



**ISSF WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP
SHOTGUN
LONATO, ITA
9 SEP – 18 SEP 2015**

GENERAL INFORMATION

All information is available on the following websites:

www.issf-sports.org

www.trapconcoverde.it

All Preliminary and Final Entries for Athletes and Officials can be done directly online:

<http://entry.issf-sports.info>

1. Invitation

The Invitation is attached to this General Information.

2. Dates and Schedule

Official Arrival	9 SEP 2015
Official Pre-Event Training	10 SEP 2015 (Trap), 12 SEP 2015 (Skeet W/WJ) 13 SEP 2015 (DTrap), 15 SEP 2015 (Skeet M/MJ)
Technical Meeting	10 SEP 2015
Competitions	11 – 17 SEP 2015
Official Departure	18 SEP 2015

The Preliminary Competition Schedule of the ISSF World Championship is attached to this General Information.

The Final Competition Schedule (including Training Schedule) will be distributed after the Official Entry Deadline (30 days before the Official Arrival day).

The latest Schedule updates will be provided at the Technical Meeting.

3. Rules and Regulations

The ISSF World Championship will be conducted according to the ISSF Rules and Regulations "Edition 2013 (Third Print, 01/2015) – Effective 1 January 2013". Detailed information is available on the ISSF website www.issf-sports.org.

ISSF Juries (Jury of Appeal, Competition Jury) will be designated by the ISSF to supervise the ISSF World Championship. Qualified Range Officers / Referees holding applicable ISSF licenses will conduct the competitions.

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Equipment Control will be conducted according to the ISSF Rules using approved, calibrated instruments. Under rules adopted in 2013, pre-competition testing is no longer mandatory. However, as before, athletes are responsible for competing with legal equipment and clothing and are urged to submit all doubtful equipment and clothing to Equipment Control or the Shotgun Jury for checking before the competitions. All athletes are subject to being selected for random checks during the competition according to ISSF Rule 9.4.1.1. "Athletes found to be in violation of the rules for guns or skeet marker tapes must be disqualified." Cartridge controls will be made according to ISSF Rule 9.4.3.2 and athletes found to be using ammunition that violates ISSF Rule 9.4.3.1 must be disqualified."

4. Participation

ISSF Member Federations may enter a maximum of three (3) athletes per individual event who may participate as one (1) team in team events (**ISSF Rule 3.6.8**).

The maximum number of starts per event is the number of athlete entries that can be accepted for each ISSF World Championship event. Range capacity is determined by the available shooting time and the number of available ranges.

If the maximum number of starts is reached during the Final Entry process, a "waiting list" for that event(s) will be established. If cancellations are subsequently received, entries from the waiting list will be entered on a first come, first served basis. ISSF Headquarters and the Organizing Committee will cooperate to determine if additional entries from the waiting list can be accommodated.

Events Men	Max. Number of Starts	Events Women	Max. Number of Starts
Trap Men	156	Trap Women	84
Double Trap Men	60	Double Trap Women	18
Skeet Men	144	Skeet Women	72
Events Men Junior		Events Women Junior	
Trap Men Junior	54	Trap Women Junior	36
Double Trap Men Junior	42	Double Trap Women Junior	12
Skeet Men Junior	48	Skeet Women Junior	24

ISSF ID Number

All athletes must sign an "Athlete's Declaration" and have an official ISSF ID number issued before participation in the ISSF World Championship (**ISSF Rule 3.6.6**).

Athletes without an ISSF ID number will not be allowed to participate. ISSF ID numbers can be obtained from the ISSF Headquarters by using the official application form.

Juniors

Juniors are athletes who will be under the age of 21 on 31st December 2015 (ISSF Rule 3.3.6.).

Juniors may participate in one (1) category only in any particular event – either in the Junior or in the Senior event (ISSF Rule 3.6.8.4.1.)

Ten (10) Quota Places for the 2016 Olympic Games Rio de Janeiro (BRA) will be awarded according to the Qualification System.

Detailed information is available on the ISSF website www.issf-sports.org.

Results of the ISSF World Championship will be recognized as MQS for the 2016 OG.

Athlete biographies will be distributed and photos will be taken.

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5. Entry Process

Please complete the attached Registration Forms (Annex 1 – 9) and return them by the set deadlines. Preliminary and Final Entries for Athletes and Officials must be returned to the ISSF Headquarters. All other Registration Forms must be returned to the Organizing Committee (see also: Summary of Deadlines).

Preliminary Entries (ISSF Rule 3.7.3.1)

ISSF Member Federations entering the ISSF World Championship must submit the Preliminary Entries not later than **9 FEB 2015**.

