardy Region and Milan Province.



Lombardy is in the North-West of Italy. The northern territory borders with Switzerland and is mainly formed by the Lepontine and Rhaetian Alps, with peaks, like the Bernina Group, that reach 4.000 metres.

In the pre-alpine belt we find the largest lakes of Italy: Lake Maggiore, Lake Lugano, Lake Como, Lake Iseo, Lake Idro and Lake Garda, which is the widest of Italy.

The central and southern area is flat and represents the 47% of the territory, delimited on the South by Po River, the longest of Italy, on the West by Ticino River, on the East by Mincio River and is crossed from the mountains southwards by many rivers, among which the main ones are Adda River and Oglio River.

The very rich soil of Lombardy has facilitated the growth of a profitable agriculture that utilises advanced farming systems, therefore bovine and swine breeding have largely developed and their products encouraged a strong increase in the processing industry.



Manufacturing is well-advanced in the region also in the metal mechanical and steel engineering, textile, chemical, petrochemical, food, and publishing, footwear and furniture sectors. The tertiary sector is well developed in Lombardy too, and the tourism industry is having a big expansion.



Milan today

The town and its surroundings represent a commercial and industrial centre of primary importance, both at a European Union and world-wide level. The region is a national pole for the tertiary, finance, fashion and industry sector. The Stock Exchange office, run by Borsa Italiana S.p.a, is one of the most important financial centres in Europe and a big attraction for dozens of multinational companies. Milan is also one of the major university, publishing and TV broadcasting centres and is home to the largest exhibition centre in Europe. In 2015 it will host the World Exhibition.



Venue: The Idroscalo

The Idroscalo, a very sought-after competition venue for water sport, is located in East Milan. It is easily accessible from the motorways, for instance, it is half way along the East Milan bypass road and the well-signed junction to get there is the same one for the nearby Linate airport.

The water basin measures 850,000 m², it is surrounded by a park enriched by numerous sport facilities and the entire complex measures 1600,000 m².

It was realised thanks to the Provincial Administration of Milan, the owner, which started the work in 1928 and inaugurated it on the 28th October 1930.

Soon abandoned as hydroplane harbour, it was mainly utilised for sport activities, so they built the tribune on the North-West shore and 12 hangars with changing rooms and toilets in the athletes area, plus the large central building on the North shore, which is now used as a gym.

The first big sport events were the "Littoriali del Remo" in april 1934 and the rowing and speedboat racing European Championships in 1938.

➤ **Events: World Championship – 19 August 2015, Milan – Italy**

Women				Men			
K1	200	500	1000 5000	K1	200	500	1000 5000
K2	200	500	1000	K2	200	500	1000
K4	500			K4	1000		
C1	200			C1	200	500	1000 5000
C2	500			C2	200	500	1000
				C4	1000		

Paracanoe Women				Paracanoe Men			
	K1	200-	A, TA, LTA		K1	200	A, TA, LTA
	V1	200	A, TA, LTA		V1	200	A, TA, LTA



➤ Entries/Accreditation

- Preliminary entry form February 28th 2015
- Preliminary Booking form February 28th 2015
- Second payment Hotel March 31th 2015
- Final Hotel Payment July 27th 2015
- Final travel info July 27th 2015
- Press Accreditation Form July 31th 2015

In agreement with the official terms, forms are to be returned to the following email address :

accomodation@milanworld2015.com

web-site www.milanworldcanoosprint.com

➤ ICF ISIS system: entries and registration for accreditation

Registration for all members is to be made by using the ICF ISIS System which can be accessed at:

<https://isis.msl.es/icf/main.jsp>

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➤ MEDICAL FACILITIES

At the Idroscalo there is a First Aid department for emergency care.

During the races a doctor and an ambulance will be available on site.

Furthermore, a physiotherapy clinic will be available near boats storage at extra cost.

