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Jean-Luc QUERNEC – Président FFPS

It is with an **immense pleasure and great pride** that the **Fédération Française des Pêches Sportives en Eau Douce** welcomes you to the **32<sup>nd</sup> World Championships for Nations and Clubs in natural bait trout fishing**.

On **Saturday, June 20, and Sunday, June 21, 2026**, the stunning **Comminges region** will host the world’s elite in competitive trout fishing along the banks of the **Garonne River in Clarac**—a land renowned for its **rich aquatic ecosystems** and its **anglers’ passion**.

This international event marks a **crucial moment for our sport**, highlighting **athletic expertise, respect for the natural environment, camaraderie, and the values of sharing** that define modern competitive fishing.

The **FFPS National Delegation for Freshwater Sport Fishing**, in close collaboration with **local stakeholders, volunteers, and communities**, will spare no effort to deliver **exemplary Championships**—both in terms of **sporting excellence and seamless organization**—for all delegations, clubs, and spectators.

We wish every competitor outstanding success, thrilling sporting battles, and an unforgettable **experience in Comminges**, a land of hospitality, tradition, and angling passion.

**Welcome to Clarac**, and may these Championships be exceptional for all!



Hervé KAJETANIAK – Président FFPSed



Julien ROJO-DIAZ – FFPSed  
Commission Nationale Truite

Dear athletes, captains, officials, and companions,

It is with **immense pride and deep joy** that we welcome you today to the **32<sup>nd</sup> World Championships of Natural Bait Trout Fishing**.

This year, we are honored to host you in **Occitanie, in Saint-Gaudens**, where you will discover the **foothills of the Pyrenees** and the **generous waters of the Garonne Valley**.

These landscapes, these rivers, and above all, the **warm welcome of the local people**, will make these Championships an **unforgettable experience**, both in terms of sport and human connection.

I would like to extend my **heartfelt thanks** to the **AAPPMA of Saint-Gaudens**, the **Fédération de Pêche des Hautes-Pyrénées**, and all the **volunteers, partners, and local stakeholders** whose unwavering support has made this event possible.

These World Championships would not be what they are without **your presence**. To all of you—athletes, captains, officials, and companions—I express our deepest gratitude for answering France’s call once again. Your passion and sportsmanship are the **beating heart** of this competition.

May the competition be **fair**, the catches **plentiful**, and these days etched in your memories as a **unique moment of sportsmanship and camaraderie**.

Tight lines to all, and long live the **2026 World Championships!**

# ORGANIZING COMMITTEE

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# HOST CITY

## SAINT-GAUDENS

**Location** : Situated in southern France at the foot of the Pyrenees, Saint-Gaudens is **100 kilometers from Toulouse** and **75 kilometers from Tarbes**.

**Coordonnées GPS** : 43° 06' 32" nord, 0° 43' 27" est

**Population** : 11 869 inhabitants

**Altitude** : 372 meters

This **sub-prefecture**, overlooking the Garonne Valley, offers **breathtaking views of the mountains** and serves as a crossroads between Toulouse and the Val d'Aran in Spain.

Since Roman times, when it was known as **Mas Saint-Pierre**, Saint-Gaudens has evolved to become the capital of **Nébouzan** in the 13th century. The city takes its current name from a local martyr, **Gaudens**, a young shepherd beheaded by the Visigoths.



One of Saint-Gaudens' crown jewels is its **collegiate church**, dedicated to **Saint Peter and Saint Gaudens**, a masterpiece of Romanesque art and a landmark on the **Camino de Santiago pilgrimage route**. Modeled after the Basilica of Saint-Sernin in Toulouse, the collegiate church impresses with its **grand scale** and a **45-meter bell tower housing 36 bells**.

Visitors are invited to explore its **Aragonese master-sculpted capitals**, the **13th-century cloister**, the **chapter house**, **18th-century Aubusson tapestries**, and the **organ case dating back to before 1662**, making it a **listed historic monument**.

