



REGULATIONS 55th GRANFONDO NOVE COLLI



24 MAY 2026

1) Meeting Point - Start - Finish:

Colonia AGIP waterfront Viale Carducci 181 Cesenatico. Meeting time: 5:00 a.m. Red Grid departure: 6:00 a.m. All other grids depart after 4 minutes intervals in real time

2) Grids Composition:

RED GRID N°1 - N°1300	Guest - Merit LONG DISTANCE M under 07:20:00 / W under 07:30:00 Edition 2024/2025 Ranking List Nove Colli** (first 90 men + 10 women) First 3 men/women overall in 2025 edition of MEDIUM DISTANCE				
WHITE GRID N°1301 - N°2650	Merit* LONG DISTANCE M under 08:00:00 / W under 08:15:00 Edition 2024/2025 MEDIUM DISTANCE M under 04:40:00 / W under 05:10:00 Editions 2024/2025				
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YELLOW GRID N°4551 - N°5550	BIKE HOTEL FORMULA				
PINK GRID N°5551 - N°7050	UCI membership card + without a membership card with a competitive certificate - in order of registration				
ORANGE GRID N°7051 - N°8550	UCI membership card + without a membership card with a competitive certificate - in order of registration				
BROWN GRID N°8551 - N°10550	UCI membership card + without a membership card with a competitive certificate - in order of registration				
MAGENTA GRID From N°15000	EBIKE GRID UCI membership card + without a membership card with a competitive certificate				
GRIGLIA GRAVEL From N°11000	GRAVEL Registered and unregistered cyclists with a competitive certificate (see separate regulations)				

3) Routes:

The event has two routes: LONG and MEDIUM DISTANCE.

UCI membership card end without a membership card with a competitive medical certificate, aged 17 and over (calendar year), can choose the route most suitable for them and this choice can be made during the race.

4) Participation:

- All UCI members belonging to the ELMT/M1/M2/M3/M4/M5/M6/M7/ M8/M9/M10 - EWS/MW1/MW2/MW3/MW4/MW5/MW6/MW7/MW8/MW9/MW10 categories;
- JMT and JWS category members only on MEDIUM DISTANCE, according to the derogation of the SAN, and out of the individual classification;
- foreign athletes with UCI card with presentation of a medical certificate in English certifying eligibility for a competitive cycling event;
- Participants without membership cards, with supplementary insurance, need to present the competitive medical certificate (in English for foreigners).

Participation in competitive or non-competitive events requiring significant physical and mental effort:

- for athletes registered with the UCI:

competitive medical certificate to practice cycling ex DM 18/02/82 (certificates for other types of sports such as triathlon, duathlon, athletics, etc. are not valid);

- for foreign residents:

certificate of eligibility to participate in cycling races competitions also issued by a doctor in your country of residence - as per the model downloadable from the website www.novecolli.it - DOWNLOAD section (or equivalent).

Possession of a sports card can be understood as an alternative to verifying the possession of a regular and adequate certificate only in the case of a sports card bearing the DataHealth logo together with the expiry date of the certificate of fitness for competitive cycling.

Professionals, Elites (men and women) and Under 23 will be exclusively admitted for promotional purposes and upon invitation by the Organising Committee and may only participate in the overall classification, i.e. with exclusion from the category classifications.

Minors require specific release papers signed by a parent or guardian.

The certificate and card must be uploaded to www.novecolli.it before 30/04/2026.

Registration will not be accepted from athletes who have been charged or disqualified for doping by a sports or public authorization, or from who is currently disqualified for one of the events of the Formula Bici.

The organisation reserves the right to cancel any registrations which do not have all the documents and information requested.

