OFFICIAL RULES
FRENCH RIVIERA MARATHON OF ALPES-MARITIMES NICE-CANNES

Rule 1 – Organization
The eighteenth edition of the French Riviera Marathon des Alpes-Maritimes Nice-Cannes will be organized on November 08th, 2026 by Azur Sport Organisation, association Loi 1901, affiliated to the French Federation of Athletism (F.F.A.)

Rule 2 – Course, start and finish
The course is measured according to the current norms and complying with the federal and international rules for road races (FFA and World Athletics).

The race start will be done on the « Promenade des Anglais in front of « Théâtre de Verdure» in Nice.
5 starts will be held:

- 7.57 am for disabled people
- 8.00am for elite athletes, sub 3h, 3h, 3h15 runners
- 8.25am for 3h30, 3h45 runners
- 8.50am for 4h, 4h15 runners
- 9.15am for 4h30, 5h runners

The opening and closing times for the bag drop and the starting pens will be communicated to runners prior to the race.

The finishline is situated on « Boulevard de la Croisette» in Cannes. The course is available for consultation on the website *www.marathon06.com*

Rule 3 – Subscriptions
The race is opened to all athletes licensed or not licensed borned in 2007 and before.

Prices* for non licensed runners are as following :

- 66€ for the 1000 first registered or until November, 30th 2025 (11:59pm) at the latest
- 76€ from 1001st to 5000th registered, or until February, 28th 2026 (11:59pm) at the latest
- 86€ from 5001st to 10 000th registered, or until April, 30th 2026 (11:59pm) at the latest
- 96€ from 10 001st to registration closing (limited to 15 500 runners) or to October, 30th 2026 at the latest

Prices* for licensed runners are as following :

- 62€ for the 1000 first registered or until November, 30th 2025 (11:59pm) at the latest
- 72€ from 1001st to 5000th registered, or until February, 28th 2026 (11:59pm) at the latest
- 81€ from 5001st to 10 000th registered, or until April, 30th 2026 (11:59pm) at the latest
- 91€ from 10 001st to registration closing (limited to 15 500 runners) or to October, 30th 2026 at the latest

* €1 for each registration will be donated to the “Banque alimentaire”

A group tarification will also be put in place. Indeed, after 10 registrations from the same group, the 11th will be free of charge. In addition, for all these groups, the second price will be applied throughout all

registration opening period, regardless of the date. If the group is an FFA club, the licensed runners prices could then not be applied.

During the opening of registrations, the organization may present special promotional offers on registration fees.

Registration includes, with the bib number used as a train ticket, a non limited access to the TER train service between Nice and Cannes, in both directions, the day of the race.

Entries can be done:

- Online: www.marathon06.com or on www.sport-up.fr,

None application form will be accepted on the spot or by phone.

Every file will systematically be refused if it did not include the following documents:

- Official application form completed,
- Payment of the entry frees *(payment by credit card or payable to Azur Sport Organisation)*,
- A PPS certificate number still valid on November 8th, 2026, attesting that the participant has completed and validated their health prevention course.
- Proof results over 2025 or 2026 to get < 3h00 preferential number

All the necessary documents must be sent before October 25th, 2026 at midnight on line, by email (verosportup@gmail.com) or to:

CIMALP COMMUNICATION –Marathon Nice Cannes – 1545 Route Départementale – RN7 – Marina 7 - 06270 Villeneuve-Loubet

Rule 4 – Preferential number

The organization proposes to the competitors to get a preferential bib number < 3 hours in exchange of a result proof realized on a marathon over 2025 or 2026.

Rule 5 – Classification

« Scratch » general classification as well as age categories will give distinct classification according to the regulation of the road race charter (F.F.A.). We remind you that some controls will be effectuated during the race to insure optimum race regularities.

Rule 6 – Entries

Each entry is considered as personal, non-transferable and final. Except for the case where the event would be cancelled for sanitary reasons (see rules 21 and 22), no refund will be made, apart from runners who subscribed the «cancellation option» (see rules 20). No registration transfers will be allowed, whatever the reasons. Any person retroceding his bib to a third party will be held responsible in case of an accident arising or provoked by this third party during the competition. The organisation is exempt from all responsibility in case of an accident in this type of situation. The bib must be entirely visible and worn at front during the whole race.

Rule 7 – Collection of the bib numbers

The collection of the start bibs numbers will be effectuated the race preceding days, in the Running Expo Marathon situated in Nice. Bike, pets and suitcase will be prohibited.

Start numbers will be delivered only upon presentation of an identity card and the start number's voucher (sent during the week before the race)

The start number's voucher will be:

- Available online on *www.marathon06.com* on the tab *Subscriptions*
- Sent by email by the organization to the personal address given by the competitor when the entry was effectuated.

None race number will be send by mail or given on the spot on November 08th, 2026 before the start race.

Rule 8 – The official jury

The F.F.A. constitutes an official jury whose decision is final. The jury is assisted by official race judges and race stewards appointed by the F.F.A. The runner declares on his honor to not anticipate the start and to run the whole race before to cross the finish line.

