

**GIRO DELLE DOLOMITI – DOLOMITEN RADRUNDFAHRT 2012  
REGULATIONS**

**1. General features**

The sport association Giro delle Dolomiti - Dolomiten Radrundfahrt is organising the 36<sup>th</sup> tourist cycle Giro of the Dolomites, that will allow different choices:

- a) **Complete Giro**: 6 stages from July 29<sup>th</sup> to August 4<sup>th</sup> 2012 (no races are foreseen on Wednesday, August 1<sup>st</sup>);
- b) **Short Giro**: 3 stages from August 2<sup>th</sup> to August 4<sup>th</sup> 2012. The courses of this Short Giro will be the same foreseen in the same days for the complete Giro in 6 stages, but with separate classified results;
- c) **Participation in single stages**.

**2. Participants**

Participation is open to competitors – tourists or amateurs, men or women – holding a licence valid for the current year. Junior applicants (less than 15 years) shall not be admitted.

The use of the microchip is compulsory to allow timing and controls. Microchips can be hired against deposit.

**3. Entries**

Permit applications must be sent not later than July 21<sup>st</sup> 2012. They shall be made using the attached standard release. A copy of appropriate fee(s) must be included. Entries shall be sent to:

**- postal address:**

A.S. GIRO DELLE DOLOMITI – DOLOMITEN RADRUNDFAHRT  
VIA VITTORIO VENETO , 5 - 39100 BOLZANO

**- fax number:** +39-0471-270443

**- internet site:** [www.girodolomiti.com](http://www.girodolomiti.com)

**- e-mail address:** [girodol@girodolomiti.com](mailto:girodol@girodolomiti.com)

It is preferable for entries to be sent by associations.

Anyway it is possible to make registration **directly via internet**, using the specific online function.

**4. Entry fee**

**a) Complete Giro (6 stages)** : the entry fee is € 190. The fee includes one gadget, the logistic support, feeding and other expenses. The entry fee is € 200 if transferred later than July 21<sup>st</sup> 2012.

**b) Short Giro (3 stages: 4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup>)**: the entry fee is € 110. The fee includes one gadget, the logistic support, feeding and other expenses. The entry fee is € 120 if transferred later than July 21<sup>st</sup> 2012.

**c) Single stages**: the entry fee for every stage is € 40; applications must be submitted not later than 6.00 p.m. on the previous day.

Riders participating in single races shall be entitled to the gadget only if they run and conclude at least 3 stages.

Entry fees shall be paid:

by **bank transfer** to A.S. Giro delle Dolomiti - Dolomiten Radrundfahrt  
Cassa di Risparmio di Bolzano  
IBAN: IT98 T 06045 11600 000005001882 (national payments);

BIC: CRBZIT2B090 - IBAN: IT98 T 06045 11600 000005001882 (**foreign payments**);  
(in case of payment by bank transfer from abroad, please specify: "**NO COSTS BORNE BY BENEFICIARY**")

Failure to participate in the race entitles competitors to a 50% refund, at the discretion of the organising committee. Written refund requests shall be sent not later than September 15<sup>th</sup> 2012.

5. **Safety rules**

The competition is an amateur cycle race, subject to the relevant U.C.I. rules.  
TRAFFIC WILL NOT BE PROHIBITED DURING THE RACE. RIDERS MUST THEREFORE OBEY ALL TRAFFIC RULES IN FORCE. IT IS MANDATORY FOR RIDERS TO WEAR HELMETS.

Riders will be escorted by ambulances, support cars and vehicles to be used for links.

6. **Logistics**

The organising committee of the event is responsible for supplying refreshment stands along the lap routes, on the sites indicated for each stage (accompanying relatives are entitled to refreshment against purchase of luncheon vouchers).

Participants will reach Alba di Canazei on July 30<sup>th</sup> using their own cars. Buses anyhow shall be made available for payment by the organising committee.

Booking is possible directly in the hotels suggested (see advertising material) or through the Tourist Office of Bolzano at the following tel. number: +39-0471-307000/01/02 or fax number: +39-0471-980128.

7. **Licence check and preparatory meetings**

**a) Complete Giro (6 stages):** Licence check and preparatory meetings are scheduled on Saturday, July 28<sup>th</sup>, from 09.00 a.m. to 1.00 p.m. and from 2.00 p.m. to 6.00 p.m. at Fiera di Bolzano, Piazza Fiera n. 1.

**b) Short Giro (3 stages):** Licence check and preparatory meetings are scheduled on Wednesday, August 1<sup>st</sup>, from 09.00 a.m. to 1.00 p.m. and from 2.00 p.m. to 6.00 p.m. at Fiera di Bolzano, Piazza Fiera n. 1.

