

## RENATO DALL'ARA - STADIUM RULES AND REGULATIONS – 2025 Edition

### RULES OF CONDUCT

- For the purpose of these Regulations the term “Stadium” shall refer to Renato Dall’Ara Stadium together with all other areas pertaining to the Stadium, including the external area.
- The term “Club” means Bologna FC 1909 spa (hereinafter “Bologna FC 1909”)

#### General Rules:

- Access to and/or presence in any capacity within the Stadium is governed by these Regulations and by the Regulation of Transfer of Tickets for Football Events that applies to all users as well as to Bologna FC 1909’s supporters, save to the extent not provided for by law or regulation.
- By purchasing a valid admission title to the Stadium, ticket owner expressly accepts these Regulations as well the obligation to comply with them. Said acceptance and compliance requirements are extended to any transferee of said ticket or any other admission title to the Stadium, in the event that such transfer is permitted under any applicable state and sector regulations.
- Any person that enters the Stadium in violation of these Regulations, or fails to leave it, when the violation of the Regulations results in the expulsion from the Stadium, based on photo or video evidence taken from any control officer or supported by other objective elements, shall be punished with an administrative fine from 100 to 500 euros. Such fine may be increased up to half the maximum penalty if the offender has already been sanctioned for the same violation during the current football season, even if the violation occurred in a different sports facility.
- In addition to the circumstances mentioned above, the Club may expel from the Stadium any person who fails to comply with the Regulations.
- Any person expelled from the Stadium may also be prevented from attending future events.
- Tickets are personal and not transferable, except for the circumstances and conditions established by the Club and set forth in Italian Law.
- Entering the Stadium in violation to any instruction aimed at separating supporters of different teams is prohibited. Any person who fails to comply with such prohibition may be immediately expelled from the Stadium.
- Access to the Stadium will only be granted to spectators holding a valid admission title to the area of the Stadium, who will have to exhibit a proof of identity in order to verify the correspondence between the ticket holder and its owner.
- The ticket must be kept until departure from the Stadium and exhibited upon request by the personnel in charge.
- The spectator has the right/duty to occupy the seat assigned by the ticket. Therefore, by purchasing a ticket, the spectator agrees not to occupy different seats, including vacant ones, without the express permission from the Club organising the event. Should the Club or any authorised Public Security Officer decides, for any reason whatsoever, to move a spectator to a seat other than that assigned to him/her by their ticket, he/she has the duty to comply with such instructions.
- The spectator must comply with any instruction issued by an authorised steward and/or security officer operating at the Stadium.
- The spectator may be subjected to security checks by stewards, using metal detectors or pat-downs, to ensure that no illegal, prohibited or dangerous material is brought into the Stadium, and is required to comply with the instructions issued by the stewards. Should a spectator not agree with any such inspection, he/she may not be admitted to the Stadium.
- The Club shall not be responsible for any loss, damage or injury to a person or to any property in the Stadium, unless it is directly attributable to the Club’s fault.

The following conducts or behaviours **ARE STRICTLY PROHIBITED** inside the Stadium:

- To smoke and/or, more generally, to constitute a source of danger, nuisance or annoyance to any other person;
- To use drones, or other similar devices, unless explicitly authorised in writing by the Club;
- To show any conduct or behaviour that entails racial, ethnic, religious discrimination in any form or any other expression of intolerance through chanting or exposing offensive written banners (including wearing clothing banners);
- To obstruct gangways, access ways, exits and entrances and stairways without any justified reason.
- To climb any structures within the Stadium;

- To cause damage to or tamper with any structure, infrastructure, and facility of the Stadium;
- To bring into the Stadium or carry poisons, harmful substances, drugs, flammable substances, and/or paints;
- To enter animals of any kind, except service animals to aid persons with disabilities, which must be announced and authorised by the Club in advance when the ticket is issued;
- To bring into the Stadium or to sell alcoholic beverages, with more than 5% ABV, unless a permit has been previously requested and granted for any specific area. Licences will be issued by the relevant authorities, after the approval of the Operational Security Unit (designated in Italian as “Gruppo Operativo per la Sicurezza”, hereinafter abbreviated as GOS).
- To bring into the Stadium and/or sell beverages in cans, glass or plastic bottles.
- To bring into the Stadium, and carry stones, knives, objects likely to cause offence or suitable for being thrown, noise-making instruments, light-emitting systems (laser pens/pointers), explosive material, pyrotechnics, smoke bombs, firearms, and, more generally, objects that may constitute a source of annoyance or danger to the safety of any person inside the Stadium.
- In the event of actual or forecasted adverse weather conditions, umbrellas with spikes or otherwise large umbrellas are not permitted into the Stadium.
- To carry out leafleting or sales of any kind or for any purpose unless authorised in writing by the Club;
- To enter or remain inside the Stadium being drunk or under the influence of drugs or psychotropic substances. Please note that the following conducts and/or behaviours constitute a criminal offence: to misrepresent oneself, to be in possession of proper and improper weapons, to display badges or symbols of associations inciting discrimination or violence on racial, ethnic, national or religious grounds, to incite violence during professional competitions, to possess, throw and use dangerous and pyrotechnic material, to jump over separating walls, and to invade the pitch.

