



FIS WORLD CUPS
NORDIC SKIING
LIBEREC 2008



FIS WORLD CUP CROSS-COUNTRY

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Dear ski friends,

It is our pleasure to invite all member associations of the International Ski Federation (FIS) in the name of the Czech Ski Association and the Organizing Committee NWSC Liberec 2009 for the "VISSMANN" FIS WORLD CUP CROSS COUNTRY presented by "Rauch" Liberec 2008.

This World Cup will be the first big international event organized on the newly built tracks and reconstructed stadium, which will also host the competitions of the FIS Nordic World Ski Championships in 2009.

Below you will find all relevant information for your team. Should you have any questions members of the Organizing Committee are here to help you.

We look forward to meeting you in Liberec.

Kateřina Neumannová
President of the OC

Jaroslav Honců
Secretary General



“VIESSMANN” FIS WORLD CUP CROSS COUNTRY

presented by “Rauch” Liberec 2008, February 16TH – February 17th 2008

Organizer: OC FIS NORDIC WSC 2009 o. s.

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Organization Committee

President of the OC: Kateřina Neumannová

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Secretary of the Competition: Iveta Roubíčková, roubickova@liberec2009.com

Chief of Stadium: Lubomír Buchta

Chief of Course: Stanislav Buchta

Categories and Disciplines

Ladies: Pursuit 7,5km + 7,5km (3x2,5 C + 3x2,5 F)

Men: Pursuit 15km + 15 km (4x3,75 C + 4x3,75 F)

Team sprint L: 6 x 1,15km

Team sprint M: 6 x 1,25km



Participants

Competitors are in full accordance with the valid FIS regulations for the WC Season 2007/2008, given to national federations by FIS.

Applications

Start permission is given to all athletes, starting for their National Ski Association according to the regulations for the FIS Cross Country World Cup Season 2007/2008.

IMPORTANT: The entry can only be submitted on the official FIS entry form, including information about the athlete's name, first name, sex, year of birth, FIS code and FIS points (see Form A).

Deadline for final entry: Friday, 18th January

Please send the application to: entries@liberec2009.com, or by fax to: +420 484 840 501

Accommodation

Teams will be accommodated in full accordance with the "Rules Viessmann FIS World Cup Cross-Country 2007/08" at the Hotel Babylon****.

- Hotel Babylon****, 125 CHF per person
- Hotel** and less, 100 CHF per person (only on request)

The seeded groups ladies and men get the accommodation costs paid by the OC for a max. of 4 nights from Thursday, 14th till Monday, 18th February for a double room including full board.

The OC will inform the hotel about the seeded group costs. All further accommodation costs (also such as telephone calls, drinks etc.) have to be paid directly at the hotel.

IMPORTANT: Please send your **requests for hotel bookings** including arrival- and departure dates with enclosed Form B **until Friday, 18th January 2008** to the OC!

The NSA's are obliged to provide to the OC the final size of the team 10 days before the World Cup competition = Wednesday, 6th February 2008 (size tolerance -/+ 10 %). If the NSA changes this figure with more than 10 %, the NSA's are obliged to pay the difference between the effective and announced persons. In any case if the team size will be bigger than previously announced the effective costs must be paid.

No-show bookings will be fully charged to the National Ski Associations!

See the article 8.6 Rules Viessmann FIS World Cup Cross Country 2007/2008

Payment conditions: payment for accommodation will be carried out at hotel Babylon in the Financial Office. Payment in cash or by credit card only.

Responsible person for accommodation: Filip Dohnálek; dohnalek@liberec2009.com

Travel costs, Transport

The members of the seeded groups will get their travel costs refunded in Liberec according to the FIS regulations.

Only one transfer per team from and to the Airport Prague to Liberec is covered by the OC. Further transports can be organized by the OC on request.

Pricelist transport Prague Airport – Liberec / Liberec – Prague Airport:

1-4 persons – 100 € (personal car – one way)

5-7 persons – 160 € (minivan – one way)

8-40 persons – 270 € (bus – one way)

Payment conditions: cash only during accreditation

Transport requests have to be sent on the enclosed Form C to the OC until Friday 1st February.

The transportation between the hotel and the stadium will be provided by the organizer.

Prize money

The prize money will be handed over to athletes at the official prize giving ceremony. Athletes who do not attend the prize giving ceremony personally lose their right to receive the prize money! See the official programme.

Maps of courses and stadium

Please download current maps of the courses and stadium on www.liberec2009.com

Accreditation / Race office / Waxing cabins

The accreditation of teams, service people, etc. will take place at the accreditation office at the hotel Babylon.

Business Hours Accreditation Office:

13.02.2008: 10.00 – 12.00, 14.00 – 19.00

14.02.2008: 7.00 – 20.00

15.02.2008: 7.00 – 20.00

16.02.2008: 7.00 – 20.00

17.02.2008: 7.00 – 16.00

The race office is situated at the hotel Babylon, Sub-race Office at the CC Stadium.

