



RACE BOOK

Bluegrass EWS Finale

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18-19 September 2021
EWS Round 8

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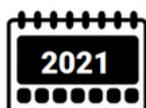
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All times listed in CEST – Central European Summer Time [UTC+2]

Friday September 10

20:00	Course Release	EWS and EWS-E	all stages closed for riding until training
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Tuesday September 14

10:00-12:00	Shakedown Day	Official EWS / EWS-E Teams	
13:00-16:00	UCI Course Inspection		
13:00-18:00	Media Recce		
16:00-18:00	Registration	Official EWS-E Teams	
16:30-18:00	Registration	EWS-E and E100/E50	
19:00	Manager Briefing	Official Teams	video conference

Wednesday September 15

08:00-09:00	Registration	EWS-E and E100/E50	
08:00-17:00	Training	EWS-E and E100/E50	all stages - select times
19:00	Rider Briefing	EWS-E and E100/E50	Electronic Notice

Thursday September 16

09:00-17:00	Race	EWS-E and E100/E50	
	Awards	EWS-E and E100/E50	30 minutes after last racer
15:00-19:00	Registration	Official EWS teams	
15:30-19:00	Registration	EWS and EWS100/80	

Friday September 17

08:00-10:00	Registration	EWS and EWS100/80	
07:30 + 13:00	Training Shuttles	Booking #1	pickup Finale Outdoor Base
09:00 + 14:30	Training Shuttles	Booking #2	pickup Finale Outdoor Base
10:30 + 16:00	Training Shuttles	Booking #3	pickup Finale Outdoor Base
08:00-12:30	Training	EWS	Base NATO
08:15-13:00	Training	EWS	Little Champéry
08:00-12:30	Training	EWS100/80	Cravarezza Ingeniere
08:15-13:00	Training	EWS100/80	Final-Borgo
12:00-17:30	Training	EWS	Cravarezza Ingeniere
12:00-17:30	Training	EWS100/80	Base NATO
12:00-18:30	Training	EWS100	Little Champéry
19:00	Rider Briefing	EWS and EWS100/80	Electronic Notice

Saturday September 18

08:00-16:30	Race	EWS100 / EWS80	
12:00-14:00	Training	EWS	Final-Borgo Pro Stage
14:30-17:15	Race	EWS	Final-Borgo Pro Stage
18:00	Awards	EWS100 / EWS80	

Sunday September 19

08:00-17:00	Race	EWS	
	Awards	EWS	30 minutes after last racer

UPDATES and QUESTIONS / FEEDBACK

Event updates (schedule changes, publication of start lists, ...) will be posted here.
Visit the [Facebook Event Page / Rider Forum](#) for up-to-date race information or to ask any questions.

RACE NOTICES

[Saturday EWS Pro Stage](#)

[Saturday EWS100](#)

[Saturday EWS80](#)

FILMING

New On-site Filming and Broadcast Regulations will be implemented for the 2021 season.
Details to be announced.

EWS100 / EWS80 RACE LICENCES REQUIREMENTS

EWS100 and EWS80 racers should review the license section for the unique license requirements established by the Italian Cycling Federation

EWS80 - YOUTH CATEGORY

Due to Italian Cycling Federation regulations, Youth (13-16) categories will not be offered in the EWS80 Finale Outdoor Region race. Minimum age 17 (year of birth 2004)

TRAVEL RESTRICTIONS / ITALIAN ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Italian entry requirements / restrictions are detailed [here](#).

There are exemptions in the Italian entry / self-isolation [requirements](#) for foreign competitors participating in sporting events. Personalised invitation letters referencing these regulations are available for foreign racers that do not otherwise qualify for entry. Send request to athletes@enduroworldseries.com

Please note that even if foreign riders are permitted to enter Italy, they may be subject to restrictions upon return to your home country following the Finale race. Riders would need to check with their own national health authorities for applicable policies.

Similarly, riders planning to transit through or travel to any other countries before or after the Finale race would need to verify any potential entry restrictions, quarantine requirements, test / vaccine requirements, curfews, travel documentation, ... - and make their own determinations as to how these might apply to their own personal / individual situation.

COVID SAFETY PROTOCOLS / ACCREDITATION

YELLOW ZONE

The Yellow Zone includes the: Team Paddocks, race start / finish, race office, and press room.
Access to the Yellow Zone is limited to racers, registered teams, race officials, accredited media and event staff.
Accreditation (yellow wristband) is required to access the Yellow Zone.



