



Welcome to the 2014 FIS FREESTYLE SKI WORLD CUP in Inawashiro Fukushima

Dear Freestyle Ski Friends,

On behalf of the Organizing Committee of 2014 FIS Freestyle Ski WORLD CUP in Inawashiro Fukushima it is our pleasure to invite your national team to participate in our competition.

This year Inawashiro will host Moguls on March 1 and Dual Moguls on March 2, 2014 at Listel Ski Fantasia. The Organizing Committee will host the event in accordance with the International Ski Competition Rules of the FIS.

On March 11, 2011 the great earthquake hit Japan. However Fukushima has become famous for a nuclear power plant accident since then, whole country of Fukushima is not necessarily dangerous now. We hope for you to understand this fact, and to participate in a competition. Japanese government announces the results of radiation dose measurements. If you want to know about this, please refer to the URL below.

http://www.jnto.go.jp/eq/eng/04_recovery.htm

This event will be held just after the Sochi Olympic Games, therefore we expect that all of athletes do excellent skiing.

We look forward to welcoming you in Inawashiro, Fukushima, Japan.

Best Regards

Takayoshi Watanabe
Chairman

Ski Association of Fukushima

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Team Invitation

1. ENTRIES

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

Please submit the provisional team entries(including athletes and officials) by January 20, 2014.

Confirmation of the final number of the competition team (including athletes and officials), the names of athletes, arrival and departure dates must be submitted to the organizing committee no later than February 21, 2014.

Entries will only be accepted via the FIS on-line registration system. Please access the online registration system through the FIS Homepage <http://www.fis-ski.com / Member Section>".

FIS has established nation Quotas for World Cup. National Ski Teams can only enter World Cup Ski Competitors according to the Quota limitations.

2. REGISTRATION

Team registration will be held on February 26 and 27 from 9:00 to 17:00 at the Racing Office which is located on the 2nd floor in the Hotel Listel Inawashiro Wing Tower.

3. ACCOMMODATION

Accommodations for athletes and officials are provided at the Hotel Listel Inawashiro.

As per the FIS Rule on accommodations, each participant will pay the Organizing Committee the Japanese YEN equivalent of CHF50 (JPYen 5,409) per day. The FIS Rule on accommodations is not applied in any accommodations other than the Hotel Listel Inawashiro.





Accommodations will be provided as follows:

For the nights from February 26 to March 2, 2014 inclusive (5 nights)

Double room and half board

Early arrivals and late departures are subject to availability and are not subject to the FIS rate.

Each team will be held responsible for any damage incurred during its stay.

Extras must be paid by the teams or athletes themselves directly to the hotel.

Freestyle Skiing WC Rule 4.4: One single room per country will be provided. An additional single room would be at the rate at CHF 100 (JPYen 10,818) per day.

5. TRANSPORTATION

The Organizing Committee charters the bus (World Cup Bus) for athletes and officials to move between Narita International Airport and Inawashiro.

Fare: JP Yen 7,500 per person, one way

Schedule:

- From Narita Airport to Inawashiro: depart at 13:00 (arrive at 18:00) , depart at 17:00 (arrive at 21:00) on February 26, and February 27
- From Inawashiro to Narita Airport: depart at 00:00 (arrive at 05:00), depart at 05:00 (arrive at 10:00), depart at 10:00 (arrive at 15:00) on March 3

Taking this inexpensive and convenient World Cup Bus is recommended.

It is necessary for those who use this bus to apply for the Organizing Committee by February 16. Team or persons who apply late may not be able to use it.

Buses run only at above times. When the time of the airplane does not suit this schedule, please use a public transportation by yourself. Please inform the Organizing Committee in that case.

6. BIBS

All competitors must wear bibs during all official training, competition and award ceremonies.





7. ACCIDENT INSURANCE

Each competitor must carry his/her own medical insurance. The Organizing Committee, sponsors, suppliers, their agents, town of Inawashiro, FIS and Ski Association of Japan assume no responsibility for accidents, damage or loss of equipments, and second and third party claims during the event.

