



# INFORMATION FOR DELEGATIONS U-14 FENCING FESTIVAL CIVIDALE DEL FRIULI (ITALY) 26 – 27 June 2026

## 1. General and Specific Rules of the Festival

The competitions are organized in principle according to the FIE Rules in force. However, the following rules apply:

### Entries

- Maximum **6 fencers per weapon** born after **1 January 2012** may register via the **EFC Service Portal**.
- The quota for the organizing country is **12 fencers**.

### Deadline

- **18 June 2026 at midnight (CET)**.

### Visa

- If your delegation requires visa assistance, please send an email to [visa@federscherma.it](mailto:visa@federscherma.it) by **15 May**.

## Safeguarding

- Two designated safeguarding officers will be present throughout the competition:
  - **Sig. Stefano Pasquon**
  - **Sig.ra Anakarina Lesizza Leal**

## Accreditation

All active persons (fencers, referees, and coaches) must be in possession of the **EFC license for the 2025–2026 season**. Accreditation cards will be issued only to licensed coaches registered via the EFC portal.

## 2. Referees

### The organisers will provide the referees.

To respond to the request made following last year's edition to increase the diversity of referee nationalities, a levy of €15 per fencer will be introduced. This additional contribution will be used to cover the costs associated with appointing referees.

Referees will be required to hold a minimum C licence for international officials, while local (Italian) referees must at least be certified at national level.

Referees must hold a **valid national and EFC license**.

## 3. Schedule

<b>25.06.2026</b>		Arrival of delegations and meetings
	<b>10:00</b>	Start of Accreditation
	<b>15:00</b>	Meeting of the Directoire technique on the venue
	<b>16:00</b>	Posting of pools
	<b>19:00</b>	Seminar and meeting of referees
<b>26.06.2026</b>	<b>09:30</b>	Women's Epee Ind.
	<b>11:30</b>	Men's Foil Ind.
	<b>14:00</b>	Men's Sabre Ind.
	<b>TBD</b>	Opening Ceremony
		Parade of all the participating athletes with their flag and a sign indicating their country

<b>27.06.2026</b>	<b>09:30</b>	Men's Epee Ind.
	<b>11:30</b>	Women's Foil Ind.
	<b>14:30</b>	Women's Sabre Ind.

#### 4. Equipment

- **Blade size:** Size 5 (recommended maraging blades).
- **Clothing:**
  - Option 1: 800 NW jacket + 350 NW under-plastron
  - Option 2: 350 NW jacket + 800 NW under-plastron
- **Mask:** 1600 NW with conductive bib.
- **Name and nationality on the back:** Not mandatory.
- **National colors:** Not mandatory.

#### 5. Entry Fees

- **€30.00 per fencer**
- **€15.00 per fencer / levy covering referee's costs**
- Payment methods: **bank transfer or cash**

#### Banking Information

Accademia Schermistica **Fiore dei Liberi**

**Bank:** Intesa San Paolo

**IBAN:** IT90 S030 6963 7421 0000 0000 002

#### 6. Organizing Committee

**Accademia Schermistica Fiore dei Liberi ASD**

✉ **Email:** [info.u14cividale@gmail.com](mailto:info.u14cividale@gmail.com)

#### 7. Accommodation

Accommodation is guaranteed in affiliated hotels located in **Udine** or near the Exhibition Center. Reservations must be made directly with the hotels listed below.

- **Reservation code:** FENCING2026
- **Assistance:** [info.u14cividale@gmail.com](mailto:info.u14cividale@gmail.com)

- **Rates:** per room per night, including breakfast.
- **City tax:** Not included (€1.80–€2.00 per person per night).
- **Booking deadline for discounted rates: 5 June 2026.**
- Early booking is strongly recommended due to limited availability.