Please use the ISSF Online Registration Service <http://entry.issf-sports.info>, or exceptionally complete the Preliminary Entry Form (Annex 1) and return it by email or fax to the ISSF Headquarters.

Final Entries (ISSF Rule 3.7.3.2)

ISSF Member Federations must forward their Final Entries directly to the ISSF HQ. The Official Entry Deadline (30 days before the Official Arrival day) is **10 AUG 2015**.

Please use the ISSF Online Registration Service <http://entry.issf-sports.info>, or exceptionally complete the Final Entry Forms (Annex 3) and return them by email or fax to the ISSF Headquarters.

Late Entries (ISSF Rule 3.7.3.4)

Late Entries will only be accepted until the Final Entry Deadline (3 days before the Official Arrival day) which is **5 SEP 2015**, if maximum number of athlete entries have not been reached.

Any additional entries received after the Final Entry Deadline, from **6 SEP 2015** onwards, may not participate (**ISSF Rule 3.7.3.5**)

Entry Changes after the Final Entry Deadline

From **6 SEP 2015** onwards, only the following changes in the Final Entries are permitted:

- a) Replacement of a registered athlete by another already registered athlete in another event (**ISSF Rule 3.7.3.6**) can be made only before 12:00h the day before the Pre-Event Training for that event.

Entry Confirmation upon arrival

All Team Leaders of ISSF Member Federation delegations must report to the OC Entries Official and confirm the Final Entries. Entry confirmation must be completed before 12:00h the day before the Pre-Event Training.

Cancellation (ISSF Rule 3.7.4.3)

Any ISSF Member Federation reducing the number of athletes and / or officials after the Official Entry Deadline (**10 AUG 2015**) is obligated to pay all applicable fees and costs including entry fees according to the number of starts on the Final Entry Forms originally received. If the applicable fees and costs are not paid no member of that federation may participate.

Entry Fee (ISSF Rule 3.7.3.4.3 and 3.7.4)

The entry fees include all charges for registration, local transportation between shooting range and official hotels and doping control.

The Entry Fees DO NOT include the Pre-Event and Unofficial Trainings.

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Fee		Description
EUR	170.00	Final Entry Fee per athlete / per event
EUR	50.00	Final Entry Fee per official
EUR	50.00	Additional Late Entry Fee per athlete / per event
EUR	170.00	Cancellation Fee per athlete / per event
EUR	8.00	Training Fee per round Trap / Skeet (25 targets)
EUR	10.00	Training Fee per round Double Trap (30 targets)

Payment of Entry Fees

Registration and payment of the Entry fees will be carried out at the shooting range, or Swift prior to arrival.

Payments can be made either in Euro or US Dollars.

Credit cards or personal cheques will **not** be accepted.

Bank details for early transfer of funds:

Beneficiary:	COMITATO ORGANIZZATORE GARE DI TIRO A VOLO LONATO
Bank:	BANCA VALSABBINA SPS
Branch:	FILIALE DI LONATO D/G
Address	Piazza Martiri della Libertà - 25017 LONATO D/G (Brescia) Italy
C/Acc. Number	20424
ABI Code	5116
CAB code	54669
SWIFT Code	BCVAIT2VLON
IBAN	IT36 I 051 1654 6690 0000 0020 424

Payments for accommodation will be made directly with the hotels.

Accreditation Process

All persons involved in the ISSF World Championship (Athletes, Team Officials, ISSF Officials, OC Officials, Media) must have accreditations that clearly identify the accreditation holder (with photograph, family name and first name, nation and function) in order to use the local transportation and to enter controlled areas on the shooting range.

Accreditations (for persons registered before the Final Entry Deadline and with a photograph in the ISSF database) will be prepared by the ISSF Headquarters and Organizing Committee. All other accreditations will be prepared by the Accreditation Office of the ISSF World Championship.

Accreditations and BIB Numbers will be distributed by the Organizing Committee after payment of the entry fees.

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6. Shooting Range

The ISSF World Championship will take place at the “Trap Concaverde” Shooting Club in Lonato D/Garda (Brescia), Italy.

Address:

Trap Concaverde - Loc. La Basia

Via Slossaroli 1

25017 Lonato D/Garda (Brescia), Italy

Phone: +39-030-9990200

Fax: +39-030-9990210

E-mail: info@trapconcaverde.it

Web: www.trapconcaverde.it

Trap Concaverde is situated in the tourist Southern Garda Lake District, at a distance of 8 km from Desenzano, 15 km from the picturesque village of Sirmione, 30 km from downtown Brescia, 40 km from Verona.

The Shooting Range has seven (7) combined ranges for Trap/Double Trap/Skeet and 5 separate ranges for Trap/Double Trap.