Walking around the church, visitors can admire fascinating details, such as the **Christ on the tympanum above the north portal**. The cloister, with its arcades, provides a space of **tranquility and serenity**, perfect for contemplating the architectural details meticulously restored in 1989 according to the original plans.

Saint-Gaudens is a **treasure trove of history and culture**, shaped by centuries and enriched by its proximity to sites like **Saint-Bertrand-de-Comminges** and the **Abbey of Bonnefont**.



How to get there !

# ROAD INFORMATION

## By Air



### TOULOUSE

From Toulouse Blagnac Airport,

1. Take the **outer ring road** toward **Tarbes**.
2. Merge onto **A64 highway** toward **Tarbes**.
3. Take **Exit 18: SAINT-GAUDENS**.

### TARBES

From Tarbes/Lourdes Airport,

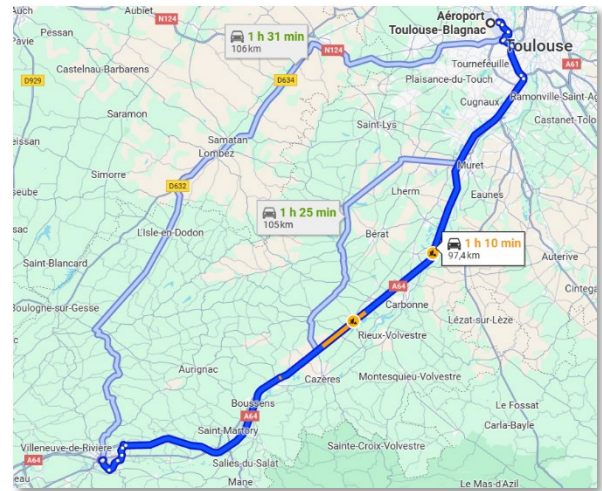
1. Merge onto **A64 highway** toward **Toulouse**.
2. Take **Exit 18: SAINT-GAUDENS**.

## By Car



### From TOULOUSE

1. Take **A64/E80/E9 (La Pyrénéenne)** toward **Tarbes**.
2. Drive for **100 kilometers**.
3. Take **Exit 18: SAINT-GAUDENS**.



### From TARBES

1. Take **A64/E80/E9 (La Pyrénéenne)** toward **Toulouse**.
2. Drive for **75 kilometers**.
3. Take **Exit 18: SAINT-GAUDENS**.



## By train



### From Toulouse Matabiau Station

Take the train toward **Tarbes** and alight at **Saint-Gaudens Station**.

### From Tarbes Station

Take the train toward **Toulouse** and alight at **Saint-Gaudens Station**.

Then, take the **shuttle bus** to the center of **Saint-Gaudens**.



# COMPETITION

## DATES

**From :** Thursday, June 18, 2026 (*registration, opening ceremony*)

**To :** Monday, June 22, 2026 (*morning, departure of participating Nations and Clubs*)

## COMPETITION VENUE

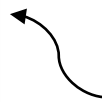
The competition will take place on the **Garonne River**, in the municipality of **Clarac**, located **10 kilometers from Saint-Gaudens**.

The event will be held across **4 sectors (A, B, C, D)**, each approximately **240 meters long**.

A **parking area** will be available near the **football stadium**, conveniently close to all competition sectors.



