



**32° GRAN PREMIO NUVOLARI – PREMIO MANTOVA 2022**  
**(15) – 16 – 17 – 18 SEPTEMBER 2022**  
***20 days until registration closes***

**Mantova, 8th of July 2022** – The engines of the Gran Premio Nuvolari, the international regularity event for historic cars that for 32 years has paid tribute to the greatest driver of all time, the “Grande Nivola”, are warming up.

This year, on the occasion of the **130th anniversary of the birth of the Mantuan champion**, a special edition will be set up with the aim of bringing to life unique emotions, worthy of the legend of the driver - an icon of motorism - Tazio Nuvolari.

**From 15th to 18th of September 2022**, 300 crews from all over the world will travel a fascinating route of **1,100 km**, divided into three stages of Northern-Central Italy, through Lombardy, Emilia Romagna, Marche and Veneto. The event, conceived and organized by Mantova Corse since 1991, will take place in compliance of international federations F.I.A. and F.I.V.A., with A.C.I. Sport and Historical Aci.

This 32nd edition confirms the partners **Red Bull, Tag Heuer** and **Finservice**, together with the return of **Banca Generali**, thanks to which the "Nuvolari" will strengthen some of its fundamental characteristics: **sports competition, historical celebration** and **travelling tourism**, discovering suggestive and particularly significant places.

Sensitive to the problems concerning the environmental protection, also this year the "**Gran Premio Nuvolari Green**" initiative will be **re-launched**, an important greening action, supported by the patronage of the Comune di Mantova. The environmental impact caused by the circulation of the historic cars participating in the event will be balanced by the planting, in selected areas, of such a number of tall trees as to equipoise the total emission of CO2.

**Gran Premio Nuvolari 2022: The route**

The itinerary of Gran Premio Nuvolari Nuvolari represents the synthesis of Italian beauties. It starts with something new: on **Thursday 15th of September**, after the pre-race checks, it will take place the “Premio Mantova 2022 – Nuvolari 130 Years”, a mighty prologue, a city route of 7,5 km across the streets of city centre of Mantua. It will be a special greeting to the city of Mantua reserved to the foreigner participants coming from the five continents.

**On Friday 16th of September, the first leg.** The historic cars will start from **Piazza Sordello**, the heart of the Lombard city. We'll cross the suggestive streets of Emilia, until coming to **Modena Circuit**: break for the lunch and timed trials. We'll continue then across the Apennines and then to Imola, in the famous “ **Autodromo Enzo e Dino Ferrari**” of Formula 1. Finally, on the Romagna hills towards the Adriatic Sea with arrival in Cesenatico. The evocative location of the Grand Hotel da Vinci will open its doors to participants for the evening.

**On Saturday 17th of September**, the second leg, we'll see a **completely new itinerary**: from Rimini to Florence, crossing through Passo dei Mandrioli, from Stia, until Passo della Consuma, then the Chianti countryside, the **break at Borgo Scopeto** among the tall and narrow cypresses of the Sienese hills. In the afternoon the crews will run across



the streets of Arezzo, with the stamp control of Monteverchi and Pieve Santo Stefano, towards the Viamaggio pass.

The Republic of San Marino will welcome the **Gp Nuvolari** with the last group of timed trials of the day and the stamp check in Piazza della Libertà, in front of the Government Palace of the oldest Republic in the world.

The arrival of the second step will be in Rimini, on the walkway of Piazza Tre Martiri. The traditional **Gala Dinner** in honor of Tazio Nuvolari will close the evening, in the wonderful Fellini setting of the **Grand Hotel in Rimini**.

**On Sunday 18th of September, third and last leg.** The crews will come back to Mantua. The route will reserve them the last challenges, the decisive ones to decree the winner. Starting from Rimini, they will compete with the dreaded Meldola timed trials, passing from Faenza, guests of the **Formula 1 Alpha Tauri team**, in front of the public in Piazza del Popolo. The Piazza Ariostea arena will be the glance that Ferrara reserves to the participants. It is the time to return to Mantua, crossing through the Bondeno, Poggiorusco and Revere stamp checks. The lunch break will be served at the millenary castle of Castel d'Ario, birth place of Tazio Nuvolari, it could not be otherwise on the occasion of the 130<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the birth. Then finally the arrival in Mantova, after 4 days and 1.100 km, and the award ceremony between the welcoming walls of Piazza Sordello.

The event in honour of Nuvolari is the fourth round of the Campionato Italiano Grandi Eventi of ACI Sport, which also includes Coppa delle Alpi, Coppa Milano Sanremo, Coppa d'Oro delle Dolomiti and Targa Florio Classica.

#### **Registration Requirements and Terms**

Registration requests, to be carried out exclusively on the website [www.gpnuvolari.it](http://www.gpnuvolari.it), can be sent until the 31st of July 2022. At the Gran Premio Nuvolari all cars manufactured from 1919 to 1976 are admitted, provided that they are equipped (alternatively) with a F.I.V.A. /F.I.A. Heritage/ ACI Sport / ACI Storico passport, or an A.S.I. homologation, or a certificate of Registration in the A.A.V.S.

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