COVID ACCREDITATION CHECKPOINT

LOCATION: tent in Piazza dei Cannoni [MAP](#).

OPENING TIMES:

- Monday - Thursday : 08:00-12.30 /14:00-18:00
- Friday: 8:00-12.30

To receive accreditation, it is necessary to:

- complete the online Covid-19 Self-Declaration Form [english italian](#) , and
- present a valid green pass (Italy's 'Green Pass' certificate, which comes in digital or paper versions, shows that people have been vaccinated, tested negative or recovered from covid-19 and it is required for indoor dining in restaurants as well as access to sporting and cultural events from 6 August)

Individuals who have not been vaccinated or who do not have a certificate of recovery will have to do an antigen test every 48 hours.

TESTING

A Covid testing centre (Piazza dei Cannoni) for event participants can get a test (cost € 25)

Opening times:

- Monday 08:00-10:00 / 17:00 -19:00
- Thursday 8:00-10:00 /17:00 - 19:00

Other places where to get an antigen test in Finale are:

- Finale Salute, Via Dante Alighieri 12
- Medical Center Il Giglio, Via Torino 115

COVID SAFETY PROTOCOLS

Please refer to the [COVID Safety Protocols](#) – these documents outline essential guidelines designed to minimize the risk of transmission of COVID-19 among participants in the Bluegrass EWS Finale.

Everyone has a critical role and a shared responsibility for creating a healthy environment and a safe event. We are relying on all racers, staff, volunteers, and members of the host community to consistently and properly follow personal protective practices.

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LOCATION



Finale Ligure, Italy [Map](#)
 Start / Finish: Piazza Vittorio Emmanuele
 Team Paddocks (official EWS teams only): Piazzale Vuillermin [MAP](#)

VENUE MAP



FINALE LIGURE

- Piazza Donatori di Sangue**
 - > DOPING CONTROL
- Piazza Vittorio Emanuele II**
 - > STAGE
 - > START/FINISH
 - > AWARD CEREMONY
 - > EVENT VILLAGE
- Piazzale Vuillermin**
 - > TEAM PADDOCK (EWS Official Teams)
 - > BIKE WASH
- Piazza dei Cannoni**
 - > RACE OFFICE/MEDIA ROOM
 - > COVID ACCREDITATION
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COURSE MAP

to be published September 10

EVENT and ENTRY STRUCTURE OVERVIEW

			
RACE	1 or 2 day race depending on venue	1 day race	1 day race
COURSE	All stages PRO Stage will be repeated - raced as the Prologue and final stage	All stages PRO Stage will only be raced once	80% of the course
ELIGIBILITY	Official EWS Team riders and Reserved Entry List (prequalified / top ranked EWS Members from the 2020 and 2019 EWS Global Rankings)	No prequalification requirements	No prequalification requirements
REGISTRATION	Official Team entries: week of January 25 Reserved entries: week of February 15	Limited spots. Entries offered on a space available, first come basis starting week of February 22	Limited spots. Entries offered on a space available, first come basis starting week of February 22
CATEGORIES	WOMEN WOMEN Under 21 (2001-2004) WOMEN Master 35+ (1986+) MEN MEN Under 21 (2001-2004) MEN Master 35+ (1986+) <i>Minimum age 17 (Year of birth 2004)</i>	same as EWS plus MEN Master 50+ (1971+) <i>Minimum age 17 (Year of birth 2004)</i>	same as EWS plus MEN Master 50+ (1971+) <i>Minimum age 17 (Year of birth 2004)</i>
START ORDER and SEEDING	Racers seeded based on EWS rank. Preassigned individual start times - all racers start at 30 second intervals.	Racers self-seed. No preassigned individual start times. Racers need to complete course within scheduled stage opening and closing times.	Racers self-seed. No preassigned individual start times. Racers need to complete course within scheduled stage opening and closing times.
RULES	All EWS Rules apply	Relaxed EWS Rules Outside assistance permitted	Relaxed EWS Rules. Outside assistance permitted. Bike Marking does not apply.
LICENSE and MEMBERSHIP REQUIREMENT	EWS membership, international UCI license and RaceLabs race plate holders mandatory	EWS memberships optional. RaceLabs race plate holders optional Relaxed license requirements - set by host national cycling federation. Day Licenses available for unlicensed racers.	EWS memberships optional. RaceLabs race plate holders optional Relaxed license requirements - set by host national cycling federation. Day Licenses available for unlicensed racers.
RANKING POINTS	Racers eligible to collect both Series and EWS Global Ranking points	Racers with an EWS Membership eligible to collect EWS Global Ranking Points [EWS100 Point Scale]	Racers with an EWS Membership eligible to collect EWS Global Ranking Points [EWS80 Point Scale]