The Shooting Club is equipped with Mattarelli and Serena machines and Elfipa acoustic release system. All the fields which will be used during the ISSF World Championship are equipped with Mattarelli machines.

The Skeet ranges operate with acoustic release system.

All ranges are equipped with Elfipa electronic scoreboards.

The firing direction of the shooting range is north/north east.

The targets used for the ISSF World Championship are Eurotarget standard orange for the Qualification and flash orange for the Finals.

7. Immigration and Customs Requirements

EU Nationals are able to enter Italy with a valid passport or with a valid ID Card.

Countries that require an Entry Visa for Italy should apply to the Italian Embassy/Consulate in their Country largely in advance before departure.

Those Federations who need a specific Invitation Letter to apply for a Sport Visa, must contact FITAV, Federazione Italiana Tiro a Volo, not later than 15 JUL 2015 (see annex II, list of the Nations who do need Visa)

E-mail: visa@fitav.it

Phone: +39-06-4523/5214 /5213 /5212

Fax: +39-06-4523/5250

The Italian Shooting Federation has no influence on the Embassies and will only be able to provide invitations for the period of the ISSF World Championship and eventual pre-event training.

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LIST OF THE COUNTRIES WHOSE NATIONALS NEED A VISA TO ENTER ITALY

Afghanistan - Algeria - Angola - Azerbaijan - Bahrain - Bangladesh - Belarus - Belize - Benin - Bhutan - Bolivia - Botswana - Burkina Faso - Burundi - Cambodia - Cameroun - Capo Verde - Centre Africa - Ciad - China - Colombia - Comores - Congo - Congo (Democratic Republic) - Cuba - Dominica - Dominican Republic - Ecuador - Egypt - Eritrea - Ethiopia - Fiji - Gabon - Gambia - Georgia - Ghana - Gibuti - Grenada - Grenadines - Guinea - Guinea Bissau - Guinea Equat. - Guyana - Haiti - India - Indonesia - Iran - Iraq - Ivory Coast - Jamaica - Jordan - Kazakhstan - Kenya - Kingdom of Saudi Arabia - Kirghizstan - Kiribati - Kosovo - Northern Korea - Kuwait - Laos - Lebanon - Lesotho - Liberia - Libia - Madagascar - Malawi - Maldives - Mali - Marshall - Mauritania - Micronesia - Mongolia - Morocco - Mozambique - Myanmar - Namibia - Nauru - Nepal - Niger - Nigeria - Oman - Pakistan - Palau - Palestine Authority - Papua New Guinea - Peru - Philippines - Qatar - Ruanda - Russia - Santa Lucia - Saint Vincent - Salomon - Western Samoa - Sao Tomé & Prince - Senegal - Sierra Leone - Syria - Somalia - South Africa - Sri Lanka - Sudan - Surinam - Swaziland - Tajikstan - Tanzania - Thailand - Eastern Timor - Togo - Tonga - Trinidad & Tobago - Tunisia - Turkey - Turkmenistan - Tuvalu - Uganda - Ukraine - United Arab Emirates - Uzbekistan - Vanuatu - Vietnam - Yemen - Zambia - Zimbabwe

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Customs formalities, import of Firearms

A max. of three (3) shotguns and 1.200 cartridges are allowed to enter in Italy.

Owners of an European Firearms Passport (European Firearms Certificate) might import to Italy their firearms without an auxiliary permission, however they are requested to fill in the "Firearm & Ammunition form" as in some airports like Linate and Malpensa the Police, in addition to the CEAF Certificate, requires the same procedure as for Non-European Citizens.

Therefore, to all the athletes who will participate in the World Championship, the Organizing Committee, immediately upon receipt of the "Firearms & Ammunition Form" duly filled in, will send the FITAV permit to be shown at the Police and Customs upon arrival in Italy.

All the athletes traveling by plane will have to fill in an additional double copy declaration on arrival at the Italian airport. (As usual we shall prepare it on their behalf).

This form, together with the FITAV permit, at departure from Italy, must be returned to the Police Officers.

[This paragraph might be subject to amendments independently from the means of transport. In that case, the Organizing Committee will immediately inform all the ISSF Member Federations.](#)

Non-European Union citizens are also suggested to take with them a copy of their passport which will be handed to the Police station together with the other forms at arrival, in order to speed the procedure.

Please DO NOT send any passport copy to the Organizing Committee

Police and Customs firearms formalities will take place upon arrival at the first airport on Italian National Territory and at the last one at departure.

Useful Information on the carriage of shotguns on International Flights

As a rule before issuing any ticket the travel agency appointed to book the flights should make sure that both ammunition and the firearms are accepted on board the aircraft till the final destination.

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The approval should appear on the electronic ticket (on the PNR Passengers Name Record) or on a separate message sent to the travel agency by the Airline Company.

