



Alpe d'Huez, October 11th 2011

ALPE D'HUEZ is pleased to invite all Ski Cross National Teams to attend the Ladies' and Men's Ski Cross race on **10 - 11 January 2012**, as part of the Audi FIS Ski Cross World Cup 2011/2012.

As last year, we have a reserve day on Thursday 12th. The Organizing Committee will host the event in accordance with the International Ski Competition and World Cup rules of the FIS. All national ski associations affiliated with the FIS are invited to compete.

1. ENTRIES

Entries will be accepted from National Ski Associations in accordance with the FIS quotas and rules and remit to the Organizing Committee by fax or by email:

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Team Size registration due (including arrival and departure day): **December 12th 2011**.

Final registration entry form due (participant names & gender): **January 3rd 2012**.

FIS has established nation Quotas for World Cup competitions. National Ski Teams can only enter World Cup Ski Competitors according to the Quota limitations. The Quotas can be downloaded <http://www.fis-ski.com/data/document/basic-and-additional-quotas-11121.pdf>

Competitors entered into FIS Freestyle Ski World Cups must have the minimum required FIS Freestyle Ski points in the respective valid FIS points list or an Alpine equivalent for SX only.

The minimum FIS point requirements per FIS Freestyle Ski Cross World Cup event are:

FIS Points lists

	Ski Cross
Freestyle	100
Alpine	50

The Organizer needs to check on this as soon as they receive the entries.

2. ACCOMMODATION

Teams will be lodged in hotels - availability permitting - with half board at FIS rate (based on double rooms) **from Sunday evening January 8th until January 12th, the reserve day**, only in case of bad snow conditions the Tourist Office will pay the last night. These conditions will be applied to the members registered on the entry form only, which has to be returned to the Organizing Committee **before Monday 12th December 2011**.

To organize your stay please contact **Nathalie** at the booking centre:
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3. ARRIVAL / REGISTRATION

Team registration will take place at the **Sport and Convention Centre**, located in the main entrance, at the reception, on Sunday January 8th, from 01.00 pm to 07.00 pm.

All fees and deposits must be paid upon registration.

To be eligible for participation in the 2012 Audi FIS Ski Cross World Cup each competitor must be a citizen of a country from the National Ski Association, with a license and prove this with a valid passport.

4. RACE CENTRE

The team registration desk, the race office, Team Captains' meeting room as well as the press centre will be located at the **Sport and Convention Centre** in the area '**Espace Congrès**', and "**Salle d'honneur**".

5. MEDICAL AND DOPING

Anti-doping control may be conducted for each gender. It will be located at Skilift Company "**SATA**" in the area "**Service des Pistes**".

6. INSURANCE / LIABILITY

Each competitor must have his/her own medical insurance. The Organizing Committee sponsors, suppliers, their agents, the FIS and the French National Ski Federation decline any responsibility for accidents, damaged or lost equipment and second and third party claims during the event.

All athletes, officials and members of the National Associations who attend and participate in the event shall do so at their own risk. The Organizing Committee, sponsors and suppliers, their agents, employees and volunteers 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.



7. PROVISIONAL SCHEDULE

SUNDAY 8th JANUARY 2012 Venue		
01.00 pm to 07.00 pm	Arrival and registration	Sport and Convention Centre RECEPTION
08.00 to 08.30 pm	First Team Captains' meeting	Sport and Convention Centre ESPACE CONGRES
08.30 to 08.45 pm	Medical Meeting	Sport and Convention Centre ESPACE CONGRES
MONDAY 9th JANUARY 2012		
09.45 am to 10.15 am / 12.15 to 12.45 pm	Ski Cross Inspection	Snowpark du Lac Blanc
10.30 to 11.30 am	Ski Cross – Group 1	Snowpark du Lac Blanc
01.00 to 02.00 pm	Ski Cross – Group 2	Snowpark du Lac Blanc
05.30 to 06.00 pm	Team Captains' meeting	Sport and Convention Centre ESPACE CONGRES
TUESDAY 10th JANUARY 2012		
9.00 to 09.20 am / 10.45 to 11.00 am	Ski Cross Inspection L / M	Snowpark du Lac Blanc
09.30 to 10.00 am / 11.15 to 11.50 am	Ski Cross Training	Snowpark du Lac Blanc
10.15 to 10.40 am / 12.15 to 01.00 pm	SKI CROSS QUALIFICATION	Snowpark du Lac Blanc
06.30 pm	Team Captains' meeting	Sport and Convention Centre ESPACE CONGRES
07.30 pm	PUBLIC BIBS DRAW	
08.30 pm	BUFFET & PARTY	
WEDNESDAY 11th JANUARY 2012		
09.00 to 09.30 am	Ski Cross Inspection	Snowpark du Lac Blanc
09.45 am to 10.15 am	Ski Cross Ladies & Men	Snowpark du Lac Blanc
11.00 am to 12.15 pm	FINALS	Snowpark du Lac Blanc
12.20 to 12.25 pm	Awards Ceremonies	Snowpark du Lac Blanc
Thursday, January, 12th	DEPARTURE	

*The access to the skicross area by the skilift will open at 08.00 am

The Organizing Committee reserves the right to modify the schedule and the place of the event stated in the program, depending on the snow conditions or the decision of the competition jury.

8. GENERAL INFORMATION

If you have any question, please feel free to contact the Tourist Board Alpe d'Huez
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