
Riachos Yearlings Cup 2024

REGULATIONS

1. Organisation

This competition will be organised by: Derby de Riachos

2. Participants / Who can participate

Both federated and non-federated pigeon fanciers can take part.

3. Conditions and cost of enrolment:

The price of participation for each team will be **450 €** composed of **8 Athletes (6+2 reserves)**.

2nd team - 5% discount

3rd team or more - 10% discount

NOTE: To benefit from this discount the pigeons' ownership titles must accompany them.

Reserve pigeons will be activated free of charge if the team has less than 6 members or will be **automatically and compulsorily activated for the amount of 80 €** after the last training session if the team has more than 6 members at that time. Unpaid bookings will not be eligible for prize money.

The registration fee for individual pigeons is 100€

For every 5 teams of 6 paid pigeons, the participant will benefit from an additional free team.

All Participating Members, when paying the Membership Fee, consider themselves informed of all the points of these regulations.

All participants must be members of Derby Riachos - Associação Columbófila with the quality of participating members and therefore pay the respective half-yearly fee, divided into 3 classes:

Registration of 1 pigeon 50€

2 Pigeons 100€,

3 Pigeons or more 200€

It is mandatory to be registered on the platform and only then can you register your team.

To make your registration, simply enter our website, fill in the form correctly and send, there are mandatory fields, only registrations that are paid within 15 days of your registration will be considered valid. In case of cancellation this amount is not refundable.

After payment, a copy of the proof of payment must be sent to us, only then is it considered paid.

Registration is limited to 125 teams, all participants from the previous year have reserved a place until 15 August 2023.

Deadline for payment is 31/12/2023 otherwise teams will be excluded from the competition.

The release will be carried out with the organisation's vehicle, although pigeons from Sociedade C. Riachos may be taken for training.

Its trainings and races of the pigeons are together with those of S. C. de Riachos.

Entries can be made on an individual or collective basis.

4. PAYMENT:

Derby Riachos - Columbófila Association

Taxpayer No: 517159244

NIB: 0045 5432 4036 7850 4454 2

IBAN: PT50 0045 5432 4036 7850 4454 2

SWIFT/BIC: CCCMPTPL

5. PIGEON RECEPTION

Pigeons will be received from **1 September to 15 November 2023** inclusive, and must be accompanied by the respective registration form with Name, **VAT (MANDATORY)**; full address, telephone contact and email in order to receive all the information, Property title (mandatory) and Pedigree.

Pigeons that are not accompanied by their pedigree, the owner loses the right to the % of the sale of the pigeon at auction.

After entering the loft, the young birds are in the care of the Riachos Derby organisers.

Transport must be personal or through specialised transport companies.

The pigeons for breeding must have been vaccinated against PMV for at least 10 days before being sent to the pigeon fancier and will be housed in the Riachos Derby loft, with their treatment, breeding and preparation being the responsibility of the Riachos Derby.

The delivery will be agreed with the Organisation on a timely basis, through the contacts:

6. CONTACT:

João Ferreira : 917 528 135

Armando Delgado : 915 546 313

Joaquim José Madeira da Graça : 967 076 206

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7. AGENTS:

International contacts:

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International Promoter + Germany: **Henrique Silva** - henriquemanuelsilva@gmail.com - tel.: 0049 15731377610

Agent Switzerland: **Alexandre Peixoto** - info@peixoto.ch - tel.: 0041 796273141

Agent Netherlands: **Michiel Aversch** - averesch-pigeons@hotmail.com - tel.: 0031 620971673

Agent Poland: **Arkadiusz Maziarz** - info@maziarz-pigeons.pl - tel.: 0048 692468569

Agent Hungary: **Agoston Viglidan** - viglidan96@gmail.com - tel.: 0036 306392408

8. ADDUCTION / LOSSES - REPLACEMENT.

In the event of death, disability, accident or loss, the pigeon can be replaced until 30 November 2023 at no additional cost, and the transport will be borne by the participant.

9. CALENDER AND TRANSPORT FOR TRAINING AND RACES:

Several orienteering trainings will be carried out.

The Training Calendar and the day of the Race will be announced in due course.

Transport to the release sites will be carried out in suitable transport.

All training sessions and races to be held and scheduled may be changed for weather reasons, or other reasons beyond the organisation's control. The decision of the organisation is sovereign.

10. EVENTS TO BE HELD AND CHAMPIONSHIPS

It will consist of 7 races, 4 speed races and 3 middle distance races.

The final race will be a half-mile race of around 500km.

If, for reasons of force majeure, the management deems it necessary to change either the tests or their dates, it may do so.

The classification of the pigeons will be made on the basis of 50% of the pigeons basketed in the first official race and will be maintained until the final and in all races the score will be the same as the 1st official race. (EX. 1000 pigeons: 1. = 500 points, 2.= 499 points).

For the General classification, 50% of the pigeons found after the arrival of the 1st pigeon or 24 hours after the time of the 1st pigeon count and the score will be the same in all races.

General Championship: The General Champion will be the participant who obtains the highest number of points in the 7 races with the first 2 pigeons.

Speed Championship: The participant who obtains the highest number of points in the speed races with the first 2 pigeons will be the Speed Champion.

Middle Championship: The winner of the Middle-Distance **Championship will** be the participant who obtains the highest number of points in the Middle-Distance races with the first 2 pigeons.

General pigeon-AS: The pigeon that obtains the most points in the sum of the 7 races will be champion and must qualify for the final race.