REGISTRATION

[Entry Terms and Condition](#)

EWS

To compete in the EWS race, riders must either be on the [EWS Reserved Entry List](#) or be part of an official EWS team.

EWS100 and EWS80

The EWS100 and EWS80 races have no prequalification requirements.

Limited spots. Entries offered on a space available, first come basis.

<https://race-entry.enduroworldseries.com/start.php>

ENTRY FEE

Entry fees include all taxes and processing fees

Entries will be processed through the centralized Enduro World Series entry system in Pounds Sterling (GBP).

The Enduro Sports Organization Limited is acting as agent for the local organizer 4 Guimp srl

133.25 GBP

EWS entry fee includes 1.5 day of racing, 1.5 day of closed course marshalled training, full course medical coverage on training and race day, live timing, backup timing.





CANCELLATION POLICY

Registration fees are refundable (less an administrative fee) up to 30 days prior to the race. Cancellation requests must be sent to athletes@enduroworldseries.com by 23:59 UTC August 17. Entries are no longer refundable after August 18. Registrations are not transferable.



CATEGORIES

Age calculation date: December 31 2021.

EWS

Minimum age 17 (Year of birth 2004)

WOMEN

WOMEN | Under 21 (2001-2004)

WOMEN | Master 35+ (1986+)

MEN

MEN | Under 21 (2001-2004)

MEN | Master 35+ (1986+)*

**Master Men changed from 40+ effective 2021.*

EWS100 and EWS80

Minimum age 17 (Year of birth 2004)

Same as EWS, plus:

MEN | Master 50+ (1971+)

Due to Italian Cycling Federation regulations, Youth (13-16) categories will not be offered in the EWS80 Finale Ligure race.

Any EWS100 or EWS80 race categories with fewer than 5 starters may be merged with another age category at the discretion of the Event Organiser.



EWS KIDS

Due to Italian Cycling Federation regulations, [EWS KIDS](#) race will not be offered at the Finale Outdoor Region round.



ENDURO WORLD SERIES MEMBERSHIP

EWS memberships are valid for a calendar year (January-December).

2021 memberships can be renewed / purchased starting January 1, 2021 at: [LINK](#)

Cost 35.00 GBP (subject to VAT where applicable)

EWS

Memberships mandatory for eligibility and event entry.

EWS100/80

EWS memberships are optional for EWS100/80 racers, but:

- Only EWS members will be eligible to collect EWS Global Ranking points at the EWS100/80 races (as well as EWS Qualifier Series events).
- Only EWS members will be added to the EWS Reserved Entry List and offered priority registration for the following season.

A rider must hold a valid EWS membership prior to starting the race in order to collect EWS Global Ranking points. No points will be awarded retrospectively should a rider purchase an EWS membership after an event.



RACE LICENSES

EWS - All Racers



The EWS is a UCI Category 3 race.
All racers must have a UCI license issued by their own national cycling federation.
Riders will be required to present their license (copies or photos acceptable) at the onsite checkin.

EWS100/80 - Foreign Racers - Annual Race License

Foreign riders can race the EWS100/80 with an international annual license issued by their own national cycling federation.

Riders will be required to present their license (copies or photos acceptable) at the onsite checkin.

Unlicensed foreign racers will also have the option to purchase a one event license from the Italian Cycling Federation at the onsite checkin (see Day License section below for requirements).

EWS100/80 - Italian Racers - Annual Race License

Italian EWS100/80 racers will have the option to race with either an annual UCI/FCI license or a license from an [Enti della Consulta](#) organization.

Racers must have a [DataHealth verified](#) certificate of fitness for competitive cycling issued within the previous 12 months. Certificates for other types of sport such as triathlon, duathlon, athletics, etc. are not valid)

At on site check in, athletes must show proof of the DataHealth verified medical certificate in one of the following ways

- FCI registered athletes: License with DataHealth logo as well as the expiry date of the certificate of fitness for competitive cycling.
- non-FCI registered athletes: DataHealth Qrcode-DH (with data consistent with the type and date of the event) .