The rules governing the carriage of ammunition and firearms appertain to the Carrier who owns the aircraft therefore in case of flights made in code-sharing, the approval must come from both companies even if on the ticket the abbreviation of only one Company appears (i.e. AZ - AF - CA, EI, LH, etc).

Normally, the final decision to accept firearms and ammunition on board comes from the Captain but once you have the "OK" on your flight ticket, the Company is responsible for having your firearms sent to destination.

In case of indirect flights it is advisable to consider a connection of at least two hours. Upon landing at the first airport, report to the information counter and make sure that your firearms have arrived and will be taken on board of the connecting flight.

Still in case of indirect flights, avoid booking them with two different Airline Companies as most of the times, the firearms will be discharged at the first airport and the owners will have to collect them and make a new check-in. That, provided the local Police and Customs Authority do not cause problems of licenses, will probably cost extra security and boarding tax and, sometimes, extra-baggage fees. If passengers are not informed they risk arriving at the final destination without knowing that their guns have not been loaded on the connecting flight and are laying in the previous airport.

In many Countries even if passengers are in transit and the baggage is labeled till destination, the control of firearms is made at the first airport of arrival; in others, the control is made at the first airport of arrival in the Nation passenger are headed for.

This is why it is advisable to ask your travel agency for collecting as much information as possible before departure, then, keep the situation under control step by step.

All firearms and ammunition must be declared while making flight reservation and at check-in and follow the procedure reserved to these special articles. It is a big mistake to pack them into normal bags and dispatch them into normal baggage because in case of loss it will be very difficult to find the firearms and, last but not least, owners will be liable to heavy fines.

As for Italy, Police and Customs formalities for ammunition and firearms must be dispatched at the first airport of arrival on the Italian Territory. They will be taken by the Security guards to the Police station located inside the international area where each gun holder will collect them and, if the airport of arrival is not the same of destination, it will be necessary to make a new police control and a new check-in in the domestic departure area.

To avoid such a big trouble, we suggest all the athletes direct to Lonato Del Garda to book their flights in order to land directly at one of the Northern airports listed in section 9 of this General Information even if not all of them are considered as "official airports" for the event.

Firearm Security Tax – Firearm Boarding Tax

At departure from Itat depending on the different Airline Companies, airport and destination, passengers will be charged a "Firearm Tax" and/or an additional "Security Tax" for their shotguns. At Verona airport the "Security tax" is charged also at arrival.

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8. Accommodation

Official Hotels

The Delegations will be accommodated at 3*** and 4**** star hotels situated at a distance of 8/13 km from the Shooting Range.

The structure and size of the hotels in the Southern Garda Lake area is such that no single hotel or small number of hotels is able to supply the necessary number of rooms for accommodating all the participants of an important event such as the ISSF World Championship. Taking into consideration this limitation, the Organizing Committee has been compelled, as usual, to book several hotels that are, in any case, comfortable and close to each other.

All all the official hotels are facilitated with wi-fi connection; in most of them the service is free.

Rates are intended per room per night and include buffet breakfast, service and tax.

The Tourist Tax recently introduced is not included. It amounts to EUR 0,80/1,00 per person per night.

All the official hotels less than DUNANT HOTEL are situated in Desenzano and Padenghe towns, in front or near the Garda Lake at a driving distance of 10/15 minutes from the Shooting Range.

Hotel Dunant is situated in the countryside of Castiglione delle Stiviere (MN) at the distance of 7,5 km (10 minutes drive) from the Shooting Range, 16 km from Desenzano.

Due to the location it is more suitable to the delegations having their own means of transport (for the free time).

List of the Official Hotels

Relais Sant'Emiliano 4****	## °°	www.santemiliano.it	9 km from the range	
Dus Standard		Dbl/Twin Standard	Jr suite side lake view Dus	Jr suite side lake view Twin
EUR 105,00		EUR 145,00	EUR 150,00	EUR 215,00
More luxury category: on request!!!				
Best Western Hotel Oliveto 4****	##	www.hoteloliveto.it	7.5 km from the range	
Dus		Dbl/Twin	Triple	
EUR 110,00		EUR 180,00	on request	
Hotel Dunant 4****	\$\$	www.dunanthotel.it	7.5 km from the range	
Dus		Dbl/Twin	Triple	
EUR 75,00		EUR 85,00	EUR 105,00 on request	
Park Hotel 4****	##	www.parkhotelonline.it	8 km from the range	
Dus		Dbl/Twin	Executive 1-2 pax	Prestige 1-2 pax
EUR 170,00 - EUR 200,00		EUR 170,00 - EUR 200,00	EUR 210,00	EUR 240,00 – EUR 255,00

