

RULES 2024

1. **Marcialonga Story** is a revival non-competitive event that celebrates the history of cross-country skiing and recalls the equipment used for this sport before 1976.

Date: Friday 26th January 2024 – 12th edition

2. The event starts from Lago di Tesero and arrives in Predazzo, on the Fiemme 2013 Championships, Olympic games 2026 and Marcialonga tracks.

Length: 11 Km

Total HD: 157 m.

3. All male and female skiers, 16 years and older, **may enter** this non-competitive event. In order to participate it is mandatory to have old equipment: skis older than 1976 with 75 mm bindings, shoes, poles and cross-country ski clothing corresponding to that period. A special team of experts will check the status of the global equipment.

4. **Entries** must be submitted on-line on www.marcialonga.it or by filling in the entry form. The payment can be done:

- with credit-card payment directly on-line;
- with bank transfer to Cassa Rurale Val di Fiemme/ I-38037 PREDAZZO / BIC-SWIFT Code CCRTIT2T50A / IBANIT27 S0818435 2800 0000 0083 816

For entries with bank transfer the receipt of payment must be sent to info@marcialonga.it. Incomplete entry-forms or without the payment will not be accepted.

There is a maximum of 300 skiers fixed and it will not be possible to register on spot.

5. The **entry-fee** is:

- 35,00€ until 31st December 2022
- 40,00 € from 1st to 27th January 2023

The fee **includes**:

- the bib;
- the badge for validation stamp along the course;
- the gadget;
- the diploma;
- transport of clothing to the finish (the O.C. is not responsible for clothing not delivered to the indicated collection point);
- refreshments;
- transfer to the start (from Predazzo to Lago-XC stadium);
- all other services provided by the Organizing Committee.

A **discount of 5,00€** is reserved to:

- competitors already registered in one of the other Marcialonga events;
- competitors born in 1963 or before;

Offers cannot be combined.

For **those who cannot take part in the race**, the OC gives the possibility to ask for the **fee transfer** to another person. The request must be sent by email to info@marcialonga.it or fax +39 0462.501120, with all the data of the new racer, within the 25th of January. The fee for the name change is 10,00 € that will be requested at the bib collection.

Entry-fees will not be returned for any reason and are not valid for next editions.



6. Starts numbers collection is on:
 - Thursday 25th January 3:00 – 7:00 p.m. / Palafiemme, Cavalese
 - Friday 26th January 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. / Palafiemme, Cavalese
7. The **equipment check** will be done at the XC-Ski Stadium, Lago di Tesero before entering the starting area from 3:00 to 4:30 p.m.
8. The **Mass Start** is at 4:30 p.m.
The time limit is 2 hours.
9. There is one **feeding station** in Ziano di Fiemme and the final feeding station in Predazzo after the arrival.
10. The **finish line** is in the main square of Predazzo, where participants will receive a diploma as a souvenir of the event.
11. **Medical assistance** is provided along the course.
12. There is no **technical assistance** nor waxing service: each competitor must ski the course in full autonomy.
13. All participants are invited to respect the reminiscent spirit of our event and to follow the indicated criteria for all the accessories (skis, sticks, shoes, clothing etc.). The Organizers reserve the right not to admit to the start skiers with unsuitable or farcical clothing or attitudes. Skiers who deliberately cause obstruction to other skiers or who either jeopardize the security of persons or property or actually cause injury or damage, will be disqualified. Please keep the environment clean and use the dedicated points and containers to throw away plastic and food waste.
14. Appeals must be submitted to the Organizing Committee within 10 minutes after the event is finished.
15. For circumstances beyond one's control, the Organizing Committee can decide to make changes to the course or cancel the event.
16. It must be clear that it is necessary to be physically and technically well-prepared to take part in Marcialonga Story: for this reason, every participant must be personally responsible for their health condition, declaring to be properly trained. Skiers acknowledge and accept these regulations by sending the entry-form, exempting the Organizing Committee from any liability in case of damage done or suffered.