[Instructions](#) to use DataHealth service to obtain Qrcode-DH.

Racers with an FCI license must complete the Fattore K registration with the FCI. Race ID 157553

FCI AMOTORI JUNIOR SPORT

Italian riders with a FCI Amatori Junior Sport (JMT or JWS) license are not eligible to race in the EWS100/80.

Any Italian racer born in 2003 or 2004 will need to have a race license for professional sport (FCI JUNIORES license category)

EWS100/80 - Day License

EWS100/80 racers who do not have an annual license from their own national federation can purchase a one event license from the FCI Italian Cycling Federation .

Licenses will be available from the race office during onsite checkin.
Cost 10EUR per day. Separate licenses needed for training and race days.

Day Licenses are not available for junior (year of birth 2003-2004) racers . All EWS100/80 junior racers must have a race license issued by their own national cycling federation.



NOTICE - MEDICAL CERTIFICATE REQUIREMENT FOR DAY LICENSE PURCHASE

In order to purchase a day license from the Italian Cycling Federation, riders will need a medical certificate ([sample format](#)) which meets the following conditions:

- issued within the previous 12 months
- certifying fitness for competitive cycling. Certificates for other types of sport such as triathlon, duathlon, athletics, etc. are not valid.

[DataHealth verified](#) . The verification of the possession of an adequate medical certificate must be made in advance through the online DataHealth service.

Select 003 ciclismo for the sport type.

FIDAL is “ Federazione Italiana di Atletica Leggera “

Riders will be required to upload their medical certificates to DataHealth ([instructions](#)) and obtain a QRcode-DH (which verifies the adequacy of the certificate).

The QRcode-DH will be required in order to purchase a one event license at the onsite race checkin.

The DataHealth validation process can take up 3-4 days - please allow sufficient time in advance of the race to obtain the QRcode-DH.



INSURANCE

Travel, medical and personal liability insurance coverage is not provided by the Finale EWS organizers or the Enduro World Series.

Racers are fully responsible for any medical or other costs that may directly or indirectly result from their participation in the Finale EWS.

Racers are responsible for organizing their own personal travel, medical and personal liability insurance coverage:

- medical costs for any injuries sustained outside of scheduled official training or race days.
- material damages (loss of earnings) in case of accident on the occasion of a cycling competition or during training.
- Third-party liability insurance for material damage or bodily injury caused to others in the course of a competition or cycling event or during training.



CHECKIN / PLATE COLLECTION

Race Package will include plate (must be on bike for training and race) plus bike marking stickers and jersey number. Stickers and jersey numbers only needed for the race day.

To collect the package on behalf of another racer, a copy of the racer's identification and race license or medical certificate (as applicable) is required.

CHECKIN DEADLINE: 10:00, 17 September

Any rider who has not collected their race plate by the deadline will be removed from the start list.

Altering, cutting, or placing of unauthorized stickers or sponsor logos on race plates is not permitted.



RIDER BRIEFING

[2021 Rider Briefing video](#)

Rider Briefing notes specific to Finale will be sent by email with the Start List

COURSE:

[EWS Map](#)

67,9km + 2040m gain (not including PRO Stage the day before):

- S1 Final-Borgo
- S2 Base Nato
- S3 Cravarezza - Ingegnere
- S4 Little Champery
- S5 Final-Borgo (also Pro Stage)

[EWS100 Map](#)

55,5km | +1853m

Order (using the number of the stages of the EWS):

S4 - S1 - S2 - S3

- S1 Final-Borgo
- S2 Base Nato
- S3 Cravarezza - Ingegnere
- S4 Little Champery

[EWS80 Map](#)

48,7km | +1490m gain

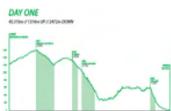
order (using the number of the stages of the EWS Pro):

S4 - S1 - S2

- S1 Final-Borgo
- S2 Base Nato
- S3 Cravarezza - Ingegnere

LIAISON INFORMATION (detailing transition routes and allocated transfer times between stages): to be published in advance of training

COURSE PREVIEW VIDEOS: Will be published on the [EWS You Tube Channel](#)



TRAINING

Once the courses are announced September 10, all race stages will be closed for riding until training.