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Hotel Residence Villa Maria 4****		##	www.villamaria.tv	11,6 km from the range		
Sgl zzz	Dus	Dbl/Twin	Triple*	4 bed room*	3 pcs cottage	Suite**
EUR 135,00	EUR 155,00	EUR 170,00	1-2 pax	1-2 pax	1-2 pax	1-2 pax
* each added person in triple / 4 bed room / cottage EUR 40,00 p. day ** each added person in suite EUR 60,00 p. p. day						
Hotel Villa Rosa 4****		##	www.villarosahotel.eu	8 km from the range		
Dus		Dbl/Twin		Jr suite	Jr suite	
EUR 170,00 - EUR 190,00		EUR 200,00 - EUR 225,00		1 pax	2 pax	
				EUR 220,00	EUR 290,00	
Hotel West Garda 4****		##	www.westgardahotel.com	9 km from the range		
Dus		Dbl/Twin		Triple		
EUR 120,00		EUR 160,00		EUR 192,00		
Hotel Nazionale 3***			www.hotelnazionaledesenzano.it	8 km from the range		
Dus		Dbl/Twin		Triple		
EUR 150,00		EUR 190,00		EUR 240,00		
Hotel Bonotto 3*** (completely restyled)			www.hotelbonottodesenzano.it	8 km from the range		
Sgl xx	Dus	Dbl/Twin		Triple		
EUR 100,00	EUR 125,00	EUR 140,00		EUR 185,00		
Hotel Benaco 3***			www.hotelbenaco.com	8 km from the range		
Dus		Dbl/Twin		Triple		
EUR 95,00		EUR 135,00		EUR 165,00		
Hotel City 3***			www.cityhoyeldelgarda.com	8 km from the range		
Dus		Dbl/Twin		Triple	Jr suite	
EUR 85,00		EUR 125,00		EUR 155,00	1-2 pax	
				EUR 145,00		
Hotel Enrichetta 3***		##	www.hotelenrichetta.com	11,5 km from the range		
Dus		Dbl/Twin		Triple		
EUR 89,00		EUR 125,00		EUR 165,00		
Hotel Europa 3***		##	www.desenzanohoteleuropa.com	8 km from the range		
Sgl xx	Dus	Dbl/Twin		Triple		
EUR 62,00	EUR 82,00	EUR 104,00		EUR 124,00		
Hotel Giardinetto 3***			www.hotel-giardinetto.com	8 km from the range		
Dus		Dbl/Twin		Triple		
EUR 85,00		EUR 125,00		EUR 160,00		



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Hotel Vittorio 3***	www.hotelvittorio.it	8 km from the range	
Sgl xx	Dus	Dbl/Twin	Triple
EUR 75,00	EUR 98,00	EUR 120,00	EUR 155,00
Hotel Albergo al Cacciatore 3***	www.albergoalcacciatore.it	7 km from the range	
Sgl xx	Dus	Dbl/Twin	Triple
EUR 60,00	EUR 80,00	EUR 95,00	EUR 125,00

Legend:

Dus Double single use

hotel facilitated with restaurant

§§ the hotel has an arrangement with a restaurant at 100 m distance -
for a minimum of 10 people the hotel can offer from their kitchen a fixed selected menu
at a reasonable price.

oo Relais Sant'Emiliano rates include the access at the SPA: standard room from Monday
to Friday / Junior Suite: all days

zzz Two units only having bed large 110 cm

xx The real single rooms are very very few and have one single bed.

Reservations will be made through the Organizing Committee and would be on a first come, first serve basis.

IMPORTANT!

- 1) The Garda Lake area in September is considered very high season, moreover, due to Expo 2015 and to other important events which will take place in Northern Italy at the same time, the hotel situation is **very** sensible so, be aware that the "goodwill regulations" for late cancellations, no-shows or earlier check-out, will **not** be possible.
Rooms requested before the official dates should be booked very early.
We also recommend to send the hotel reservation forms by the deadline as we cannot guarantee for rooms after that date.

- 2) We would like to remind all Delegations that it **is strictly forbidden** to cook in the hotel rooms.

Preliminary Hotel Reservations must be effected by: **24 APR 2015**

Final Hotel Reservations must be effected by: **24 JUN 2015**

Payments have to be made directly to the hotels.

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A 50% deposit by **24 JUL 2015** is mandatory.
No reservation will be considered without the requested amount received in the terms.
The balance will be settled upon arrival or swift in advance.
All bank fees are at the participants expense.
Any change or cancellation must be notified to the Organizing Committee.

Penalty Fees for cancellation

-free cancellation is possible till **24 JUL 2015**.

-**from 25 JUL to 8 AUG 2015** the penalty is 50% of the total cost for any reserved and then cancelled room.

