

RunRivieraRun Half Marathon

from Varigotti (Finale Ligure) to Loano (Loano Marina), official distance of 21.97 kilometers.

The RunRivieraRun International Half Marathon's thirteenth edition Bronze category event, known as the Race for Smiles since 2022, will take place on Sunday the 27th of October 2024, starting at 9:30am, with the starting line in the Malpasso Locality of Varigotti in Finale Ligure and will take runners to the finish line in the Loano Marina in Loano.

This event was strongly desired by the Province of Savona, and in collaboration with the Finale Ligure Council, the Borgio Verezzi Council and the Pietra Ligure and Loano Council, it has been conceived of and organised by ASD RunRivieraRun.

This event is unique for its marvellously suggestive panorama, which is laid out over the 21,097-meter half-marathon circuit, starting from Finale Ligure and passing through the town of Verezzi, Pietra Ligure's seafront and historical centre, touching all the coastal towns and villages along the way (Varigotti, Finalmarina, Finalpia and Finalborgo), before winding through Loano's pulsing heart; its centre, and finally concluding in the beautiful scenery of Loano Marina.

The RunRivieraRun Half Marathon is a now Bronze category event and has been classified as an "International" event since 2015. This event is destined to become not only a great sporting competition, but also an event that marries sports and science, sports nutrition, sport as well-being, as health and movement that helps all of us live better. This event strives to be supportive of and to involve all athletes who want to have a special day, thus coining the name the Race for Smiles.

There will also be La Regina Half Marathon Relay Race, with a distance of 13 km and 8 km (two-person race with the baton handover at Finalborgo), a non-competitive event.

"Everyone to the Finish Line, Everyone's a winner" is RunRivieraRun's slogan because all our runners, the second they cross the finish line, are our winners and our stars.

Event record time holder: Ezekiel Kiprotich Meli (KEN) – 1:02:52 (Men)
and Omosa Teresiah Kwamboka - 1:13.14 (Women)

RunRivieraRun, the Queen of Half Marathons: You, the Runners, are our beating heart!