

Nationale-Nederlanden San Silvestre Vallecana International Regulations

Article 1

Denomination and institutions

The 59th edition of the Nationale-Nederlanden San Silvestre Vallecana International will be held on 31st of December 2023 and will be run through the streets of Madrid.

The race is limited to 1,500 runners who meet the minimum mark requirements of article 2.

The event will have the collaboration of the Consejo Superior de Deportes, Dirección General de Deportes de la Comunidad de Madrid, Dirección General de Deportes del Ayuntamiento de Madrid and Área de Coordinación Institucional del Ayuntamiento de Madrid.

Article 2

Who can participate in the Nationale-Nederlanden San Silvestre Vallecana International?

Brand accreditation.

The minimum time to enter the Nationale-Nederlanden San Silvestre Vallecana International must be less than 39 minutes for men and 45 minutes for women in road or track races validated by Nationale-Nederlanden San Silvestre Vallecana during 2023 or in Nationale-Nederlanden San Silvestre Vallecana 2022. See list.

This mark must be detailed by the participant when registering, ensuring that these times are verifiable and accrediting it at the time of collecting the bib by means of a printed document - official classification or accrediting diploma-, otherwise he/she will not be able to do so or participate. The organization may request documentation from any runner from the moment of registration until the awards ceremony.

If a participant presents a falsified or invalid proof of marking, he/she will be disqualified and will not be reimbursed the registration fee, nor will he/she be able to exchange it for a bib number to compete in the Nationale-Nederlanden San Silvestre Vallecana Popular.

Only if there are still places available in the Nationale-Nederlanden San Silvestre Vallecana Popular race, it would be possible to change from the International to the Popular race.

Children under 16 years of age will not be allowed to register. Those under 18 years of age will have to provide a proof of age from their father, mother or guardian authorizing them to participate in the race. [Download document.](#)

The organization declines all responsibility for any damage that participants may cause during the race, cause themselves or derive from them to third parties.

Article 3

Route and departure time

The race will be run over a homologated ten kilometers course, totally urban and on asphalt surface with the

exception of the last 150 meters, which will be run on the grass of the stadium.

The start will be located in calle Concha Espina at the corner of Plaza Sagrados Corazones and the finish line inside the Estadio de Vallecas. The start of the International race will be at 19:55 hours.

The route runs along: Concha Espina (Plaza Sagrados Corazones), Serrano, República Argentina, Serrano, Puerta de Alcalá, Alcalá (opposite direction to traffic), Plaza de Cibeles (opposite direction to traffic), Paseo del Prado (opposite direction to traffic), Plaza de Cánovas del Castillo / Neptuno (opposite direction to traffic), Paseo del Prado (opposite direction to traffic), Plaza Emperador Carlos V (opposite direction to traffic), Ciudad de Barcelona, Albufera, Monte Igueldo, Martínez de la Riva, Carlos Martín Álvarez, Puerto de Monasterio, Payaso Fofó, Arroyo del Olivar, Estadio de Vallecas.

Article 4

Categories

The following categories are established Absolute female and male. (*)

Senior female and male, from 2000 onwards (**)

U23 female and male, born in 2001 - 2002 - 2003 (**)

U20 girls and boys, born in 2004 - 2005 (**)

U18 female and male, born in 2006 - 2007 (**)

Female and Male Master Category

- o M35/F35 - from 35 to 39 years old (**)
- o M40/F40 - from 40 to 44 years old (**)
- o M45/F45 - from 45 to 49 years old (**)
- o M50/F50 - from 50 to 54 years old (**)
- o M55/F55 - from 55 to 59 years old (**)
- o M60/F60 - 60 and over (**)

(*) This will be the only category that will receive a prize on 31 December at the Vallecas Stadium.

(**) This category will receive the trophy at the address they have marked in their registration from the 19th of January 2024.

Article 5

Deadlines and registration fee

Entries will be open from 2nd of October 2023 until all entries are sold out or until 15:00 on 30th of December

2023.

Registration can be done through the website www.sansilvestrevallecana.com.

The cost of registration is 25 euros (each registration will be increased by 0.80 € administration fee). The registration is personal and non-transferable.

Participants who do not have a territorial license from the Madrid Athletics Federation (territorial licenses from other provinces are not valid) or a license from the RFEA will be charged 3 euros for the hiring of a one-day license, which will be added to the total price of registration for the race. This amount will go entirely to the RFEA.

As an option, and on a voluntary basis, each runner can choose the "Dorsal Zero".

Article 6

What does registration include?

The registration fee for the race entitles you to:

- Participation in the Nationale-Nederlanden San Silvestre Vallecana International 2023.
- Participation in the Nationale – Nederlanden San Silvestre Vallecana 2023 virtual race.
- Commemorative Boomerang T-shirt.

It will not be possible to change the size of the t-shirt requested at the time of registration. If there is no size when you register, the one you choose will be the one delivered. No more t-shirts will be made or can be exchanged.

- Accident insurance (only during the International race, not during the Virtual race).
- Race bib with timing chip
- Hydration at the start and finish line.
- Output by time.
- Medical services in the International race (start, course, and finish line).
- Appearance in the race rankings.
- Cloakroom service will be located in Segre Street on the corner of Sagrados Corazones Square from 7:00 PM to 7:40 PM.