-**from 9 AUG to 31 AUG 2015** the penalty is 75% of the total cost for any reserved and then cancelled room .

-**from 1 SEP 2015 onwards**, the penalty fee will be equal to the 100% of the total cost for any reserved and then cancelled or not occupied room.

NO penalty fee for cancellation will be charged by the hotels in case the Organizing Committee can replace the cancelled reservations with others.

Food Service at the Shooting Range.

The Shooting Club has full restaurant and bar facilities offering excellent food and beverages at reasonable prices, anytime from early morning to the night. (new family-run)

9. Travel and Transportation

Travel – Arrival

Trap Concoverde can be reached by:

Car	Highway A4 Milano-Venezia, exit: Desenzano Then turn to the right and proceed for 5 km
Train	Milano-Venezia line, stop: Desenzano
Plane	Milano Malpensa (MXP), Milano Linate (LIN) Bergamo (BGY), Verona Villafranca (VRN)

Airport pick up – Transportation to the Official Hotels (and return for departure)

As all intercontinental flights land and take off at/from Malpensa airport, this is considered the Official airport for the ISSF World Championship 2015.

MILANO MALPENSA (MXP) - the distance to the range is 180 km.

Round trip from/to Malpensa airport and the Official hotels, will be arranged by the OC

The transportation fee amounts to EUR 50,00 per Person.

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The service will be active as from **Wednesday 8 SEP 2015 to Friday 18 SEP 2015.**

The Delegations deciding to arrive before **8 SEP 2015** or leave after **18 SEP 2015** will have to make their own arrangements otherwise, on request, the Organizing Committee will organize assistance and/or transportation at the Delegations' expense.

On request, at the Delegations' expense, the Organizing Committee will also arrange transportation from/to the other airports nearby (Bergamo - Milano Linate and Verona).

All transportation services requested in the "Final Travel Form", not cancelled within three (3) days before arrival, will be applicable by the Organizing Committee according to the number of passengers appearing in the "Final Travel Form" for which the service has been required.

No assistance or transportation will be provided to the participants lodged in unofficial hotels.

Local Transportation – Shuttle Service

Local transportation between the official hotels and the shooting range will be arranged by the Organizing Committee as from **9 SEP 2015**.

In case of accommodation in unofficial hotels, the local transportation has to be arranged by the participants.

Car Rentals are available at the airports and downtown Desenzano.

In Desenzano you can apply to:

- **EUROCAR**
Viale Marconi, 13
tel. +39 030 9911718
e-mail info@autonoleggioeurocar.it
- **EUROPCAR NIKAD Associati**
Via C. Rambotti, 17
tel. 9991777
email itsmdlzc02@europcar.com

10. Competition Related Procedures at the Shooting Range

Technical Meeting

The Technical Meeting will take place on 10 SEP 2015 at the shooting range.

Each participating ISSF Member Federation should have at least one representative present to receive updated information regarding Final Competition Schedule (including Training Schedule), draw procedures and other important issues related to the ISSF World Championship.

Storage of Firearms and Ammunition

Storage of guns and ammunition is available at the armory on the shooting range. Athletes are also permitted to take their shotguns in the hotel room provided they do not let them unattended.

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Ammunition

The Italian Customs Authority will allow each athlete to import a maximum of 1.200 cartridges which will be used for the competition.

The use of steel pellets is not allowed. A wide range of local and international ammunition will be available for sale at the shooting club.

Athletes traveling by air, on departing from Italy will be allowed to re-export a maximum quantity of 125 cartridges only, packed into a single ammunition case which must not exceed 5 kg. in weight, provided that the quantity declared on arrival into Italy, is in excess of this amount.

Doping Control Tests

The Organizing Committee will conduct Doping Controls Tests according to the ISSF Anti-Doping Rules and the ISSF Test Distribution Plan under the supervision of the ISSF Technical Delegate.

11. Ceremonies

Opening and Closing Ceremony

The Opening Ceremony will take place on 10 SEP 2015, late afternoon (further details will follow).

The Closing Ceremony will take place on 17 SEP 2015, after the last Victory Ceremony. A closing buffet will follow.

Victory Ceremony

The Victory Ceremonies will take place at the shooting range immediately after the end of each Finals (see also: Final Competition Schedule).

During the ceremonies the athletes are required to present themselves in their official national uniform or national tracksuits (tops and bottoms).

Flags and Anthems

Each participating nation is required to bring three (3) national flags (approx. size cm. 100x150) and (1) national anthem on standard CD (40-50 seconds).

12. Weather Information

The climate conditions in September are normally very pleasant and warm. The average temperature is expected to be 25° degrees Celsius during the day and 20° degrees Celsius in the night.