4.1 Participation methods for ex competitive-level athletes

Former competitive athletes such as ex Professionals, ex Elite, ex Under 23, in the two years following their last membership in the category can participate (with the prior consent of the Organizing Committee) only in the absolute ranking with exclusion from the category rankings. The list of athletes, registered with the UCI and subject to this limitation, is available at this link

<https://www.feder ciclismo.it/amatoriale/il-ciclismo-amatoriale/tesseramento-amatoriale/attivita-limitata-ex-atleti-agonisti/atleti-ex-agonisti-elenco-generale/>

As a rule, all riders belonging to the international competitive categories (professionals, elites, under 23 and juniors, both male and female), may - subject to permission from the club/group they belong to, to be shown to the Jury - take part in the amateur and cycle touring activities solely as testimonials, without affecting the outcome of the race/manifestation, up to a maximum of 10 testimonials per event. Riders belonging to a professional sports group may participate on the basis of what is established in the current "R.T. Attività Cicloamatoriali".

5) Pre-registrations and recovery of cancellations 2025

5.1 From 29/10/2025 at 12:00 to 4/11/2025 at 20:00, the **DATA REGISTRATION PROCEDURE** will be open **after logging in with new credentials**, to facilitate and speed up registration by registering one or more people.

5.2 From 29/10/2025 12:00 noon it will be possible to recover the cancellation of registration for the 2025 edition.

Using the normal registration procedure, the system will recognise those who are eligible by entering their first name, last name and date of birth, assigning a payment amount of € 0,00.

6) Registration opens and closes

05/11/2025 12:00 noon REGISTRATION OPEN with multiple steps (see article 7 Participation fees)
After payment has been made, you will receive a progressive registration code for each individual athlete and an e-mail confirming registration.

Closing date for entries 15/05/2026 12:00 noon (or when 10.000 participants are reached)

Registrations must be completed exclusively online via the appropriate procedure on the website www.novecolli.it after creating a new Login

The maximum number of race entries is 10.000 and the Organisation reserves the right to close registration once this number has been reached, even before the official registration closing date. The Organisational Committee can, at any moment and on its incontestable judgement, decide to accept the registration of a participant or not and exclude a participant from the event whenever this could damage the organisation's image.

The only way to register for the event is via the www.novecolli.it website, so there is no need to proceed using the F.C.I.'s FACTOR K programme.

7) Participation fee:

From 15/11/2025 12:00 noon to 15/01/2026 12:00 noon

- **New for 2026: for all NOVE COLLI participants who have registered for at least 5 editions of the Nove Colli: registration fee of € 99.00** with a 2026 edition 'Nove Colli' technical cycling jersey.
For all others, the 'EARLY' fee is € 110.00, which includes a 2026 edition 'Nove Colli' technical cycling jersey.

From 16/01/2026 12:00 noon until 15/04/2026 12:00 noon

- **MID fee € 120** with technical cycling jersey "Nove Colli" edition 2026

From 16/04/2026 12:00 noon until 15/05/2026 12:00 noon

- **LAST fee € 130** with technical cycling jersey "Nove Colli" edition 2026

On Friday 22/05/2026 and Saturday 23/05/2026 from 9:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m. at Nove Colli Village, Andrea Costa Square (adjacent to the Cesenatico skyscraper)

- **ON SITE fee € 150,00** with technical cycling jersey "Nove Colli" edition 2026.
For this type of registration, no changes will be made to the merit grid or based on the Nove Colli Ranking.

DREAM TEAM REGISTRATION € 300,00. From 5/11/2025 at 12:00 noon until 15/05/2026 at 12:00 noon possibility of registration to be part of the Dream Team (the exceeding amount of € 110,00 will be given to charity to the ROMAGNOLO PEDIATRIC ONCOLOGICAL INSTITUTE) with double gadget (technical cycling jersey edition 2026 + Dream Team jersey), VIP grid start and official prize-giving on Saturday 23/05/2026 at Nove Colli Village, Andrea Costa Square(next to the skyscraper of Cesenatico)

BIKE HOTEL FORMULA REGISTRATION:

From 05/11/2025 (12:00 noon) until 15/04/2026 (12:00 noon) or until 1,000 'Bike hotel' formula registrations have been reached, with the right to enter the yellow grid to be combined with a hotel reservation

The cost of the race number alone in this formula is € 130.00, the remainder to be agreed with the hotel chosen.

