









FIRST INVITATION - EAP BIELLA XIX MEETING GOMITOLO DI LANA EAP – U18

Dear EAP Delegates,

In compliance with the objectives of the EAP, athletes, and their coaches (EAP Member Delegation) are invited at **Donnas** (AO, Italy), on **June 15, 2024**, at Stadio Crestella to participate at:

"XIX Meeting Gomitolo di Lana, EAP – U18"

As you can read from the title, it is an **EAP U18 Meeting**, to which we have added some additional Senior events.

All athletes can participate at **two events** + 1 **Relay**.

EAP EVENTS

U14 W: 60m - 600mU14 M: 60m - 600m

U16 W: 80m – 300m – Shot Put U16 M: 80m – 300m – Shot Put

U18 W: 100m – 200m – 800m – Discus Throw (1 kg) – High Jump – Long Jump U18 M: 100m – 200m – 800m – Discus Throw (1,5 kg) – Pole Vault – Long Jump

ADDITIONAL EVENTS

Women: 100m - 200m - 800m - Discus Throw (1 kg) - High Jump - Long Jump - 4 x 100 Men: 100m - 200m - 800m - Discus Throw (2 kg) - Pole Vault - Long Jump - 4 x 100

REIMBURSEMT CRITERIA

Our Meeting is a **small meeting**; therefore, our minimum budget for EAP travel reimbursements will be €1.500. We will accept and then reimburse the delegations who will come to Biella-Donnas according to this **priority system**:

- First, the EAP delegations who will bring U18 athletes who respect the U18 EAP internal standards (with the exception for the RDP delegates).
- Second, the EAP delegations who will bring U18 athletes who do not respect the U18 EAP internal standards (depending on the budget remained).

- Third, the EAP delegations who will bring Absolute athletes who respect the Absolute EAP internal standards (depending on the budget remained).

To participate at our Meeting, no **standard** is required, except for EAP athletes.

REGISTRATION

Registrations are now open and the **EAP closing date** to participate in any of our events is **May 15**, **2024.** If you are interested in participating, please fill out the following Google Form:

Registration Form

Once the main responsible has sent the registration, it is up to the Meeting Organizer to accept the athletes or not, according to the criteria explained above.

In case we accept your delegation, but we do not receive confirmation from you, the registration of the Member Delegation will be cancelled.

We are not obliged to reimburse travel for confirmed athletes or delegations who, for whatever reason, do not make the planned trip. The athlete(s) or delegation(s) is/are required to take trip cancellation insurance.

MEETING-DAY

The day of the Meeting, all athletes must **confirm their registration** at least **60 minutes** before their event, saying their first and last name in the proper confirmation desk inside the stadium, and only for 800m event athletes will get their bib number.

Athletes who are not confirmed cannot participate at the events.

Athletes who will run the different races are invited to the **Call Room** 20 minutes before the event starts. All the other athletes are invited directly at jumps/throws platform 30 minutes before the event starts.

Each race will be dived into different heats, from the slowest ones to the faster ones.

Each event of throwing and jumping will have 3 qualification throws/jumps and then other 3 final throws/jumps for the best eight U18 and Senior athletes.

It will work **electric timing** and the **results** will be displayed at the stadium and published via the internet on the Fidal website.

Updates at the stadium and via social (Facebook and Instagram pages). Anyway, one of the Meeting Organizers will be in direct contact with you for all the period of your stay.

Access to the track is permitted only for athletes and authorized throwing and pole vault coaches.

TIMETABLE

Up to today, timetable is provisional. Competitions will start at 14.30 (CET).

The official timetable will be officially published and communicated after the closing date (June 12, 2024).

PRIZES

The first 3 athletes of each female and male event will be awarded. Eventually, other prizes will be communicated on the Meeting Day.

In case some athletes will beat the EAP Senior records, the prize money will be of €400,00. U18 athletes who will beat EAP records cannot receive money according to the Italian law, tough they will receive another rewarding prize.

ACCOMMODATION

This is the hotel website where delegations will be hosted. Hotel Carla

Athletes will be accompanied at the stadium by Member Organizers.

MAP OF SHUTTLE SERVICES

• Airport:

The closest airport is Milano Malpensa (this is the one we suggest you). Then you can also flight to Torino Caselle or Milano Bergamo.

Connections from Milano Malpensa to Rho Fiera Milano.

Connections from Milano Bergamo to Rho Fiera Milano.

• Train:

The closest train station is at Donnas in Via Roma, 58.

• Car/bus:

E25 highway, exit Pont Saint Martin.

SS26 (national road).

We kindly ask you to directly contact the Meeting Organizer to get more information about shuttle services.

TOURIST INFORMATION

If you are interested in visiting Donnas and its neighborhood, we suggest you the *Forte di Bard* fortress https://www.fortedibard.it/ or to follow this web-guide TripAdvisor.

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We wait you at Donnas!