

4.1.10 NOVE MESTO NA MORAVE (CZE), 11TH – 12TH JANUARY 2014

Key Facts

- „Golden ski“ part of the FIS Cross-Country World Cup since 1981
- FIS Tour de Ski venue in 2007, 2008, 2009
- IBU WCH Biathlon 2013 – more than 200.000 spectators – extraordinary rating and evaluation
- Modern venue facilities, renovated stadium, new part of tracks / team compound
- The Vysočina Region lies in the very heart of Europe, on an imaginary connecting line between Prague and Vienna in the Bohemian-Moravian borderlands. Vysočina is known for its small villages
- There are only four cities in the region with a population of over 20,000 inhabitants
- UNESCO Cultural Heritage: the historic centre of Telč, the Pilgrimage Church of St. John of Nepomuk at Zelená Hora near Žďár nad Sázavou and the Jewish quarter and St. Procopius' Basilica in Třebíč
- The region is a “healthy island” sitting among three large metropolitan areas: Prague, Brno and Vienna
- Dagmar Hromádková-Švubová: a native from Nové Město na Moravě and a bronze medalist in the cross-country skiing relay team from the Sarajevo Olympics in 1984
- Martina Sáblíková: a native from Nové Město na Moravě, a speed skater who won two golds and one silver in Vancouver (3km, 5km and 1 500 m). She holds several world records
- Martin Koukal, native just of Nove Mesto. His greatest achievement is the world title in the 50 km free technique at the World Championships in Val di Fiemme in 2003
- **The cradle of skiing in the Highlands region** - Skis appeared in the neighborhood of Nove Mesto na Morave as early as in 1890
- The tradition of organizing sport events goes back to 1910, when in Nove Mesto na Morave the first public races were held. In 1934 was the competition for the first time named the Golden Ski
- From 1981 became the Golden Ski an irregular part of the cross-country skiing World Cup. Gradually, Nove Mesto na Morave expanded its sports range
- Today the Vysocina Arena is not known only in the field of cross-country skiing, but also in biathlon and MTB. Its peak in the field of sport events became IBU World Championships Biathlon in February 2013

Top 3 2012

	1st place	2nd place	3rd place
Ladies' 15 km Mass Start Classic	Marit Bjoergen NOR	Justyna Kowalczyk POL	Therese Johaug NOR
Men's 30 km Mass Start Classic	Johan Olsson SWE	Dario Cologna SUI	Maxim Vylegzhanin RUS

Ladies' 4x5 km Relay	Norway I	Finland	Norway II
Men's 4x10km Relay	Norway I	Russia I	Sweden

Competition Program

Date	Format	Distance	Remarks
11/01/2014	SP F Qual Ladies	1,334 km	
11/01/2014	SP F Final Ladies	1,334 km	
11/01/2014	SP F Qual Men	1,604 km	
11/01/2014	SP F Final Men	1,604 km	
12/01/2014	Team Sprint C Ladies	1,334 km	
12/01/2014	Team Sprint C Men	1,604 km	

Event Program

Date	Competition	Training	TCM	Other
Friday 10/01/2014		14:00 – 17:00 Training (F + C)	17:00 Stadium	20:00 Opening Ceremony Main square NMNM
Saturday 11/01/2014	14:00 Sprint Qualification 16:00 Sprint Finals	12:30 – 13:50 Training F Between Qual and final Training F	15:30 Stadium (qualified nations) 19:30 Stadium	Prize Giving ceremony at the Stadium
Sunday 12/01/2014	9:40 Team Sprint Qualification 11:40 Team Sprint Finals	8:00 – 9:30 Training C	11:10 Stadium (qualified nations)	Prize Giving ceremony at the Stadium

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Accreditation

Accreditation for Print Media and Photographers:

FIS season media accreditation will be valid. Please login on your FIS account and **select the respective venues**.

For local media and photographers accreditation requests please contact Jiří Pošváf, email: jiriposvar@gmail.com

Accreditations for TV, Radio and on line Media, etc.:

International TV, radio, production and internet companies will be authorized by Infront Italy. They will have to submit their requests to film or commentate on-site directly to Infront Italy's TV & Media Rights Manager: lorenzo.pala@infrontsports.com.

The deadline for applications is Monday, December 23, 2013.

National TV, radio, production and internet companies will have to submit their requests for local media accreditations to: jan.skricka@gmail.com. The deadline for national media applications is Monday January 6, 2014.

All local accreditations can be picked up at:
Accreditation office, Cultural House Nové Město na Moravě
Tyršova 1001 Nové Město na Moravě 592 31
GPS: 49°33'50.850"N, 16°4'26.508"E

Opening hours accreditation

10/01/2014: 10.00 – 12.00, 14.00 – 19.00

11/01/2014: 7.00 – 19.00

12/01/2014: 7.00 – 12.30

Race Office

Office Area Vysočina Arena Nové Město na Moravě
Vlachovická 1355 Nové Město na Moravě 592 31
GPS: 49°34'41.380"N, 16°3'10.408"E

Opening Hours Race Office

10/01/2014: 10.00 – 19.00

11/01/2014: 07.00 – 20.00

12/01/2014: 07.00 – 20.00

13/01/2014: 07.00 – 12.00

Media Centers

The Media center is located at Media Building (stands B) directly at the Vysočina Arena NMNM.

Opening Hours Media Center:

10/01/2014: 10.00 – 20.00

11/01/2014: 09.00 – 20.00

12/01/2014: 08.00 – 18.00

Media Accommodation

The organizing committee can help you with finding accommodation for the event. Inquiries must be sent to the accommodation office via Media Chief: Jiří Pošvář jiriposvar@gmail.com

Transport

Official airport: Prague Airport Václav Havel

The organizing committee can arrange for you transportation between the airports and the hotels.

Price list transport Prague Airport – NMNM / NMNM – Prague Airport:

- 1-4 persons – 150 € (personal car – one way)
- 5-7 persons – 200 € (minivan – one way)

Payment conditions: cash only during accreditation

Transport requests have to be sent to the OC until December 20th, 2013

Information to the Shuttle service

Transportation from the hotels into the venue can be organized in two ways:

1. Using personal cars and parking on reserved areas based on the allocated parking cards.
2. Using organized shuttle bus transport from all the media hotels directly into the arena. Exact time schedules will be published later, based on the amount of accommodated persons in individual hotels. The transportation between the hotels and the stadium will be provided free of charge by the organizer.

Media Events

Event	Location	Date/Time	Remarks
LOC press conference	TBA		
National team press conference	TBA		
Media Evening	TBA		

Regulations of Visa:

Remember that citizens of some countries will need visa for visiting Czech Republic. Please check with your embassy if you need a visa for Czech Republic.

For an official letter of invitation, please send a request to ski@czech-ski.com

Web Sites and Social Media

- www.nmnm.eu, www.kr-vysocina.cz
- www.zlatalyze.cz, www.biathlonNMNM.cz

Maps and Courses

Maps to come shortly