Speed Ace Pigeon: the pigeon with the most points in the speed races will be champion.

Middle-Distance Ace Pigeon: the pigeon with the most points in the Middle-distance races will be champion.

11. AWARDS

Place	Race 1 (S.)	Race 2 (S.)	Race 3 (S.)	Race 4 (S)	Race 5 (MD)	Race 6 (MD)	Final	Teams	Ace-Pigeon
1 ^o	200	200	200	200	300	300	2000	2500	1500
2 ^o	100	100	100	100	250	250	1200	1750	750
3 ^o	75	75	75	75	200	200	1000	1250	500
4 ^o	50	50	50	50	150	150	750	1000	250
5 ^o	50	50	50	50	100	100	500	750	200
6 ^o	50(voucher)	50(voucher)	50(voucher)	50(voucher)	50(voucher)	50(voucher)	400	500	150
7 ^o	50(voucher)	50(voucher)	50(voucher)	50(voucher)	50(voucher)	50(voucher)	300	400	100
8 ^o	50(voucher)	50(voucher)	50(voucher)	50(voucher)	50(voucher)	50(voucher)	250	300	100
9 ^o	50(voucher)	50(voucher)	50(voucher)	50(voucher)	50(voucher)	50(voucher)	200	250	100
10 ^o	50(voucher)	50(voucher)	50(voucher)	50(voucher)	50(voucher)	50(voucher)	150	200	100
11 ^o							100	100	50 (voucher)
12 ^o							100	100	50 (voucher)
13 ^o							100	100	50 (voucher)
14 ^o							100	100	50 (voucher)
15 ^o							100	100	50 (voucher)
16 ^o							75	75	50 (voucher)
17 ^o							75	75	50 (voucher)
18 ^o							75	75	50 (voucher)
19 ^o							75	75	50 (voucher)
20 ^o							75	75	50 (voucher)
21 ^o							50 (voucher)	50 (voucher)	25 (voucher)
22 ^o							50 (voucher)	50 (voucher)	25 (voucher)
23 ^o							50 (voucher)	50 (voucher)	25 (voucher)
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25 ^o							50 (voucher)	50 (voucher)	25 (voucher)
26 ^o							25 (voucher)	25 (voucher)	25 (voucher)
27 ^o							25 (voucher)	25 (voucher)	25 (voucher)
28 ^o							25 (voucher)	25 (voucher)	25 (voucher)
29 ^o							25 (voucher)	25 (voucher)	25 (voucher)
30 ^o							25 (voucher)	25 (voucher)	25 (voucher)
Vouchers will be valid for 1 year									

The prize table applies for a minimum participation of 1000 paid pigeons (Free entries will not be considered).

In case of lower entries than indicated, the prizes will be recalculated proportionally to the number of paid pigeons. This calculation will be made after the last training and booking activations.

In addition to the monetary prizes, the following trophies will be awarded:

1st, 2nd, 3rd Teams Overall - **Champion's band**

1st, 2nd, 3rd Ace Pigeon - **Trophy**

1st Speed Ace-Pigeon - **Trophy**

1st Middle-Distance Ace-Pigeon - **Trophy**

The "Voucher" prizes can only be used as a discount on future participation in one of the competitions belonging to Derby Riachos and will be valid for 1 year.

A diploma will be awarded to all participants issued on the Derby platform.

The monetary prizes will be subject to the rate in force and will be paid on a date to be announced, and settled by bank transfer and after delivery of the payment document in accordance with the legislation in force.

12. AUCTIONS:

All pigeons returned from the final will be auctioned online on an auction platform.

The owner will be entitled to 35% of the sale on all pigeons that reach a value equal to or greater than € 100 at auction, with the remaining amount for the Riachos Derby as a donation made by the participant.

The % of the sale of the pigeons at auction will be paid by the auctioneers after all the auctions have finished and the pigeons have been paid for by the buyers. If a pigeon is sold and not paid for by the buyer, it will be auctioned a second time. The percentage for the participant is the value of 35% of the paid sale. If a pigeon is not paid for twice, it does not go to auction again.

If a pigeon is not sold the first time it is auctioned, the owner loses the right to a percentage of the future sale.

Only pigeons with a title of ownership and **pedigree delivered up to 8 days before the final race** will be entitled to a "%" (percentage of the sale), all others that are not accompanied by the title of ownership and pedigree the value of the sale reverts to the Association.

13. TAXES

The amounts mentioned in the Regulations include VAT at the rate in force, if applicable. According to the opinion of the Tax Authority and Portuguese law, all participants / members residing in Portugal who receive money from prizes, pigeon sales or commissions, will be responsible for paying the IRS tax (25%), referring to these funds, with Derby Riachos withholding this amount, which will then send it to the Tax Authority, as the law determines.

Non-residents in Portugal are exempt from paying the tax, with no withholding (25%), the prize will be paid in full, provided they present a certificate of tax residence abroad, or model 21-RFI duly completed and stamped, and if they do not present proof of residence outside Portugal, Derby Riachos will have to deduct 25% from the prizes, and then send that money to the Portuguese Tax Authority.

14. CASES OMITTED.

All omitted cases will be resolved by the Organisation of the Riachos Columbophile Derby, in accordance with the provisions of the National Sporting Regulations. Any eventuality that gives rise to conflict, not covered by these regulations, will be resolved by the organisation, governed by the National Laws of Portugal, and this decision will be final.

The official regulations will be in Portuguese and posted on the event website, as any translation into another language may lead to misunderstandings.