



Organizzata da:



VIGEVANO-PAVIA MARATHON

49th Edition

Canottieri Ticino Pavia

First organized 50 years by Canottieri member Cav. Marino Valle ago as a race for river craft, the Vigevano-Pavia marathon has since opened to olympic craft, and become a major national meeting for marathon disciplines.

The main award of the meet is the Filippo Vidali trophy, now in its 26th year, given to the junior with the best time in a single-seater classic or marathon river craft. The Marino Valle trophy is presented to the oldest Masters athlete to win in their category in a single-seater classic or river marathon craft.

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COMPETITIONS

This year's Vigevano-Pavia races:

SATURDAY 28 SEPTEMBER

These races will be held in the Borgo quarter of Pavia. The finish line is at the monumento della lavandaia (washerwoman monument):

- **K420/K1 boy and girls under 12-under 14 - under 16, 2.000m**
- **K4 OPEN* 2.000m**
- **K1 junior, senior e master men and women ** 5.000m.**
- * Registration is individual - age and sex-matched crews will be extracted before the race. Crews will thus include male and female rowers from different categories.
- ** Qualifying for the Vigevano race on Sunday. This event will start with athletes on the river bank next to their craft. Starting positions will depend on Saturday's ranking with the exception of the the first position, which will assigned to the winner of the previous edition.

SUNDAY 29 SEPTEMBER

• **49° CANOE VIGEVANO-PAVIA MARATHON**

International race

K1/C1 junior, senior, master, men and women

*K1+K2/C1+C2 junior, senior, master A-B-C-D-E-F-G-H

men, women and mixed

* All athletes registered in this race will start from Vigevano in K1/C. They will change to K2/C2 at Bereguardo for the remainder of the route.

- **JUVENILES OPEN REGIONAL CANOE RACE**

K520/K420/K1/K2 boys and girls, under 12s, under 14s, under 16s

- **8° ZANZADRAGO FESTIVAL**

Dragonboat marathon (18km)

- **5° BARCÈ MARATHON**

Barcè marathon (18km)

- **3° SUP MARATHON**

from Bereguardo (18km)

- **9° TOURIST DESCENT**

From Vigevano

THE RIVER

The Ticino is a large river with fast currents, especially in its upper half. There are quite a few submerged obstacles, mainly tree trunks; and circular currents. Difficulty: class I and II. Experience in navigating currents and good craft control are required.

THE VIGEVANO-PAVIA SECTION

Vigevano to Pavia is a 38km downriver stretch, with the finishing point on the right bank of the river, near the Canottieri Ticino.

Boats bearing red flags will be in position to signal sand banks and to indicate the recommended route.

Recommended routes under the railway bridge and under the Ponte della Libertà will be indicated with arrows attached to the pylons of the bridge.

An alternative route will be provided in case of difficult navigation or dangerous conditions.

SAFETY RULES:

Life-jacket: compulsory for all competitors.
Footwear and helmets optional for all competitors.
Unsinkable craft.

INFO AND LOGISTICS

RACE PACK

Your race pack will contain:

A souvenir t-shirt, 1kg of locally-grown rice, 1 bottle of wine from the Oltrepò Pavese region and 1 sachet of mineral salt supplement.

The race pack will be given to participants when they hand in their racing bibs.

LUNCH

SUNDAY

1. LUNCH AT THE CANOTTIERI TICINO RESTAURANT- Price 8,00€

First and second course with a 500ml bottle of water, bread and a fruit mousse.

Participants in the tourist descent will be asked to hand over their bracelet.

Participants can dine at the Canottieri bar/restaurant in the days before the race for € 10.00 or €15.00, depending on the menu they choose.

Book at least one day in advance at: 0382 593126.

CAMPING

The Canottieri Ticino will provide camping space on fenced club grounds for tents and campers. Advance booking is necessary, and places will be assigned on a first come, first served basis.

Camping space is also available at the AYALA starting site near Vigevano, where canoes can also be moored. Contact the representative of the Canoa Club Vigevano, Livio Bernasconi, 348-2258281.

SERVICES

Participants will have access to toilets and showers at the Canottieri Ticino.

TRANSPORT

Coach transport will be available for athletes only (no boats) from Pavia (Canottieri Ticino) to Vigevano. Booking is required.

Times:

10:45 COMPETITIVE AND TOURIST DESCENT PARTICIPANTS

PARTNER HOTELS

HOTEL RIZ
VIA DEI LONGOBARDI, 3
27010 SAN GENESIO ED UNITI
TEL: 0382 580 280

SINGLE ROOM € 55,00

DOUBLE ROOM € 75,00

TRIPLE ROOM € 90,00

QUADRUPLE ROOM € 105,00

THE PRICES SHOWN ARE PER ROOM, PER NIGHT,
AND INCLUDE TAXES AND BREAKFAST.

HOTEL ROSENGARTEN
VIA CESARE LOMBROSO, 21/23 - ANGOLO VIALE
GOLGI
27100 PAVIA
TEL. 0382 526312

HOTEL *** (MAIN ENTRANCE)

SINGLE ROOM €60

DOUBLE/TWIN ROOM €90

TRIPLE ROOM €120 (controlla l'italiano)

(PRICES INCLUDE A BUFFET BREAKFAST?)

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