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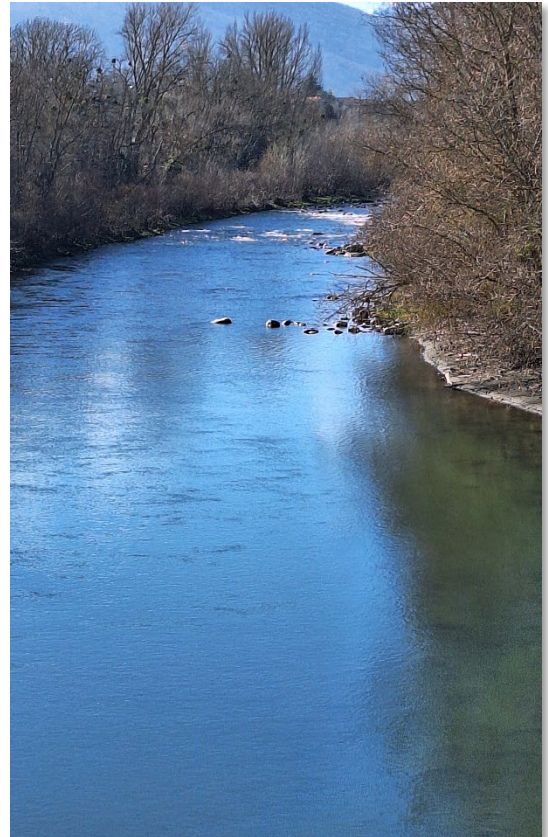
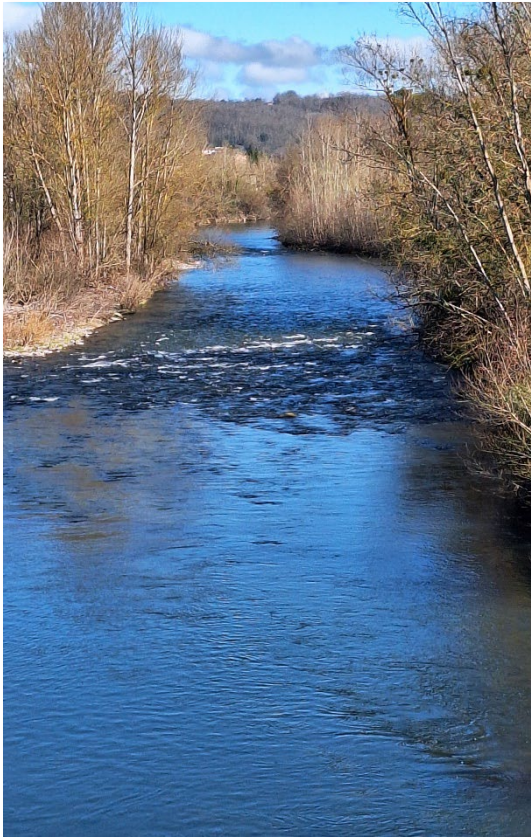


**How to get there !**

The competition area has a **water depth ranging from 60 cm to 150 cm** and is already stocked with **brown trout (*Salmo trutta*) of various sizes**.

For the competition, **500 kg of brown trout** will be released.

The fishes weigh between **150 grams and 200 grams**, averaging **about 5 trout per kilogram (23 cm in length)**.



## BAIT

For the **official training**, each angler will receive:

- **2 boxes of wax worms** ( $\approx$  25 wax worms /box)
- **1 box of worms** ( $\approx$  30 worms /box)

For **each competition round**, each angler will receive:

- **3 boxes of wax worms** ( $\approx$  25 wax worms /box)
- **2 boxes of worms** ( $\approx$  30 worms /box)

This amounts to a **total of 8 boxes of wax worms and 5 boxes of worms per angler per competition**. *Replenishment will be available upon request, directly from the sector supervisor.*

# ADMINISTRATIVE INFORMATION

## TEAM ACCREDITATION

To receive their accreditations, all nations and clubs must, upon arrival, go to the **Salle du Belvédère**, located at: **Rue du commandant Bru - 31800 SAINT-GAUDENS.**



How to get there !



**All clubs must bring their national anthem and flag.**

## REGISTRATION FEES

FIPSED registration fee : 200,00 €.

Participation fee for Nations : 1.300,00 €

Participation fee for Clubs : 1.300,00 €.

Total : **1500 euros par team**

The participation fee includes :

- **8 invitations** to the gala dinner
- **5 fishing licenses**
- **Insurance**
- **Gifts/souvenirs**

Any additional person will be charged **€60** for the gala dinner.

## COST FOR EXTRA MEDAL

The Federations, in addition to the medals devoted to the official members of the Delegation, will be allowed to ask for extra medals (up to a maximum of 3 per team), upon payment of a contribution of € 25 per extra medal, which will also include the diploma. The fees for extra medals shall be paid to F.I.P.S.e.d. In no case and for no reason extra medals in a number higher than that provided by these Rules may be requested from F.I.P.S.e.d.