All hotels with the relevant offers selected at the following links are participating in the offer:

<https://www.novecolli.it/en-GB/hotel>

7.1 PARTICIPATION FEE INCLUDES: 'Nove Colli' technical cycling jersey edition 2026, pasta party at arrival area (accessible only if wearing the wristband pass), mechanical and medical assistance, radio aid, 6 different food and refreshment stops along the long distance route and 4 along the medium distance route, showers and large bike park at the finish line only accessible if you have both race numbers (personal and on bike), a souvenir, personalised certificate downloadable from Internet www.novecolli.it

8) Method of payment

Immediate, using the procedures on the website.

9) Electronic chip:

All owners of the 'Nove Colli Special Edition' personal chip with the Nove Colli logo, of any colour and with the initial code '9', must obligatorily recode it at the 'Evodata' chip point present during the days of the race pack distribution.

Recoding is a compulsory operation, which allows the chip to be updated to the new Evodata technology. In order to carry out this operation, the chip must be brought along and passed over a special scanner. Please note that without this recoding operation, the chip will not be read by the new Evodata systems, and therefore no passages will be detected at the checkpoints along the route.

The recoding is free of charge, and no authorisation is necessary to participate in the 55th Edition of the Nove Colli.

All 'Nove Colli Special Edition' chips with code '04' recoded in 2024 and 2025, are already valid and active for 2026 edition and do not have to pass through the 'Evodata' chip point.

9.1 Who does not have the chip:

You must purchase it via the procedure at www.novecolli.it and you will have two options:

A) purchase one at the price of €10.00 and will find it directly in the envelope. The chip will be valid only and exclusively for Nove Colli and will not be usable on other races timed by Evodata on the national territory.

B) buy one chip at the price of € 20,00 and will find it directly in the envelope. The chip will be valid for the Nove Colli and will be usable also on all the other races timed by Evodata on the national territory.

The purchase must be made exclusively online by 5 November 2025 to 15 May 2026.

For 'ON SITE' registrations, purchases must be made directly at the Nove Colli Village.

The chips must be positioned on the saddle tube with the appropriate ties.

Please note: Personal 'OneChip' chips cannot be used for the Nove Colli.

10) Substitutions and cancellations:

The two procedures can be carried out starting from 16/01/2026 at 12:00 noon.

10.1 The substitution of an athlete will only be accepted by filling in the appropriate form on our website by 12:00 noon on 15/05/2026 and paying a € 10,00 contribution to administrative costs by credit card.

Substitution must take place with a non-registered person. It should also be noted that with the replacement, only the registration and not the previously assigned bib number will be transferred. The existence of the right to a possible merit grid will be reassessed, otherwise the new allocation will be in order of entry code.

10.2 The cancellation of an athlete will only be accepted by filling in the appropriate form on our website by 12:00 noon on 15/05/2026. **The amount will be considered valid for the 2027 edition and it is valid only for the year after the cancelled edition and is not transferrable to third parties.** After the above

deadline, whoever cannot participate, and only if specifically requested by email, will receive the Nove Colli gadget by postmail. Postage is charged to the cancelled participant. The participation fee is not refundable.

11) Long distance route:

Cesenatico, Martorano, Diegaro, Forlimpopoli, Bertinoro, Polenta, Fratta, Meldola, Pieve di Rivoschio, S. Romano, Ciola, Mercato Saraceno, Barbotto, Montetiffi, Perticara, Talamello, Novafeltria, Maioletto, Maiolo, M. Pugliano, S. Leo, Secchiano, Passo delle Siepi, Ponte Uso, Gorolo, Sogliano, Savignano, Gatteo, Fiumicino, Cesenatico (finish on viale Carducci - Colonia "Agip").