➤ DOPING CONTROL

There will be mandatory doping control in accordance with the WADA and the ICF rules. If you have any question regarding doping control, please contact the ICF headquarter at the following e-mail address:

hengameh.ahadpour@canoecif.com



PARTECIPATION FEE

The participation fee of € 30 per day per participant will cover the following services:

- Transportation to and from the airports of Linate and Malpensa and Bergamo , Central Railway Station to Hotel
- Shuttle Service from the accommodation to the racing venue (from day of arrival, to departure day)
- Accreditation
- Access and common use of the venue
- Parking for one (1) trailer or one (1) container, for boats, paddles and team equipment
- Access and Parking for one accredited vehicle
- Mineral Water on site at venue
- Security Services and secure athlete area
- Medical care at the venue
- Insurance cover of the event

The above mentioned fee applies from arrival to departure.

For arrivals or later departures the interested Teams are to contact the main Office .

ACCOMODATION

As you all know, from May to September 2015, Milan will host the universal exhibition EXPO.

As you will understand, all the hotels will have a greater demand of rooms during that period.

Because of that, the Organizing Committee kindly ask all National Federations to comply with the official deadlines in order to have all rooms available at the World Championships .

Hotel booking should be made through the 2015 ICF Canoe Sprint World Championships Organizing Committee.

Please, be informed that lunch will be provided at the venue.

You are kindly requested to send your booking form by and not later than February 28th, 2015.



We would like to inform all participants that all booking forms could be re-directed to another hotel in case the initially requested accommodation does not have enough rooms to welcome big Delegations.

In any case, the area provides great hotel capacity of different standards to please all participants' needs .

Category A

Hotel Crowne Plaza : K. Adenauer 3 20097 San Donato Milanese

Distance to the competition area 9 km. - about 12 min. by bus

- Single room € 144,00 per person / per day
- Double room € 101,00 per person / per day
- Triple room € 89,00 per person/ per day

CANCELLATION TERMS HOTEL CROWNE PLAZA

Cancellation without penalty	before	May 4
Penalty 25% for cancellation	after	May 4
Penalty 50% for cancellation	after	June 3
Penalty 75% for cancellation	after	July 3
100% penalty for cancellation	after	August 4

Category B

Hotel Novotel Linate Mecenate 121 – 20138 Milano

Distance to the competition area 7 km. - about min. by bus

- Single room € 148,00 per person / per day
- Double room € 107,00 per person / per day
- Triple room € 94,00 per person / per day

CANCELLATION TERMS Hotel Novotel Linate

Cancellation without penalty	before	April 18
Penalty 50% for cancellation	before	June 3
Penalty 75% for cancellation	before	August 4
100% penalty for cancellation	after	August 5



AirHotel Linate only organizing committee-IT Officials-FICK-ICF Segr.

Distance to the competition area 2 km. - about 2 min. by bus

- Single room € 132,00 per person / per day
- Double room € 100,00 per person / per day
- Triple room € 89,00 per person / per day
- Four-bed room € 89,00 per person / per day

CANCELLATION TERMS Air Hotel Linate

Cancellation without penalty	before	April 18
Penalty 50% for cancellation	before	June 3
Penalty 75% for cancellation	before	August 4
100% penalty for cancellation	after	August 5

Holiday Inn Linate Bruno Buozzi 2 20068 Peschiera Borromeo MI

Distance to the competition area 5 km. - about 6 min. by bus

- Single room € 127,00 per person / per day
- Double room € 89,00 per person / per day

CANCELLATION TERMS Holiday Inn Linate

Cancellation without penalty	before	May 4
Penalty 25% for cancellation	after	May 4
Penalty 50% for cancellation	after	June 3
Penalty 75% for cancellation	after	July 3
100% penalty for cancellation	after	August 4

Hotel Rege Milano 2 – 200097 San Donato Milanese

Distance to the competition area 8 km. about 11 min. by bus

- Single room € 144,00 per person / per day
- Double room € 103,00 per person / per day
- Triple room € 91,00 per person / per day



CANCELLATION TERMS Hotel Rege

Cancellation without penalty	before	April 18
Penalty 50% for cancellation	before	June 3
Penalty 75% for cancellation	before	August 4
100% penalty for cancellation	after	August 5