## ACCOMMODATION

The organizing committee offers a variety of accommodation options, including **hotels (rooms)**, **tourist residences (apartments)**, and **campsites (mobile homes)**.

Here are the links to the recommended accommodations in the area:

<https://www.tourisme-stgaudens.com/sejourner/hebergements/>

<https://www.hautegaronnetourisme.com/hebergements-peche/>

<https://ecocampus.ellohaweb.com/>



**Please contact these accommodations directly for reservations. The organizing committee will not make any bookings.**

For further information about the region and activities, please contact:

- **Saint-Gaudens Tourist Office**
- 2 Rue Thiers - 31800 SAINT-GAUDENS
- Tél. : +33 (0)5 61 94 77 61
- Email : [info@tourisme-stgaudens.com](mailto:info@tourisme-stgaudens.com)
- Website : [Destination Comminges Pyrénées - Office de tourisme de Saint-Gaudens, Montréjeau, Boulogne sur Gesse, Aurignac et L'Isle en Dodon](#)

## CATERING

To make your day easier, a **complete meal** (starter, main course, cheese, dessert, and coffee) will be available on-site after the competitions on **Friday, June 19, Saturday, June 20, and Sunday, June 21, from 1:00 PM, by reservation only**, at a cost of **€12 per person**.



## ANTI-DOPING INFORMATION REQUIRED BY THE AUT

The athletes participating in the Championship, with the registration, implicitly accept all WADA anti-doping rules. Athlete whose illness or condition requires treatment with a prohibited substance or method must apply to CIPS for a Therapeutic Use Exemption (TUE) following the CIPS strict TUE application process.

He/she shall then use the application form, which can be downloaded from the ITA website: <https://ita.sport/resource/international-testing-agency-therapeutic-use-exemption-tue-application-form/>

The TUE request has to be sent to the following address: [tue@ita.sport](mailto:tue@ita.sport)

Athletes must therefore consult the Prohibited List [https://www.wada-ama.org/sites/default/files/2025-09/2026list\\_en\\_final\\_clean\\_september\\_2025.pdf](https://www.wada-ama.org/sites/default/files/2025-09/2026list_en_final_clean_september_2025.pdf)

If the TUE is granted, the athlete will then be permitted to use the medication during the period of validity of the TUE without committing an Anti-Doping Rules Violation (ADRV).

Regardless of whether a TUE has been granted or not, athletes should always declare on the doping control forms filled out during sample collection any medications and supplements taken within the seven days prior to sample collection, and any blood transfusions in the three months prior for blood samples.

If a TUE has already been granted by a NADO or by a RADO, the Athlete in question does not have to apply for any additional CIPS TUE, as CIPS recognizes all TUE granted by NADOs and RADOs

## OFFICIAL FIPSeD RULES

The **FIPSeD rules** are available and can be downloaded from:

[https://fips-ed.cips-fips.com/wp-content/uploads/2026/01/Reg\\_FIPSeD\\_Trota\\_2026\\_en\\_def.pdf](https://fips-ed.cips-fips.com/wp-content/uploads/2026/01/Reg_FIPSeD_Trota_2026_en_def.pdf)

# PROGRAMME

The fishing sectors are located in **Clarac on the Garonne River** (see map above).

## CAPTAINS' MEETINGS

Meeting times :

- **Thursday, June 18, 2026, 2:00 PM – 5:00 PM** : *Accreditation*
- **Friday, June 19, 2026, 5:00 PM** : *Draw*
- **Saturday, June 20, 2026, 7:30 AM** : *Draw and bib distribution*
- **Saturday, June 20, 2026, 5:00 PM** : *Draw and Day 1 Ranking*
- **Sunday, June 21, 2026, 7:30 AM** : *Draw and bib distribution*

All captains' meetings will be held at :

