



NOKIA Snowboard FIS World Cup

March 16 – 20 2005. Tandådalen

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Welcome to the NOKIA FIS Snowboard World Cup Final in Tandådalen

It is with great pleasure the Organizing Committee for the NOKIA FIS Snowboard World Cup Finals invites all the National Ski Associations with qualified riders to attend the competition scheduled for March $16^{th} - 20^{th}$, 2005.

The Organizing Committee and The Swedish Ski Association, will host the event in accordance with the International Ski Competition Rules (I.C.R.) of the FIS. All athletes who are qualified according the FIS rules for the Snowboard World Cup Finals are invited to compete.

Best of luck to all of You!

General Secretary	Chief of Competition
Janne Olofsson	Fredrik Rydén

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1. ORGANIZING COMMITTEE

Ski Area Coordinator
General Secretary
Chief of Race Office
Chief of competition
Assistant chief of competition

Owe Sivertsen
Janne Olofsson
Jenny Sandberg
Fredrik Rydén
Örjan Gunnarsson

Chief of course PSL and PGS

Chief of course HP

FIS Technical Delegate #1 Andreas Görlich, GER

FIS Technical Delegate #2 not yet decided FIS Head Judge, HP and BA Anders Hagen, SWE

2. RULE

- 2.1. The Swedish Ski Association is Organizing this event included in the 2004/05 NOKIA FIS Snowboard World Cup circuit. The dates for this competition have been published in the international calendar of the FIS
- 2.2 The competition will be held under FIS rules and regulations for Snowboard and the Snowboard World Cup.
- 2.3. The competition is composed of four events:

a Parallel giant slalom event
 a Snowboard Cross event
 a Half Pipe event
 men and women
 men and women

- a Big Air event men

The competition will follow an official program, which will be made available to all participants.

- 2.4. The Organizing Committee and the Swedish Ski Association reserve the right to change the schedule of the events from those published in the programme if necessary.
- 2.5. A deposit of SEK 1500 for each apartment will be required from each team. After receiving the deposit, the keys will be given to the team.

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3. Entries

3.1 Entries will be accepted in accordance with qualification rules for the Snowboard World Cup Finals 2004/05. Please not that only the top 50 ladies and men of each discipline are allowed to start.

Entries should be sent by e-mail, fax or mail to:

SkiStar AB/ Tandådalen Attention:World Cup S-780 67 Sälen Sweden

Fax: +46 280 330 80

E-mail: worldcup@salen.com

3.2 Information. If You have any further questions concerning entries and accommodation please don't hesitate to contact the World Cup organisation in Tandadalen.

Janne Olofsson, General Secretary email: <u>jo@gcad.se</u>

Anne Andersson, Accommodation email: anne.andersson@skistar.com,

Telephone: +46 280 855 11

3.2 Deadlines

Last day for announcement of team size and Accommodation reservations at the FIS rate of CHF 50/ day/ person is on February 10th 2005 and last date for definitive registration is March 7^{th} .

The Team Coach must give the final entry of the competitors, with their names, to the competition secretary no later than two - (2) hours before the draw of each competition as per FIS Rule No. 217.1.

4. ACCOMMODATION

Accommodation will be in both Tandadalen and Hundfjället. Accommodation will be provided to athletes and coaches as per FIS rule for the NOKIA FIS World Cup. As per FIS Rule on accommodation and half board, each participant will pay the Organizing Committee CHF 50/day/ person. Accommodation at the FIS rate will be provided for the nights from March 13th to March 20th, 2005.

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At the time of check in a fully refundable damage deposit (SEK 1500/apartment) will be required. Each National Association (Team) will be held responsible for any damage during the stay.

5. MEALS

Breakfast and dinner will be provided, commencing with dinner on Sunday March 13th and concluding with breakfast on Sunday 20th 2005. Meals will be served both in Hundfjället and at "Wärdshuset" in Tandådalen unless otherwise is posted on the Official Notice Board.

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6. Transportation

Ground transportation, at the expense of the Team, can be arranged from from Oslo in Norway. Transports will be arranged on the basis of the transport information received from each team. The transportation form must be sent to the Organizing Committee at the same dates as the deadlines for entries.

Announcement of team size and preliminary transport information, February 10th 2005 Definitive registration and final transport information, March 7th 2005.

7. TEAM LEADERS' MEETING

The first Teamleaders meeting will be held at 18.00, Sunday March 13th, 2005. All Team leaders meeting will be held in the Conference Centre in Tandådalen.

8. OFFICIAL NOTICE BOARD

The official Notice Board will be located at the race office in Tandadalen. All information will be posted at this location.

9. BIBS

All competitors must wear bibs during all official training, competition events and award ceremonies. A sanction will be given to any competitor not wearing his/her bib according to this rule.

10. ACCIDENT INSURANCE

Every competitor must have his/her own medical insurance. The Organizing Committee, Sponsors, Suppliers, Tandådalen, the NOKIA FIS and the Swedish Ski Association decline any responsibility for accidents, damaged equipment, and second and third party claims during the event.

11. LIABILITY

All athletes, official and other members of national associations who attend and participate in the event shall do so at their own risk. The Organizing Committee shall not be responsible for any losses or injuries incurred or suffered by any athlete, official or other person in conjunction with the organizing or staging of the event.

12. BOARD STORAGE

Competitors, coaches and officials must store their boards and grooming equipment in places advised by the Organizing Committee. Boards will not be accepted in the apartments.