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VENICE

— canoe & dragon boat — Festival

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Opening Ceremony: dragon boats parade along Venice's Grand Canal to St Mark's Basin

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In June the 2nd Venice Canoe & Dragon Boat Festival will take place, followed by the 40th Vogalonga.

We communicate that the location will be **Lido di Venezia**.

The **Lido di Venezia**, the Island that divides the Venetian lagoon from the Adriatic Sea, is situated only a few kilometres from the historical centre and represents one of the most important places of Venice.

The **regatta course** will be set up near the Canottieri Diadora rowing club, a historical club of Venice, **in Riviera Benedetto Marcello**.

The Lido has roads and cars are able to arrive via water from the Tronchetto to the San Nicolo' wharf, completing a spectacular crossing with the ferry boat in front Piazza S. Marco.

The arrival point of the waterbuses is the Santa Maria Elisabetta wharf, where it is possible to catch public buses that take you to all areas of the Lido.

The regatta course is 2km from the S. Maria Elisabetta wharf and, other than public transport, the Organising Committee will put in place a bus service.



From the regatta course it is possible to see the Venetian lagoon in all its splendour and have the bell-towers and palaces of Venice as a backdrop to the races.

On the other side of the Lido, about 500 metres from the regatta course, it is possible to enjoy the beach and the sea.

General Information

When: 06 June 2014.

Where: Lido of Venice, Italy.

Distance: 200 metres.

Heats/Finals: 2 heats and finals.

Categories: Club/Sport, Social/Amateur, University, Breast Cancer Survivors.

The entries will remain open until the final decision of the Organising Committee.

Venice Dragon Boat Festival 05-06 June and Vogalonga 08 June 2014

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2nd Venice Canoe & Dragon Boat Festival

Lido of Venice, Italy

06 June 2014 – 2nd Venice Canoe & Dragon Boat Festival

Opening Ceremony will be Thursday 05th June 2014 in the Grand Canal.

40th Vogalonga

Venice and Northern Lagoon

Sunday 08 June 2014

Start in St Mark's basin and arrival in the Grand Canal

Participation Costs

Festival registration, € 700,00 per team

Dragon Boat hire for the Festival, € 500,00 per team

Dragon Boat Hire for the Vogalonga, € 800,00 per team

(up to **20** boats are available for hire)

THIS DOES NOT INCLUDE THE REGISTRATION FEE FOR THE VOGALONGA

(registration fee in 2013 was € 20,00 per person)

Team Composition

See Information Bulletin n. 1

Festival Programme

The programme for the Festival is as follows:

05 June Afternoon – parade of dragon boats along the Grand Canal and Opening Ceremony (the participating teams will be informed with an email which will contain specific information of the embarkation, the route and the disembarkation).

Team meeting info: at 5.00pm at the Sports Centre "Costantino Reyser" of Saint Alvise (the parade will end at around 8.00pm and the disembarkation point will be in the area of the Madonna of Salute church).

06 June **Arrival at the regatta course**, at 10:00am

Captain's Meeting, at 10:00am

1st round of heats, from 11:00am to 12:30pm approx

Lunch Break, Festival catering service, from 11:45am to 1:30pm

2nd round of heats, from 3:00pm to 4:30pm approx
(all teams will participate in 2 heats and 1 final)

FINALS, from 6:00pm to 7:00pm

Medal Ceremonies will be held after the completion of the last Final.

Buffet and party at the beach Venezia-Lido, from 8:00pm onwards

This program is definite but may subject to changes.

In case of adverse weather conditions, the Festival will be moved to Saturday 7th June 2014.

