

4.1.5 FIS TOUR DE SKI

Seven top international Cross-Country Skiing competitions, in nine days, at five different venues in three countries.

4.1.6 OBERHOF (GER), 28TH – 29TH DECEMBER 2013

Key Facts

- New infrastructure, new building for athletes and media, multifunction lake for snow production
- Axel Teichmann and Jens Filbrich come from Oberhof
- Oberhof is situated in the middle of the Thuringia Forest (800 m over sea level) in Germany
- Peacefulness, clean air and awesome views made the little town at the "Rennsteig" a center of tourism already in the 19th century
- Winter sports have a long tradition in Oberhof. Today, the town boasts a unique concentration of winter sport facilities and based on its long-term engagement for young athletes it is known as one of the strongest training centers of the German Ski Federation. Top skiers like Axel Teichmann and Ronny Ackermann have their sportive homes in Oberhof
- At the stadium (814 m over sea level), there is space for about 15'000 spectators in addition to 10'000 more on the course
- The stadium and the challenging courses can also be used for summer roller ski training. They are ideal for races from Sprint to Pursuit - all kinds of competition formats can be carried out there. Artificial snow production

Top three 2012

	1st place	2nd place	3rd place
Prologue Ladies 3.1 km Free Individual	Kikkan Randall USA	Charlotte Kalla SWE	Justyna Kowalczyk POL
Ladies 10 km Classic Pursuit	Justyna Kowalczyk POL	Therese Johaug NOR	Anne Kyllonen FIN
Prologue Men 4.0 km Free Individual	Petter Northug Jr. NOR	Marcus Hellner SWE	Alexander Legkov RUS
Men 15 km Classic Pursuit	Maxim Vylegzhanin RUS	Alexander Legkov RUS	Petter Northug Jr. NOR

Competition Program

Date	Format	Distance	Remarks
28/12/2013	Prolog Ladies/ Men F	3,1 km/ 4,0 km	
29/12/2013	Pursuit Ladies/ Men C	9km / 15km	

Event Program

Date	Competition*	Training*	TCM*	Other*
Friday 27/12/2013		Training	Dreifelderhalle Oberhof	*Press conference (FIS) *Opening ceremony Winterpark Oberhof *FIS Night (OC invitation)
Saturday 28/12/2013	Prolog F Ladies Prolog F Men	Training	Dreifelderhalle Oberhof	*Media Night *SnowKidz-Race
Sunday 29/12/2013	Pursuit Ladies Pursuit Men			

* times to be clarified, Subject to change

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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 Herr Hendrik Neukirchner, email: presse@weltcup-oberhof.de

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:

Filip.Grabowski@infrontsports.com.

The deadline for applications is Monday, December 2, 2013

National TV, radio, production and internet companies will have to submit their requests for local media accreditations at matthias.ramoser@deutscherskiverband.de.

All local accreditations can be picked up at:

accreditation office

Tourist Information/ Haus des Gastes

Crawinkler Straße 2

D-98559 Oberhof

(The Parking area is next to the Rennsteigtherme/ thermal bath.)

Opening time

26.12.2013	8.30 – 18:00
27.12.2013	8.30 – 20:00
28.12.2013	8.30 – 17:00
29.12.2013	8.30 – 17:00

Race Office

Race office at the DKB-Ski-ARENA (in stadium building 2nd floor) opening time daily from 09.00 to 20.00

Media Centers

The main press center is located:

DKB-Ski-ARENA, Am Grenzadler, D-98559 Oberhof

Opening Times:

27/12/2013: 11.00 - 16.00

28/12/2013: 09.00 - 19.00

29/12/2013: 09.00 - 19.00

Media Accommodation

The organizing committee can help you with finding accommodation for the event in the official Media Hotel. Inquiries must be sent to the accommodation office by Tourismus GmbH Oberhof, Crawinkler Straße 2, D-98559 Oberhof accomodation@weltcup-oberhof.de till 15/11/2012

The OC offers following accommodation in different categories and prizes:

Hotel

Arcadia Hotels & More Management GmbH

Friedrich-König-Straße 1

98527 Suhl

Web: <http://www.arcadia-hotel.de/suhl/das-hotel.html>

The costs per room incl. breakfast from 82,00 EUR per person and night.

Pension

Pension Zum Schotten

Talstraße 50

98544 Zella-Mehlis

Web: <http://www.pension-zum-schotten.de/>

The costs per room incl. breakfast from 60,00 EUR per person and night.

Transport

The organizing committee can arrange for you transportation between the airport Frankfurt and the hotels. If you need an offer send us an email: info@weltcup-oberhof.de

Information to the Shuttle service for free

Media hotel – Venue:

27/12/2013: 10.30; 11.30; 12.30

28/12/2013: 08.30; 09.30, 10.30

29/12/2013: 08.30; 09.30, 10.30

Venue – Media hotel:

27/12/2013: 14.00; 15.00; 16.00

28/12/2013: 17.00; 18.00; 19.00; after Media Night

29/12/2013: 17.00; 18.00; 19.00

Registration for the shuttle service is possible presse@weltcup-oberhof.de or during opening time press center.

(*time depends on time of competitions)

Media Events

Event	Location	Date/Time	Remarks
Christmas press conference	Main Press Center	20/12/2013 10.00	
FIS press conference	Tourist Information/ Haus des Gastes Oberhof	27/12/2013 / 16.30	
Media Night	In the stadium	28.12.2013 / 20:00	

Press conference after all races in the main press center

Regulations of Visa:

The following nations require visas to enter and stay in the Federal Republic of Germany:

ALG, ARM , BIH , BLR , CHN , DOM, GEO , IND, IRI, KAZ , KEN, KGZ , LIB, MAR, MDA , MGL , MKD , NIG, RUS , SRB, TPE, TUR, UKR , UZB

Maps and Profiles

