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PreO Sprint – 1st Italian Cup Stage – CHIS Cup Saturday 9 March 2024, Vigonza Bulletin 1

ASSEMBLY POINT: from 13:00 at “Polisportiva Union Vigonza”, Via Paolo VI Papa, 16, Vigonza (PD). Parking close to the assembly point. [GPS: 45.440208 N, 11.967078 E](https://www.google.com/maps/place/45.440208,N,+11.967078,E). There are accessible toilets. Near the assembly point there is a bar, equipped with accessible toilets.

Warning: competitors are allowed to reach the assembly point only from South West direction, as shown in the [map of embargoed zone](#).

CARTA DI GARA: laser print in scale 1:3000 of a map ISSPrOM-2019 scale 1:4000 contour 2m, first version in 2013, update in 2024, never used for competitions.

FORMULA: PreO Sprint, version 1.0 of IOF specifications. The course contains only A-Z tasks, and no timed stations. One point for each correctly solved control, minus a penalty of 1 point for each 1 min or fraction used past the maximum allowed time. Total time used on the course will be used as a tiebreaker. Time of Paralympic competitors will be multiplied by a factor, according to rules of PreO Sprint.

ZERO TOLERANCE According to PreO Sprint rules, zero tolerance is 4m (8m in case of areal or linear features, or in case the object is more than 50m from the point of view).

CLASSES

	Length	Tasks	Slope	Max time
Open Elite/Paralympic	240 m.	22	0 m.	30 min. (40 min. Paralympics)
Direct	240 m.	22	0 m.	45 min.
Beginners	240 m.	10	0 m.	45 min.

The points of view are marked by white signs for Open, Paralympic and Direct classes, by green signs for Beginners class.

TIME MEASUREMENT: The time of the competition will be recorded using Sportident. No timekeeping for Beginners class.

PUNCHING: Manual punching. The competitor can use his own puncher. Punchers will be available at the CC.

MODEL: Some model tasks are prepared in the parking close to the CC. Maps are available in CC.

START 50m from CC. First start at 13:30. Next starts according to the published start list.

TERRAIN: The competitor can use only the main path. The path has a gravel bed, but it is no difficult. In some zones there are stripes marking the allowed terrain, marked also in map. Special symbol X (green cross) is used for large planter pot.

ONE-WAY: the course has a One-Way part, placed in correspondence of a small bridge, marked also in map. In this section the competitor cannot move backward.

The order of punching **is free, each task can be punched before, after and inside the One Way.**

FINISH

The competitor who finish the course, after punching the finish station should hand the control card and the map (and in case the rented puncher) to the Official. Then the competitor should go back to the CC using the same path. Please keep silent in order to not disturb the other competitors still in competition.

PRIZEGIVING When the competition ends, tentatively around 16:30. Best 3 competitors of Open Elite and Paralympics classes will be rewarded, and the best Under 20 of these two classes.

Giuria di gara: Fabio Bortolami, Mateja Keresteš, Andrea Govoni. Reserve: Fulvio Lenarduzzi .

The organisers wish you an enjoyable competition!