

## Sochi (Russia) – 01-03/02/2013

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### Competition Programme

Date	Format	Distance L/M	Remarks
01.02.2013	Sprint F	1,4 km /1,8 km	
02.02.2013	Skiathlon	15 km/30 km	Bonus WC Points
03.02.2013	Team Sprint C	1,4 km/1,8 km	

### Event Programme

Date	Competition	Training	TCM	Other
31/01/2013		TBC	18:00 – 19:00	
01/02/2013	12:30 Sprint F Qual L/M  14:30 Sprint F Final L/M	TBC	18:00 – 19:00	
02/02/2013	13:50 Skiathlon 7.5/7.5 km C/F L  14:45 Skiathlon 15/15 km C/F M	TBC	18:00 – 19:00	
03/02/2013	13:00 Team Sprint C Semi- finals  15:00 Team sprint C Finals L/ M	TBC		

Subject to change, LOC times

### Deadlines

Preliminary entries	Final numbers	Wax Trucks	Final entries
21/12/2012	22/01/2013	No possibility to park the trucks	31/01/2013, 16.00

## Contacts

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Race office	Victoria Melsitova	+7 925 2341121	<a href="mailto:vmelsitova@sochi2014.com">vmelsitova@sochi2014.com</a>
Financial office	Anna Suvorova	+7 928 234 1005	<a href="mailto:asuvorova@sochi2014.com">asuvorova@sochi2014.com</a>
Wax Cabins	TBC	TBC	TBC

### 1. Accreditation and visa support

The accreditation/visa form, photos and copies of all valid travel passports should be submitted to the Organizers by a designated responsible organization (federation/team) **no later than November 30, 2012**. Individual applications will not be accepted.

The passport is required to be valid at least six months after the visa expiry date. Visa support may be granted for all the participants including substitutes. Please list all participants who could potentially attend the event including athletes, team officials, and service personnel.

Accreditation/visa form can be downloaded from test event website:

[www.sochisportevents.com/.../..](http://www.sochisportevents.com/.../..) - TBC). The completed accreditation/visa form, scanned copies of passports and photos must be sent to Victoria Melsitova ( [cross-country@sochi2014.com](mailto:cross-country@sochi2014.com) )

Special arrangements have been made to allow participants in 2012-2013 test events to apply for Russian visas in countries other than their countries of residence. The list of Russian Consular offices can be found at: [http://www.mid.ru/zu\\_r.nsf/strawebeng](http://www.mid.ru/zu_r.nsf/strawebeng). You can receive the visas on the same day. But note that terms and conditions (such as list of required documents, passport validity period, visa fees, visa issuing period, working days/hours of the Consular office, etc.) may vary from one country to another. Every Embassy/Consulate reserves the right to require additional documents to process your application.

Due to the test event and the security restrictions before the Olympics the own accreditation system of the OC will apply only.

The accreditation office will be located at the Gondola station Psekhako Ridge.