12) Medium distance route:

Cesenatico, Martorano, Diegaro, Forlimpopoli, Bertinoro, Polenta, Fratta, Meldola, Pieve di Rivoschio, S. Romano, Ciola, Mercato Saraceno, Barbotto, Sogliano, Savignano, Gatteo, Fiumicino, Cesenatico (finish on viale Carducci - Colonia "Agip").

13) Maximum times:

LONG distance route (12:00 hours) - MEDIUM distance route (7:30 hours).

For the LONG distance route cyclists must pass through the passage diversions junction Le Ville - km. 95,5 before 11:45 a.m.

14) Membership card check and race pack distribution:

Nove Colli Village, Andrea Costa Square (next to the skyscraper of Cesenatico)
Friday 22/05 and Saturday 23/05 from 9:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m.

With the transmission of group registrations of athletes, the associations or clubs who carry these out certify that it is the athletes' will to participate in the event. It goes without saying that any cancellations and/or substitutions of athletes already registered have been authorised by the athletes themselves.

It is MANDATORY TO PRINT OR DOWNLOAD on smartphone/tablet from the website www.novecolli.it the DOCUMENT FOR THE RACE PACK COLLECTION to be presented in order to receive the necessary material for the race.

The procedure for printing/downloading this document can be carried out by accessing the 'Verify your registration' area after logging in.

The race pack may also be picked up by third parties, on presentation of the above mentioned document downloaded from the website. The race number and chip is strictly personal and cannot be given to third parties. If this happens disqualification is immediate. **Remember that the exchange of bibs is a criminal offence**

15) Time checks:

Compulsory both at the race start and along the route. Whoever doesn't start from the assigned grid will be disqualified. As will anyone who doesn't result as having started or who doesn't pass one of the electronic checks.

Race numbers given by the Organisation must be positioned correctly.

Back number, shoulder number, bike plate or frame number modified or positioned in a non-regulation way:

- fine € 25

- No start until the numbers have been adjusted.

Invisible or not recognisable identification number:

- fine € 40

16) Individual and club ranking:

All cyclists participate in the individual classifications. The team classification will be based on the sum of the points obtained by each individual team member within the time limits of the LONG and MEDIUM distance routes. Prizes will be awarded to the first three companies. The rankings will be published on the website www.novecolli.it

17) Individual prize ceremony:

The first 3 men and women in the overall classification in the LONG and MEDIUM distance route. The 'Climber's' Trophy (timed climb up the Barbotto). Special Prize (timed climb up the Gorolo). The Prize-

giving ceremony will begin at about 12:30. Prizes will only be given to the winners at the time of the prize giving.

18) Club awards:

“Mauro Venturi” Trophy awarded to the 1st placed club of the LONG DISTANCE route.

“Ciani Guerrino” Trophy awarded to the 1st placed club of the MEDIUM DISTANCE route.

Prize to the first three teams to cross the finish line with the highest number of athletes, **which can be collected at the G.C. Fausto Coppi - Nove Colli headquarters in Via Del Lavoro n° 22 - Cesenatico, from the day after the event.**

Club with at least 20 registered participants will be awarded with a prize that can be picked up at the time of picking up the race packs at Nove Colli Village, Piazza Andrea Costa Square (next to the skyscraper of Cesenatico).

For the Clubs with at least 30 registered participants, there will be a special prize-giving on Saturday 23 May at 4:30 pm at Nove Colli Village, Andrea Costa Square (next to the skyscraper of Cesenatico).

19) Fidelity Prize - Medal:

Those registered who reach the 10th participation this year will receive an award that will be handed out at race packet pick-up; while for those reaching the 15th/20th/25th/30th participation, the award will be presented on Saturday 23 May at 4:30 pm at Nove Colli Village at the same time as the club prize-giving.