Race stages are closed during official training to all but racers, accredited media and official EWS Team staff. All riders on course during practice must have plates on their bikes. Any rider training without a plate or outside the official schedule will be disqualified.

Racer will be limited to 1 training run on each race stage.



	<p>To manage congestion on the tracks during training, each group (EWS and EWS100/EWS80) will have assigned times for each stage. Details will be published closer to the race date - refer to Schedule.</p> <p> Safety Protocol: riders stopping on track to check lines or pushing up to session sections must do so from outside the tape.</p>
	<p>UPLIFTS Shuttling permitted during training for Base Nato, Cravazerra Ingeniere and Little Champery stages. Final-Borgo stage cannot be shuttled.</p> <p>Racers can either use personal / private shuttles or the commercial / public shuttle service offered by Finale Outdoor Region. No shuttles on race day.</p> <p>COMMERCIAL PUBLIC SHUTTLE BOOKING Finale Outdoor Region is the only authorized public commercial shuttle service for the EWS/EWS100/EWS80 training. Limited capacity, must be prebooked. Online Booking</p> <p>Uplift package options: - #1: 7:30 , 13:00 - #2: 9:00 , 14:30 - #3: 10:30 , 16:00 Pickup Finale Outdoor Base. Drop off Base Nato</p>
	<p>TIMING CHIPS Timing system: SPORTident AIR+ system</p> <p>Each racer will be issued two transponders (the second unit provides backup in case of loss or a crash). One transponder should be worn on each wrist.</p> <p>Timing chips will be collected in the finish area of the race. Racers who withdraw or do not complete the race should return the chips to the timing tent in the finish area. Lost or damaged chips will be assessed a 100 GBP replacement fee. Timing stickers and timing chips will be issued at the start on race day. Racers should arrive at least 15 minutes prior to their individual start time to collect the chips.</p>
	<p>BIKE MARKING Racers must use the same bike (frame, fork and wheels) for the race. If one of these parts break (frame, fork, rear swingarm and wheels), riders have to report it to the race director. In the case of a replacement of a part or the entire bike, a 3-minute penalty will be given if the rider reports it to the race director (with the penalty assigned to the Stage when the replacement is made). If not reported, the rider will be disqualified.</p> <p>EWS Official event bike marking stickers (5 total) will be included in the race package.</p> <p>Stickers need to be applied to the top tube of the frame, right side of the rear swing arm, right crown of the front forks and each wheel rim.</p>

Do not affix the stickers until the race day.
Racers who lose their bike marking stickers prior to the race start may be assessed a time penalty.



FEED ZONES

There will be no feed zone during the race. Packed lunch will be provided at finish line.



Location of public water fountains:

- In Feglino the village at the beginning of the climb (not too long after the highway overpass)
- In Feglino another fountain at the exit of the alley from the mill (riders will pass it twice following Ingegnere and Little Champery)
- San Rocco Church Feglino
- On the way to NATO Base there's also a fountain on the P road (state road) near the forestry nursery
- On the transfer to Final-Borgo, racers will have access to water twice (first in the climbers parking lot, where the tarmac begins, then in Perti Alto before descending towards the castles)



TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE ZONE

EWS

There is no Technical Assistance Zone. No outside assistance permitted during the race.

EWS100/80

Outside assistance is permitted.

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START ORDER and SEEDING



EWS

Seeding

Riders in the EWS will have individual preassigned start times for all the stages. Riders will be seeded based on a combination of their current Enduro World Series and EWS Global rank and (if applicable) EWS team status and PRO Stage prologue results. Previous Enduro World Series and EWS Global Rankings and results may be considered.

MEN | Master 35+

WOMEN (*outside top 15*)

WOMEN | Under 21
WOMEN | Master 35+
MEN | Under 21
MEN (*outside top 30*)
WOMEN (*top 15 EWS rank plus EWS team riders*)
MEN (*top 30 current EWS rank and protected riders*)

Start Intervals
Riders in the EWS will have individual preassigned start times for all the Special Stages.
30 second start intervals.

EWS100/80

EWS100/80 use a fastest first format.

Racers will be assigned a start position for the first stage based on the information in the "Self Seeding" section of their EWS Rider Profiles (1 Super Fast | 2 Fast | 3 Good | 4 Pure Fun) .
<http://portal.enduroworldseries.com> User Navigation > Additional Racer Info tab/menu
EWS100/80 racers can also request to be paired up with teammates / friends for the start (even from different categories).

