8th GRAN PREMIO ITALIA 2012 36th "MUSSI – LOMBARDI – FEMIANO" Trophy INTERNATIONAL SWIMMING MEETING VIAREGGIO - MUNICIPAL SWIMMING POOL 3rd – 4th November 2012

REGULATIONS

The ASD VERSILIA NUOTO – Sports Association with seat in Viareggio(Lu), Via V. Veneto, 70 tel.-fax 0584-31633, e-mail: info@versilianuoto.it - web site: www.versilianuoto.it, with the Sponsorship of the Italian Swimming Federation, of the Tuscany Region, Province of Lucca, the Municipality of Viareggio, Pietrasanta, Forte dei Marmi, Massarosa, Camaiore and Seravezza, announce and organize, under the aegis of ITALIAN SWIMMING FEDERATION the

8th GRAN PREMIO ITALIA 36th edition of International Swimming Trophy "MUSSI – LOMBARDI – FEMIANO"

Saturday 3rd November 2012 Reserved to category Open (Cadetti and Seniores)

Sunday 4th November 2012 Reserved to category Youth (Deb. A – Rag. - Jun.)

As per agreement with ITALIAN SWIMMING FEDERATION, this sport event, as in the last four years, will be the only one in Italy valid also as "8th GRAN PREMIO ITALIA 2012", International Swimming Competition that will take place in Viareggio and

in one day – Saturday 3rd November 2012.

The "MUSSI LOMBARDI FEMIANO" Trophy, named after and dedicated to the memory of three State Police Force members, Gianni MUSSI, Giuseppe LOMBARDI and Armando FEMIANO, terrorism victims, decorated with the Gold medal for Civil Valour, who fell victims to duty on 22nd October 1975 at Querceta (Lucca) during firing with terrorists, will be held in the Municipal Swimming – pool of VIAREGGIO, (25 m., n° 8 lanes, sweet water)- location Darsena - Pineta di Levante – Via Salvatori, n° 1 - tel./fax: +39 0584 391213.

This sport competition, to which can participate swimmers belonging to Foreign and Italian Swimming Federations, regularly enrolled as card-carrying members for the 2012/2013 competition season, is organized as follows :

3rd November 2012 (Saturday) - OPEN DAY:

It is allowed the participation exclusively to athletes belonging to categories "CADETTI" and SENIORES: males born in the year 1994 or before and females born in the year 1996 or before and they will compete, with qualifying heats in the morning and finals in the afternoon, in the following single races with the specified order:

1st Part:

m. 200 free style F-M / M. 50 butterfly F-M / m. 50 backstroke F-M / m. 50 breaststroke F-M / m. 50 free style F-M
2nd Part:
200 medley F-M / m. 100 butterfly F-M / m. 100 backstroke F-M / m. 100 breaststroke F-M / m. 100 b

LIMITS to PARTICIPATION: they will be allowed, for each competition: a) m. 50 - m. 100 : ONLY the first 40 best entry times; b) m. 200: ONLY the first 32 best entry times;

The above limitations are valid both for Italian athletes and Foreign athletes, official times of classification 2012 are valid, obtained in 25 m. swimming pool.

Control of times will be directly done by Secretariat Sector Swimming of Italian Swimming Federation, that reserve itself, if necessary, possible derogations.

The name list of enrolled athletes with indication of those allowed to participate, for each competition, will be issued on the web site of Organizing Sports Association www.versilianuoto.it, within 27th October 2012. Each athlete will be allowed to participate to a maximum of TWO competitions in programme.

4th NOVEMBER 2012 (Sunday) - YOUTH DAY:

It is allowed the participation to athletes belonging to the categories JUNIORS - YOUTH and DEBUTANT A:

DEBUTANT A: males born in the years		2000-2001
	females born in the years	2001-2002
YOUTH:	males born in the years	1997-1998-1999
	females born in the years	1999-2000
JUNIORS:	males born in the years	1995-1996
	females born in the years	1997-1998

and they will compete in the following single series races, with time classification: m. 50 and m. 100 butterfly -m. 50 and m. 100 backstroke -m. 50 and m. 100 breaststroke -m. 50 and m. 100 free style -m- 100 medley.

The athletes of YOUTH and JUNIORS categories will be allowed to participate to a maximum of FOUR competitions in programme and no more than TWO ones for each turn (morning and afternoon).

