



Granfondo del Gallo Nero

RULES 2021

ORGANIZERS: Chianti Classico Company S.r.l. and Società Ciclistica Polisportiva AICS Firenze

DATE: Sunday, September 19th, 2021

START/FINISH LOCATION: Gallo Nero Village, Radda in Chianti (Province of Siena), Italy

GATHERING TIME: from 6.30 a.m.

STARTING GRID OPENS: 7.30 a.m.

START: 9.00 a.m.

ROUTE: 103km

INFORMATION: www.granfondodelgallonero.it – info@granfondodelgallonero.it

Art. 1 – PARTICIPATION REQUIREMENTS

The Granfondo del Gallo Nero 2021 is open to the following, pending the new FCI regulations for 2021

- **Members of FCI** or sports promotion associations that have signed an agreement with the FCI for 2021.
- **Members of associations not recognized by the FCI**, holding (at the time of registration) a **Bike Card** and medical certification of fitness for participation in competitive cycling events, valid for the event date, as required by the agreement shown on the FCI website, www.feder ciclismo.it. Cyclists must present these documents during registration on the winningtime.it website which is accessed using your username and password in the personal area, in the 'team data' section.
- **Foreign amateur cyclists** in good standing with their UCI-recognized national cycling federation for the 2021 season, recognized by the UCI, and in possession of a Model E health certificate for participation in competitive cycling events, valid on the day of the event. A facsimile of the certificate is available to download on www.granfondodelgallonero.it in the 'registration' section.

Cyclists must present their valid licence or a copy of it on the day of the event, in case of inspections by federation officials.

- **Non-licence holders** in possession of a medical certificate of fitness for participation in competitive cycling events. They must obtain a one-day FCI licence, at a cost of €15 (to be paid on registration), for insurance against third party liability during the event.

Non-licence holders or foreign participants (in the case of the latter, those not in possession of a UCI competitive licence) **MUST**:

During registration

Send the following documents to the winningtime.it website, or by email to pedale39@gmail.com or by WhatsApp to +39 335 261266:

- a valid medical certification of fitness for participation in competitive cycling events valid for the day of the event, or Model E health certificate for foreign cyclists;
- a copy of their valid identity document showing place and date of birth and current residence;
- the signed antidoping form (UCI self-certification) downloadable from the granfondodelgallonero.it website, 'registration' section.

When picking up race number

- Hand in to the organizers the UCI self-certification (antidoping form sent at time of registration) when picking up the one-day FCI licence for insurance cover.

Participants who are **minors** aged between 17-18 (calendar year) are required to provide a specific consent form signed by a parent or guardian during registration. The form can be downloaded from the granfondodelgallonero.it website, 'registration' section.

Participation in the event is by invitation, and the organizing committee reserves the right to decide, at its sole and unequivocal discretion, whether to accept or reject any registration request.

By signing and submitting the entry form, the rider certifies:

- that he or she has not taken and is not currently taking any substances included on the anti-doping list issued by WADA (the World Anti-Doping Agency – www.wada-ama.org/en/resources/science-medicine/prohibited-list)
- that there are no sporting sanctions, civil and/or criminal proceedings, or investigations pending against him or her in relation to the use of substances included on the WADA anti-doping list.

False self-certification will be prosecuted according to law. In the case of a positive doping test carried out at the Granfondo del Gallo Nero, the rider will be required to pay a sum of €25,000.00 (twenty-five thousand euros) to the organizing committee, as compensation for the damage caused to the image of the event. If the rider belongs to a sports club, the club will be liable for payment of the penalty.

In accordance with FCI regulations Professional, Elite (men and women) and Under-23 riders are permitted to ride exclusively in a promotional capacity, at the invitation of the organizing committee, and may not participate in any way in the classification.

Art. 2 - ISCRIZIONE

Individuals or groups can register **online by credit card or bank transfer**, on the website www.winningtime.it, which can also be accessed from www.granfondodelgallonero.it. Participants can view their successful registration immediately, and will receive email confirmation at the address they provide.

In any case, registration is considered complete only when the required information has been submitted and the full registration fee has been paid (including the fee for the one-day license with insurance, requested at the time of registration).

Registration is open until midnight on 15th September 2021.

These terms may be brought forward or postponed at the sole discretion of the organizing committee, following participants' operative and safety requirements.

Art. 3 – REGISTRATION FEE

The fee of **€35** includes the race package: refreshment along the route, technical assistance during the race, medical assistance during the race, broom wagon service, drinks service at the finish, food after the finish with a packed lunch and 75cl bottle of Chianti Classico DOCG wine.

Riders registered in the Granfondo del Gallo Nero 2020

The first 300 riders to register have the right to start in the front group.
The organizing committee reserves the right to offer special promotions.
Any payment fees are the responsibility of the individual registering.

Art. 4 – WITHDRAWAL FROM THE EVENT

Riders may withdraw from the event until midnight on September 8th 2021, by sending an email to pedale39@gmail.com. Within this deadline the registration fee will not be reimbursed, but rolled over to the 2022 edition of the Granfondo del Gallo Nero. The rolled-over registration is valid for that individual only, non-transferable, and valid only for the year following the withdrawal.

From September 9th 2021, the registration fee will be neither reimbursed nor rolled over to the 2022 edition.

The rolled-over fee must be reactivated by the rider by 30th June 2022 by email request to pedale39@gmail.com. After that date the fee cannot be reactivated. There is a €5 administrative fee for reactivation.

