



FIS World Cup Telemark

March 2012

Invitation to the FIS Telemark World Cup Skipallars Espot 2012 16 – 18 March

Welcome to SKIPALLARS ESPOT, our ski resort located in the Catalonian Pyrenees of Spain. It is with great pleasure we welcome you to SKIPALLAS for the second Telemark World Cup. The Organising Committee has been preparing during some months for this event and we wish all competitors and teams the best of success. We hope you enjoy visiting our region and participation in this event.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Pallars Sobirà is situated in the heart of the Catalonian Pyrenees of Spain, in the province of Lleida.

It offers a diverse means of enjoying the mountains and its surrounding area, and extends to areas such as Aigüestortes i Estany de Sant Maurici National Park, we also have local museums and of course some exceptional local cuisine.

LOCATION / HOW TO GET THERE

Airports

Lleida – Alguaire 175 km Barcelona – El Prat 254 km

By Train

Lleida Pirineus – La Pobla de Segur 175 km Barcelona – Lleida – La Pobla de Segur 254 km

By Car

- ✓ From Barcelona: Head towards Lleida, passing through Igualada, Cervera, Agramunt, Artesa deSegre, Tremp, Sort, Llavorsí and finally, Espot.
- ✓ From Madrid: Take the A-2 up to Zaragoza. From there continue on towards Lleida, Balaguer, Tremp, Sort, Llavorsí and Espot.
- ✓ From Valencia: Head towards Amposta, Tortosa, Mora d'Ebre, Flix, Lleida, Balaguer, Tremp, Sort, Llavorsí and Espot.























Distances between Espot and the main cities

CITY	KILOMETRES	JOURNEY TIME (BY CAR)
Madrid	631 km	6 hr 56 min
Barcelona	264 km	3 hr 24 min
Valencia	487 km	5 hr 50 min
Granada	1029 km	10 hr 58 min
Lleida	158 km	2 hr 22 min

For more information:

www.skipallars.cat www.visitpirineus.com www.turisme.pallarssobira.cat www.fceh.cat www.rfedi.es

SCHEDULE

Thursday, 15th March 2012 Team arrival and registration. Team captain' meeting.
Friday, 16th March 2012 CLASSIC. Team captain' meeting.
Saturday, 17th March 2012 SPRINT. Team captain' meeting.
Sunday, 18th March 2012 PARALLEL SPRINT.

ENTRY / REGISTRATION

In order to accommodate all racers, coaches and officials in a correct way, we need your confirmation of team size by **February 24th 2012**, at the latest. Entry forms must be sent via e-mail to reserves@skipallars.cat to ensure availability of special FIS prices for hotels. Changes to entries after this date may result in extra charges.

Early arrivals and late departures will be available at the FIS rate, however they will be provided on request and subject to availability.

According to the FIS Rules, accommodation will be provided as follows:

Rates are 82€ / night (full board accommodation in twin rooms + ski pass. Taxes included) per team members (athletes and team officials). Single rooms have an additional charge of 40€ per night.

The payment must be done before arrivals directly to the Race Office, by credit card or bank transfer.

After arriving at Espot, please confirm your entries at the Race office.























ACCREDITATIONS AND RACE OFFICE

All accreditations must be collected on arrival, at the times and locations shown below:

Opening hours:

<u>Team reception (Espot Town Hall):</u>

Thursday, 15th March 2011 from 16.00 to 21.00

Race Office (Espot Esquí Offices – at the foot of the slopes):

Friday, 16th March 2011 from 08.00 to 18.00 Saturday, 17th March 2011 from 08.00 to 18.00 Sunday, 18th March 2011 from 08.00 to 18.00

If any team arriving outside of the indicated hours, they must notify the race office in advance. Only team registration is possible for this competition.

OFFICIAL INFORMATION

Changes to the schedule and additional information will be displayed in the race office and in Espot Town Hall. The competitors and team managers are responsible for keeping themselves informed.

CONTACT INFORMATION

For information and reservations:

E-mail: reserves@skipallars.cat Telephone: +34 902 190 192

























TIMETABLE

Thursday, 15th March 16.00h to 21.00 h Reception of the teams at Race Office at the

Town Hall of the village.

20.00 h Team captain's meeting at the Town Hall in

Espot.

Friday, 16th March 08.00 h Lift Opening

08.30 h to 09.30 h Inspection of slope 10.00 h Start CLASSIC

Prize giving 15th minuts after the race

18.00 h Team captain's meeting at the Town Hall of the

village

Saturday, 17th March 08.00 h Lift Opening

08.30 h to 09.30 h $\,$ Inspection of slope

10.00 h Start SPRINT

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18.00 h Team captain's meeting at the Town Hall of the

village

Sunday, 18th March 08.00 h Lift Opening

08.30 h to 09.30 h Inspection of slope 10.00 h Start PARALLEL SPRINT

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This program is provisional and can be modified at any time by the organization of the event.



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