











RUSSIAN FREESTYLE GAMES Sun Valley Alpine Resort, Miass, RUS

February 26 – March 1, 2015

The Organizing Committee is pleased to invite you to take part in the First Russian Freestyle Games competitions held at Sun Valley alpine resort in Miass, Russia on **February 26 – March 1, 2015**

All information about competitions as well as corresponding changes will be posted on the event website <u>http://www.freestylegames.ru/en/</u>.

PROGRAM (See Annex 1 for the competition schedule)

25.02.2015 – Arrival 26.02.2015 – HP/SS training 27.02.2015 – HP/SS training 28.02.2015 – SS Qualification, Finals 01.03.2015 – HP Qualification, Finals 02.03.2015 – Departure

PRIZE MONEY

Prize Money: \$20,000

ORGANISERS

Joint Organizing Committee Members:

- Russian Ministry of Sports
- Russian Ski Association
- Freestyle Federation of Russia
- Sun Valley Alpine Resort
- Russian Alpine Ski League

Local organizer: Russian Alpine Ski League

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RULES

- 1. The competitions are organized at Sun Valley alpine resort, Miass, Russia by the joint Organizing Committee and are conducted under the rules and regulations for freestyle skiing competitions of the International Ski Federation (ICR).
- 2. The dates of the competitions are published in the FIS International Competition Calendar. Organizing Committee reserves the right to change the schedule or the venue of the events from those stated in the program, depending on snow conditions or the decision of the competition Jury.
- 3. The program of the competitions comprises two events for both ladies and men: Half Pipe (HP) and Slope Style (SS).

ENTRIES

Electronic application form is available on the competition website. Alternatively you can fill out and e-mail us the enclosed form. All entries are to be submitted to the Organizing Committee no later than Friday, February 27, 2015.













On-line application form allows you to simultaneously submit competition entries, visa support and event accreditation requests for all team members. If you use the enclosed entry form you would need to provide the OC with additional data later on to request visa support.

VISA SUPPORT

Most foreign citizens require a visa to enter Russia.

Please, check with your local Russian Embassy or Consulate to determine if you need a visa to travel to Russia and what regulations apply in your case. Contacts of Russian consulates can be found via the Russian Ministry of Foreign Affairs website www.mid.ru (direct link to the MFA website)

Please, inform the OC if you require a visa invitation. Invitation issue process may take several days. To avoid delays with visas make sure all data is submitted to the OC no later than Sunday, February 15th, 2015.

All questions regarding visa support are to be addressed to Evgenia Sedelnikova: sedelnikova@rsaski.ru.

TRANSPORTATION

Participants are responsible for their own transportation. Sun Valley alpine resort is located 120 km away from the airport of Chelyabinsk, 250 km away from the airport of Ekaterinburg or 14 km away from the Miass train station of the Trans-Siberian Railway.

The OC may organize a transfer from the airport of Chelyabinsk upon request. One way transfer is 3,000 Russian rubles per car. Transfer requests are to be sent to Valeriy Platonov telegin@dolina.su (tel. +7-902-610-69-19). To request a transfer, please, provide the following information:

- 1. Arrival/departure date, time, flight numbers, destination (from/to)
- 2. Amount of passengers and all names of participants in a group
- 3. Amount of luggage in pieces and its approximate total weight

Local transportation will not be needed as you will be accommodated by the bottom station of the ski lift.

ACCOMMODATION AND MEALS

Accommodation is offered in 6x-apartments/cottages (3 double rooms per apartment) located by the bottom station of the ski lift.

Costs:

- Accommodation HB (breakfast, dinner) 1500 Russian rubles per person per night
- Accommodation only (no meals) 550 Russian roubles per person per night
- Meals (breakfast, lunch, dinner) 950 Russian rubles per person per day

Accommodation requests are to be sent to Elena Vetoshkina skired@mail.ru (tel. +7-912-083-82-82). The offer is limited, requests will be accommodated on the first came first served basis.

Please note: all payments on site are to be made in local currency (Russian rubles) in cash or by bank card upon arrival. Currency exchange services will be available at the airport of arrival and in the city of Miass.

ENTRY FEES

All entry fees are covered by the Organizing Committee – there are NO extra costs for participants in addition to accommodation, meals, transportation.













INSURANCE/ LIABILITY

All athletes, officials and other participants, who attend the event and participate in the competitions, shall do so at their own risk. The Organizing Committee, the Freestyle Federation of Russia and the alpine resort shall not be responsible for any loss or injuries occurred or suffered by any athlete or other person, in accordance with the organization or standing of the event.