EWS Rider Profile > User Navigation > Additional Racer Info > "Paired Rider"

Once EWS100 and EWS80 racers leave the start, they are not required to remain in the original start positions for the balance of the stages.

START LIST and START PROCEDURES

List of registered riders published on the event page : "Participating Rider" tab/menu

Start List will be published the day prior to the race..

Any racer who has not collected their race plate by the checkin deadline will be not be added to the Start List.

EWS

Racers will have preassigned start times for every Special Stage.

Late racers may be given the following penalties:

up to 5 minutes late = 1 minute penalty

5+ minutes late = 5 minutes penalty

Any racers arriving at the start of a race stage later than 30 minutes after their specified start time will be assigned a DSQ for the race and should not complete any other stages.

EWS100 and EWS80

To minimize congestion on the tracks, the race start will be staggered. Each EWS100 and EWS80 racer will have an individual assigned time to leave the start / Paddock.

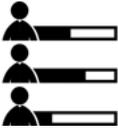
Once EWS100 / EWS80 racers leave the start, the racers will need to complete the balance of the Special Stages in order. But there are no specific stage start times for the EWS100 or EWS80 races. Rather, EWS100/80 riders will have a specific time period to complete each individual Special Stage as well as an overall time to complete the course each day.

Maximum course time and opening / closing times for the Special Stages will be published the day prior to the race.

If a racer does not complete the course within their final time check, they will have a penalty added to their overall time.

up to 5 minutes late = 1 minute penalty.



	<p>5+ minutes late = 5 minutes penalty</p> <p>GENERAL If a racer is delayed reaching a stage start or the finish time check as a result of assisting an injured rider or due to some other exceptional circumstances beyond the racer's control, the time penalty may be waived and / or the racer may be permitted to repeat the stage. Any racer affected by a 'significant incident' during a transition or race stage should immediately report to the finish or start official of the affected stage (as applicable). The Race Director has the final right to change start times during the race in case of any unforeseen circumstances.</p> <p>LIAISON INFORMATION DOCUMENT The route description and allocated times for each stage/transition will be published with the course maps on Friday September 10. Racers should use this information during training to calculate the pace needed to complete each liaison and the overall course.</p>
	<p>LIVE TIMING and RESULTS Race Feed and Live Timing: https://www.enduroworldseries.com/live/ Official Results (with penalties) will be posted on the Enduro World Series website following the race.</p>
	<p>AWARDS Piazza Vittoria Emanuele</p> <p>EWS 30 minutes after final EWS rider Top 3 from each race categories will be awarded – as well as the top 3 EWS teams of the day. Race podiums will be followed by presentation for EWS Series overalls (Women, Women U21, Women Master 35+, Men, Men U21 and Men Master 35+, Team)</p> <p>EWS100/80 18:00 Separate podiums for the EWS100 and EWS80</p>
	<p>RANKING POINTS Riders must have an active 2021 EWS membership in order to be eligible to collect EWS Global ranking points. Points are listed in the EWS Rules: https://www.enduroworldseries.com/ews-general/rules-and-resources/</p> <p>EWS Points are listed in Appendix 1 of the EWS Rules.</p> <p>EWS100 EWS Rules - Section 2.1.5 EWS100 riders who are EWS Members will be eligible to score Global Ranking points using the following calculation: EWS Series points equating finish place in scratch result with all EWS racers (excluding the EWS Pro Stage) - minus 20%. EWS points are listed in Appendix 1.</p>

