

Trophée Enduro des Alpes 2025 Regulations

Article 1: General and Organization

The **Trophée Enduro des Alpes (TEA)** is organized by **Dose de Sport** (SIRET: 82036770400013), represented by its president **Théo Micheletti**.

The **TEA 2025** consists of **8 enduro MTB races**, organized in collaboration with various local stakeholders depending on the stage (tourist offices, ski lift operators, host municipalities, etc.).

By registering for one or more stages of the TEA, participants agree to abide by all the provisions of these regulations.

Article 2: The Trophée Enduro des Alpes

The **Trophée Enduro des Alpes** consists of **8 enduro MTB races**, including **1 non-ranking race** in Italy (not counting towards the overall ranking) and **1 team race** (also not included in the general ranking), taking place on the following dates:

- April 12-13, 2025: San Bartolomeo Enduro (non-ranking race)
- May 10-11, 2025: Enduro de Montclar Vallée de la Blanche
- June 14-15, 2025: Derby de Chamrousse
- June 28-29, 2025: Enduro de Mad'Oz
- **July 5-6, 2025: Vars MTB Team Up**, called the "Alpine Championship," a race outside the TEA that does not count towards the final general ranking
- July 25-27, 2025: Enduro de Tignes
- August 16-17, 2025: Madbike Enduro de Valmorel
- August 30-31, 2025: Enduro d'Aussois HMV

Each participant is responsible for assessing their own skill level concerning the course difficulty and agrees to ride responsibly, considering their physical capabilities and fitness.

The goal is to offer **well-rounded courses combining technical and physical aspects** (mostly downhill sections with some pedaling segments).

- E-MTBs (VAE) are permitted and will compete in a separate category.
- Each stage offers two formats:
 - o A timed format
 - o A non-timed "endurando" format



- For **timed races**, participants earn points based on their placement (see the next article for details). These points will accumulate throughout the trophy and contribute to the overall ranking.
- Each stage concludes with **an awards ceremony** for podium finishers in various categories. A **prize draw** will also be held among all participants.

Article 3: The Races

Stage 1: San Bartolomeo Enduro

First edition of the San Bartolomeo Enduro on **April 11-13, 2025**, featuring **6 special stages** starting and finishing in **San Bartolomeo (Italy)**.

- **Friday**: Open track reconnaissance. No aid stations, mechanical assistance, or rescue services provided by the organization on this day.
- **Saturday**: Open track reconnaissance in the morning + Enduro race in the afternoon (number of stages, distances, and elevation details available on the TEA website).
- **Sunday**: Enduro race (number of stages, distances, and elevation details available on the TEA website).
- Several **shuttle transports** are planned for Friday (these details are subject to change until the race date).

A **tentative start time** for the **first special stage** will be given to each rider when collecting their race number.

- For SP2 and SP3, riders will start in order of arrival at the special stage starting point to optimize track flow and minimize wait times on Saturday.
- For SP4, a start time will be assigned after the first three specials on Saturday.
- For SP5 and SP6, riders will start in order of arrival at the special stage starting point to optimize flow on Sunday.

Each rider will start **individually or in teams**, with **15-second intervals**, competing **only against the clock**. Participants racing in groups may **start together** for all specials.

STRICTLY PROHIBITED: Using any transport other than one's own bike during stage transitions.

Participant Limit: 250 riders for the San Bartolomeo Enduro 2025.

Article 4: Registration and Participation Conditions

The **TEA races** are open to **all riders**, whether they are members of the **French Cycling Federation (FFC)**, the **Italian Cycling Federation (FCI)**, **FSGT**, **Ufolep**, or independent riders.



- Limited spots for each race (see Article 3). Registration is confirmed upon completion of the online registration form (no paper registrations accepted) and successful payment.
- On-site registration may be possible if spots remain, with a €3 surcharge.
- Minimum age: 15 years old in 2025 (participants born in 2010 or earlier are eligible).
- Parental consent is required for minor riders.
- Medical certificate: Required for timed race participants (unless they provide a valid cycling license).

Article 5: Course and Markings

- Pre-race reconnaissance is permitted one day before select races.
- Courses are marked with **ribbons**, **arrows**, **and signs**. Dangerous points are **monitored by safety personnel**.
- **E-MTBs** will start **alongside other riders** in all TEA stages.
- Respect for trails: Cutting courses is strictly forbidden.

Article 6: Mandatory Equipment and Behavior

Required gear:

- **Full-face helmet** (lightweight helmets permitted in non-timed races).
- Back protector (backpack with integrated protector allowed).
- Knee pads and long gloves (mandatory in special stages).
- Recommended: Protective shorts.

Bike requirements:

- Hardtail bikes allowed, but full-suspension enduro bikes (140-160mm travel recommended).
- DH bikes allowed but **not ideal for pedaling sections**.

Technical inspections may occur at any time. Riders failing safety checks **will not be allowed to start**.

Mandatory equipment:

- Cell phone.
- Repair kit (tubes, pump, chain breaker, Allen keys, patches, first-aid kit).
- Warm & waterproof clothing (mountain weather changes quickly).



Race Conduct:

- Fair play required. Dangerous behavior will result in disqualification.
- Riders must assist in case of an accident (time adjustments will be made).
- **E-MTB limits**: 25 km/h motor assistance max. **No battery swaps or external recharging** once the race starts.

Environmental Respect:

• Littering is strictly prohibited. Trash bins will be available along the course.

Article 7: Insurance and Liability

- The organization provides civil liability insurance for the event.
- Participants must have **personal insurance**.
- Race numbers are personal and cannot be transferred without authorization.

Article 8: Categories and Rankings

Podium Categories:

- Overall (Men, Women, E-MTB)
- Cadets (2009-2010)
- Juniors (2007-2008)
- Seniors (1986-2006)
- Masters 40 (1976-1985)
- Masters 50 (1966-1975)
- Masters 60 (1965 and before)

Team Rankings:

- **Duo:** Sum of both riders' times.
- Teams (4-6 riders): Best 4 times counted.

No cash prizes—podium winners will receive sponsor-provided gear.



Article 9: Cancellation & Refunds

• Up to 1 month before: 100% refund.

• 1 month to 15 days before: 70% refund.

• **15 to 7 days before**: 50% refund.

• Less than 7 days: No refund (except for medical reasons).

Article 10: Image Rights

By registering, participants consent to the use of their images for promotional purposes.

By registering for TEA, participants fully accept these regulations.