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Meeting
INTERNACIONAL LOULÉ 2027
Piscinas
Municipais
de Loulé
12 e 13
JUNHO
FPN
Federação Portuguesa de Natação
loulé
Aqui e Agora
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# General Information

**1. Event:**

- 10th International Meeting of Loulé

**1.1 Date:**

- 12 and 13 June 2027

**1.2 Location:**

- Loulé, Portugal.

**1.3 Approval:**

- Federação Portuguesa de Natação

**1.4 Facilities:**

- 50 metre outdoor pool with 8-lanes and electronic timing.

**1.5 Rules:**

- Regulations approved by the FPN and in compliance with World Aquatics regulations.

**1.6 Categories:**

- All swimmers from 2014 and older.

**1.7 Competition:**

- Heats in the morning and Finals A and B in the afternoon, with the exception of the 400L, 400 Styles, in which two (2) slow heats will be held in the morning and one (1) rapid heat in the afternoon, and the 800 and 1500 Freestyles, in which only one (1) slow heat will be held in the morning and one (1) rapid heat in the afternoon.

**1.8 Registration fees**

- Individual fees: €8;
- Relay fees : 10€.

**1.9 Deadline:**

- June 01, 2027.

**1.10 Information:**

- Louletano Desportos Clube
- meeting.intloule@gmail.com
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# Specific Regulation

## 2 Organization:

- Louletano Desportos Clube

### 2.1 Location:

- **Piscinas Municipais de Loulé, Loulé, Portugal;**

### 2.2 Date:

- June 12 and 13, 2027;

### 2.3 Arbitration:

- The arbitration will be in charge of the Regional Arbitration of the Algarve Swimming Association;

### 2.4 Rules:

- The competition will take place in accordance with the regulations of the World Aquatics and the Federação Portuguesa de Natação(FPN);

### 2.5 Timing:

- Electronic timing will be provided by the Algarve Swimming Association;

### 2.6 Timings

| HEATS – Morning Session | June 12 | June 13 |
|---|---|---|
| Warm-up | **7H30– 9H15** | **7H30– 9H15** |
| Competition | **9H30** | **9H30** |

| FINALS – Afternoon Session | June 12 | June 13 |
|---|---|---|
| Warm-up | **15H30- 17H15** | **15H30-17H15** |
| Competition | **17H30** | **17H30** |

# 3 Participation:

3.1 Males and females from 2013 and older, swimmers from all clubs, district, regional or national teams, clubs and foreign teams may participate, as long as they are affiliated with federations belonging to the World Aquatics. Participation is subject to prior invitation or approval by Louletano Desportos Clube. The organization reserves the right to limit or refuse registrations.

3.2 Entry tomes must have been achieved between June 2026 and June 2027 in an Olympic swimming pool, or in a short course with conversion performed by World Aquatics points Table.

3.3 In the 400 Freestyle and 400 Medley, only the twenty-four (24) best entry times will be accepted. The remaining registrations are reserved in case of withdrawal before the competition.

3.4 In the men's 1500 Freestyle and women's 800 Freestyle, only the 16 fastest entry times will be accepted. The remaining registrations are reserved in case of withdrawal before the competition.

3.5 Withdrawals from the 400 Styles, 400 Freestyle, 800 Freestyle and 1500 Freestyle races must be communicated to the organization up to 72 hours before the start of the competition. Failure to comply with this communication results in a fee of €50 applied to the club.

## Competition Format:

# 4 HEATS:

4.1 The heats will be held on 8 lanes;

4.2 The morning sessions will correspond to the heats of each event, as well as the slow series of 400 Styles, 400 Freestyle, 800 Free and 1500 Freestyle.

4.3 All withdrawals in these events must be communicated up to 72 hours before the start of the competition. In case of non-compliance, the club/national team is subject to the payment of a fee of €50.

4.4 Morning heats will be seeded by entry times;

4.5 In the event of a tie for access to one or more places in the finals, a swim-off will be held 10 minutes after the end of the session. If the swimmers involved have swum in sessions other than the heats, the swim-off will be held 10 minutes before the start of the corresponding finals session.

4.6 Withdrawals from finals must be declared to the organization, in an appropriate form delivered within 30 minutes after the publication of the results of the qualifiers of the event in question.