	<p>EWS80 EWS80 riders who are EWS Members will be eligible to score Global Ranking points. The Global Rankings point scale for the EWS80 races are listed in Appendix 3.</p>
	<p>QUEEN STAGE EWS One Special Stage per EWS event will be designated the Queen Stage. Bonus Global and Series Ranking points will be available for top 5 Men and Women and top 3 Masters and U21. Refer to Rule 1.2.7 for the complete points table. Queen Stage will be identified on September 10.</p>
	<p>PRO STAGE EWS EWS race will feature a PRO Stage. The Pro Stage will use a specially designed, high speed stage aimed to create close racing and excitement for spectators. The PRO stage will be raced on Saturday and repeated on Sunday. Bonus Global and Series Ranking points will be available for top 5 Men and Women and top 3 Masters and U21 of Saturday's stage result. Refer to Rule 1.2.6 for the complete points table.</p> <p>Additionally, the top 5 racers in the Men's category and top 3 racers in the Women's category of the Saturday Pro stage will be reseeded to start last for the Sunday race.</p> <p>Any other racer in the Men's category with a top 10 finish in the Saturday Pro stage will be reseeded if that racer has not previously been assigned to Group A for the Sunday race. Racers transferring to Group A based on Pro stage results will be inserted at the end of the Group A Men's category before the Group A Women.</p> <p>The Pro stage will be repeated as the final stage on Sunday but will not carry any bonus ranking points.</p> <p>A racer who does not start the Pro stage will not be included on the start list for Sunday's race. Any racers who do not finish the Pro stage will be assigned a time for the Pro stage (calculated as last place in their category plus 5 minutes) and will be permitted to complete the race on Sunday.</p> <p>A racer with a DNF on the Pro stage will retain their star position / order for Sunday's race.</p>
	<p>PRIZE MONEY EWS 1st Men and Women: 1000 EUR 2nd Men and Women: 600 EUR 3rd Men and Women: 400 EUR 4th Men and Women: 200 EUR 5th Men and Women: 100 EUR 4600 EUR total Payment will be made by cash at the podium.</p>

	<p>RACE RULES</p> <p>Riders are expected to read and understand the Race Book and Enduro World Series Rulebook. Unfamiliarity will not be accepted as an excuse for any rule violation by any rider https://www.enduroworldseries.com/ews-general/rules-and-resources/</p> <p>The Race Director is authorized to give additional penalties that are not listed in the Rulebook in the case of a rider who fails to respect the other riders, the spirit of the sport, the environment or the organization.</p> <p>Protests and complaints regarding the race, results, behaviour of the other racers and any other sort of issue must be presented to the Race Director or Chief Commissaire within 15 minutes from the posting of the results.</p> <p>RULE BREAK REPORT FORM: https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSc-FholqP7w0Jf8m_2ZQbp6nHAKUPnHQvp_IMDb_Jy2-5PpkMw/viewform</p> <p>Race Director: Riccardo Negro riccardo.negro@finaleoutdoorresort.com +39 349 781 5115 UCI Chief Commissaire: Miranda Colenbrander +31 6 20177329</p>
	<p>PROTECTION RULES</p> <p>Full face helmet, knee pads, gloves and back protector mandatory on race stages during training and race.</p> <p>Helmets with a removable chin piece are acceptable. Open face helmets may be worn on liaison stages.</p> <p>A backpack can replace the back protector if it includes CE certified back protection.</p> <p>The rules apply to both training and race days.</p>
 	<p>FILMING RIGHTS AND REGULATIONS</p> <p>Play Sports Network Limited are the exclusive licensee of the EWS events organised by Enduro Sports Organisations Limited .</p> <p>The filming, recording, broadcasting and distribution of footage of any activities associated with the EWS, including Shakedown, training, race or any other official scheduled activities, will be subject to regulation.</p> <p>Details to be announced.</p> <p>DRONES Filming with a drone is not allowed.</p> <p>ONBOARD CAMERAS On board cameras must either be worn on peak / visors or affixed with a breakable mount. Chest mounts are not permitted.</p> <p>WAIVER I am fully aware and conscious of the potential risks that might arise with the use of such equipment and accept them. To the extent permitted by the applicable law, I release Play Sports Network Limited, Enduro Sports Organisation, Union Cycliste International, my National Federation, the organizers, the sponsors, and their respective members, directors, officers, employees, volunteers, contractors and agents from any liability linked to the utilisation of the camera on the bicycle and/or onto the visors/peaks of the helmet. This concerns in particular cases of accidents, injury, and damage to personal property or third-party property linked to the utilisation of a camera on the bicycle and/or onto the visors/peaks of the helmet during finals/ training sessions.</p>



DOPING CONTROL

Doping control will be under the authority of the Anti-Doping and International Testing Agency (ITA) for the UCI-sanctioned EWS race. All current ITA and WADA anti-doping rules and regulations are in force.

It is each rider's responsibility to check whether he or she has been selected for doping control. Lists with racers' plate numbers and/or positions will be posted on the timing tent in the finish line as well as at the Doping Control Station (DCS).

