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Organiser	ASTI Ticino	
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Information	Alessio Pietra, Comano Tel. +41 (0)76 556 77 70	5days@eoc2018.ch www.eoc2018.ch
Type of competition	Sprint race. The race is part of the EGK Swiss 5-Days	
Map	Capriasca-paese - 1:4'000, 5m, re-mapped as of 2017 Mapping: Francesco Guglielmetti	
Embargoed area	See www.swiss-orienteering.ch/de/wettkaempfe/gelaendesperren.html It is not allowed to do any kind of training on map.	
Terrain	Terrain: town sprint, between 500 - 600 m altitude.	
Course planners	Pierluigi Brazzola and Giovanni Carbonetti	
Controller	André Schöpfer (National and IOF controller)	
Meeting place	Tesserete (GPS 46.068017N, 8.963696E)	
Getting there	<p>Nearest airports: Lugano-Agno, Zurich or Milan. From there the EC is reachable by public transportation or by car.</p> <p>Public transport: by train until Lugano, then by bus until Tesserete. Bus stop "Tesserete, Scuole", 5 minutes from meeting place. Detailed time-tables can be found under www.sbb.ch.</p> <p>Car: via Lugano or Rivera and Taverne to Tesserete.</p> <p>Please be aware that this is the Ascension Day-weekend. Based on experience a higher than normal traffic volume is customary, especially on A2 through the Gotthard-tunnel, and needs to be considered when planning the trip.</p>	
Parking	Parking: 5 - 10 minutes from meeting place. Parking fee: CHF 5.-	
Classes	HE (= Men 21E) and DE (=Women 21E). Non WRE classes according to Swiss Orienteering's competition rules.	
Registration	<p>1) Through GO2OL (www.go2ol.ch) and online payment until Monday, 16 April 2018</p> <p>2) Through post or bank payment until Monday, 09 April 2018</p> <p>PCC: 30-558909-4 IBAN: CH78 0900 0000 3055 8909 4, BIC: POFICHBEXX SOLV Schweiz. OL-Verband, online Startgelder, 3000 Bern</p> <p>Please indicate precisely what competitions you are signing-up for, your name and first name, full address, year of birth, class, club and number of SI-card (if available). For classes HE/DE please provide also the (mandatory) IOF-ID.</p> <p><u>Reduced fee for registrations until 12.02.2018</u> Relevant for the reduced fee is the date of payment, not the registration on GO2OL!</p>	

	<p><u>Late registration:</u> Late registrations are accepted until Friday, 20 April 2018 with an added fee of CHF 5.- per stage. After that date no registrations can be accepted in the competitive classes.</p> <p><u>Modifications:</u> Modifications are accepted only until Friday, 20 April 2018, with an added fee of CHF 5.- per stage. SI-card number changes are free of charge.</p>
<i>Entry fees</i>	Until 12.2.2018: CHF 30.-; until 9.4.2018: CHF 35.-
<i>Race instructions / start lists</i>	Further instructions and start lists will be published at the latest by April 28, 2018 on the following web sites: www.eoc2018.ch and www.swiss-orienteering.ch . Results will be published on the same sites.
<i>Start</i>	First start at 12:30. Distance from meeting place: appr. 20 - 25 minutes 'walk
<i>Timing system</i>	The SportIdent and SportIdentAir+ electronic systems will be used.
<i>Food and drinks</i>	An ample selection of food and drinks will be available at the meeting places of all stages.
<i>Nursery</i>	Will be available for free at the meeting places of all stages. To be used just for the duration of the race.
<i>Anti doping</i>	<p>All competitions are run under the Swiss Olympic doping rules. Anti doping controls may be performed for runners of any category. With registration, the participants accept the rules of Swiss Olympic.</p> <p>In the classes HE/DE and H20/D20, only those athletes having acknowledged the Swiss Olympic Association's anti-doping rules will be allowed to compete. More information and the acceptance form can be found at https://www.swiss-orienteering.ch/de/ethik/uebersicht-antidoping.html</p> <p>If not done already, before their start athletes will have to sign the anti-doping agreement of the Swiss Olympic Association at the meeting place.</p>
<i>Price giving ceremony</i>	At the EOC arena.
<i>Accommodations</i>	<p>You may find a list of offers for hotels, motels, hostels, camping and more on the following website: http://www.eoc2018.ch/it/5days/accommodation/stay-in-ticino.html</p> <p>You may also contact the regional tourism office directly: OTR Lugano - web: www.luganoturismo.ch, info@luganoturismo.ch, Tel. +41 58 866 66 00 OTR Mendrisio - www.mendrisiottoturismo.ch, info@mendrisiottoturismo.ch Tel. +41 91 641 30 50 OTR Bellinzona - www.bellinzonese-altoticino.ch, bellinzona@bellinzonese-altoticino.ch Tel. +41 91 825 21 31</p>
<i>Insurance</i>	Each competitor is racing at his/her own risk and is responsible to have adequate and personal insurance coverage. The organisers are declining any liability to the extent permitted by law for incidents occurring before, during or after the competition. With registration, the participants accept these insurance conditions.
<i>Protection of personal data</i>	With registration, the runner accepts that his/her personal data, his/her results and possibly photos that were taken at the orienteering event could be used on the start- and result lists, in the media or on the internet.