Every competitor must have his/her own medical insurance. The Organizers decline any responsibility for accidents, damaged equipment and second and third party claims during the competitions. All athletes must have previously signed "FIS Athletes Declaration" form, in order to be registered.

OTHER

Race Office	During the competitions race office will be located at the resort, exact location will be published later on the event website. Team registration procedure will take place daily, starting from Thursday, February 25 from 18:00 at the race office.				
First TCM	Thursday, 25 th of February at 19:00 at the race office.				
Bibs	All competitors must wear their bibs during all official trainings, competitions and award ceremonies. Each team captain will be asked for a deposit of RUB 100 per bib upon registration.				
Radio Communication	If you plan to use radios during at the venue, please, make sure you comply with the Russian radio communication regulations which may include (but not be limited to) applying for a radio license, reprogramming radio stations, etc.				
Ski Lift Passes	Provided for competitors and coaches on the days of competitions and official trainings free of charge. Distributed after the first TC meeting according to team entries. Each team captain will be asked for a deposit of RUB 100 per ski lift card upon registration.				
Award Ceremonies	Award ceremonies will be held right after each event at the finish area.				

INFORMATION

This invitation will be available on the <u>FIS website</u> and the event web site <u>http://www.freestylegames.ru/en/</u>. In case of any problems/questions, please, contact the OC:

For competition program, event schedule etc.	For visa support, accreditation
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Annex 1

RUSSIAN FREESTYLE GAMES 2015 PROGRAM*

Sun Valley Alpine Resort, Miass, RUS February 26th – March 1st, 2015

Date	Time	Activity	Location		
February 25	all day	Arrival			
Wednesday	14:00-18:00	Registration, accreditation	Race Office		
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February 26	10:15-13:00	Training HP	Snowpark/HP		
Thursday	13:00-14:00	Slope preparation	Snowpark		
	14:00-17:00	Training SS	Snowpark		
	20:00-23:00	Welcome Party, introduction, bibs	Sunny Valley restaurant		
	09:00-18:00	Registration, accreditation	Race Office		
February 27	10:15-13:00	Training HP	Snowpark/HP		
Friday	13:00-14:00	Slope preparation	Snowpark		
	14:00-17:00	Training SS	Snowpark		
	20:00-23:00	Bar Party	Sunny Valley bar		
	09:00-18:00	Race office opening hours	Race Office		
	10:00-11:00	Training SS	Snowpark		
	11:00-11:10	Course preparation	Snowpark		
	11:10-13:10	Qualification SS	Snowpark		
February 28	13:10-13:50	Course preparation	Snowpark		
Saturday	13:50-13:45	Official Opening Ceremony			
	13:50-14:10	Training for Finalists SS	Snowpark		
	14:10-14:20	Course preparation	Snowpark		
	14:20-16:00	Finals SS	Snowpark		
	16:30-16:45	Award Ceremony	Finish area		
	20:00-23:00	Bar Party	Sunny Valley bar		
	09:00-18:00	Race office opening hours	Race Office		
	10:00-11:00	Training HP	Snowpark		
	11:00-11:10	Course preparation	Snowpark		
	11:10-13:10	Qualification HP	Snowpark		
March 1	13:10-13:50	Course preparation	Snowpark		
Sunday	13:50-14:10	Training for Finalists HP	Snowpark		
5	14:10-14:20	Course preparation	Snowpark		
	14:20-16:00	Finals HP	Snowpark		
	16:30-16:45	Award Ceremony	Finish area		
	20:00-23:00	Bar Party, winners celebration, closing	Sunny Valley bar		
March 2		Departure			
Monday					

*Time and program are subject to change depending on the weather conditions.













Annex 2

TEAM ENTRY FORM* for the RUSSIAN FREESTYLE GAMES 2015

held at Sun Valley alpine resort, Miass, RUS

on February 26th – March 1st, 2015

(acc. to ICR Art. 217)

*Alternatively you may use the standard FIS Entry Form published on the FIS website

Team/ National Association NSA official name NSA address	
Responsible for entry/contact	
person	
Contact telephone number	
Contact e-mail address	
Team Captain (if different)	
Team captain's telephone	
number	
Team captains e-mail address	

FIS season. accred. No.	Surname	First Name	Position	Date of Birth	Disciplin es		Arrival	Depart ure
or FIS code No.			athlete, trainer,	(dd.mm.y yyy)	HP	SS	(dd.mm. yyyy)	(dd.mm.y yyy)
Please	Please, group competitors and coaches two-by-two for rooming purposes. Thank you!							

Total athletes: _____ Total officials: _____

Entries are to be sent to the OC no later than Friday, February 27th, 2015.

OC – Race Office:

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