Rule 9 – Refreshments posts

Refreshment stations offering still water will be available approximately every 2.5 km from the 5 km mark to the 25 km mark, and then approximately every 1.5 km from the 25 km mark to the finish line.
At these same stations — specifically every 5 km starting at the 5 km mark — the selection will be supplemented with cola and electrolyte drinks, as well as solid foods (fruit, dried fruit, sugar, chocolate, or salty snacks like crackers).
Finally, isotonic drinks will also be available at the 20 km and 30 km stations.

No cups will be provided at these stations; therefore, each competitor is responsible for bringing a container of their choice (cup, soft flask, hydration bladder, etc.) to fill at the refreshment stations set up by the organizers.

Rule 10 – Security

The organization and the prefecture of the Alpes-Maritimes will insure the security of the runners and the spectators during the event. Medical safety will be under control of a security association agree by the prefecture of the Alpes-Maritimes notably through security posts located on the route, as well as some of them moving with the runners, inside the pack. Medical services may stop any competitor from continuing the race for medical reasons. Every runner put « out of the race» by medical services and who wish to pursue the race, will run under his own responsibility in case of accident. His timing chip would be then taken off, and the organisation would be exempt from all responsibility in case of an accident in this type of situation.

Rule 11 – Limit race time

Participants have a maximum of 6 hours to complete the course and reach the finish line. The split times below indicate the pace required to finish within the 6-hour time limit.

KM 5 ~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~ 0:42:51
KM 10 ~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~ 1:25:43
KM 15 ~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~ 2:08:34
KM 20 ~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~ 2:51:26
KM 21 ~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~ 3:00:00
KM 25 ~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~ 3:34:17
KM 30 ~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~ 4:17:09

KM 35 ~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~ 5:00:00
KM 40 ~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~ 5:42:51
KM 42 ~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~ 6:00:00

Cut-off points will be established at the 10 km, 21.1 km, 30 km, and 35 km marks, based on the time the last competitor passes under the start arch. If a runner is overtaken by race organization vehicles at these cut-off points, the organization may unilaterally declare the runner "outside the time limit," resulting in immediate disqualification from the race. Their timing chip will then be removed.
Any disqualified runner who decides to continue the race does so at their own risk, and the organization cannot be held liable in the event of an accident.

Rule 12 – Timing system
The timing system will be used for timing by a person affiliated to the F.F.A. Each competitor will be given a chip when collecting starting documents which will be activated in an automatically way when the start line will be crossed. The chip will be used as control system on different check point positioned on the course. Competitors failing to follow the course will be disqualified.

Rule 13 – Insurances
***Civil liability*:** The organization has taken out a civil liability insurance policy in accordance with current legislation. This contract insures against damage caused by members of the organization and every competitor from the French Riviera Marathon des Alpes-Maritimes Nice-Cannes. Written proof can be provided upon request.
***Individual accident*:** The organization highly recommends to the runners who did not have personal insurance covering the corporal damages particularly for the non-licensed runners, to subscribe to an individual « insurance accident » for their participation to the race.
***Material dommage*:** The organization disclaims all responsibility in the event of a damage (theft, breakage, loss …) subjected to the personal communities of runners, even if it is looked after. The runners couldn't backfire on the organization for all damages occasioned to their equipment. The subscription of an insurance to guarantee these risks is within each one's province.

Rule 14 – Protection of personal pictures
14.1 Image Rights and Processing of Personal Data
By registering for the event, each participant expressly and irrevocably authorizes Azur Sport Organisation, as the data controller, as well as its partners, technical subcontractors, and rights holders, to capture, process, use, and distribute free of charge their name, image, voice, and athletic performance recorded during the event, on all current or future media (including print, audiovisual, digital, websites, social networks, streaming platforms, or mobile applications).
This authorization is granted for worldwide use, for purposes of communication, promotion, marketing, commercialization, or archiving of the event, for the entire legal duration of copyright and related rights protection, including any extensions therefore.

14.2 Processing of Personal Data
As part of the event, personal data is collected and processed to manage registrations, timing, result display, and the distribution of visual content (photos, videos). These processing activities are carried out by the organizer or, where applicable, by its subcontractors acting on its instructions, in accordance with the GDPR.
To facilitate participant access to their visual content, the organizer may use a subcontracted service provider that implements facial recognition, algorithmic identification, or automated classification

technologies. These processes are strictly regulated and implemented in a proportionate manner, in line with the stated purposes.
Facial recognition relies on the analysis of facial features, allowing for the unique identification of a participant. This involves the use of biometric data, which falls under special categories of data as defined by Article 9 of the GDPR.
This anonymized processing is strictly limited to the following purposes:

- Automated indexing of the participant's images and videos;
- Secure grouping of such content in a dedicated personal space.