# 5. Finals:

5.1 The finals will be held on 8 lanes;

5.2 There will be two finals per event with the exception of the 400 Medley, 400 Freestyle, 800 Free and 1500 Freestyle for which there will be a rapid heat in the afternoon session;

5.3 Final B will precede final A;

5.4 In events with A and B finals, if fewer than 16 swimmers are entered in an event, only Final A will be held;

5.5 All absences from finals that are not communicated to the organization are subject to the application of a fee of €60 applicable to the club of the missing swimmer, or the guily swimmer.

# 6. Relays:

6.1 Each club can only register one relay team per race, and of two heats will be held.

6.2 The constitution of the relay teams must be delivered to the organization up to 30 minutes before the start of the session, in which the race will be held.

# 7. Admission:

7.1 The following number of swimmers will be admitted accordingly to the table:

| Events | Participants |
|---|---|
| **50 M** | 80 |
| **100 M** | 64 |
| **200 M** | 48 |
| **400 M** | 24 |
| **800 M** | 16 |
| **1500 M** | 16 |

7.2 Louletano Desportos Clube reserves the right to organize extra series or place athletes in series that have not filled all the participants, in any event. These swimmers will swim on an extra-competition basis.



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# 8. Qualifying Program:

| DAY 1<br>June 12 | | | DAY 2<br>June 13 | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| **Warm-up: 7H30– 9H15<br>Competition: 9H30** | | | **Warm-up: 7H30– 9H15<br>Competition: 9H30** | | |
| **1** | 1500 Freestyle S.H. | M | **19** | 800 Freestyle S.H. | F |
| **2** | 400 Medley S.H. | F | **20** | 400 Medley S.H. | M |
| **3** | 50 Breaststroke | M | **21** | 50 Breaststroke | F |
| **4** | 400 Freestyle S.H. | F | **22** | 400 Freestyle S.H. | M |
| **5** | 100 Butterfly | M | **23** | 100 Butterfly | F |
| **6** | 100 Breaststroke | F | **24** | 100 Breaststroke | M |
| **7** | 200 Medley | M | **25** | 200 Medley | F |
| **8** | 50 Butterfly | F | **26** | 50 Butterfly | M |
| **9** | 200 Freestyle | M | **27** | 200 Freestyle | F |
| **BREAK 10'** | | | **BREAK 10'** | | |
| **10** | 200 Backstroke | F | **28** | 200 Backstroke | M |
| **11** | 200 Breaststroke | M | **29** | 200 Breaststroke | F |
| **12** | 50 Backstoke | F | **30** | 50 Backstroke | M |
| **13** | 100 Backstroke | M | **31** | 100 Backstroke | F |
| **14** | 200 Butterfly | F | **32** | 200 Butterfly | M |
| **15** | 50 Freestyle | M | **33** | 50 Freestyle | F |
| **16** | 100 Freestyle | F | **34** | 100 Freestyle | M |

# 9. Finals Program:

| DAY 1<br>June 12 | | | DAY 2<br>June 13 | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| **Warm-up: 15H30 –17H15<br>Competition: 17H30** | | | **Warm-up: 15H30– 17H15<br>Competition: 17H30** | | |
| **1F** | 1500 Freestyle F.H. | M | **19F** | 800 Freestyle F.H. | F |
| **2F** | 400 Medley F.H. | F | **20F** | 400 Medley F.H. | M |
| **3F** | 50 Breaststroke | M | **21F** | 50 Breaststroke | F |
| **4F** | 400 Freestyle F.H. | F | **22F** | 400 Freestyle F.H. | M |
| | **Protocol Ceremony** | | | **Protocol Ceremony** | |
| **5F** | 100 Butterfly | M | **23F** | 100 Butterfly | F |
| **6F** | 100 Breaststroke | F | **24F** | 100 Breaststroke | M |
| **7F** | 200 Medley | M | **25F** | 200 Medley | F |
| **8F** | 50 Butterfly | F | **26F** | 50 Butterfly | M |
| **9F** | 200 Freestyle | M | **27F** | 200 Freestyle | F |
| **10F** | 200 Backstoke | F | **28F** | 200 Backstoke | M |
| | **Protocol Ceremony** | | | **Protocol Ceremony** | |
| **11F** | 200 Breaststroke | M | **29F** | 200 Breaststroke | F |
| **12F** | 50 Backsrtoke | F | **30F** | 50 Backsrtoke | M |
| **13F** | 100 Backstoke | M | **31F** | 100 Backstoke | F |
| **14F** | 200 Butterfly | F | **32F** | 200 Butterfly | M |
| **15F** | 50 Freestyle | M | **33F** | 50 Freestyle | F |
| **16F** | 100 Freestyle | F | **34F** | 100 Freestyle | M |
| | **Protocol Ceremony** | | | **Protocol Ceremony** | |
| **17F** | 4x 50 Freestyle | M | **35F** | 4x 50 Freestyle | F |
| **18F** | 4x 50 Medley | F | **36F** | 4x 50 Medley | M |