The athletes of DEBUTANT A category will be allowed to participate only to 50 m. competitions that will take place in the afternoon of 4th November and to a maximum of TWO ones of the four competitions in programme.

Timing service, effected by Italian Timer Federation, will be electronic (plate) and manual one.

SINGLE START FOR HEATS AND FINALS

ATHLETES PRIZEGIVING:

The prize-giving ceremony will take place at the pool and the athletes classified in the first three places for each single competition and for each category will receive medals as follows:

OPEN category: on conclusion of the competition day;

YOUTH category, for each of the three categories, on conclusion of each of the two competition turns of the day (morning and afternoon).

Male category YOUTH, born in the year 1999, even if remain integral part of their own category, will be awarded a prize with a separate classification.

At "Mussi Lombardi Femiano" Trophy will be given original artistic medals, exclusive ones, coined in occasion of this Trophy.

SPECIAL PRIZES only for athletes "OPEN" category:

at the end of the 1st competition day a definitive and single final results for male and female athletes (Foreign and Italian athletes, male and female, without any distinction) will be defined by summing up for each athlete, whether male or female, the best scores obtained on the basis of the latest scores tables officially published by F.I.N.A. and the first FIVE athletes, whether male or female, classified in this particular final results, will receive the following prizes (Euro):

1° classified	€.	500,00
2° classified	€.	300,00
3° classified	€.	250,00
4° classified	€.	150,00
5° classified	€.	100,00

SPECIAL PRIZE:

The SIMONINI Family, with cooperation of a special committee, with their own judgement, will award a special prize, which consists in a gold medal, to an Italian athlete (male or female) that will compete in the first or second day in memory of Daniela SPADONI SIMONINI, unforgettable and precious collaborator of this event for many years.

INDIVIDUAL SCORE FOR FINAL RESULTS:

The assignment of points for individual classification to the first EIGHT athletes (male/female) will be determined as follows: Points 10 - 7 - 6 - 5 - 4 - 3 - 2 - 1.

CLASSIFICATION FOR THE SOCIETIES AND PRIZEGIVING:

a) OPEN (one category: Cadetti and Seniors)

the first SIX Italian or Foreign Societies/Clubs classified will be awarded with prizes and final results will be done summing the achieved results of male and female athletes in the day of foreseen competitions

b) YOUTH (Debutant A - Youth and Juniors)

the first TEN Italian or Foreign Societies/Clubs classified will be awarded with prizes and final results will be done summing the achieved results of male and female athletes in the three categories Debutant A – Youth and Juniors in the competitions foreseen in the day;

ENTRIES and EXPIRY DATE:

Entries, specified for each category with competitions and respective times, divided for each day, must be forwarded to arrive absolutely **within and no later than 12.00 a.m. of 25th October 2012**. Addressed to: A.S.D. VERSILIANUOTO - via V. Veneto, 70 –55049 VIAREGGIO by e-mail: <u>info@versilianuoto.it</u>, only as an exception by Fax: 0039 0584 31633 We kindly require to use the application form which it is possible to download from Versilianuoto web site:

www.versilianuoto.it

ENTRY FEE:

a) For Societies participant to Youth Day (Debutant A - Youth and Juniors):
An entry fee, fixed in Euro 8,00 – for each athlete–competition –must be sent together with entries to:
A.S.D. VERSILIANUOTO – Via V. Veneto, 70 – 55049 Viareggio - by non transferable Bank cheque, Bank draft or Bank Money Transfer.
Our Bank details: A.S.D. VERSILIANUOTO – Banca del Monte di Lucca – Filiale di Viareggio, Via Garibaldi

IBAN: IT18UO6915248000 0002 3518 080

b) For Societies participant to the Open Days :

An entry fee, fixed in Euro 8,00 – for each athlete–competition –must be sent with methods of payment above specified, **immediately after 27th October 2012**, date of publication of the Starting List of athletes admitted to participate, for each competition, as foreseen, and anyway **within and no later than 2nd** November 2012.

As an exception, it will be possible to pay the entry fee directly to the Organization Secretary, at the pool, within 08.00 p.m. of the day before the competition day.

Youth Category (Debutant A - Youth and Juniors) Starting List will be available within 29th October 2012 on the A.S.D. VERSILIANUOTO web site: <u>www.versilianuoto.it</u>

FINALS:

The OPEN category athletes who will achieve the EIGHT best times in the qualifying heats in the morning, will be admitted to the finals (foreseen only for OPEN category athletes) that will take place in the afternoon of 3rd November 2012.