Regulations

See Information Bulletin 1

40th Vogalonga

You can read about the programme and the regulations at the website www.vogalonga.com

PLEASE NOTE THAT INDICATEVELY REGISTRATIONS WILL OPEN IN APRIL

Vogalonga Programme

The programme for the pick-up of dragon boats provided by Venice Canoe & Dragon Boat is as follows:

08 June **Meeting**, from 7:00am to 8:00am, at the Sports Centre "Costantino Reyer" of Saint Alvise, located in Cannaregio 3163

Signing of disclaimers for the responsibility of damages to the boats

Consignment of boats and explanation of the route S.Alvise – bacin S. Marco

Vogalonga. At the end, **return to S. Alvise**, by and no later than 2.00pm

Cleaning of boats, from rubbish, foodstuffs and drinks

Showers and possibility of lunch or snack, will be made available from 12:45pm to 2:45pm

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Fees

See Information Bulletin 1

Payment

Payments must be made to the following account:

Account name: **VENICE CANOE & DRAGON BOAT A.S.D**
Bank: **Banca Prossima spa**
Branch: **Milano, Piazza P. Ferrari 10**
Account details:
IBAN: **IT13 L033 5901 6001 0000 0014401**
SWIFT: **BCITITMX**

For countries who do not use IBAN, the account details are:

COD. ABI: **03359**
COD.CAB: **01600**
ACC. nr: **100000014401**
SWIFT: **BCITITMX**

Please provide your team name with the payment. Each payment must be accompanied by a copy of a receipt.

Copies of the payment receipts should be sent via e-mail to venicedragonboat@gmail.com.

Entries

The entries will remain open until the final decision of the Organising Committee.

Deposits

- **From 16th February to 06th May 2014**
 - **For new entries**, complete payment of Packages "A" or "B" or "C".
 - Subject to boat availability, complete payment of Package "D".
 - **Payment of outstanding amounts** for who has already registered.
 - **For all participants – booking and payment of extra services**, read attachments and complete Attachment 4.