On such occasion:

- participant shall produce the documents mentioned at letter (a) of Art. 9, as well as an identity document;
- the president of the association or a legal representative shall submit a list of participants and, if so asked by the Jury, present official racing licences as per letter (b) of Art. 9;
- the Italian competitors shall give written consent to the use of their personal data, in compliance with law 31/12/1996 n. 675, for the purposes connected with the carrying out of the race;
- competitors will receive packets with the bike number which shall be visibly displayed on the handlebar, the back number, maps and profiles of the courses, organisation procedures, meal vouchers, the gadget, fact files for each stretch and a small number plate. The latter is to be attached to the sack for clothes to be carried to the arrival venue of timed stretches.

8. **Technical features**

There is a section in every stage which is 'free speed' and for which timing is foreseen.

Race results (by category and overall) shall be announced each evening to all riders who complete the entire race.

The results of each free speed timed section and the accumulated time for the six stages will be summarized at the end of the stage tour, according to U.C.I. categories. Also for the participants in the **Short Giro** (3 stages) will be drawn up daily race results (by category and overall); of course the final results will be calculated summarizing the results of the 3 stages.

**To be included in the final results (by category and overall) at the end of the tour riders must complete every stage (6 for the Complete Giro, 3 for the Short Giro).**

The electronic timing system will be used for timing and controls.

The organising committee reserves the right to alter the conditions of any stage, if necessary, in the interest of safety or when otherwise appropriate to successfully carry out the event.

As for clothes to be carried to the arrival venue please note:

- the service is available only after the timed stretch;
- the sack shall be deposited 15' before the race start at the start venue.
- the organizing committee is not liable in case of loss of the clothes bag, because it is a service free of charge and optional for the participants.

## 9. Checking points and awarding of prizes

### Controls

**a)** all participants must be members of a cycling association regularly enrolled with the national cycling federation (of the relative country) and/or with another organisation for the promotion of sport recognised by the National Olympic Committee, and must hold the relative official membership card of the Federation (or, for Italian participants, that of the relative sports promotion organisation), valid for the current year;

**b)** the president, or his/her representative, of the cycling association must provide for the said membership cards should these be requested by the Jury;

**c)** riders shall cross all checking points visibly scattered along the route, under penalty of disqualification. Crossing will be recorded by means of an electronic timing device. It will be not valid to pass before the referee's car.

### Classified results and awarding of prizes for participants in the Complete Giro, 6 stages

Two place-list of associations (**only for the Complete Giro - 6 stages**) will be drawn up: **1)** "place list **on merits**" and **2)** "place list **on representation**", that is to say:

**1) The "Giro delle Dolomiti" Trophy** – will be awarded to the association taking first place in the ranking on merits, calculated as follows:

- for every stage, the sum of the 5 best points obtained by the competitors of the association, regardless of category
- the points will be calculated by dividing the time of the first competitor of the category by the time of the single competitor and then multiplying the result by 1000;
- all competitors who have contributed to the achievement of the aforesaid point sum, even if only on one single stage, must have completed the entire race (6 stages);

**2) The Representation Trophy** - all the associations, with at least 5 members, who have completed the entire race, compete for this Cup. The classification will be drawn up as follows:

- 1 point for each kilometre between the seat of the association and Bolzano, up to a maximum distance of 2,000 kilometres;
- 1 point for each kilometre covered by each competitor of the association, providing that the cyclist has completed the stage. Also the competitors enrolled for the entire race but who have not completed all the stages are awarded points for the stages they have completed.

The classification will be the result of the sum of the points thus totalled.

**Prizes** will be allocated to:

- the first 5 associations in the place list on merits and to all the associations in the place list on representation;
- the overall winner, male and female, who shall receive the “Re Laurino” trophy and the “Regina Similde” trophy respectively;
- the first three place getters in each category:  
male: **A** category – 19/30 years, **B** category – 31/36 years; **C** category 37/42 years; **D** category – 43/49 years; **E** category – 50/57 years; **F** category – 58/65; **over 66**;  
female: **W1** – 19/39 years; and **W2** – 40/54 years; Lady **over 55**;

And moreover:

- All riders who finish six stages will receive a certificate of participation.
- “Loyalty” prizes will be awarded to riders who have participated in 10, 15, 20, 25, 30, 35 editions of the Giro delle Dolomiti.

### **Classified results and awarding of prizes for participants in the *Short Giro*, 3 stages**

Individual classifications (by category and overall) will be drawn up.

**Prizes** will be allocated to:

- the overall winner, male and female
- the first three place getters in each category

### **Prizes shall be awarded on Saturday, August 4<sup>th</sup> 2012, at 1.30 p.m.**

#### 10. **Complaints**

Complaints will be lodged to the Jury under the conditions laid down in the U.C.I./S.A.N. technical rules.

#### 11. **U.C.I. rules**

In all cases not specifically covered here, the technical regulations and the U.C.I./S.A.N. implementing rules for the year 2012 will apply.

#### 12. **Doping control**

At the end of each stage it is possible the doping control, carried out from officials of the competent organ; therefore the participants, before to leave the finish zone, must verify that they have not been selected for doping control.

#### 13. **Liabilities**

Organisers will not be liable for accidents or damages sustained by people, animals or things which might occur before, during and after the race.