P.N. – All not foreseen renouncement of finalist swimmers must be communicated immediately within the end of morning's qualifying heats.

The Organization accepts no responsibility for anything that may happen to competitors, officials, trainers, third parties and things, before, during and after the swimming event.

For all eventualities not foreseen in the present regulations, the norms covered by the Technical Regulation of the ITALIAN SWIMMING FEDERATION will be valid.

PROGRAMME OF EVENTS

Friday 2 nd November 2012:	4.00 p.m Opening of Secretariat at the Swimming Pool 6.00 p.m. till 8.00 p.m. Warm up
Saturday 3 rd November 2012 Morning	RESERVED to OPEN category athletes 8.00 a.m. Opening swimming pool 8.00 a.m. till 8.50 a.m. Warm up 9.00 a.m. Qualifying heats start m. 200 free style – m. 50 butterfly – m. 50 backstroke m. 50 breaststroke - m 50 free style
	20 minutes interval for warm up
	m. 200 medley -m. 100 butterfly -m. 100 backstroke m. 100 breaststroke - m. 100 free style
Saturday 3 rd November 2012 Afternoon	RESERVED to FINALS of OPEN category athletes Saturday 3.30 p.m. Opening swimming pool 3.30 p.m. till 4.15 p.m. Warm up 4.30 p.m. FINALS of morning competitions, in the same order

ALL THE FINALS WILL BE BROADCASTED ON RAISAT AND OTHER TV NETWORKS

IMPORTANT NOTICE:

Before the last competition in programme it will be celebrated one minute of silence to honour the memory of those people to whom the Trophy is headed: Gianni MUSSI, Giuseppe LOMBARDI and Armando FEMIANO.

P.N.: The Organizing Committee reserves the right to apply changes to the arrangements for the FINALS, for TV requirements or other; these changes will be in any case notified in advance.

5.30 p.m. FINAL CEREMONY of PRIZEGIVING (individuals, special prizes and first six societies classified)

Sunday 4 th November 2012	RESERVED to YOUTH category athletes (Youth and Juniors)
Morning	7.30 a.m. Opening swimming pool
	7.30 a.m. till 8.20 a.m. Warm up
	8.30 a.m. Competition starts in the following order:
	m. 100 medley – m. 100 butterfly – m. 100 backstroke
	m. 100 breaststroke - m. 100 free style

AT THE END PRIZEGIVING OF MORNING COMPETITIONS

Sunday 4th November 2012 Afternoon

RESERVED to YOUTH athletes (Debutant A - Youth and Juniors)And disabled athletes of C.I.P.2.30 p.m. Opening swimming pool2.30 p.m. till 3.20 p.m. Warm up

3.30 p.m. till 3.50 p.m. Competitions and Prize giving reserved to disabled athletes of C.I.P.

4.00 p.m. Competition YOUTH category starts in the following order: m. 50 butterfly – m. 50 backstroke – m. 50 breaststroke m. 50 free style

6.30/7.00 p.m. at the end of competitions CEREMONY of PRIZEGIVING (individuals, special prizes and first ten classified societies)

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HOTEL ACCOMMODATION

The Organizing Committee will make use of cooperation with Agenzia Viaggi e Turismo "MILVIANO" with seat in Viareggio – Via V. Veneto, 62 -Tel. 0584-963785 Fax 0584-435716 (Mrs. Marilù: mobile 334 9991838 e-mail: info@milvianoviaggi.com)

You can contact directly MILVIANO Travel Agency which offers the following conditions in occasion of our sport event:

4 stars Hotel – single room – full board /Euro 80,00 per person per day4 stars Hotel – double room – full board/Euro 70,00 per person per day3 stars Hotel – double room – full board/Euro 53,00 per person per day3 stars Hotel – double room – half board/Euro 46,00 per person per day3 stars Hotel – double room – half board/Euro 48,00 per person per day2 stars Hotel – double room – full board/Euro 48,00 per person per day2 stars Hotel – double room – full board/Euro 43,00 per person per day2 stars Hotel – double room – half board/Euro 43,00 per person per day2 supplement for single room / Euro 12,00 per person per dayEuro 43,00 per person per day