13. Media Relations

All Media representatives must register for the ISSF World Championship by using the Media Accreditation Form (Annex 9).

Press conference will take place prior, during and at the end of the ISSF World Championship.

Press and Television service will be given during the ISSF World Championship.

The contact person for media facilities is Miss Laura Almici

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Onsite Media facilities: the press room is equipped with all the facilities required (fax machines, copy machine, Wi-Fi and cable internet connections, electrical outlets for PC, pigeonholes for information, start lists, results, bulletins, a sufficient number of work spaces, etc.

Athlete Biographies will be distributed and photos will be taken. Each Team Leader will be kindly required to check the folder and return it to the office of the Organizing Committee.

All Finals will be covered by ISSF TV and will be displayed on the ISSF website www.issf-sports.org.

14. Industry Service

Various industry services and exhibitors will be present during the ISSF World Championship. Please contact the Organizing Committee for information concerning the stands and areas which will be supplied at reasonable prices.

15. Annexes

All necessary Registration Forms are attached to this General Information.

16. Summary of Deadlines

The Summary of Deadlines is attached to this General Information.

17. Social and Cultural Activities

The Garda Lake is coasted by pretty and historical villages easy to visit by car, by bus, by boat (departure/arrival Desenzano Harbour). Of easy access the towns of Brescia, Mantova, Venice. Verona and Milano,

The most important event that the city of Milano will host in 2015 is EXPO. The Organizing Committee will do of their best to arrange some trips for the Official, Guests and Athletes who want to visit the exhibition during the ISSF World Championship.

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TO THE KIND ATTENTION OF ALL ISSF MEMBER FEDERATIONS

INVITATION

Dear Friends,

The Federazione Italiana Tiro a Volo and the Organizing Committee are pleased to invite you to participate in the

ISSF World Championship Shotgun Lonato 2015

Which will take place from 9th to 18th September 2015 at the Olympic Shooting Range “Trap Concaverde” in Lonato (Brescia), Italy.

Enclosed herewith please find the General Information, Preliminary Competition Schedule and Registration Forms which are also available on the ISSF website www.issf-sports.org and the Organizing Committee www.trapvoncaverde.it

All participating federations are asked to complete the registration forms and return them by the set deadlines.

Please use the ISSF Online Registration Service <http://entry.issf-sports.info> to make your Preliminary and Final Entries for Athletes and Officials directly online.

We hope to welcome all ISSF Member Federations and making the ISSF World Championship Lonato 2015 a successful competition.

With best regards,

Luciano Rossi
President of the Italian Shooting Federation

Ivan Carella
President of the Organizing Committee

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PRELIMINARY COMPETITION SCHEDULE

Date / Day	Time	Details
9 th September / Wednesday		Arrival of Delegations
10 th September / Thursday		Equipment Control Consultation Service Trap Pre-Event Training Trap Men & Women & Junior Technical Meeting Opening Ceremony
11 th September / Friday		Qualification Trap Men – Day 1 Qualification Trap Men Junior – Day 1 Qualification Trap Women Qualification Trap Women Junior Finals Trap Women Finals Trap Women Junior Victory Ceremony Trap Women & Women Junior
12 th September / Saturday		Qualification Trap Men – Day 2 Qualification Trap Men Junior – Day 2 Finals Trap Men Finals Trap Men Junior Victory Ceremony Trap Men & Men Junior Equipment Control Consultation Service Skeet Pre-Event Training Skeet Women & Women Junior
13 th September / Sunday		Qualification Skeet Women Qualification Skeet Women Junior Finals Skeet Women Finals Skeet Women Junior Victory Ceremony Skeet Women & Women Junior Equipment Control Consultation Service Double Trap Pre-Event Training Double Trap Men & Women & Junior
14 th September / Monday		Qualification Double Trap Men Qualification Double Trap Men Junior Competition Double Trap Women Competition Double Trap Women Junior Finals Double Trap Men Finals Double Trap Men Junior Victory Ceremony Double Trap Men & Women & Junior
15 th September / Tuesday		Equipment Control Consultation Service Skeet Pre-Event Training Skeet Men & Men Junior
16 th September / Wednesday		Qualification Skeet Men – Day 1 Qualification Skeet Men Junior – Day 1
17 th September / Thursday		Qualification Skeet Men – Day 2 Qualification Skeet Men Junior – Day 2 Finals Skeet Men Finals Skeet Men Junior Victory Ceremony Skeet Men & Men Junior Closing Ceremony Farewell buffet dinner
18 th September / Friday		Departure of Delegations



