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FIP PROMOTION Giulianova, Glory for Vinci and Zanchetta

The surname says it all. From tennis to padel, **Roberta Vinci** has not lost the habit of winning titles. The Italian, five-time Slam champion in doubles and finalist in singles at the 2015 US Open, triumphed in the **FIP PROMOTION in Giulianova**: paired with **Erika Zanchetta**, as the first seed in the draw, Roberta beat **Valentina Tommasi** and **Eugenia Guimet Bigas** (6-7 6-1 6-1).

Italian success also in the men's draw: **Marco Cassetta** and the Spaniard **Joaquim Florensa Hernandez** won in a very tight final against two other Italians, **Riccardo Sinicropi** and **Giulio Graziotti**. The game ended 6-7 7-5 7-5, with Cassetta and Florensa Hernandez also having to play three sets in the quarterfinal against **Cremona** and **Sanchez Arriaga** (3-6 6-3 6-2) and in the semifinal against **Di Bene** and **Agustin Salandro** (3-6 7-6 7-5).

A total of **120 players** came in Giulianova, coming from seven different countries, in addition to Italy: Argentina, Spain, England, France, Poland, Czech Republic and India. Over the weekend, there were more than 1.000 fans at **Chico Padel**, 250 of them for the final of the first Italian stage of the **CUPRA FIP TOUR 2023**.

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