Business Hours Race Office:

13.02.2008: 10.00 – 12.00, 14.00 – 19.00

14.02.2008: 7.00 – 20.00

15.02.2008: 7.00 – 20.00

16.02.2008: 7.00 – 20.00

17.02.2008: 7.00 – 16.00

Waxing cabins

According to the article 8.5 Rules Viessmann FIS World Cup Cross Country 2007/2008. Waxing cabins will be available since Monday 11th February.

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OFFICIAL PROGRAMME

Wednesday 13th February:

Arrival of teams

Thursday 14th February:

Arrival of remaining teams

10.00 – 16.00

Unofficial training

Friday 15th February

09.00 – 16.00

Presentation, Race Office – hotel Babylon

10.00 – 11.30

Official training on the Classic course only (without the stadium)

13.00 – 16.00

Official training on the racetrack, 3,75 C, 3,75 F

18.00

Team captains' meeting, hotel Babylon

Saturday 16th February

08.30 – 10.00

Official training on the racetrack, 3,75 C, 3,75 F

10.15

Start men pursuit 15km + 15km

12.00 – 13.45

Official training

14.00

Start ladies pursuit 7,5km + 7,5 km

16.30 – 17.30

Official training on the sprint track

18.00

Team captains' meeting, hotel Babylon

19.00

Prize giving ceremony – townsquare

Sunday 17th February

08.30 – 09.45

Official training on the sprint course

10.00

Start team sprint, L+M

Right after the race

Prize giving ceremony



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FORM A



ENTRY FORM Cross-Country

FORMULAIRE D'INSCRIPTION Ski de fonds

ANMELDEFORMULAR Langlauf



Competition (Name/Place) <i>Manifestation (Nom/Lieu)</i> Veranstaltung (Name/Ort)			Date of race <i>Date de la course</i> Datum des Wettkampfs											
National Association <i>Fédération Nationale</i> Nationaler Verband			Cat. WC FIS	WC COC FIS	Tech- nique Mixed	F C								
Responsible for entry <i>Responsable de l'inscription</i> Für die Meldung verantwortlich			Tel Fax e-Mail											
COMPETITORS <i>COUREURS</i> WETTKÄMPFER														
FIS Code <i>Code FIS</i> FIS Code	Surname, First Name <i>Nom de famille, Prénom</i> Familiennamen, Vorname	YB AN JG	Gender		Formats/Distances <i>Bewerbe/Distanzen</i>									
			Men	Ladies	Sprint	Pursuit	Re-lay	5 km	10 km	15 km	30 km	50 km		

Site/Lieu/Ort _____ Date/Date/Datum _____ Signature/Unterschrift _____



OFFICIALS
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Surname, First Name <i>Nom de famille, Prénom</i> Familiennamen, Vorname	Function <i>Fonction</i> Funktion	Arrival <i>Arrivée</i> Anreise	Departure <i>Départ</i> Abreise
	Team Captain / <i>Chef d'équipe</i> / Mannschaftsführer		
	Trainer / <i>Entraîneur</i> / <i>Trainer</i>		
	Doctor / <i>Médecin</i> / <i>Arzt</i>		
	Physiotherapist / <i>Masseur</i> / <i>Masseur</i>		
	Service personnel / <i>Personnel de service</i> / <i>Servicepersonal</i>		
Place, Date <i>Lieu, Date</i> Ort, Datum	Signature: <i>Signature:</i> Unterschrift:		
Block letters please! <i>Ecire en majuscules s.v.p.</i> Bitte in Blockschrift schreiben!			

FORM B

ACCOMMODATION

(Send the form B to the accommodation manager, Mr Filip Dohnálek,
dohnalek@liberec2009.com)

- Hotel Babylon ****

- Hotel ** and lower (only on requests, send this request as soon as possible)

Nation: _____

Date of arrival: _____ Date of departure: _____

Number of persons total: _____

Double rooms: _____

Single rooms: _____

(Please send us a rooming list of your delegation as soon as possible)

Contact person: _____

Mobile phone: _____


Email: _____

Date: _____ Signature: _____

Please send your request to dohnalek@liberec2009.com
not later than 18th January 2008

FORM C
TRANSPORTATION

Bus Transfer

Prague Airport  Liberec

Date: _____ Time: _____

Flight No.: _____ Arrival

time: _____

Number of persons: _____

Liberec  Prague Airport

Date: _____ Time: _____

Flight No.: _____ Departure time: _____

Number of persons: _____

Contact person: _____

Mobile phone: _____

Email: _____

Date: _____ Signature: _____

Please send your request to the OC (pochop@liberec2009.com) not later
than Friday 1st February 2008