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SUMMARY OF DEADLINES

ANNEX	FORM	RETURN TO	DEADLINE
1	Preliminary Entry Form	ISSF Headquarters http://entry.issf-sports.info	9 FEB 2015
2	Preliminary Hotel Form	Organizing Committee mtservice1@virgilio.it Fax: +39-030-2593199	24 APR 2015
3.2	Final Entry Form Athletes SH	ISSF Headquarters http://entry.issf-sports.info	10 AUG 2015
3.3	Final Entry Form Officials	ISSF Headquarters http://entry.issf-sports.info	10 AUG 2015
4	Final Travel Form	Organizing Committee mtservice1@virgilio.it Fax: +39-030-2593199	30 JUL 2015
5	Final Hotel Reservation Form	Organizing Committee mtservice1@virgilio.it Fax: +39-030-2593199	24 JUN 2015
6	Final Rooming List Form	Organizing Committee mtservice1@virgilio.it Fax: +39-030-2593199	10 AUG 2015
7	VISA Support Form	F.I.T.A.V. visa@fitav.it Fax: +39-06-45235250	15 JUL 2015
8	Firearm and Ammunition Form	Organizing Committee mtservice1@virgilio.it Fax: +39-030-2593199	30 JUL 2015
9	Media Accreditation Form	Organizing Committee mtservice1@virgilio.it Fax: +39-030-2593199	10 AUG 2015

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Please register on-line at: <http://entry.issf-sports.info>

(Or use exceptionally Fax to ISSF Headquarters at +49-89-544355-44)

PRELIMINARY ENTRY FORM	Please return by 9 FEB 2015
name of federation	nation
contact person	phone number
e-mail address	fax number

ATHLETES			
events men	number of starts	events women	number of starts
Trap Men		Trap Women	
Double Trap Men		Double Trap Women	
Skeet Men		Skeet Women	
events men junior		events women junior	
Trap Men Junior		Trap Women Junior	
Double Trap Men Junior		Double Trap Women Junior	
Skeet Men Junior		Skeet Women Junior	

OFFICIALS	number of officials
Team officials and media persons	

Total number of athletes _____

Total number of officials _____

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PRELIMINARY HOTEL FORM	Please return by 24 APR 2015
name of federation	nation
contact person	phone number
e-mail address	fax number

hotel choice	no	Please indicate the hotel in order of preference
	1	
	2	
	3	

room choice	room type	number of rooms
	single	
	double/twin	
	triple	

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FINAL TRAVEL FORM	Please return by	to Organizing Committee
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travel information					
arrival			departure		
airport	rail	car	airport	rail	car
date			date		
time			time		
flight no.			flight no.		
from (airport)			from (airport)		
no. of persons			no. of persons		

Local transfer from airport to the official hotel(s) and back at arrival / departure is required?

YES NO

Separate forms must be submitted for individual athletes or groups of athletes who will travel on different schedules and on different dates!



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FINAL HOTEL RESERVATION FORM	Please return by	to Organizing Committee
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hotel choice	no	Please indicate the hotel in order of preference
	1	
	2	
	3	

room choice	room type	number of rooms	number of nights	day of arrival	day of departure
	single				
	double/twin				
	triple				

Note:

Date

Signature of Team Leader



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FIREARM AND AMMUNITION FORM	Please return by	to Organizing Committee
<p>Please fill out and sign this form and fax it to the Organizing Committee. <u>Please use one form for each athlete.</u></p>	30 JUL 2015	<p>Maria Teresa Imperatori Phone: +39-030-2593099 +39-335-8218079 Fax: +39-030-2593199 E-mail: mtservice1@virgilio.it Web: www.trapconcoverde.it</p>

information		
family name	first name	
country	nationality	
date of birth	place of birth	
residential address		
passport number	place of issue	date of expiry

for European Certificate holders':		
EFC number	date and place of issue	Date of expiry

firearms			
Model	manufacturer	serial number	gauge / caliber

firearms			
	spare parts	manufacturer	quantity
barrels			
stocks			

ammunition		
Quantity	manufacturer	gauge / caliber

travel information			
arrival date	flight number	arrival time	carrier
departure date	flight number	departure time	carrier

Note:

Date

Signature of Athlete



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MEDIA ACCREDITATION FORM	Please return by	to Organizing Committee
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Please check the applicable media:	TV	RADIO	AGENCY	MAGAZINE	PHOTO	JOURNALIST	OTHERS

information			
family name	first name		
media			
AIPS member and card no.	yes	no	card number
passport number	place of issue		date of expiry
address			
phone number	fax number		
mobile number	e-mail address		
comments			

hotel

travel information						
arrival				departure		
airport	rail	car		airport	rail	car
date				date		
time				time		
flight no.				flight no.		
from (airport)				from (airport)		

Local transfer from airport to the official hotel(s) and back at arrival / departure is required?

YES NO

Date

Signature of Team Leader