**Salle du Belvédère**, rue du commandant Bru 31800 SAINT-GAUDENS.

## ACCREDITATIONS DISTRIBUTION

For all clubs and nations, accreditation distribution will take place:

**Thursday, June 18, 2026, 2:00 PM – 5:00 PM**

Salle du Belvédère,  
Rue du commandant Bru  
31800 SAINT-GAUDENS

## OPENING CEREMONY

Athletes, captains, and officials must gather for the parade :

**Thursday, June 18, 2026, 5:45 PM**

In front of Saint-Gaudens Town Hall  
Rue de Goumetx - 31800 SAINT-GAUDENS

The **opening ceremony** will take place :

**Thursday, June 18, 2026, 6:30 PM**

Place Nationale Jean-Jaurès  
31800 SAINT GAUDENS  
Next to the Collégiale.

After the ceremony, a **welcome reception** will be offered by the municipality at: Salle du Belvédère, Rue du commandant Bru - 31800 SAINT-GAUDENS.

## OFFICIAL TRAINING

Official training will take place on **Friday, June 19, 2026, from 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM** on the 4 sectors.

For the day dedicated to training, there must be enough trout in the venue to allow competitors to train effectively

### Friday, June 19, 2026

- 9:00 AM: Start of official training
- 1:00 PM: End of official training
- 4:30 PM: Stocking of the sectors
- **5:00 PM**: Captains' meeting at **Salle du Belvédère**, Rue du Commandant Bru – 31800 SAINT-GAUDENS

How to get there !



## FIRST DAY OF COMPETITION

### Saturday, June 20, 2026

**7:30 AM:** Captains' meeting – Draw and bib distribution

- **9:00 AM:** 1st signal – Sector evaluation and inspection
- **9:25 AM:** 2nd signal – Entry into the sector
- **9:35 AM:** 3rd signal – Start of 1st period (45 minutes)
- **10:20 AM:** 4th signal – End of 1st period
- **10:35 AM:** 5th signal – Start of 2nd period (45 minutes)
- **11:20 AM:** 6th signal – End of 2nd period
- **11:35 AM:** 7th signal – Start of 3rd period (45 minutes)
- **12:20 PM:** 8th signal – End of 3rd period
- **12:35 PM:** 9th signal – Start of 4th period (45 minutes)
- **1:20 PM:** 10th signal – End of 4th period

#### End of the first event

- **4:30 PM:** Stocking of the sectors
- **5:00 PM:** Captains' meeting and Day 1 rankings

## SECOND DAY OF COMPETITION

### Sunday, June 21, 2026

**7:30 AM:** Captains' meeting, draw, and bib distribution

- **9:00 AM:** 1st signal – Sector evaluation and inspection
- **9:25 AM:** 2nd signal – Entry into the sector
- **9:35 AM:** 3rd signal – Start of 1st period (45 minutes)
- **10:20 AM:** 4th signal – End of 1st period
- **10:35 AM:** 5th signal – Start of 2nd period (45 minutes)
- **11:20 AM:** 6th signal – End of 2nd period
- **11:35 AM:** 7th signal – Start of 3rd period (45 minutes)
- **12:20 PM:** 8th signal – End of 3rd period
- **12:35 PM:** 9th signal – Start of 4th period (45 minutes)
- **1:20 PM:** 10th signal – End of 4th period

#### End of the second event

- **4:00 PM:** Final rankings published

## AWARD CEREMONY

The awards ceremony will take place :

**Sunday, June 21, 2026, 6:30 PM**  
Parc des Expositions  
Route de la croix de Cassagne  
31800 VILLENEUVE-DE-RIVIERE

## GALA DINNER

The gala dinner will be held :

**Sunday, June 21, 2026, 8:00 PM**  
Parc des Expositions  
Route de la croix de Cassagne,  
31800 VILLENEUVE-DE-RIVIERE

How to get there !