Send your copy of the payment and documents to venicedragonboat@gmail.com

Other Information

see www.venicedragonboat.com

Transport see Attachment 1

Meals and Beach party see Attachment 2

Restrooms, change rooms and showers see Attachment 3

Summary of request and payment for extra services see and complete Attachment 4

Website

www.venicedragonboat.com

consult for information

Organisers

The Festival is organised by

**Organising Committee
Venice Sport Events
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in collaboration with

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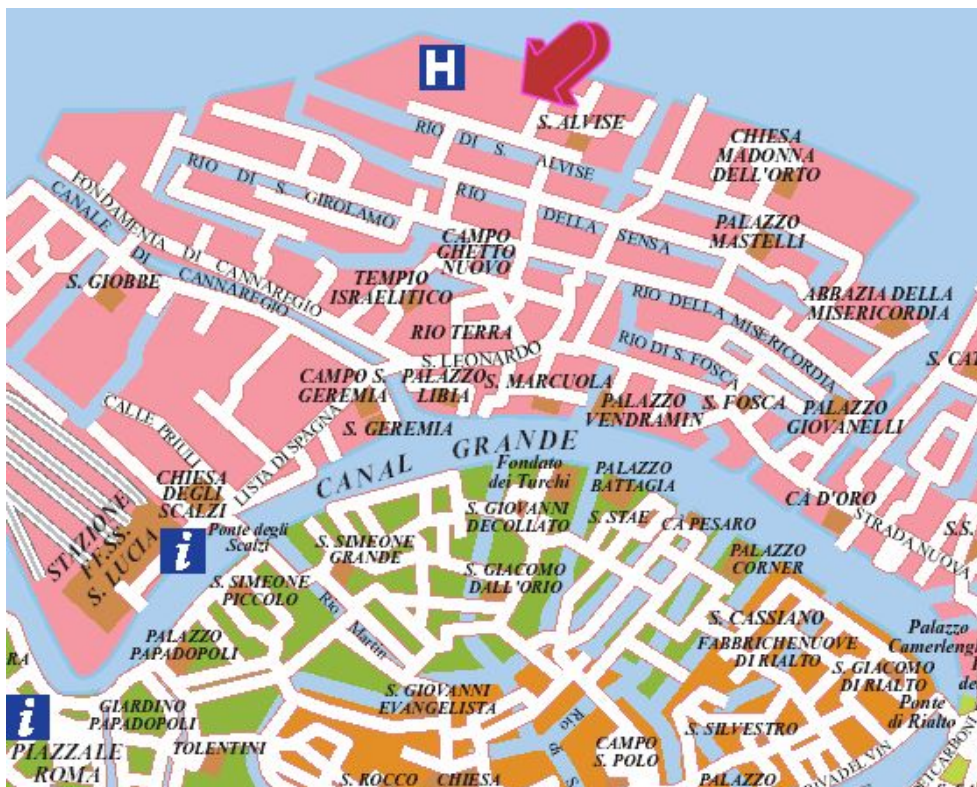
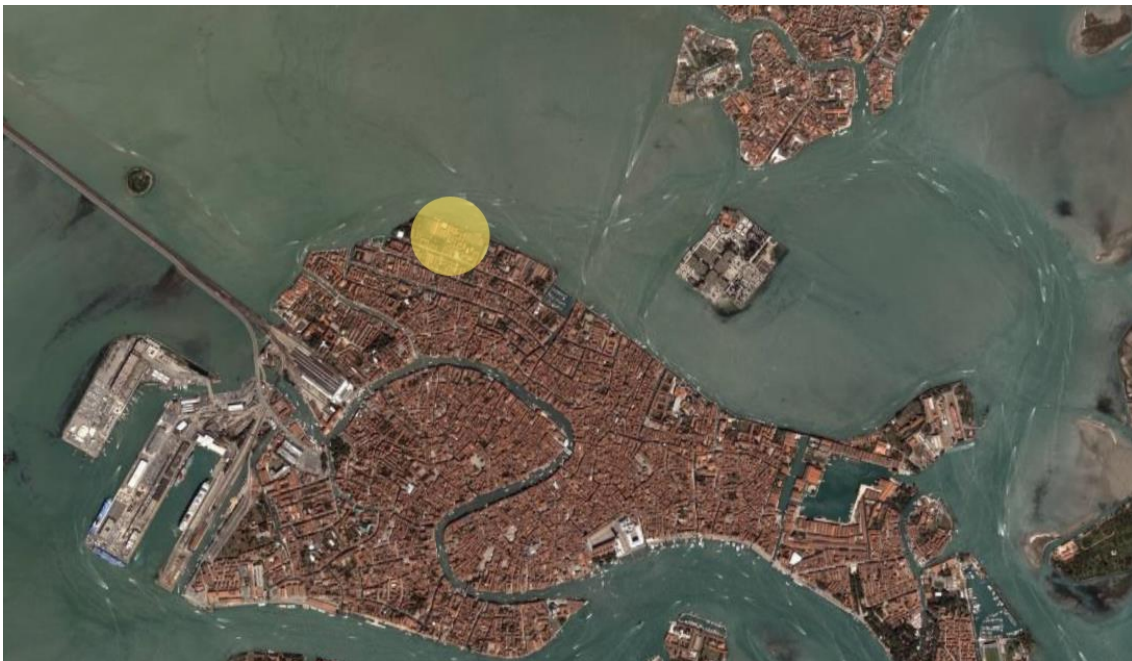
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ATTACHMENT N.1

TRANSPORT

**How to get to the Centro Sportivo (sports centre) “Costantino Reyer”
di S. Alvise Venezia Centro Storico - Cannaregio 3163**



The Centro Sportivo "Costantino Reyer" di S. Alvise – Cannaregio 3163 - can easily be reached **by foot** from the Santa Lucia Railway Station (Ferrovia) and from Piazzale Roma (P.LE ROMA).

How to arrive by foot:

From Piazzale Roma (P.le Roma)

Take the Calatrava bridge, pass in front of the **Railway Station (Ferrovia)**, continue straight along Lista di Spagna, go across the Ponte delle Guglie, continue straight and at Rio Terrà San Leonardo turn left (easy to recognise because at this point the road widens). Cross the wooden bridge, turn left and then turn right at the next bridge. Keep going straight, and after going over 2 bridges, you will arrive in Campo Sant Alvise. (**where you will find our indications to our the Sports Centre**). Continue straight until the waterbus stop of Sant Alvise, and follow the signs indicating "Centro Civico".

How to arrive by waterbus:

From Piazzale Roma (P.le Roma) or from the Railway Station (Ferrovia)

Take the waterbus number "4.2" or "5.2" (every 20 minutes) and get off at the Saint Alvise waterbus stop.

