

## BANYOLES: LAND OF TRIATHLON

## Looking for a good training location? Why not choosing the BEST?

- •Located in the centre of the **Girona** province, the Lake town of **Banyoles** is considered **one of the**most attractive Triathlon camp bases in Europe.
- •The magnificent cycling conditions, the splendour of the Lake or the Costa Brava Open Waters and the mild climate and easy access, make Banyoles an ideal spot for any Triathlon athlete.



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- Proof of this great set-up are the multiple Triathlon competitions held in Banyoles regularly:
- 2012 ITU World Cup, 2011 and 2013 ITU Premium European Cups, Spanish Championships...
- •Fly from many cities in Europe to the **Girona-Costa Brava Airport**, **Perpignan's Airport** or even use **Barcelona's International**, all of them within a short drive away.

## **BEST TRAINING CONDITIONS**

- Lake Open Water Swimming
- Costa Brava Beach Open Water Swimming
- •Heated indoor and outdoor 25 or 50 meter pools
- •Ideal Cycling conditions for all levels and purposes
- **■Varied and multiple Running routes**
- Tartan Tracks
- Route maps, GPS downloads and general assessment
- Power fitness gyms
- ■Pyrenees Ski resorts within easy access
- ■Bike guides and bike set-up specialists
- •Nutritionists and sports injury or massage therapists
- Local coaches





## CYCLING





- •Banyoles, in the heart of the **Girona** area, is **one of the top cycling destinations in the world**.
- Famous Triathletes like Sarah Groff ( USA ), Chris Mc Cormack ( AUS ) or Erin Densham ( AUS ) have proved Banyoles conditions as a great camp-base for their season training.
- •Our extensive range of training options vary from the nearby countryside circuits around the Lake or the flatter Costa Brava Mediterranean scenic routes to the more challenging Pyrenees high-level climbs, all within cycling distance.
- •The roads here are quite and well-maintained, there is a strong cycling tradition in the area and, amongst all, the weather is warm and mild most of the year.

# SWIMINING





- •We suggest **Open Water swim training in the amazing Banyoles lake**, within natural amazing surroundings and all the facilities needed.
- •The Lake Sports Club maintains a Triathlon designated area, with a **special 800 meter buoy lane circuit dedicated exclusively to Triathlon athletes**.
- You can also swim in some of the greatest Costa Brava beaches within short distance.
- •25 meter heated indoor or outdoor pool lanes are available right by the lake.
- •50 meter heated indoor or outdoor pool lanes are available within easy reach in Girona.

# RUNNING





- •Local countryside off-road trails around the Banyoles Lake.
  - Scenic tracks around the Garrotxa Volcanic area.
    - Trail running to **nearby hills and mountains**.
  - •400 meter Track-and-Field Tartan in Girona or Olot.

## **ACCOMMODATION OPTIONS - I**

There is a wide variety of lodging you can use whilst in Banyoles, here are the main proposals:

#### **HOTEL MIRALLAC**



- •We have negotiated **Special Triathlon Rates** with this sportsmen friendly and family ran lodge.
- •The Mirallac is **located right in front of the Lake**.
- •Rooms can have **varied distribution options** and are fully equipped with bathrooms en-suite, TV, heating or a/c and telephone.
- •The hotel have its own restaurant which serves tailor-made **sportspeople orientated menus**.
- Bike-storage available.

## **ACCOMMODATION OPTIONS - II**

#### SPORTS RESIDENCES AND HOSTELS



- A variety of hostels can be found in this unbeatable location, all of them near the main training facilities.
- •Rooms for varied distribution, with coach or staff member single or twin rooms available.
- Spaces adaptable for Physio treatment.
- Meeting and TV rooms are available.
- Bike-storage available.
- Menus with good local food and special attention to Sportspeople diet needs.

## ACCOMINODATION OPTIONS - III

#### **BUNGALOWS IN CAMP-SITE**



- •Our Bungalows at the Camping El Llac guarantee a peaceful and relaxed atmosphere in Banyoles.
- •Located right by the Lake, the **new and fully-equipped Bungalows** will make you feel comfortable.
- Each regular unit has: air conditioning or heating, 3 twin rooms, WC, shower, kitchen and dinning area.
- •On-site facilities include extra WC and showers, swimming pool, Supermarket, Laundry and BBQ.
- •If you don't want to cook, Special menus for Triathletes are also provided at the Camp's restaurant.
- Bike-storage available.

## ACCOMINIODATION OPTIONS - IV

### **APARTMENTS**



- •If you are looking for a more private accommodation alternative, we can help you find the ideal long-term apartment in Banyoles.
- •We will offer fully equipped properties with different distribution options, all of them well located.
- Good discounts available for long-term stays.
- Possible **bike-storage** facilities if required.

## ENJOY TRAINING....WE'LL DO THE REST!!!

#### **OUR TAILOR-MADE SERVICES ALSO INCLUDE:**

- Access to the sports facilities of your choice
- •Co-ordination of transfers and shuttle services for the group
  - Personal assistance during the training camps
- Tourist information, day trips and optional activities arrangement
  - Emergency back-up and co-ordination of health services
    - Equipment rental

## KNOWLEDGE AND EXPERIENCE

- •Agenda Sports & Elements (est. 1993) provides **knowledge and experience** in sports training camps, welcoming plenty of National Federations, Olympic Teams, prestigious Clubs and Associations.
- •USA, Australia, Great Britain, New Zealand or Canadian Triathlon National Teams have been working with us successfully, amongst many other clubs and teams from all around the world.
- •Our aim is to ensure that everything required for the training camp is entirely our responsibility allowing you to put all your concentration into getting results from your stay with us.



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