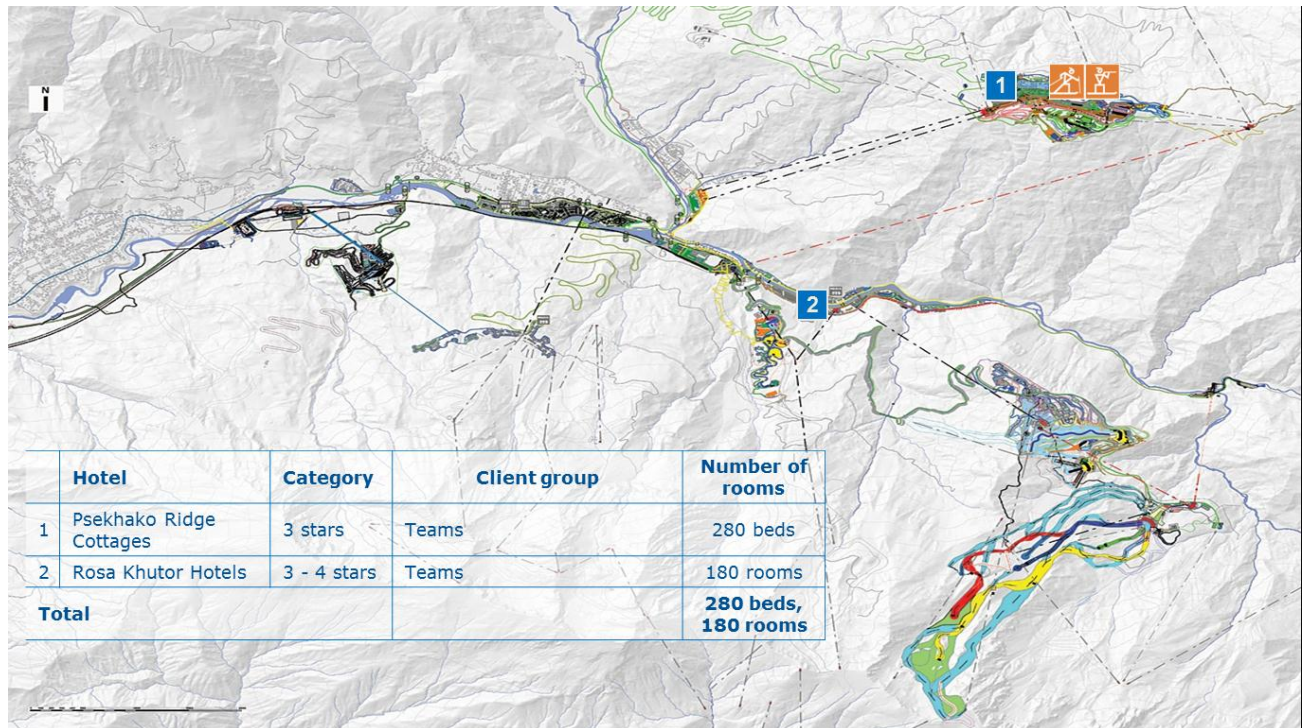
Opening times are: 25.01. – 04.02.2012: 9.00 – 18.00h

For more information about photo requirements for Identity and Accreditation Cards, please, visit our event website [www.sochisportevents.com](http://www.sochisportevents.com)

### 2. Race Office

- Located in the stadium building, working hours 09:00 - 19:00, 28.01.2013 - 03.02.2013
- No Sub Race Office.

### 3. Accommodation (World Cup Rules Art. 13)



Two hotels have been booked for Teams accommodation during the FIS World Cup Cross-Country in Sochi:

- Psekhako Ridge Cottages 3\* (located at a height of 1,400 meters, in direct proximity to the "Laura" Cross Country Ski and Biathlon Center)
- Park Inn Rosa Khutor 4\* hotel complex (located within walking distance from the lower station of the cable car route)

Rates:

- maximum Room Rate for FIS World Cup team members inside of the quota: 125 CHF per person per night in double room. Full Board is included.
- room Rate for participants & guests outside of the defined quota: according to hotel rates
- additional single rooms outside of FIS quota upon request only, subject of availability
- all taxes are included.

Booking conditions:

- accommodation will be available from Sunday January 27th until Monday February 4th, 2013
- the team size with number of rooms should be given through the FIS Online Registration System not later than December 21th, 2012
- The final size of the team must be given before January 22nd, 2013 with the tolerance +/- 10% (FIS World Cup Rules point 13.2). In case the team size has been changed by Teams more than 10 % after January 22nd a room cancellation fee to the National Ski Association applies for the additional cancelled rooms.
- payments will be done directly to the Hotel (with the exception of the Red Group athletes).

The distribution of the teams between cottages and hotel will be made in close collaboration with FIS.

#### **4. Transport (World Cup Rules Art. 11)**

Official airport: Sochi International Airport

The OC will arrange in coordination with FIS Travel a charter flight from Zürich to Sochi. Departure is 27.01.2013 and 30.01.2013, return flight is planned for 04.02.2013.

