



FISHING IN LAKE COMO

In order to fish in Lake Como (Basin n° 5 - Lombardy), you need the fishing license. Depending on where you want to fish, there are different procedures and permissions.

The 2 different procedures are:

A) Fishing from shore:

B) Fishing from boat, rivers, streams and Lake Darengo, fishing with Belly Boat and Carp Fishing

Permissions:

A) Fishing from the shore: you need the fishing license of Region Lombardy + Fish catch card (It's free of charge, you must withdraw it at the "Bargellini Norberto" Shop in Gravedona ed Uniti or "Dimensione 3" Shop in Gera Lario) + association to FIPSAS (duration: 12 months)

To obtain the **license** of Region Lombardy you need to pay 23.00 € to "Regione Lombardia". You have to make the payment via bank transfer to: Regione Lombardia
IBAN IT95D0306909790100000300047 - BIC/SWIFT Code BCITITMM (add XXX if your bank's system requires an additional three characters for branch identification). You need to write the reason "licenza di pesca di tipo B" and your personal data.

The license is valid for 12 months from the release. Only minors (under 18 years old), seniors over 65 years old and disabled people who use the fishing rod, with or without fishing reel can fish without a fishing license.

To **join the FIPSAS**: go to the post office and pay 30.00 € (people born after the 1st January 2009 need to pay 6.00 €) on the postal account No. 40416463, addressed to "Ass. Dilettantistica Provinciale Sportivi e Subacquei Como", writing the reason "tesseramento Adulti (adult) or Giovani (for kids) FIPSAS e APS Como FIPSAS 2024".

The association to FIPSAS is valid for 12 months. Free membership for disabled people.

B) Fishing from boat, rivers, streams, etc.: you need a fishing license (see the previous paragraph) + Fish catch card (see the previous paragraph) + association to FIPSAS (see the previous paragraph) + annual fishing permission

To obtain the **annual fishing permission**: go to the post office and pay 30.00 € on the postal account No. 40416463, addressed to "Ass. Dilettantistica Provinciale Sportivi e Subacquei Como", writing the reason "contributo di gestione anno 2024 per la pesca da imbarcazione e nelle acque di tipo B".

The annual permission is free of charge for minors (under 18 years old) and disabled people. The permission expires on 31.12.2024 regardless of the date on which it is made.

- NOTES -

- In Lake Como, it is possible to fish with three rods, with 5 artificial or natural baits each.
- Fishing at night is permitted from the shore only (no rivers and Lake Darengo). Fishing at night with artificial baits and/or fish is forbidden from 1 April to 31 May
- The Lake of Mezzola is subject to the same laws of Lake Como

NO FISHING AREAS

- From 1st December to 30th April fishing is forbidden at all piers and ports in the municipalities of the Province of Como
- From 1st December to 30th April fishing is forbidden in Colico (inside the central pier and the small pier in Piona) and in Dervio (inside the port S. Cecilia and the old port)

FISHERIES PROTECTION ZONES

Fishing is only permitted from the shore, with only 1 rod armed with a maximum of 3 hooks.

- Colico and Gera Lario: at the mouth of the river Adda for a total width of about 400 metres and a distance of 100 metres outside the coastline. Fishing from the shore in the stretch of shoreline within the Pian di Spagna di Mezzola Reserve is forbidden
- Colico: for a length of about 840 metres, from the right bank of the Inganna stream to the semi-circular balcony about 100 metres north of the mouth of the Perlino stream, for a distance of 100 metres outside the coastline
- Domaso: from 100 metres south of the mouth of the torrent Livo to 100 metres north of the mouth of the same torrent, for a width of 100 metres from the shoreline
- Gravedona ed Uniti: from 100 metres south of the mouth of the Liro stream to 100 metres north of the mouth, for a width of 100 metres from the shore
- Dongo: from the boundary with the municipality of Musso to the Church of S. Stefano, 100 metres from the bank

PARTICULAR LIMITATIONS

- Dervio: from the mouth of the port, in a southerly direction, up to and including the shipyard, for a width of 100 metres outside the coastline. Fishing allowed: from the shore with a single rod, with a maximum of five natural or artificial baits, without chum. Fishing from a boat may only be carried out at a distance of no less than 100 metres from the shore. Temporary Zone, regulations in force from 1st March to 10th August

	NO FISHING PERIODS	MINIMUM SIZE LIMITS
Shad	from May 15 to June 15	cm 15
Barbel	from May 1 to June 30	cm 30
Carp	from May 1 to June 30	cm 35
Chub	from May 1 to June 30	cm 30
Whitefish	from November 1 to January 31	cm 30
Pike-perch	From April 1 to May 31	cm 40
Pike	from 1 February to 15 April	cm 60
Largemouth bass	from April 15 to June 15	cm 30
Perch	from April 1 to May 31	cm 16
Danube Roach	from April 1 to May 31	cm 40
Grayling	from December 15 to April 30	cm 35
Tench	from May 1 to June 30	cm 35
Trout	from December 1 to January 15	cm 40
Arctic char	from December 1 to January 31 (lake waters)	cm 25

QUOTAS LIMITS:

Every fisherman in every single day of fishing cannot capture more than:

- 6 heads of trout, char and grayling in total
- 10 whitefish (from the limit of 10 fish, however, any catches of trout, grayling and char must be subtracted)
- 1 pike
- 2 largemouth basses (Lake Como only)
- 30 perches (15 in Lake Mezzola)
- 2 graylings
- 1 marble trout

Moreover, every fisherman cannot catch in one day more than 5 kg of fish, including the species listed above.

The bleak and eel fishing are forbidden.

SPORT FISHING

<p>NUOVA OLONIO – DUBINO (SO) Via Spluga, 116 Tel. +39 339 8739024</p>	<p>Open every day from 6 am until 5.30pm 2h: 10.00 € Possibility to rent the fishing equipment</p>
<p>SAMOLACO (SO) Via Siberia, snc Tel. +39 339 8612840 www.ronka.it</p>	<p>From October to May open every day from 7am to 8pm From June to October open every day from 6am to 9pm Closed on Wednesday 2h: 13.00 € (adult) - 6.00 € (kid up to 14 years) Daily pass: 30.00 € (adult) - 20.00 € (kid up to 14 years)</p>

FISHING EQUIPMENT RENTAL

<p>BARGELLINI NORBERTO GRAVEDONA ED UNITI (CO) Piazza Trieste, 4 Tel. +39 0344 89273</p>	<p>Every day: from 8.45am to 12pm and from 3pm to 7pm Deposit is required</p>
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FISHING GUIDE SERVICES

<p>GIANLUCA BONOMI ALPS STORE & FISHING SERVICES Tel. +39 335 7024240 gianluca.laralps@gmail.com www.alps.community</p>	<p>Fly fishing guides qualified by AIGUPP Trout fishing experience on the Adda River in Valtellina and on the Mera River in Valchiavenna (Near Lake Como) Season: from March to November Duration of the trip: from 1 to 5 days</p>
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