### Partner Hotels and Rates

NAME	CAT	SINGLE	DOUBLE/TWIN		3 BED ROOM	4 BED ROOM	EXTRA / DINNER
			1 PERS	2 PERS			
HOTEL RAMANDOLO Via Forni di Sotto, 28 - Udine +39 0432 470994 info@hotelramandolo.it	***	85,00 €	100,00 €	129,00 €	149,00 €	154,00 €	25,00 €
HOTEL MEDITUR UDINE NORD Via Alpe Adria 10 – Tavagnacco UD +39 0432 579600 <a href="mailto:info@hoteludinenord.it">info@hoteludinenord.it</a>	***	75,00 €	90,00 €	90,00 €	130,00 €	\	\
HOTEL LA DI MORET Via Tricesimo, 276 - Udine +39 0432 545096 hotel@ladimoret.it	****	\	105,00 €	130,00 €	150,00 €	\	\

### 8. Transportation

The Organizing Committee provides a **shuttle bus service** linking the main airports with the venue.

AIRPORTS	DISTANCE	SERVICE PROVIDED	PRICE P/P RETURN
TRIESTE (TRS)	40 km	From June 24th to	50,00 €
VENICE MARCO POLO	135 Km	From June 24th to	90,00 €
(VENICE TREVISO (TSF) <sup>VCE</sup> )	135 km	From June 24th to	90,00 €

### Reservation:

 [info.u14cividale@gmail.com](mailto:info.u14cividale@gmail.com)

 <https://forms.gle/vS9xYsdwQQwMAnFi9>

- Payment must be made in advance via bank transfer or credit card.
- Timetables will be communicated approximately one week before arrival.
- **Reservation deadline:** 5 June 2026.

### Airport Information

- Trieste (TRS): [www.aeroporto.fvg.it](http://www.aeroporto.fvg.it)
- Venice Marco Polo (VCE): [www.veniceairport.it](http://www.veniceairport.it)
- Treviso (TSF): [www.trevisoairport.it](http://www.trevisoairport.it)

## 9. Competitions

### Publication of Information

The following will be published at **16:00 on the day before each competition**:

- Final version of pools
- Formula of the competition
- Criteria for initial ranking
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Results will be available on: <https://www.fencingtimelive.com/>

The **EFC U-14 ranking** will be used for seeding.

### Competition Formula

- **Pools:** Groups of 6 or 7 fencers.
- **Elimination:** No fencer eliminated after pools; followed by direct elimination.

### Awards Ceremony

- The **first four fencers** in each competition will be awarded.
- Athletes must wear their **national or club tracksuit** on the podium.
- The overall winner will be titled **“EFC Festival Winner.”**

### 10. Venue



**Address:** Via Gaetano Perusini 18, 33043 Cividale del Friuli (UD), Italy

**Location:** Approximately 1 km from the historic city centre, with ample parking.

**Map:** <https://maps.app.goo.gl/a6RfrW2f9LV27zgp8>

### Access to the Field of Play

- Only fencers, referees, coaches, and technical personnel are allowed inside the barriers.
- Fencers must keep their bags closed during direct elimination matches.
- All fencing bags must be placed in designated areas.
- Fencers and referees may enter the pistes **10 minutes before** the start of bouts.
- Coaches must wear a **national tracksuit and trainers** (shorts and flip-flops are not permitted).

## 11. Information Points

- Official communications and results will be displayed on **large screens** in the venue.
- Information will be available **only in electronic format** on the event website and Fencing Time.

## 12. Results Confirmation

Fencers are responsible for verifying the accuracy of pool results and direct elimination bout sheets.

- Results and lists of qualified/eliminated fencers will be displayed on screens.
- Any complaint must be submitted to the **Directoire Technique (DT)** within **5 minutes** of publication.
- In general, **no microphone calls** will be used.

## 13. Organisation of the Direct Elimination Table

- Fencers must be present on the piste **10 minutes** before the scheduled time.
- Finalists must report to the **call room** for equipment control.
- Designated areas for coaches will be available throughout the competition.
- **Video replay** will be used only during the **semi-finals and finals**.