

PROGRAM & EVENT 2018

Welcome to the section dedicated to the description of the three-day Festival. The Organization reserves the right to make changes to the instructions below. We therefore recommend, especially near the event, periodically check this section of the site to stay updated on any changes. You may also want to subscribe to our newsletter and follow us on our social networks Facebook, Twitter and Google+

Main changes compared to 2017:

Race packs and parcels delivery: 42K, 21K, 13K and 3X1200 RELAY

-Race Packs: Marconi Square

-PECs: at the Philharmonic Club in Piazzale della Citerna

NEW EVENT: "Cellars Emotions" (Emotions in the Chianti Classico and Emotions in Castelnuovo), Saturday October 20th

NORDIC WALKINCHIANTI: new path, Saturday October 20th

From Saturday 20th until the end of the event, Gelindo Bordin and Diadora technical staff, the main sponsor of the event, will be available to runners for dispensing advices on travel and encourage all participants to competitions.

FRIDAY OCTOBER 19th

10.45 a.m. tour of the Castello di Brolio, with lunch menu or to the Osteria Agribar sandwiches and cold dishes (click here for the flyer) - info castello@ricasoli.it

03.00 p.m. wine tasting at the Castello di Brolio (click here for the flyer)- info castello@ricasoli.it

03.00 p.m. approx: opening expo Ecomarathon with sponsors and gastronomic stands

04.00 p.m. parcel delivery race packs and 42K, 21K, 13K and 3X1200 RELAY (click here for [delegation](#))

- race packs : in Marconi Square

- PECs: c/o the Philharmonic Club in Piazzale della Citerna

05.00 p.m. RELAY hangout

06.30 p.m. Start ' CHIANTI ECOMARATHON RELAY – 3x1200 MT. " Click here for the presentation of the event

08.00 pm.: start "PASTA PARTY" at the gym "Sports la Bulletta". Food tickets can be purchased directly on site. Vouchers cannot be used for other "PASTA PARTY" on Saturday 20th and Sunday 21nd.

Saturday October 20th

8.45 a.m.: start delivery pass and stemware wine tastings for "Emotions in the Cellars"

9.15 a.m.: early departures for groups "Emotions Chianti Classico" (50 persons per group every 45 minutes)

9.30 a.m.: early departures groups for "Castelnuovo Emotions" (50 persons per group every 45 minutes)

10.00 a.m.-01.30 p.m./-03.00 p.m.-07.00 p.m.: PECs and race packs delivery 42K, 21K, 13K ([click here for delegation](#))

-Race Packs: Marconi Square

-PECs: c/o the Philharmonic Club in Piazzale della Citerna

10.00 a.m.: opening expo Eco-marathon

10.00 a.m.-07.00 p.m.: ' market place ' quality local productions

10.45 a.m. tour of the Castello di Brolio, with lunch menu or to the Osteria Agribar sandwiches and cold dishes ([click here for the flyer](#))- info castello@ricasoli.it

02.00 p.m.: START ' NORDIC WALKINCHIANTI "from Marconi Square"

03.00 p.m.: wine tasting at the Castello di Brolio ([click here for the flyer](#))- info castello@ricasoli.it

03.00 p.m.: at the Philharmonic Club in Piazzale della Citerna, open enrollment "ECO WALKING10 K"

04.00 p.m.: official opening of the event, greetings, meeting and course presentation

07.00 p.m.: start "PASTA PARTY" at the gym "Sports the Bulletta" (meal tickets for competitive athletes and nordic walkers are included in the race packs, companions 10 euro: meal tickets can be purchased on the site)

Sunday October 21st

6.45 a.m. – 8.30 a.m. without fail until: parcel delivery race packs and start processing, 42, 21K and 13K ([click here for delegation](#))

-Race Packs: Marconi Square

-PECs: c/o the Philharmonic Club in Piazzale della Citerna

7.00 a.m.-7.50 a.m.: athletes from Castelnuovo Berardenga (at Alfieri Theatre) at Brolio Castle for the departure of 'Ecomarathon-42K '. (storage bags)*

The shuttle will be made with special bus provided by the organization with the schedule specified below; the service is included in the registration. It is recommended all athletes, as much as possible, to respect the time allotted for not causing discomfort to others:

-PEC's from N° 1 to N° 299: ran at 7.40 a.m.

-PECS from N° 300 ONWARDS: ran at 7.00 a.m.

Last course available: 7.50 a.m.

It is worth remembering that the Organization strives to provide a service as efficient as possible and that the same however depends largely on the observance by all the athletes of the aforementioned indications. Those who for reasons of force majeure cannot observe the indicated time and has no way to travel independently with its own means to Brolio, he still have the last race, as mentioned above.

For those wishing to travel to Brolio by their own means can park your car in a parking lot near the start and duly noted. After arriving in Castelnuovo Berardenga, to return to the starting point of Brolio, athletes will be available a shuttle which runs from 01.30 p.m. till 04.00 p.m. It should also be noted that near the meeting area in Brolio is present the bar ' Agribar '

7.30 a.m. -8.30 a.m.: at the Philharmonic Club in Piazzale della Citerna, applications open 'ECOPASSEGGIATA-10 k '

9.30 a.m.: START ' ECOMARATHON-42K ' from Castello di Brolio

9.30 a.m.: START ' CHIANTI CLASSICO TRAIL-21K ' from Castelnuovo Berardenga

9.30 a.m.: START ' TRAIL of LUCA-13K ' from San Gusmè - (storage bags)*. A shuttle service for the return to the parking lot of St. Gusmé (runs every 30 ' from 11.00 a.m. to 01.00 p.m.)

9.30 a.m.: START ' ECOPASSEGGIATA-10 k ' from Marconi Square/Castelnuovo Berardenga

10.00 a.m.: opening expo Eco-marathon with sponsors and gastronomic stands

10.00 a.m. -07.00 p.m.: ' market place ' quality local productions

10.20 a.m.: arrival first athletes ' TRAIL of LUCA-13K '

11.00 a.m.-01.30 p.m.: shuttle to return to parking in San Gusmè. Runs every 30 ' from 11.00 a.m. to 01.00 p.m.

11.10 a.m. arrival first athletes ' CHIANTI CLASSICO TRAIL-21K '

12.00 h: start PASTA PARTY at the gym of "Sports La Bulletta " (for athletes the pasta is free and the voucher is inside the race pack, for companions 10 euros). Those who want to buy a good meal can do it on Saturday October 20th from 15.00h to 20.00h and Sunday October 21th 8.30h in the morning at the Philharmonic Club in Piazzale della Citerna, 150 mt from Marconi Square (main square), at the table entries of the judges UISP.

12.00 h: absolute Award ceremony ' TRAIL of LUCA-13K '

12.30 h: arrival first athletes ' ECOMARATHON-42K '

01.30 p.m.: absolute Award ceremony 'CHIANTI CLASSICO TRAIL-21K '

01.00 p.m.: start awards categories

03.00 p.m.: absolute ' ECOMARATHON Award ceremony-42K '

05.00 p.m.: arrival last participants of Eco-marathon

* **Storage bags processing 42K:** athletes will be able to leave only the appropriate lot peg bag who withdraw with the pectoral, below the castle of Brolio before getting to the point of departure before 09.00 h. They will be then stranded in Castelnuovo Berardenga in place appropriately indicated.

* **Storage bags 13K:** athletes will be able to leave their bags in place appropriately designated near the departure

Showers: at the municipal gym and sports field (follow directions)