## CHOREOGRAPHIC MATERIAL

The following conducts or behaviours **ARE STRICTLY PROHIBITED** inside the Stadium:

- To introduce banners and other like material, including those for choreographies, unless expressly authorised by GOS, upon request from the Club;
- To introduce and/or display banners, signboards, horizontal banners, wraps, documents, drawings, printed or written material containing propaganda to political, ideological or religious doctrines, claims or concepts inciting racial, ethnic or religious hatred, or which are feared to hinder the smooth course of the competition and, in any case, are not explicitly authorised by GOS, upon request from the Club. They may not, in any case, be displayed in spaces other than those designated by the Club and must be removed at the end of the event.
- To display material which may ruin the viewing experience of other spectators or hinder the visibility of emergency signs or otherwise obstruct any safety exit, including to the pitch.
- To introduce flags, banners, and other standards that are not related to the event and the two teams involved in it.
- To introduce choreographic material, including banners and flags, into the Tribuna and Distinti sectors, regardless of the request for authorisation from GOS. In those sectors, only the following material will be permitted:
  - a) Small signs bearing a message that is not forbidden, made of non-rigid material and in a permitted format (like A2 format, with size not exceeding 16 x 23 inches (42 x 60 cm.).
  - b) Small flags of the teams participating to the event with size of 19 x 27 inches (50 x 70 cm.) and poles up to 39 inches (100 cm.) long.

**Subject to the authorisation from GOS, spectators can introduce the following items:**

- Drums and megaphones, including noise-producing and acoustic instruments (for the specific entry procedure, please visit the official website [www.bolognafc.it](http://www.bolognafc.it)). Spectators are reminded that the number of instruments admitted in the Visitors' Sector is limited to 2 megaphones and 2 drums.

Warnings:

- In case of temporary disability requiring the use of walking aids (such as crutches or like devices), entrance to the Stadium in the relevant sector according to the ticket details will be permitted only upon exhibition of a medical certificate stating that the interested person is able to walk properly on his/her own, as long as he/she is equipped with the aid prescribed in the certificate. Subject to seat availability,

the spectator will be granted access to the area reserved to people with disabilities, subject to the approval from GOS.

- Regardless of any specific ticket or admission title, wheelchair spectators shall exclusively occupy a seat in the area reserved to people with disabilities in the DISTINTI and/or the VISITORS sectors.
- Visually impaired spectators who need to be accompanied by a service animal must be authorised by the Club when the ticket is issued and may only access the area reserved to people with disabilities in the DISTINTI sector (please refer to the rules published in the Club's website [www.bolognafc.it](http://www.bolognafc.it)).
- In the performance of their duties, stewards are considered, pursuant to and for the purposes of Articles 336 and 337 of the Italian Criminal Code, public service officers (Art. 6-quater of Law 401/1989 in the matter of violence or threats against stewards of venues where sporting events take place);
- CCTV cameras are in use in and around the Stadium. Recorded data are processed in accordance with provisions of Legislative Decree no 196 of 30 June 2003 and Ministerial Decree of 06/06/2005, while stewards will be enabled to use audio-visual media for data recording for the same purposes.
- Any person attending a sports event at the Stadium, acknowledges that any of such events will be considered and treated as a public event and therefore accepts and authorises any future use of any audio and video footage that may be taken and that free use may be made of his or her voice, image and appearance by means of live or recorded video projections, radio or other broadcasts or by means of recordings, photographs or any other current and/or future technology.
- No audio/video recording equipment, film cameras, video cameras and cameras will be permitted to the area hosting the event.
- Spectators attending a match may not record and/or broadcast sounds, images and/or descriptions of the Stadium or match (as well as any results and/or stats related to it) other than those permitted for private use;
- In any case, any dissemination of sounds, images, descriptions, results and/or statistics of the match, as a whole or of any part of it, online or via radio, television or through any other current and/or future means of communication is strictly prohibited as well as supporting other persons in carrying out such activities.
- Mobile telephones are permitted inside the Stadium, provided that they are used for personal and private use only.
- The ticket does not authorize the holder to accept or facilitate bets within the sports facility, directly or through a third party, nor to collect, use, disseminate, communicate, or publish, by any means, data and other information relating to the match for gaming and betting purposes or, in general, for commercial purposes. Even partial failure to comply with the obligations will result in the withdrawal of the ticket and removal from the facility, with subsequent claims for compensation for damages and reporting to the Public Safety Authority. Any refund or compensation will be excluded.

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