## REGISTER ON-LINE

The registration of the teams taking part in FIPSeD championships will make only use of the online registration tool. The link is following:

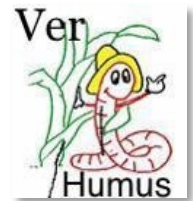
[https://www.fips-ed.org/FIPSeD\\_Registration/index.php](https://www.fips-ed.org/FIPSeD_Registration/index.php)

On the FIPSeD website you can find the instructions how to register. Each Federation has its own password to be able to access the archive of its members.

With the credentials and password, it will be possible to register owns athletes in any FIPSeD championship.

[https://www.fips-ed.com/wp-content/uploads/2025/01/FIPSeD-Registration-Web-Site-User-Manual\\_rev00-1.pdf](https://www.fips-ed.com/wp-content/uploads/2025/01/FIPSeD-Registration-Web-Site-User-Manual_rev00-1.pdf)

## OFFICIAL PARTNERS & SPONSORS OF THE EVENT



# 32<sup>nd</sup> World Championship of Natural Bait Trout Fishing for Nations and Clubs 2026

## **NATIONS** REGISTRATION FORM ONLY FOR ORGANIZERS

FÉDÉRATION \_\_\_\_\_

NATION \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

TOWN \_\_\_\_\_

TEL \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_

CONTACT PERSON \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

	SURNAME	First Name
<b>Angler</b>		
<b>Angler</b>		
<b>Angler</b>		
<b>Angler</b>		
<b>Angler</b>		
<b>1st Captain</b>		
<b>2nd Captain</b>		
<b>Delegate</b>		

DATE \_\_\_\_\_ SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_

The form must be sent, along with a copy of the payment, by **April 15, 2026**, to the attention of: AAPPMA de SAINT-GAUDENS.

# 32<sup>nd</sup> World Championship of Natural Bait Trout Fishing for Nations and Clubs 2026

## CLUBS REGISTRATION FORM FOR ORGANIZERS

FÉDÉRATION \_\_\_\_\_

CLUB \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

TOWN \_\_\_\_\_

TEL \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_

CONTACT PERSON \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

	SURNAME	First Name
Angler		
Angler		
Angler		
Angler		
Angler		
1st Captain		
2nd Captain		
Delegate		

DATE \_\_\_\_\_ SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_

The form must be sent, along with a copy of the payment, by **April 15, 2026**, to the attention of: AAPPMA de SAINT-GAUDENS.



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## DETAILS OF FEES TO BE PAID BY BANK TRANSFER

### TO AAPMA DE SAINT-GAUDENS

FEDERATION \_\_\_\_\_

NATIONS/ CLUB \_\_\_\_\_

Registration fee : ..... 1.300,00 €

Fees FIPSED : ..... 200,00 €

Total : ..... 1.500,00 €

Lunch meal: 12,00 €/person/per day 12,00 € x \_\_\_\_ personnes

Total..... €

Gala Dinner for Additional Persons: 60,00 € x \_\_\_\_ personnes

Total..... €

**TOTAL A PAYER** \_\_\_\_\_ €

### **PAYMENT BY BANK TRANSFER**

**ACCOUNT HOLDER:** ASSOC ASS AGREE PECHE PROTEC MILI AQ

**BANK NAME:** CREDIT AGRICOLE

**ACCOUNT NUMBER :** 30029892110

**IBAN:** FR76 1310 6005 0030 0298 9211 077

**BIC:** AGRIFRPP831

### **PAYMENT MUST BE MADE IN EUROS.**

**Raison for transfert:** Trout Natural Baits - (Please specify the name of your Federation or Club)

**Please note: All bank charges are the responsibility of the sender. The payment must be received in full, net of any bank fees.**

**THE FORM MUST BE SENT ALONG WITH THE PAYMENT BEFORE THE DEADLINE.**

**TO:** 15/04/2026

**AT:** Saint-Gaudens

**E-mail :** commissioneaudouce.truite@gmail.com

# EMERGENCY NUMBERS

**112 – EUROPEAN EMERGENCY NUMBERS**



**15 – EMERGENCY MEDICAL ASSISTANCE (SAMU)**



**3966 – ON CALL DOCTORS**



**18 – FIRE BRIGADE**



**17 - POLICE**



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