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TRAVEL / TRANSPORTATION

<http://turismo.comunefinaleligure.it/en/how-get-here>

BY PLANE

The nearest international airports are in Nice France (NCE 130km away) and Milan (either Malpensa MXP 220 km or Linate LIN 205km).

There is also a national airport located in Genoa (80km from Finale Ligure).



BY TRAIN

The train station in Finale Ligure is located within 5min from the paddock area.

For more information: www.trenitalia.it

BY CAR

Venue is accessible by car along the motorway (A10) when coming from Genoa or from the French border. Exits at Pietra Ligure or Finale Ligure.



SPORT & EVENTS LOGISTICS

SEL - Sport & Events Logistics, as the Official Travel Agency of Enduro Worlds Series, is able to offer all teams and stakeholders the best travel solutions for all their needs. SEL can handle airline and train tickets, transfers by car rental or private car with a dedicated driver and much more.

Visit www.sel.it and find out all details about the services we provide or contact: travel@sel.it Team SEL will be ready to take care of you.



ACCOMMODATION

Please book any accommodation with providers who are members of the Finale Outdoor Region Consortium. <https://www.finaleoutdoor.com/en/accommodation>

Finale Outdoor Region are also the group who are helping to make MTB happen in the Finale area and we need to make sure these local businesses, who also fund the trail network we all know and love, are a priority of ours as a community.



PARKING

General / Public: <http://turismo.comunefinaleligure.it/en/utilita/mobility-parking>

Team pit / parking bookings:

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CAMPING

Camper Parking: <http://turismo.comunefinaleligure.it/en/area-camper/area-camper>

Camping: <http://turismo.comunefinaleligure.it/en/dormire/camping>

	<p>POWER Power plugs and sockets are of type C, F and L. The standard voltage is 230 V and the standard frequency is 50 Hz.</p>  <p>TYPE C TYPE F TYPE L</p>
	<p>WIFI Availability at the race village: TBC</p>
	<p>BIKE SHOPS There are a number of local shops offering rentals, service and retail LIST</p>
	<p>BIKE WASH Bike wash stations will be set up at the east end of the Promenade.</p>
	<p>GROCERY STORES Finale Outdoor Region has a full range of shops and services. MAP</p>
	<p>BANK MACHINES There are a number of banks and ATMs in Finale Outdoor Region. MAP</p>
	<p>EVENT MERCHANDISE EWS Shop. https://shop.enduroworldseries.com/ EWS jerseys, gloves, goggles, socks, tshirts, sweatshirts and frame protectors available online. Event merchandise will be available onsite.</p>
	<p>OTHER RIDING ZONES Riding options for racers / teams arriving in advance or extending their stays: There are over 500kms of tracks and trails in Finale Ligure and surrounding areas. Impact of race stage closures will be minimal. Visit www.finaleoutdoor.com/en/live/mtb-mtb or https://maps.finaleoutdoor.com/en/ for details.</p>
	<p>PLACES OF INTEREST / OTHER ACTIVITIES Visit www.finaleoutdoor.com , www.visitfinaleligure.it/ or www.comunepietraligure.it for recommended activities for racers arriving in advance or extending their stays and for non-riding partners.</p>

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EMERGENCY RESPONSE

Telephone number for emergency dispatch: +39 349 781 5115

	<p>Ambulance Services: 112 Unique European Emergency Number</p> <p>Medical Point will be located near the Piazza / main stage : doctor, ambulances and a rescue team.</p>
	<p>NEAREST CLINIC / HOSPITAL</p> <p>The nearest Hospital is in Pietra Ligure, 7 km from the paddock area of the event. Santa Corona Hospital. Viale 25 Aprile, 38, 17027 Pietra Ligure https://www.asl2.liguria.it/ospedali/ospedale-pietra-ligure.html</p>
	<p>MASSAGE and PHYSIOTHERAPY</p> <p>Massage services will be available at the venue - details to be confirmed</p>
	<p>CONCUSSION PROTOCOL</p> <p>Any racer who fails a concussion assessment by a qualified medical practitioner, during that event, will be removed from the current practice session or race and will be prohibited from further participation in any Enduro World Series race or practice session or race until cleared in writing by a medical doctor to resume such activity. Should a concussion be confirmed by a medical doctor, the athlete is responsible for completing a 'graduated return to activity' plan.</p> <p>DOWNLOAD Concussion Pocket Guide for Riders</p>