TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE LAUSANNE TRIATHLON

Each participant is subject to these terms and conditions. By registering for the Lausanne Triathlon, the participant confirms having read and accepted the following conditions:

General

1. The present competition rules form an integral part of the contract between the organiser and the triathlete. They also apply in the event of the entry of other or additional persons (third parties). The organiser assumes that these third parties have given their consent to their entry by the person who made the entry. In the case of registrations by third parties of participants who are still minors, the organiser assumes that they have been authorised by the legal representatives of these minors.

2. The companies commissioned by us for the organisation and management of the event, the administration of registrations (online and offline), the administration of participant data, collection, timing, communication of results, allocation of race numbers, as well as advertising and information for participants process the data on our behalf and solely for our purposes. In accordance with the law, we are obliged to monitor the processing of data by these companies and to prohibit them from processing the data for personal purposes or passing it on to third parties.

3. Depending on the company carrying out the timing, all participants may be required to create a user account with that company. For the processing of the data relating to this account, the data protection declarations and general terms and conditions of the company in question shall apply (Datasport AG).

Competitions

Timing system

Each participant must imperatively wear his microchip at the peg from start to finish. If this is not the case, the competitor will not be ranked. The organizer reserves the right to prevent a participant without an electronic chip from taking the start. This chip must be returned after crossing the finish line. In case of loss or non-return, it will be charged CHF 50.00 + VAT to the participant.

Bib number

Each participant must wear a bib number for the cycling and running part corresponding to the chosen category (one bib number by category, including relay categories) in addition to the microchip. The bib number must be worn so that the number is legible, as well as the advertising of official partners. The swimming part does not require a bib.

Swim caps

Each participant receives a swim cap of the color of his category when the bibs are handed out. Each athlete is required to wear this swim cap during swimming. These swim caps are offered by the organizers and can be kept by the participants after the race.
Wetsuit

The Swiss Triathlon competition rules are binding for all categories. They can be downloaded from https://swisstriathlon.ch. The decision on whether or not to wear a wetsuit on the day is the responsibility of the referees. The information will be displayed at the start and announced by the announcer. Wetsuits are mandatory for the Classic and Super Sprint events if the lake temperature is below 22°.

Drafting

Drafting consists of a cyclist riding behind another cyclist(s) close enough to benefit from the aerodynamic phenomenon of suction and allows the cyclist to have an economy of power.

Here are the rules for each event:

- Kids: No drafting
- Open: No drafting
- Youth: SwissTriathlon rules, drafting allowed
- Super Sprint: Drafting allowed
- Classic: No drafting please refer to Swiss Triathlon rules

Illegal equipment

Athletes will under no circumstances wear any type of headphones, mobile phones or any other electronic communication devices inserted in or covering the ears that may limit attention and decrease listening, under penalty of disqualification. In addition, glass containers are not allowed.

Security

The instructions of the security service must be strictly adhered to. It is forbidden to accompany runners with vehicles of any kind. The entire course is closed to traffic. It is also not allowed to run with a dog or any other accessory. The organizer reserves the right to exclude the participant(s) who do not comply with the rules.

Race

Triathlon being an individual sport, no outside help - in any form whatsoever - will be allowed. The competitor is also disqualified if, by his behavior, puts his safety or that of others in danger.

Registrations

Age of participants

The categories of the Lausanne 2021 Triathlon are open to children aged 6 and over for the Kids. Young people aged 14 and 15 will take part in the Youth category, which is run over the same distance as the Open category.

The Open and Classic events are open to participants aged 18 and over. While the Super Sprint is open to participants aged 16 and over with a licence.
Anyone, including children, not running in their category will not be ranked.

Means of registration

Registration can be made via the Internet. Registrations by phone or e-mail will not be taken into account.

Refunds

Registrations are personal, firm and definitive. Registrations are not possible on site. If, due to force majeure, extraordinary risks or an administrative decision, the race cannot take place or can only take place partially, the reimbursement of participation fees is excluded.

Disqualification

The organizer reserves the right at any time to disqualify participants without refund of entry fees if they have given incorrect information about their personal data at the time of entry, or if they are suspected of having taken illegal substances (such as doping) before the start.

Limit of participants

The organiser may set a maximum limit for participation. Once this limit has been reached, subsequent entries will, if necessary, no longer be taken into account. Registrations will be registered upon receipt of payment.

Absence at the start

When a runner does not take the start due to illness, with or without a medical certificate, he or she will not be able to claim reimbursement of participation fees. This shall not apply to persons who have taken out insurance via Datasport and have a medical certificate.

License

No licence is required for the popular 2021 Lausanne Triathlon competitions, i.e. the popular individual, relay, relay/company, and Kids categories. A licence is required for the Classic, Olympic distance and Super Sprint distance.

Data protection

All data protection information can be found in the General Policy and Data Protection Statement (in French only) available on the Lausanne Triathlon website. See also the legal notices of the Lausanne Triathlon website and the legal notices of Datasport on Datasport website.

Health

Physical condition

By registering, participants confirm that they are well prepared for the start and are in good physical condition at the start.

Medical recommendation
If during the days before the race you feel sick or feverish, you should give up participating. Be sure to drink enough before, during and after the race. If you feel bad during the race (severe shortness of breath, dizziness, exhaustion, severe pain, etc.) you should stop or abandon the race. Men over the age of 35 and women over 40, as well as participants with a history of cardiac, cardiovascular or pulmonary disease or other at-risk groups, should be advised to have a regular medical check-up.

If you experience any symptoms associated with Covid-19, please do not take part in the race or have yourself tested.

Anti-doping controls

Anti-doping controls are possible at all times and participants must comply with them regardless of whether or not they hold a Swiss Triathlon license. The participants approve the conduct of the tests in accordance with the requirements of Swiss Olympic (https://www.antidoping.ch/en). Whoever breaks the prescriptions is at least disqualified from the race. Other sanctions remain possible. The respective directives can be consulted on the Internet under www.antidoping.ch. You can also download lists of banned substances, banned methods and authorized drugs.

Liability, accident and theft insurance

Participants must have their own liability, accident and health insurance with the necessary coverage for their participation in the Lausanne Triathlon. The organizers decline all responsibility in case of accident, fall, loss, theft, etc. Wearing a helmet is mandatory.

Advertising

It is forbidden to advertise or propagate during the event without the written permission of the organizers of the Lausanne Triathlon.

Covid certificate - Access to the event

Due to its size, access to the event will only be possible for participants and spectators in possession of a valid Covid certificate. For volunteers and contractors, other rules apply.

Conditions for obtaining a COVID certificate:

- Vaccination with two doses of vaccine - Certificate valid for 12 months
- Vaccination with one dose if COVID positive for more than six months - Certificate valid for 12 months
- COVID positive and confirmed by a PCR test less than six months ago - Certificate valid for 6 months (testing centres)
- Test with rapid antigen negative result (Pharmacies/doctors/testing centres) - Certificate valid 48 hours (Hotline numbers available)
- Test with negative PCR result (laboratory) - Certificate valid for 72 hours (from 1.07.2021)
Organization

The organiser of the Lausanne Triathlon is the Lausanne Triathlon Association, which has commissioned the company Grand Chelem Event SA based in Renens to organise the event.

The place of jurisdiction is Lausanne

The organizer reserves the right to make changes.

Final remark

The English version is based on the French one. The French version is authentic.

If you have any questions, please contact us at Lausanne Triathlon, P.O. Box 245, 1000 Lausanne 18, +41 21 315 14 27, or by e-mail, info@trilausanne.ch.