

FLOORBALL SPORT INFORMATION GUIDE

1. Competition Dates

Floorball competitions for Open Masters Games Como Lake 2027 (CoOMG27) offers team events for men and women.

The provisional Floorball competitions schedule for CoOMG27 is as follows and could be subject to change according to the requirements of the Organizing Committee and may be modified according to the total number of entries:

17 Sept	18 Sept	19 Sept	20Sept
Friday	Saturday	Sunday	Monday
09h00 21h00	09h00 21h00	09h00 12h00	09h00 21h00
Qualification Round	Qualification Round	Qualification Round	Semifinal and Final

All information contained in this Sport Information Guide is current at time of publication and may be subject to change.

The Welcome Ceremony is scheduled for the afternoon of Saturday 18 September 2027 with the Farewell Ceremony on the evening of Sunday 26 September 2027.

1.1 Organising Committee

ORGANIZING COMMITTEE	SPORT FEDERATION	SPORT ASSOCIATION
Sport Management Bernardino Chiavola	Federazione Italiana Floorball Presidente Divisione Unihockey Floorball FIH Sonia Sopranzi	Asd UHC Wild Boars Presidente Alessandro Capitani

1.2 Competition venues

Venue	Address	City
Pala Sport Carnago	Via G Leopardi 36	Carnago (VA)

Competition Venue: Pala Sport Carnago



Venues Map



1.3 Venues Flooring

- The flooring of the venue can be wooden or Gerflor.
- Starting from the play-offs phase, only Gerflor venues will be used.

2. Age Categories

- Men: 35+, 40+, 45+, 50+
- Women: 30+, 35+, 40+, 45+

2.1 Age determined at 31 December 2027.

- The age of the youngest player in the team determines in which age category the team will compete.
- The Organizing Committee will reserve itself the right to combine age categories to optimize the competition, granting each team the minimum number of games played.

3. Sport regulations

The tournament will be held under the auspices, rules and regulations of the International Floorball Federation (IFF) and the Italian Floorball Federation (FIUF) and will conform to any special requirements of the International Master Games Association (IMGA).

The games will be played according to official IFF rules if not mentioned otherwise in the rules below. (In situations where none of the rules below apply, the Organizing Committee has the right to decide).

3.1 Type of Competition

The World Masters Floorball Championship is an indoor event composed by a round robin phase and a play-offs phase. The schedule could be subject to change according to the requirements of the Organizing Committee.

At least 5 games per team will be granted.

4. Competition format

- The teams will be divided into groups of 4 or 5 where all teams will meet in Round Robin series.
- All teams in each group will advance to the play-offs. The ranking in the group will decide your opponent in the play-offs.
- The standings in a group are determined based on:
 - number of points (2 for win of a game, 1 for draw, 0 for loss), if equal.
 - goals scored minus goals conceded, if equal.
 - goals scored, if equal.

- result of direct match between the teams, if equal.
- draw by the organization (coin flip).
- All play-off games will be decided by direct elimination.
- Tying a game is accepted in the group games but if a game is tied after regular playing time in a play-off game there will be a penalty shootout, starting with 3 shots for each team.
- If it's still tied, penalty shooting continues one at a time (in the same order and with the same 3 players that has already made one attempt) until one team scores a goal and the other team misses (sudden death).

5. Competition rules

5.1 Team Details

- Each team is required to register a minimum of 6 players, and each team is allowed to use a maximum of 20 players per game. These shall be noted in the match record.
- Each team is required to register a Team Manager and a Team Official. Both can be also players. Non-playing staff can be composed up to 5 members.

5.2 Competition lists

The match record should be submitted for each match to the secretary of the match not later than 30 minutes before the start of the match by completing the relevant sections.

Each team is required to mark on the match record the Captain and the Goalkeeper(s), plus the Team Official and the staff members.

5.3 Match Duration

- The games will last 2 x 15 min periods in the round robin and 2 x 20 min in the play-offs.
- The playing time will not be measured effectively except for the last 3 minutes of all matches starting from the quarterfinals.
- All the games will have a 3-minutes break between the periods. Starting from the quarterfinals all games will have a 5-minutes break between half.
- A warm-up of 5 minutes is granted before the games; a warm-up of 10 minutes is granted before the games starting from the quarterfinals.
- If a team has not arrived and/or are not ready to play 5 minutes after the official game start, it will lose the game 0-5.

