



Audi FIS Ski Cross
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Val Thorens - France

January 13th - 17th, 2014

The French Ski Federation and the Organising Committee of the AUDI FIS SKI CROSS WORLD CUP in Val Thorens are pleased to invite all Freestyle Nations to attend this event from January 13th to 17th, 2014 (make-up Audi FIS Ski Cross World Cups from Megève, FRA – and one competition from Bischofswiesen, GER).

For your information, there will be no reserve day.

The Organizing Committee will host the event in accordance with the International Ski Competition and World Cup Rules 2013/2014. All national Ski Associations affiliated with the FIS are invited to compete.

1/ PROGRAM

You will find enclosed the provisional program of the event according to the FIS calendar. The Organizing Committee reserves the right to modify this schedule, depending on the snow conditions or/and the decision of the competition jury.

2/ ARRIVAL

Please note that the appointment for welcome, information & accommodation will be at the Club des Sports (inside "Maison de Val Thorens" in front of the Tourist Office) on Monday 13th January, 2014 between 09.00 am and 07.00 pm. Outside this day, for all your different questions regarding the organization, please ask directly the Club des Sports reception (Opening hours: 08.30 - 12.00 am & 02.00 - 06.00 pm).

Each racer and official will receive a wristband from the OC providing free access to the Sport Centre, the Public Bibs Draw & Cocktail (Forum Joseph Fontanet), and food supplies (under the Val Thorens Tent at the finish) during the QLF & Finals days. A 4-day Val Thorens skipass will be also given to every competitor and official.

This wristband must be worn all the time and showed if required.

3/ ACCOMMODATION

Teams will be accommodated in several hotels or residences *** on half-board basis during **4 nights : from the Monday 13th to the Friday 17th** at FIS rate. Please note that we have dropped the 1st training day and the teams need to leave after the competition on Friday 17th (it will be possible for the teams to stay 1 more night booking and paying directly their accommodation with the hotel or residence at their arrival). **We ask the teams to be comprehensive with the OC regarding their accommodation, the deadline is really short and the OC will do their best to lodge all the teams properly.**

Each team will pay the totality of the accommodation expenses and a fully refundable damage deposit charged to a major credit card will be required directly by the hotel or residence.

Please, fill in your accommodation needs on the FIS Online Update System before Thursday 9th January, 2014 including a completed rooming list with any requirements about rooms & place sharing.

To organise your stay, please contact Elodie at the Club des Sports :

Tel. : +33 (0)4 79 00 01 08 / Email : cdsports@valthorens.com

4/ ENTRIES

Entries will be accepted from National Ski Associations following FIS quotas and rules.

The final number of your competition team (including competitors and officials) and the names of participants must be submitted to the organizing committee no later than Thursday 9th, January.

Access to the online registration system is accessed through the FIS Homepage <http://www.fis-ski.com/> Member Section.

FIS has established nation Quotas for World Cups. 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/quotas-1314.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 :

Standards / Requirements	Ski Cross FIS Points
Freestyle FIS Points	100

5/ BIBS

All competitors must wear their bibs during the official training, competition, flowers and awards ceremony after the race.

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 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 OC, 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/ GENERAL INFORMATION

If you have any question, please feel free to contact the Club des Sports :

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