1961

LUGANO

(Sui)

From 1961 to 1985 there were qualifying rounds with the winners proceeding to the final

ZONE 1			ZONE 2		
London (Gbr) – August 12			København (Den) - August 26/27		
1°	Great Britain	Pt. 41	1°	Sweden	Pt. 50
2°	Germany	Pt. 39	2°	Denmark	Pt. 23
3°	Belgium	Pt. 12	3°	Norway	Pt. 12
ZONE 3			ZONE 4		
Spoleto (Ita) – September 3			===		
1°	Italy	Pt. 48	1°	Hungary	==
2°	France	Pt. 27	2°	Türkiye	DNS.
3°	Switzerland	Pt. 17	3°		

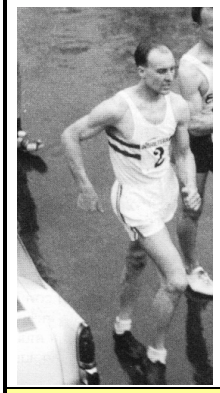
Countries qualifying for the final

24 athletes, representing 4 countries, competed in the final (12 in the 20 km. // 12 in the 50 km.)
The 20 km. it was held in Lugano; the 50 km. in Rancate

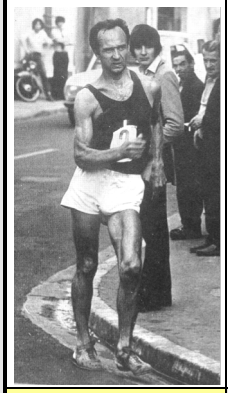
FINAL

15 / 16 October

20 km.

1°	2°	3°
		
Matthews	**Back**	**Williams**
Gbr 1:30:54	Swe 1:32:12	Gbr 1:34:02

50 km.

1°	2°	3°
		
Pamich	**Thompson**	**Söderlund A.**
Ita 4:25:38	Gbr 4:30:35	Swe 4:36:48

RESULTS

20 km.							
Pos.	Name	Nat.	Time	Pos.	Name	Nat.	Time
1°	**Matthews**	Gbr	1:30:54	7°	Clark	Gbr	1:36:51
2°	**Back**	Swe	1:32:12	8°	Dordoni	Ita	1:37:16
3°	**Williams**	Gbr	1:34:02	9°	Kiss	Hun	1:37:39
4°	Ljunggren J.	Swe	1:34:21	10°	Göri	Hun	1:39:06
5°	Söderlund E.	Swe	1:35:16	11°	Corsaro	Ita	1:42:46
6°	Balajcza	Hun	1:36:16	12°	Serchinic	Ita	Dnf.

RESULTS

50 km.							
Pos.	Name	Nat.	Time	Pos.	Name	Nat.	Time
1°	**Pamich**	Ita	4:25:38	7°	Havasi	Hun	4:46:59
2°	**Thompson**	Gbr	4:30:35	8°	De Rosso	Ita	4:49:42
3°	**Söderlund A.**	Swe	4:36:48	9°	Fogg	Gbr	4:49:22
4°	Middleton	Gbr	4:39:24	10°	De Gaetano A.	Ita	5:05:02
5°	Green	Swe	4:42.27	11°	Szabó	Hun	5:12:57
6°	Leonardsson	Swe	4:43:25	12°	Dinesz	Hun	5:13:03

Team Standings

From this edition up to 1997 team standings was named “Lugano Trophy” and combined the results of the 20 km. and 50 km. races.

Place	Country	Points
1	***Great Britain***	* 53
2	***Sweden***	53
3	***Italy***	28
4	***Hungary***	23

*Best place in 50 km.