It is only activated if the participant has provided explicit consent, collected at the time of registration. This consent is optional, may be refused without affecting participation, and may be withdrawn without justification up to 15 days before the event, and participants may choose to avoid the marked capture areas.
The processing is carried out exclusively by the subcontractor PhotoRunning, under a contract compliant with Article 28 of the GDPR. The processed biometric data is not sold, reused, or exploited for any other purpose, and is automatically deleted within a maximum of 90 days after the event ends.

Rule 15 – CNIL
According to the French law of January 6th, 1978 about information and freedom, you have right to access and rectify any personal information about you saved in our files. Through us, you may have to receive advertisements from other companies or associations. If you do not want so, just write us and tell us your name and if possible your race number.

Rule 16 – Circulation
Bicycles, motorized vehicles and pushchairs are strictly forbidden on the course except for the organization staff.

Article 17 - Aid, Accompanying Persons, Assistance
It is forbidden to use any outside assistance, whether through the use of certain equipment or by employing one or more accompanying persons. The use of devices for listening to music during the competition is permitted on the strict condition that they allow the participant to remain aware of their surroundings. The isolation from the environment provided by these devices, which prevents the identification of certain dangers, is a risk factor for the user and for third parties: emergency services, law enforcement, etc. GPS pedometers and heart rate monitors are not considered assistance. A medical examination carried out during the event by a member of the medical service designated by the organizer and clearly identified by armbands, vests, or similar distinctive means, will not be considered assistance.

Rule 18 – Abandonment
Each runner who wants to abandon, will have to notify the organisation through the race security staff placed all along the route, or through food or water stations. He will then be able to come back to Nice or to go to Cannes using the train with his bib number as a train ticket.

Rule 19 – Reward Ceremony
The Reward Ceremony organized in Cannes after the finish will reward the 3 first men and the 3 first women of the race, along with the first man and the first woman from each category. Every runner crossing the finish line in the allowed period will receive a « finisher reward ».

Rule 20 – Cancellation option

Each runner may subscribe to an optional "Insurance Refund in case of cancellation" allowing him/her to cancel his/her registration in accordance with the Beticketing T& C.
This insurance will allow the subscriber to get a refund of his registration in case the competitor is unable to participate: injury, illness including Covid 19 (declared within 30 days prior to the date of the event), death, etc...
Coverage and exclusions can be checked on Beticketing T&C.
https://www.sport-up.fr/organisateur/reglement/37783-BeTicketing_CG_2023_FR_.pdf

The cancellation insurance guarantees the reimbursement of 80% of the amount corresponding to the registration fees (and options) minus the transaction fees retained in case of registration by Internet and the amount of the insurance. Any request for reimbursement must be made via the url link or the QR code included in the insurance certificate received at the time of subscription.
This insurance can only be taken out at the time of registration and in no case added afterwards. Any question after the subscription can be sent by mail to beticketing@assur-connect.com.

No refund can be collected from a runner who wouldn't have subscribed the insurance with his registration. This insurance isn't taken into consideration if the event is to be partially or totally cancelled (see rules 21 and 22).

Rule 21 – Pandemic event cancellation
If the event could not take place due to an ongoing pandemic (population lockdown, non-gathering rules, …), the organization will then propose a postponement of registered participants to the following year or a refund of registered participants, the proportion of which will be defined depending on the date of cancellation. If the participant chooses to postpone his registration, he will keep all the options taken, including the insurance if he had subscribed to. This one will nevertheless not cover those who wouldn't be available at the postponement date of the event.

Rule 22 –Major fact event cancellation
If the event were to be canceled for a case of force majeure or for a reason beyond the control of the organization or for a climatic event impacting the safety of participants and people working in the organization, other than the reason cited in article 21, no reimbursement of registration fees can be made and no compensation received, including those who had taken the cancellation option (see rule 20).

Rule 23 – Wheelchair
The race is opened to wheelchair athletes, according to "Federation Française handisport rules. In agreement with those rules, "hand bikes", or "hand cycling, will not be allowed on the race. The wheelchair start will be done at 7.57 am. There will be a specific classification of the wheelchair race.
The athletes mustbe conform with the securities rules specifically about each disability.

Rule 24 – Sustainability
Through his races, Azur Sport Organisation is committed in sustainability. Runners participating to ASO races accept those commitments, and may consult it on the Internet website *www.marathon06.com*
Each runner seen throwing his garbages on the floor instead of the bin will be disqualified.

Rule 25 – Rules modification
The organization has the right to change those rules at any moment, and whatever the reasons. Registered people would then be informed of those changes by all possible means at the disposal of the organization.

Rule 26 – Sanitary rules

Regarding the sanitary rules, the organization will follow the governmental instructions in place at the date of the race, setting up all the necessary measures in order to offer a maximal protection for the runners, volunteers and to all the people involved in this event.

Then, and according to the rule 25, this competition rule sheet could be modified until November, 7th 2026. Participants will anyway be informed of all sanitary measures and specifications before the event, and will have to conform to it if they want to take part to the race.

The participation to the French Riviera Marathon des Alpes-Maritimes Nice-Cannes implicates the express approval of the official regulation by every runner.