

The event will take place at the
Hotel Royal Victoria****



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Special offer in B&B	per day
Double room	€ 115
Double room for single occupancy	€ 95
Triple room	€ 173
Double room with lake view	€ 135
Double room with lake view (single occupancy)	€ 115
Junior suite with lake view	€ 230
City tax for person	€ 1



Anti COVID Measures

The following health and safety protocols for our tournament
“16th MILAN OPEN”
are issued to protect all players and staff due
to the current impact of the COVID-19.

We request you to please cooperate and obey these protocols. Please note that contraventions will not be tolerated and will cause a warning by the tournament management. Failure to observe these warnings will result in the exclusion of participation in all tournament activities.

All participants must provide the following information when registering:

- **Proof of vaccination** presentation of a vaccination certificate or similar document showing that the vaccination was completed at least 14 days ago. The second dose must have been given if a vaccine requires two injections. As proof, only a vaccine that is approved in Italy or the EU or GB is permitted.
- If there is no proof of vaccination, **a negative PCR test result** within the last 72 hours or **a negative PoC-antigen-test result** within the last 48 hours must be submitted.
- People who have recently recovered from COVID-19, must **provide a positive PCR test result** that is at least 15 days old but cannot be older than 180 days.

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IN ADDITION, THE FOLLOWING SAFETY PROTOCOLS APPLY FOR THE DURATION OF THE TOURNAMENT

- **Mask requirement:** At the registration and in the Hotel, the participants must wear a mask at all times. The mask can only be removed during a game at the table in terrace.
- **Hand disinfection:** Stations will be available throughout the tournament hall. Players are asked to sanitize their hands between each game.
- **Tables with social distancing:** The tables in the tournament room are set up at least 1.50 m apart to ensure an appropriate level of social distance.
- **Showing symptoms:** Participants who have flu-like symptoms are not allowed to participate in the tournament, even if they have registered in advance. In case of doubt, the tournament organizer is entitled to measure the temperature of each participant and to request a new negative COVID test result.

16th Backgammon Tournament MILAN OPEN

October 21-24 2021

Varenna (LC)



SCHEDULE

Thursday 21st

21:00 Warm Up 5 points

Friday 22nd

12:00 Start Playoff Champion
15:00 Start Playoff Advanced
17:00 Speedgammon 7 points

Saturday 23rd

10:30 Finals Playoff Champion e Advanced
11:00 Speedgammon resumes
13:00 Italian Championship awards

16th MILAN OPEN

14:00 Start Champion Category
15:00 Start Advanced Category

16:00 Start Second Chance Champion Category
21:00 Queen Victoria 9 points

Sunday 24th

10:30 Big Final Champion
11:00 Last rounds Advanced
11:00 GoodBye Varenna 7 points
15:00 Final Champion
17:00 Awards

Tournament Timing

CHAMPION

MAIN	SECOND CHANCE
<i>Saturday</i>	<i>Saturday</i>
1 st round 14:00	1 st round 16:00
2 nd round 16:00	2 nd round 17:30
3 rd round 18:00	3 rd round 19:00
4 th round 21:00	4 th round 21:30
	5 th round 23:00

BIG FINAL Last Eight

Sunday
Start 10:30

ADVANCED

Saturday
1st round 15:00
2nd round 16:30
3rd round 18:00
4th round 21:00
5th round 22:30

Sunday
6th round 11:00
7th round 13:30
8th round 15:00

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	Entry Fee	Registration	Sidepot
Champion	200	50	100
Advanced	70	30	
Beginner	10	free	
Warm-Up	25	5	
Speedgammon 7	50	10	
Queen Victoria	90	10	
GoodBye Varenna	50	10	

Tournament Directors

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Important Notes

- All players must be members of the Circuito Nazionale Backgammon. Cost € 30,00.
- The matches of the main tournaments take precedence over any other form of play.
- A player who leaves the playing area during the tournament must inform the Tournament Director.
- In case of any dispute, the director will apply the CNB/WBGF international rules.
- The tournament is by CNB invitation only - the organization reserves the right to change the program or any of its parts and do refuse registration. Changes will be announced in advance and posted on the Notice Board.
- By participating to the tournament, you authorize CNB to video-record, live stream, and/or otherwise broadcast any or all Tournament matches.
- Format **Champion** Double Elimination; semi-finalists of the "main" and of the "second chance" will access the Big Final which then becomes a direct elimination for all qualified players. Main 11 points, Second Chance 9 points, Big Final 11-13-15 points
- Format **Advanced** Quadruple Elimination, 8 rounds to 7 points. It is the responsibility of each player to be punctual. Start of penalty points: 5 minutes from the start time of each round.
- Clocks
Mandatory: Champion, Double Consulting, Speed Gammon.
Preference: Advanced
- After the dinner break, the play resumes strictly at 21:00
- GoodBye Varenna Tournament. Invitation extended only to the players out of the games.

Past Winners

2006 Claudio Cantoni
2007 Florin Popa
2008 Lorendo Rinaldo
2009 Sarino Cannavò
2010 Alessandro Rietti
2011 Herbert Lindner
2012 Marco Bonetti
2013 Claus Weissbarth

2014 Florin Popa
2015 Fabrizio Lo Surdo
2016 Luca Martino
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2018 Pavel Shirokov
2019 Fabrizio Lo Surdo
2020 Lorenzo Rinaldo