For both prizes, a voucher will be inserted in the race pack along with indications on how to pick up the award. **The names of those who are eligible for one of the prizes must be communicated at the time of registration.** Those who have already won a prize in the past are not eligible for prizes at this year's race.

20) Medical assistance as the Specification of 19/06/2019:

Ambulances, motorbikes with doctors and qualified paramedic staff will be following the race (the number is in proportion to the number of participants), along with fixed areas of medical assistance, one of which is permanently situated at the race finish area. Fixed and mobile radio aid.

21) Mobile and mechanical assistance:

Fixed areas of assistance and mobile car and motorbike assistance (spare parts are not included in the price and must be paid for onsite). Road cleaning service. **Please take a repair kit for DIY repairs.**

Assistance of any kind by private vehicles following the race is strictly prohibited. On penalty of disqualification of the athlete.

22) Helmet: compulsory and must be homologated

23) Insurance:

The event is insured by the F.C.I. (www.federbiciclismo.it) and is covered by the integrative policy. Cyclists who are not registered for the event must not join the group of riders on the day and will be removed from the event. In case of an accident, they will be reported to the police. Cyclists involved in accidents must report this to their club and cycling federation.

24) Regulations:

For what is not addressed in these regulations, the general regulation and rules of the National Amateur Sector F.C.I. and U.C.I. orders must be applied.

a) The G.C. Fausto Coppi, in compliance with the regulatory determinations in the field of road safety, has obtained all the authorisations prescribed by local regulations and the Highway Code. These authorisations, insofar as they have been issued by the owners of the provincial and municipal roads affected by the route of the event following checks and inspections carried out by them, are suitable for the holding of the cycling race. By giving consent by completing and submitting the online registration form, the participant the participant agrees to release the G.C. Fausto Coppi from any liability for damage to persons or property resulting from the condition of the road surface.

b) The participant also exonerates the G.C. Fausto Coppi from any liability of the organisers and collaborators, for accidents or damage to persons or property (including those left unattended), which may occur before, during and after the event or as a result of the event.

c) We advise that for a correct and safe execution of the event, the data of the vehicles who illegally follow the participants and who transit in the blocked off areas or in the space between the race start and race finish, will be recorded by the organisation inspectors and given to the Jury and to the local police for any eventual sport or legal measures to be taken.

d) Attach your race number in a visible place on, and not rolled round, your handlebars, and the shirt number on your back.

e) The G.C. Fausto Coppi reserves the right to exclude all athletes behaving incorrectly before, during or after the race. Furthermore, all participants who throw litter or any other objects outside the designated areas at the refreshment stops will not be allowed to register or participate for the following year's event.

25) Sanctions:

In the event of a positive result in the doping controls carried out at the Granfondo Nove Colli, or of a positive result ascertained in the 6 (six) months following the event, the Organisation reserves the right to sue the competitor in the appropriate venues for the serious damage caused to the image of the event, requesting the sum of € 25.000,00 (twenty-five thousand/00 euros) as compensation for the damage suffered. If the competitor belongs to a sports association, if it is found to be objectively liable, the latter shall be jointly and severally liable for the payment of this sanction.

Any money collected by the Nove Colli Organization Committee as compensation for damage to the event's image will be given entirely to youth sporting activities.

26) Complaints:

Any complaints must be sent directly to the jury within the deadline prescribed and accompanied by the fee stipulated in the FCI regulations.

27) Cancellation of the event:

If due to force majeure or an event not attributable to the organization, the event does not take place, the amount of the participation will neither be refunded nor considered valid for the following year. However, the right to participate in the next edition will be recognized: this right must be exercised through a new regular registration with payment as per regulation.

Furthermore, if due to force majeure or an event not attributable to the organization, the event does not take place on the set date, but could be rescheduled for a later date of the current year, the Organizer reserves the right to communicate to the members the new date of the event, without minimum notice terms; in this case, each member will have the right to opt for participation in the edition on the new date, without further charges, except for any administrative charges that may be communicated, or to maintain the right to participate in the next edition, in this case by making a new registration with regular payment, as provided for in this article.