Fare per person: 1250 CHF

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- flight in economy class
- 3 pieces of baggage at 23 kg per person
- 1 carry on at max. 10 kg per person
- free parking close to Zurich-Airport (shuttle bus available / upon request ).

The OC will arrange transportation between the airports and the hotels. One transfer is free of charge per team from airport to the hotel.

- Sochi International Airport – Hotels Rosa Khutor Resorts/Psekhako Ridge Cottages (27.01.2013 and 30.01.2013)
- Hotels Rosa Khutor Resorts/Psekhako Ridge Cottages - Sochi International Airport (04.02.2013)

ATON (accredited transport company) will organize additional transfer Airport – Hotel & Hotel – Airport. Information is available from the transport office Sochi (see contact above). Additional request for transfer will be reviewed further after your requests in the online bookings.

Considering that the delivery route to the places of residence in Psekhako Ridge Cottages includes ropeway use & the luggage (excluding the hand luggage participants carry with them) will be delivered by separate transport to the places of residence.

Shuttle service:

- Hotels Rosa Khutor Resorts – Hub Laura (Dist. 3,1 km/travel time 15 min/ 27.01.2013 – 04.01.2013)
- Upper cable car station «Laura» - CC stadium (Dist. 1,7 km/travel time 6 min/ 27.01.2013 – 04.01.2013)
- Upper cable car station «Laura» - Psekhako Ridge Cottages ( Dist. 0,9 km/travel time 5 min/27.01.2013 – 04.01.2013)
- Psekhako Ridge Cottages - CC stadium ( Dist. 0,7 km/travel time 3 min/27.01.2013 – 04.01.2013)

#### **5. Payment (World Cup Rules Art. 10 and 13)**

Accommodation costs: The payment details will be provided to a later date.

Carrying costs/reimbursement: Payment will be done by bank transfer

#### **6. Waxing facilities (World Cup Rules Art. 14)**

Wax cabins: available from 27/01/2013 at 20:00

Waxing trucks: no trucks!

## **7. Regulations of radio equipment**

Sochi Organising Committee (OCOG) and the Federal Service for Supervision in the Sphere of Telecom, Information Technologies and Mass Communications (Regulator) have been working together to plan, coordinate and license all radio frequency devices that will be used during the Games.

### **Ordering**

Test Events attendees requiring radio frequencies (RF) must register their equipment for frequency coordination utilizing the Spectrum order portal (SOP) – a part of Rate Card.

Users that want to utilize wireless equipment during Test Events need to apply for frequency coordination in SOP starting from October 1, 2012.

Users are strongly encouraged to apply early due to the limited availability of radio resources.

Applications can be made at [ratecard.sochi2014.com](http://ratecard.sochi2014.com)

When applying for Spectrum, users will need to provide specific information on their equipment, period and location of use.

There will be no fee for Spectrum applications.

### **Radio Equipment Validation**

Sochi OCOG and the Regulator will carry out equipment validation for all radio frequency equipment to be used during the Test events.

### **Contact**

If you need any assistance with your application or need to discuss your requirements, then please contact us at [spectrum@Sochi2014.com](mailto:spectrum@Sochi2014.com).

## **8. Training on the competition courses**

Training is for the athletes and team members from 28<sup>th</sup> January to 3<sup>rd</sup> February 2013 possible. Afterwards, from 4<sup>th</sup> to 9<sup>th</sup> February 2013, the course (testing area and the part of free technique course) will be open for ski testing but only for staff and industry. Hotel bookings and shuttle arrangements can be done directly with the hotels in Rosa Khutor. For wax containers and the booking of accommodation in cottages at Psekhako in the period of 4<sup>th</sup> to 9<sup>th</sup> February, an application has to be sent to Elena Mokerova (Svod-International) [e.mokerova@svod-int.ru](mailto:e.mokerova@svod-int.ru) before 21<sup>st</sup> December 2012.

## 10. Maps and Courses

Not yet available.