All these rights may only be exercised in the periods and places defined and communicated by the Organization.

Article 7

Collection of chip, T-shirt, and bib number

The collection of the chip/bib and T-shirt will take place in Centro Deportivo Municipal Daoiz y Velarde. Avda.

Ciudad de Barcelona, 162 (Posterior) 28007 Madrid, from 10:00 to 21:00 hours from 26th to 30th of December 2023.

It will only be possible to collect the chip, bib and commemorative T-shirt on the day and in the time, slot chosen at the time of registration. Only in case of force majeure will it be possible to request a change of date for the collection by sending an email to cambios@sansilvestrevallecana.com

To collect the chip, race bib and commemorative T-shirt you must present a valid identity document (DNI/NIE, passport or driving license) together with the registration voucher / confirmation email sent to the contact email and the accreditation of personal mark described in 2.

To collect the registration of another person, a photocopy of the runner's identity document, written authorization from the registration holder, proof of registration/confirmation email and accreditation of the corresponding brand must be presented. The organization reserves the right to request the original document if it considers that the photocopy presented is fraudulent. If a participant presents a forged document, he/she will be disqualified, and the registration fee will not be refunded.

In the case of not having contracted the insurance for one day, the participant must also present the territorial license of the Federación Madrileña de Atletismo (territorial licenses from other provinces are not valid) or from the RFEA.

On the day of the race it is not possible to pick up the bib under any circumstances.

Registration is personal and non-transferable. Only in case of serious injury of the registration holder, and upon presentation of this medical certificate, the bib can be transferred to another person designated by the injured runner. The new runner, in any case, must prove the necessary mark to be able to participate in the Nationale-Nederlanden San Silvestre Vallecana International. In no case will the registration fee be refunded.

The participant must wear correctly, visible in its entirety and without manipulating or cutting the bib provided by the organization during the entire route between the access to the starting boxes and beyond the finish arch. Failure to do so will result in immediate disqualification.

Incorrect use of the chip means not appearing in the official classification of the race. In the chip collection there is a control point of the chips in order to verify its correct operation.

The organization will not assume any responsibility if the event is suspended or postponed for reasons of force majeure.

Article 8

Medical service

The organization will have an adequate medical service at the start, finish line and along the course of the race. The participant authorizes the medical services of the race to carry out any treatment he/she may need, whether or not he/she is in a position to request it; if the organization or the medical services require it, the participant agrees to abandon the race.

Article 9

Authorized vehicles and limitations accompanying runners

The only vehicles authorized to follow the race are those designated by the organisers.

It is strictly forbidden to participate or follow the runners in a car, motorbike, bicycle, skates, scooters or with pushchairs, as well as to run with pets because of the danger they could pose to the athletes.

It is strictly forbidden to participate without a race bib under any condition.

Article 10

Disqualifications

Any athlete who does not comply with the current rules of the Royal Spanish Athletics Federation and, failing that, with the WA will be disqualified.

In addition, the medical service of the race and the race director and/or the referees present are empowered to withdraw during the race:

- The athlete who shows a bad physical condition.
- The athlete who does not complete the whole course.
- The athlete who bends or manipulates the advertising on the bib.
- The athlete who shows an unsportsmanlike behavior or repeated protests to the organization outside the provisions of Article 11 of these rules.
- The athlete who does not reach the finish line within the stipulated maximum time (50 minutes in the case of the Nationale-Nederlanden San Silvestre International Men, 65 minutes in the case of the Nationale-Nederlanden San Silvestre International Women) will appear as an abandonment or out of control in the final classification.

Article 11

Claims

Complaints must be made to the referee up to 30 minutes after the results appear. Subsequently, if you do not agree, a deposit of €60 will be paid, so that the Jury of Appeal can decide. Only if the decision of the Jury considers the claim to be justified, the deposit will be returned. The participant who does not comply with this process may be disqualified by application of Article 10 of these rules.

Article 12

Classifications

The official rankings of the runners are the sole responsibility of the Judges Committee of the Athletics

Federation.

The official rankings will be published on the race website, www.sansilvestrevallecana.com.

For Nationale-Nederlanden San Silvestre Vallecana International the gross time (time from the starting gun) is the official time.

If the name of a participant does not appear in the rankings, please write an email to info@sansilvestrevallecana.com Before sending it, it is necessary to make sure that the chip was correctly placed. In order to detect the wrong chip reading, it is helpful to indicate if you have started or arrived at the same time as a runner who does appear in the rankings, indicating in that case your data.

The deadline for corrections to the rankings will be open from January 3rd, 2024, until January 15th, 2024.

Article 13

Trophies

Trophies will be awarded to the first three in each category. Only the absolute category will receive the trophy on the day of the race.

Article 14

Doping tests

Doping control will be carried out in the International event, in accordance with the current regulations of the WA and the RFEA.

Article 15

Right of Image

Acceptance of these rules implies that the participant authorizes the Organization to the total or partial recording of his participation in the same and gives his consent so that his image can be used as a result of the promotion and dissemination of the race in which he has participated without the right on his part to receive any financial compensation.

Article 16

All participants, by registering, confirm that they have read, understand, and accept these rules.

Article 17

All the provisions of the above articles shall be governed by the provisions of the current Competition Regulations of the Royal Spanish Athletics Federation and, failing that, by those of the WA.