28) Variations:

The organization reserves the right to change the regulations or route if necessary.
All official communications will be notified on the website www.novecolli.it

29) Disqualifications:

29.1 Participation with a bib belonging to another rider, transferring the bib to another rider, starting in a grid prior to the one assigned or any other serious fact which will be detected by the Organisation will be sanctioned directly by the Board of Jury, which will adopt measures, with immediate exclusion from the event or exclusion from the classification and disqualification from the event or other measures depending on the offence.

29.2 We appeal to the civil mindedness of participants to throw litter in the appropriate containers at the food stops and in the "eco-zones" and not to throw litter along the streets. Any participants who throw litter or objects of any kind along the streets and not in the appropriate places will be disqualified.

29.3 Along all the route there will be a "GREEN TEAM" that will monitor the correct behaviour of the participants reporting with videos, photos, official reports, who throws on the ground paper and waste in the various areas where this is prohibited. **Offenders will be "sanctioned according to regulations, up to and including DISQUALIFICATION".**

29.4 Disqualifications made by the F.C.I. during the year can result in removal from the departure grid at any time and this decision is irrevocable.

30) Electrical bicycles

The use of bicycles equipped with any kind of electrical and/or electronic support or aid, (except for bicycles with electro-mechanical gearboxes) is only permitted if declared, as the participant will be placed on the Ebike grid.

30.1 The panel of judges reserves the right to take any necessary measures if they notice unsporting behaviour of any kind during the race.

31) Privacy - transfer of image and data rights:

By submitting the online registration form, participants who are of legal age or, if minors, those who exercise parental authority or act on their behalf, responsibly declare that they possess a valid cycling licence and/or medical certificate, that they have read and unconditionally accept each article of these regulations and also express consent to the use of data, as provided for by the Privacy Law (Article 13 of EU Regulation 679/2016 - GDPR).

By submitting the online registration form, the participant authorises A.S.D. Gruppo Cicloturistico Fausto Coppi to transfer their personal contact details to third parties for promotional purposes.

By submitting the online registration form, participants also give their consent their consent for photographs, video recordings, audio recordings of any kind and type, concerning them during the event, to be freely stored, reproduced, published and disseminated by the Organisation A.S.D. Gruppo Cicloturistico Fausto Coppi and its sponsors, without claiming any right to compensation and/or indemnity. Participants also expressly authorise the Organisation, sponsors, together with their media partners and tourism promotion agencies, to use still or moving images depicting them during their participation in the race on all media, including cycling promotion and/or advertising materials. Participants consent to such data and related material being made available to professional photographers and/or photo studios specifically appointed by the organisation to provide photographic services for the Race.

Use and processing of personal data refers to any operation or set of operations involving the collection, recording, organisation, storage, consultation, processing, modification, selection, extraction, comparison, use, interconnection, blocking, communication, dissemination and distribution of data, even if not recorded in a database pursuant to Article 7 of Legislative Decree No. 196/2003.

32) Informations:

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IMPORTANT:

The Nove Colli is a Competitive Cycle Sportive Amateur cycling event and all participants must respect and comply with the highway code and traffic laws.

Only participants who remain within the limits marked by the 'inizio' and 'fine gara' vehicles can race at a competitive level.

The remaining competitors, included in the space delimited by the "end of race" and "end of event" vehicles, are obliged to respect all the rules governing normal road traffic.

The present Regulations and the composition of the departure grids are only valid for the current year.

*Special requests for grid advancement must be sent to classifiche@novecolli.it before 30/04/2026 and only by athletes without any time in the two past editions of the Nove Colli.

The evaluation by the organizers in which grid to start the applicant (Red, White, Blue) is unquestionable and not modifiable.

**Nove Colli list and regulations are found on the website www.novecolli.it