# 10. Individual Classification:

10.1 The classification will be absolute

# 11.Collective Classification:

11.1 The collective classification will be calculated by the sum of points awarded in Finals A and B with the exception of the 400 Medley, 400 Freestyle, 800 Freestyle, 1500 Freestyle events, that will be counted the 16 highest-ranked results in the overall classification, and according to the following table:

| Classification | Points | Classification | Points |
|---|---|---|---|
| **1st Place** | 17 | **9th Place** | 8 |
| **2nd Place** | 15 | **10th Place** | 7 |
| **3rd Place** | 14 | **11th Place** | 6 |
| **4th Place** | 13 | **12th Place** | 5 |
| **5th Place** | 12 | **13th Place** | 4 |
| **6th Place** | 11 | **14th Place** | 3 |
| **7th Place** | 10 | **15th Place** | 2 |
| **8th Place** | 9 | **16th Place** | 1 |

11.2 In the event of a tie between two or more swimmers in an event, the points to be awarded will be equal to the sum of points for the places occupied by them to be divided by the number of swimmers involved

11.3 If there is a tie in the collective classification, these will be resolved by the number of best classifications obtained

11.4 In the relay events, only the 16 best teams will be counted, one per club and the rest will move on to extra competition.

# 12.Individual Awards:

12.1 The top three finishers in each event will receive medals, as well as the following monetary prizes:

| | 1st place | 2nd place | 3rd place |
|---|---|---|---|
| EVENT | 60 € | 30€ | 15€ |
| RELAYS | 60€ | 40€ | 20€ |

12.2 A trophy will be awarded to the male and female swimmer with the highest points in the most recent World Aquatics Table in force.

12.3 Prizes that are not received at the event will not be sent;

12.4 Other prizes may be awarded. If any, they will be disclosed in a timely manner;

# 13.Collective Awards:

13.1 According to the final collective score, trophies will be awarded to the 3 best ranked clubs

# 14.Registration:

14.1 Registration fees:

- Individual fees: 8 €
- Relay fees : 10€
- There will be no refund of amounts associated with any No entry fees will be refunded for withdrawals submitted after the registration deadline: June 01, 2027

14.2 Procedure:

- Applications must be made electronically, through Geologix's Team Manager computer program or Entry Editor

14.3 Payment

- Payment of registrations must be made by bank transfer to: IBAN: PT50 0036 0092 9910 0051 8019 5

14.4 Submission and validation of applications:

14.5 The validation of registrations is subject to the receipt of their submission as well as proof of payment;

14.6 The submission should be made to: meeting.intloule@gmail.com.

# 15. Accreditation:

- The accreditation of swimmers, coaches and staff will be produced after the end of the registration period. Its use by all agents throughout the competition is required;

More information about accreditations will be released after the closing of the registration.

# 16. Omissions

- For any matters not covered by these regulations, the Portuguese Swimming Federation (FPN) regulations shall apply

# 17. Protests and Appeal Jury

- All protests must be delivered in writing to the referee within 30 minutes after the end of the session and accompanied by a fee of €200. If the protest is granted, the amount of the fee will be refunded. All protests shall be based on points of law and shall be considered by the Appeal Jury composed of the following members:
- Competition Director
- Regional Technical Director
- Member of the Regional Arbitration Council