Art. 5 – SUBSTITUTION OF REGISTERED RIDERS

Rider substitutions are allowed only up until midnight on 8th September 2021, via email to pedale39@gmail.com and upon payment of a €5 administrative fee.

Art. 6 – DISTRIBUTION OF RACE NUMBERS AND RACE PACKAGES

The distribution of race numbers and race packages will take place at the Gallo Nero Village in Radda in Chianti at the following times:

- Saturday 18th September 2021, from 10.00 a.m. to 6.00 p.m.
- Sunday 19th September 2021, from 6.30 to 8.00 a.m.

Race packages that are not picked up will not be delivered or sent by post.

Art. 7 – REQUIRED EQUIPMENT

All riders, throughout the duration of the event, must wear a standards-compliant hard-shell helmet, have and correctly use the timing chip, and have their race numbers correctly positioned and visible, both on the bike frame and the back of the jersey. **These numbers may not be modified or changed.**

In addition, all participants must have with them, at the start of the race, a tire repair kit and a full water bottle.

Art. 8 – TIMING

Tracking and management of placement is carried out by S.T.S. – Winning Time.

For safety reasons (to confirm that all starters have finished), the **use of Winning Time chips is compulsory for all participants.** Should a rider withdraw, the Winning Time staff and finish line judges must be informed.

Participants who possess a personal Winning Time chip are reminded that it must be enabled for 2021. This can be done for a fee of €10, payable via bank transfer, also for groups, to the following account: S.T.S. - IT56Z0892213802000000832543 - BIC/SWIFT ICRAITRRPM0. A copy of the transfer with a detailed list of the riders (surname, name, date of birth in the dd/mm/yyyy format) and the chip number, must be sent by email to pedale39@gmail.com or on WhatsApp to +39 335 261266. Chips can be enabled on the day of/day before the race, again at a cost of €10.

Riders may rent a chip valid only for the day of the race at a cost of €5 (paying a deposit of €10, €5 of which will be reimbursed on return of the chip). No other chips will work.

The results can be viewed a few moments after the race on the website winningtime.it.

Art. 9 – HIGHWAY CODE

All riders **must respect and observe the Highway Code.** The roads are closed to traffic only temporarily, as specified in the ordinance issued by the relevant prefecture. Riders passed by the “fine corsa” (“end of race”) vehicle may continue in the event as touring cyclists, retaining their race numbers and following the Highway Code since the roads are open to regular traffic from then on.

Art. 10 – PROTECTING THE ENVIRONMENT

To protect the environment and keep the countryside clean and unspoilt, riders caught throwing containers, wrappers or packaging from energy bars and other products outside the designated areas in the refreshment zones will be immediately disqualified and excluded from the final placement.

Art. 11 – MEDICAL ASSISTANCE

Medical assistance consists of ambulances with doctors and medical staff on board.

Art. 12 – PRIVATE ASSISTANCE PROHIBITED

The provision of any type of assistance by private follow vehicles is strictly forbidden, at risk of disqualification of the riders assisted.

Art. 13 – PRIZE CEREMONY

The prize ceremony, recognizing the first three finishers (men and women), will take place near the finish line, after the last rider finishes. Other prizes must be picked up by the riders at the gazebo set

up in the Village. Prizes that are not picked up will not be sent by post.

Art. 14 – COMPLAINTS

Any complaints must be presented to the race director in the manner and within the time limit specified by FCI rules.

Art. 15 – VARIATIONS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

The organizing committee reserves the right to apply variations to these regulations, providing appropriate notification on the website www.granfondodelgallonero.it, which shall be considered the official communication channel of the event.

Art. 16 – CANCELLATION OF THE EVENT

If the event does not take place due to force majeure or any other cause beyond the control of the organizers, the registration fee will not be refunded nor rolled over to the following year.

In particular, participants are reminded that the Region of Tuscany issues weather bulletins with increasing warning levels: from green (*no intense or dangerous weather conditions forecast*) to yellow and orange, up to red (*extreme weather conditions forecast presenting considerable danger to people and objects*). When the local authorities have seen the weather bulletin they will have the final decision regarding continuation or suspension of the event.

In case of an orange or red alert on the day of the race, the event may be modified (part of the route eliminated) or cancelled; in this case, it is considered beyond the control of the organizers, and the registration fee will not be refunded nor rolled over to the following year.

Art. 17 – GENERAL RULES

The organizers' committee will not be held responsible for any accidents or harm caused to people, animals or items, before, during or after the event. For any issue not addressed by these regulations, the UCI rules and those issued by the FCI's national amateur cycling commission apply.

Art. 18 – SIGNATURE AND TRANSFER OF IMAGE RIGHTS

By signing and submitting the registration form, the rider declares that he or she:

- has read and accepts these rules;
- consents to the use of personal information as provided for in the privacy law (art. 13 of EU regulation 679/2016 – GDPR);
- agrees that any photos, videos, audio and/or video recordings of any type, produced on the occasion of the Granfondo del Gallo Nero, may be freely stored, reproduced, published and marketed by the organizing committee, to which the rider transfers all rights free of charge;
- authorizes the organizing committee to use still or moving images that may portray him or her during the race, in any materials, including promotional and/or advertising materials.

Art. 19 – ANTI COVID-19 MEASURES

A detailed record of prevention measures against Covid-19 adopted by the organizers will follow shortly, which all participants are required to follow to the letter.