Espresso Hotel Linate Francesco Baracca 19 -20090 Novegro di Segrate- MI

Distance to the competition area 3 km. about 3 min. by bus

- Single room € 127,00 per person / per day
- Double room € 98,00 per person / per day
- Triple room € 89,00 per person / per day

CANCELLATION TERMS Espresso Hotel Linate

Cancellation without penalty	before	April 18
Penalty 50% for cancellation	before	June 3
Penalty 75% for cancellation	before	August 4
100% penalty for cancellation	after	August 5

Hotel AtaHotels Quark Lampedusa 11/a – 20141 Milano

Distance to the competition area 14 km. about 15 min. by bus

- Single room € 147,00 per person / per day
- Double room € 101,00 per person / per day
- Triple room € 90,00 per person / per day

CANCELLATION TERMS Ata Hotel Quark

Cancellation without penalty	before	April 18
Penalty 50% for cancellation	before	June 3
Penalty 75% for cancellation	before	August 4
100% penalty for cancellation	after	August 5



Important to be noted:

Prices include hotel accommodation and three meals per day per participant.

For booking of rooms with larger capacity, please contact the O.C.

We will book rooms at the requested hotels, however we do reserve the right to allocate rooms in any of the hotels of your selected category depending on availability.

Hotels are entitled to request a deposit credit card in the event of damages or extra service.

Booking of accommodation through the O.C. is mandatory.

All bookings, changes to bookings or cancellations have to be submitted using the official forms which are available for download at www.milanworldcanoesprint.com

PAYMENT & DEADLINES

- **40% by 28th February 2015**
- **40% by 31th March 2015**
- **20% by 27th July 2015**

Bank account:

Organizing Committee bank account:

IBAN: IT 45 L 08327 03231 000000007724

Bank Account Number: 7724

BIC CODE : ROMAITRRXXX

Banca di Credito Cooperativo – Agency n. 31

Via Corrado del Greco 88-00121 Roma

Beneficiary Travel Market Srl

Address Via Costanzo Casana 44/22 -00121 Roma Italy



Travel

▪ Airports

There are three airports in the Milan metropolitan Area: Malpensa, Linate and Orio al Serio.

Linate (LIN)

The closest airport to the competition venue is Linate Airport.

It services domestic, European and low-cost airlines. No. 73 bus line connects the airport to the city centre.

Malpensa (MPX)

Located in the Varese province, within the Ticino Park, Malpensa is the largest airport in the region. It services international, continental and national flights. The “*Malpensa Express*” links the airport to the city centre. Depending on traffic, travel time between the airport and the Milan Cadorna Station takes between 30 to 40 minutes.

Orio al Serio (BGY)

The international airport Orio al Serio located close to Bergamo is used for charter, cargo and low-cost airlines flights.

▪ Motorway

Milan is located in the centre of Northern Italy and at the crossroad of major motorways.

To the West (A50), to the East (A51) and to the North (A52).

To reach Idroscalo use the A51 and follow the Linate Airport exit, then follow the signs for Idroscalo.

By pass roads connect to:

the cross street East-West (A4) from Turin to Trieste;

the dorsal North-South (A1) from Milan to Bologna, Florence, Rome, Naples; the “Serravalle” (A7) to Genoa; the Lakes motorway to Varese, Como and Switzerland.

▪ Railway

The following railway lines service Milan Central station: Turin-Milan, Venice-Milan, Genoa-Milan, Bologna-Milan. Milan Central Station is the departure point for lines to North Europe through the Sempione and Gottardo tunnels. High speed trains service Turin and Rome.



➤ VISA

Teams requiring a visa to enter Italy should send full details no later than **8th March 2014**

Full details to be sent to:

tecnico.internazionale@federcanoa.it

Following data to be clearly mentioned for Visa applications :

- Name
- Surname
- Birth date
- Passport No.
- Expiry date
- Visa delivery embassy town
- Arrival and Departure Date
- Accommodation Information in Italy