How to get to the Regatta course

Venezia Lido - Riviera Benedetto Marcello





The Regatta course – located at Venezia Lido in Riviera Benedetto Marcello – can be reached **in approximately one hour** from Tronchetto or from the Railway Station (Ferrovia)/Piazzale Roma. (P.LE ROMA).

How to get there by car:

At Tronchetto, take the ferry boat and get off at the Lido – San Nicolo’ boat stop. It takes about 40 minutes to complete the crossing. Take the road in the direction of Alberoni and park near Via Colombo.

For more info see <http://www.actv.it/en/movinginvenice/ferryboat>

How to get there by waterbus:

From Piazzale Roma (P.le Roma)

Catch the waterbus nr. “6”, direction Lido.

For times: <http://www.actv.it/pdf/navigazione/linea6.pdf>

From the Railway Station (Ferrovia)

Take the waterbus nr. “5.1”, direzione Lido, and get off at the Lido waterbus stop (end of line).

For times: <http://www.actv.it/pdf/navigazione/linea51.pdf>

At the Lido, the **Santa Maria Elisabetta** wharf is approximately 2km from the Regatta course.

You can take the public buses lines **"A" o "B" in the direction of Alberoni** and get off at the Ippodromo stop (or Centro Ippico).

The Organising Committee will also organise a regular bus service from the the Wharf to the Regatta course and vice versa.



IMPORTANT

To use the Venetian public transport service, you can purchase daily tickets or 72 hour tickets (we recommend the second option) at the water bus ticket booths. (includes waterbus and Lido bus services throughout the Venetian lagoon)

We suggest you visit the following link where it is possible to purchase tickets online with some possible discounts:

<http://www.veniceconnected.com/buy/calendar>

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MEALS and BEACH PARTY

The Organising Committee gives the possibility of having a meal at the regatta course, however, to be able to supply a complete and satisfying service to all the teams, we require that you book ahead indicating the exact number of people purchasing a meal (attachment n. 4).

The payment for the meals must be sent together with the final payment of the registration fee.

Festival Catering service – Friday 06 June, from 11:45am to 1:30pm

Lunch consists of a first course, second course, bread, water and fruit.

(E) Cost: Euro 15,00 with reservation by 06.05.2014

Without reservation: Euro 20,00 and until supplies run out

There will also be a stand that will offer drinks and beer.

Buffet and party at the beach, from 8.00pm onwards

Dinner a buffet with disco music

(F) Cost: Euro 25,00 with reservations by 06.05.2014

Without reservation: Euro 30,00 and until the beach club is full.

Vogalonga Lunch or Snack service – Sunday 08 June, from 12:45pm to 2:45pm

Lunch consists of a first course, second course, bread, water and fruit.

(G) Cost: Euro 15,00 with reservations by 06.05.2014

Without reservation: Euro 20,00 - until supplies run out.

(H) Sandwich (only for Vogalonga) with cheese and cold meats (salami, ham)

Cost: Euro 5,00 with reservations by 06.05.2014

Without reservation: Euro 7,00 - until sandwiches run out.

A drink service will also be present.

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TOILET FACILITIES, CHANGE ROOMS AND SHOWERS

FESTIVAL

On the 06th June, in the Athlete's area, it will be possible to bring and set up you own team tents, which however, must be removed at the end of the day (it is not possible to sleep overnight).

Toilet Facilities

The Festival regatta site will have toilet facilities. These services are free.

Change Rooms

There will be 2 gazebos made available, one for the ladies and one for the men, in which it will be possible to change. Entry/exit will be every 3-5 minutes. It will not be possible to remain in this area. These services are free.

Gazebo

It is possible to reserve a gazebo for the exclusive use of your Club/team.

Gazebo 4 MT x 4 MT in waterproof material, with covers on all sides – good in case of rain or wind.

(I) Cost: Euro 400,00 with reservation by 06.05.2014

Without reservation: not available

Gazebo 3 MT x 3 MT without side covers, good for some shade.

(L) Cost: Euro 100,00 with reservation by 06.05.2014

Without reservation: not available

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Toilet facilities, change rooms and showers of the Sports Centre are included in the contribution paid for the registration fee or for the use of the dragon boat.

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