5.4 Substitution Rules

- The match is organized for 6 against 6 (5 field players and a goalkeeper).
- To start the match, at least 6 players of the team (5 field players and a goalkeeper) should be on the rink.
- Substitution of players may take place at any time and an unlimited number of times during a match.

5.5 Time-out

There will be no team time-out except for the eliminating games starting from the quarterfinals.

5.6 Discipline

5.6.1 Referees

Every match will be led and controlled by two equally authorized Referees, provided by the Organizing Committee. Both Referees have the right to temporarily or definitively stop the game.

5.6.2 Secretariat

A Secretariat will be in place in every venue, with a Secretariat Official.

The Secretariat is responsible for controlling the match record, timekeeping, registering the stats and for controlling the time of games, timeouts and time of exclusions.

5.6.3 Disciplinary Committee

The Disciplinary Committee will be composed by members of the F.I.U.F. inside the Organizing Committee, with the Referee Manager as head-chief.

5.6.4 Complaints and appeals

Complaints about players' conduct may be raised by Team Managers, Referees and Club Members, Event Officials and Committee Members, who are perpetually vigilant of players behaviour.

Complaints are preferably made in writing, but they may be reported verbally to the Secretariat Official, who will prepare a statement which will be presented to the Organizing Committee, F.I.U.F. side.

Complaints must be raised within a maximum of 6 hours of the incident and preferably sooner, in any case before the end of the day.

6. Equipment

- The stick shall be approved by the IFF and marked accordingly.
- The blade shall not be sharp and its hook shall not exceed 30 mm.
- The goalkeeper shall wear a face mask, which is in accordance with the IFF Material Regulations and marked accordingly.

7. Uniforms

- All field players shall wear uniforms consisting of jerseys, shorts and knee socks.
- All goalkeepers shall be dressed in jerseys and long trousers.
- Teams are invited to bring an alternative jersey, and to notify colours when registering.
- In the case of teams having the same jersey colours, the one listed as the away team in the match record is obliged to change jersey.
- All jerseys shall be numbered (The jerseys may carry any number between 1 and 99 inclusive, but 1 is not allowed for field players.)
- The team captain shall wear an armlet.
- All players shall wear shoes.

8. Technical meeting

A technical meeting will take place before the start of the competition in order to introduce the tournament, remind those involved of the regulations and the behaviour that is expected.

9. Practice and warm-up facilities

Practice range will be available for all venues.

10. Medals

In CoOMG27, the athletes do not represent their country of origin, therefore the prize-awarding ceremonies will be carried out without hoisting of flags. No National Anthem of the winning team will be played. The medals will be provided by the Organizing Committee.

11. Personal accident insurance and medical certificate

All participants must organize their personal accident insurance. The competitor registration fee does not cover personal accident insurance.

Personal accident insurance is available to purchase through the Organizing Committee for registered Competitors at the Accreditation Centre.

All participants must have a currently valid medical certificate of fitness for competitive sports.

The medical examinations required (ex D.M. 18 February 1982) to obtain a medical certificate of fitness for competitive sports are:

- medical check-up.
- regular urine test.
- electrocardiogram both at rest and under effort.
- spirometry (breathing test).

For any further information please visit our website (Registration & Terms and Condition).

12. Doping Control

During the Open Masters Games Como Lake 2027 anti-doping controls will be carried out according to the World Masters Sport (WMS) anti-doping policy and rules established by WADA (World Anti-Doping Agency).

13. Accommodation

Participants are free to select own accommodation according to own preference. To assist participants, an accommodation booking section offering special room rates for the Games is made available on the official website www.mastersgamescomolake2027.it

14. Further information

The planning of the CoOMG27 Floorball competition will continue throughout 2026 and early 2027. Additional sport specific operational information will be communicated to registered participants and updated in future additions of this Sports Information Guide.

All participants are encouraged to monitor the CoOMG27 website at

www.mastersgamescomolake2027.it and other Games communication channels to find out all the latest information.

If you have any further sport specific questions, please send an email to info@omgcomo27.it