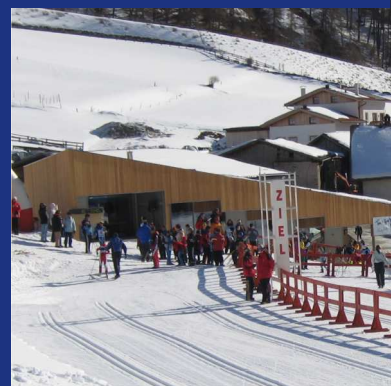




FIS JUNIOR AND U23 WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS CROSS COUNTRY

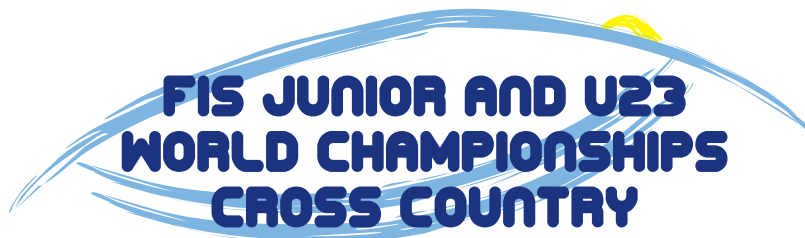


22. – 29. FEBRUARY 2008
MALS – SOUTH TYROL – ITALY



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INVITATION

1. VENUES

The Cross Country competitions will take place in the Cross Country Stadium at Schling. The very new venue is located in a valley 15 minutes drive from Mals/Malles, where the central race organization is placed. The courses are prepared in correspondence of FIS requirements giving the possibilities to define the necessary lengths for various competitions.

2. ACCOMMODATION

The JWSC and U23 WSC CC 2008 Organizing Committee takes care for the full board accommodation for the athletes and officials, according to the team quotas. The bookings and reservations for the national teams are organized within JWSC and U23 WSC CC 2008 accommodation office. The hotels are all located near Mals/Malles (less than 15 minutes drive) .

Hotel bookings:

Accommodation Office
Tourist Information Office Mals
St. Benediktstrasse 1
39024 Mals
Tel. +39 0473 831190
Fax +39 0473 831901
e-mail: mals@rolmail.net

Office opening times:

9.00 a.m. - 12.00 a.m.
3.00 p.m. - 6.00 p.m.

The prices for the daily full board accommodation are:

- Single room EUR 75 / person
- Double room EUR 50 / person

Informations:

Organizing Committee
(in the Sports School Mals/Malles)
Staatsstrasse 9 (mainstreet 9)
39024 Mals/Malles
Tel +39 0473 845922
Fax +39 0473 831910
Mobil +39 349 0027906
e-mail: schgtre64@schule.suedtirol.it
website: www.mals.it

Race Office / meeting room:

Staatsstrasse 9 (mainstreet 9)
39024 Mals/Malles

Office opening times:

9.00 a.m. - 12.00 a.m.
4.00 p.m. - 6.00 p.m.

There will be a sub race office next to the Cross Country Center at Schling.



3. ARRIVALS

By plain : Verona (I) (230 km)
Innsbruck (A) (135 km)
Bolzano/Bozen (I) (85 km)
Munich (D) (300 km)

By train : Mals/Malles (via Bozen/Bolzano and Meran/Merano)

By car : Coming from Austria or Germany via Innsbruck (A)
From Innsbruck direction Switzerland (CH) before Landeck exit Reschenpass
Meran

Coming from South, highway A 22 direction Brennero exit Bozen/Bolzano
Sud towards Meran/Merano and Mals/Malles

Teams and delegations will use their own vans for transport to and from the venues.

4. MOST IMPORTANT CONTACTS FOR YOU ORGANIZING COMMITTEE

The Organizing Committee
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website: www.mals.it

President: Alfred LINGG
Vice President: Josef NOGGLER, Josef JÖRG

5. SKI WAXING and SERVICE AREA

There will be limited ski-waxing rooms available at hotels.
Ski wax cabins will be located at the Cross Country Stadium in Schlinig.

6. DEADLINE

Entry by names: February 15th, 2008

7. DOPING CONTROL

Doping control will take place at the proper prepared rooms at the venues, according to FIS specific rules.



8. FIS LICENCE

To be eligible for participation in the FIS Nordic Junior World Ski Championships respectively U23 World Ski Championships Cross Country, the skier must have a valid FIS code.

9. INSURANCE

All athletes need the insurance arranged by the National Ski Associations. The Organizing Committee is not responsible for any injuries of the athletes neither for the damage or lost property.

10. LANGUAGE

The official language is English.

11. PRESS CENTER

The Press Center is located in the Sports School, Staatsstrasse 9, Mals/Malles.

12. ADDITIONAL PROGRAMM

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| · February 23th | - | Opening Ceremony (8.00 p.m) |
| · February 24th | - | Prize Giving Ceremony (6.00 p.m) |
| · February 26th | - | Prize Giving Ceremony (6.00 p.m) |
| · February 28th | - | Prize Giving Ceremony (6.00 p.m) |
| · February 29th | - | Prize Giving and Closing Ceremony (1.00 p.m.) |

The various ceremonies will take place in the Sport School Area, except the Closing Ceremony takes place at the Cross Country Stadium Schlinig.

13. TRANSFERS

There will be no shuttle buses available for the time of JWSC and U23 WSC CC 2008. All team cars will get the special parking labels to park in the reserved areas.

14.VISA INFORMATION

This invitation should be enough to get visas. In case you will need an assistance with getting these, do not hesitate to contact the Italian Sci Assosiation (FISI)
Tel. +39 02 7573340

ATTACHMENTS

Training and Competition Schedule
Map

FIS NORDIC JUNIOR WORLD SKI CHAMPIONSHIPS and U 23 CROSS-COUNTRY

Malles, Val Venosta, BZ (ITA)

Provisional Programme: Fr 22.02.- Fr 29.02.2008 (no.7/11.02.2008)

Date	22.02.2008	23.02.2008	24.02.2008	25.02.2008	26.02.2008	27.02.2008	28.02.2008	29.02.2008
Day	Friday	Saturday	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
JWSC CROSS - COUNTRY Ladies /Men	Training 09.30-16.00	SPRINT L/M F Qualifications 09.30 Finals 11.30	Training 14.30 - 16.00	Ladies 5 km C 09.30 Men 10 km C 11.00 Training 14.30-16.30	Training 14.30-16.30	Ladies 10 km F Mass Start 09.30h Men 20 km F Mass Start 10.30 Training 15.15-16.30	Training 14.00-16.30	Relay L 4x3.3 km C/F 09.30 Relay M 4x5 km C/F 11.30
U 23 CROSS-COUNTRY Ladies / Men	Training 09.-16.00	Training 14.00 - 16.00	SPRINT L/M F Qualifications 09.30 Finals 11.30	Training 15.00-16.30	Ladies 10 km C 09.30h Men 15km C 11.30	Training 15.15-16.30	Ladies 15 km F Mass Start 09.30 Men 30 km F 11.30 Mass Start	
Team Captains Meeting								
Cross-Country	16.30		16.30		16.30		16.30	
Cross-Country U23		16.30		16.30		16.30		
Prize Giving Ceremonies				18.00		18.00	18.00	13.00
		20.00 OPENING						13.30 CLOSING

MAP



MALS/MALLES

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- Sub Race Office