8. LIABILITY

All athletes, officials and other members of the National Association who attend or participate in the event shall do so at their own risk. The Organizing Committee, town of Inawashiro, the Ski Association of Japan, sponsors and suppliers, their agents, employees and volunteers shall not be responsible for any loss or injuries incurred or suffered by any athlete, officials or other persons in conjunction with the organizing or staging of the event.

All participants are urged not to be negligent in safeguarding their personal belongings at all times. The aforementioned parties will take no responsibility for missing belongings.

9. MEDICAL AND ANTI-DOPING

Anti-doping control may be conducted for each event and gender.

10. MONEY EXCHANGE

It is recommended to exchange all money at the Narita Airport. There are not money exchanges at hotels in Inawashiro.





COMPETITION SCHEDULE

Wednesday Feb. 26	09:00 - 17:00	Arrival and Registration ■ Racing Office, WingTower 2F
Thursday Feb. 27	09:00 - 17:00 10:30 - 10:40 10:45 - 12:45 17:00 - 17:45	Arrival and Registration ■ Racing Office, WingTower 2F Mogul Inspection Mogul Training Session Mogul Team Captains Meeting ■ Meeting Room, WingTower 2F
Friday Feb. 28	10:30 - 10:40 10:45 - 11:45 17:30 - 18:00 18:30 - 19:00 19:00 - 20:00	Mogul Inspection Mogul Training Session Team Captains Meeting Draw ■ Meeting Room, Wing Tower 2F Opening Ceremony ■ Banquet Hall "Tenkyo" Wing Tower B1 Welcome Party ■ Banquet Hall "Tenkyo" Wing Tower B1
Saturday March.1	07:30 08:15 - 08:25 08:30 - 09:00 09:05 - 09:35 09:45 - 10:00 10:00 - 10:30 11:00 - 12:10 12:35 - 12:45 12:45 - 13:05 13:10 - 13:20 13:30 - 13:55 13:55 - 14:20 14:25 - 14:35 14:35 - 14:45 14:50 - 15:00 15:40 - 16:10 17:30 - 18:00	First on lift Ladies' Inspection Ladies' Mogul Training Ladies' Qualifications Men's Inspection Men's Mogul Training Men's Qualifications Ladies and Men's Mogul Finalist Inspection Ladies and Men's Mogul Finalist Training Showcase Ladies' Mogul Finals (F1) (16) Men's Mogul Finals (F1) (16) Ladies' Mogul Finals (F2) (6) Men's Mogul Finals (F2) (6) Awards (Ladies and Men's) Press conference (Prizewinners) ■ Lobby Lounge "Vor Spiel" Wing Tower 1F Team Captains Meeting Dual Mogul Draw ■ Meeting Room, Wing Tower 2F



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Sunday March. 2	07:30	First on lift
	08:15 - 08:25	Ladies' Inspection
	08:30 - 09:00	Ladies' Dual Mogul Training
	09:15 - 09:45	Ladies' Qualifications
	09:50 - 10:00	Men's Inspection
	10:05 - 10:35	Men's Dual Mogul Training
	10:45 - 12:00	Men's Qualifications
	12:25 - 12:35	Ladies and Men's Dual Mogul Finalist Inspection
	12:35 - 13:05	Ladies and Men's Dual Mogul Finalist Training
	13:10 - 13:20	Showcase
	13:30 - 13:42	Ladies' Dual Mogul Final (Round of 16)
	13:42 - 13:54	Men's Dual Mogul Final (Round of 16)
	13:54 - 14:02	Ladies' Dual Mogul Final (Quarter Final)
	14:02 - 14:10	Men's Dual Mogul Final (Quarter Final)
	14:10 - 14:18	Ladies' Dual Mogul Final (Semi Final)
	14:18 - 14:26	Men's Dual Mogul Final (Semi Final)
	14:29 - 14:37	Ladies' Dual Mogul Final (Final)
	14:37 - 14:45	Men's Dual Mogul Final (Final)
	14:50 - 15:00	Awards (Ladies and Men's)
	15:40 - 16:10	Press conference (Prizewinners) ■Lobby Lounge "Vor Spiel" Wing Tower 1F
Monday March.3	00:00	Departure to Narita
	05:00	
	10:00	

※ Please understand that a schedule may be changed.

Contact and further information

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