



# FIS Race – FREESTYLE SKIING - SLOPE STYLE VARS - FRANCE February 15<sup>th</sup> to 19<sup>th</sup>, 2015

The O'Consulting Organisation and the French Ski Federation are pleased to invite all Freestyle nations to attend a FIS Freestyle Slope Style race to be held in Vars on February 15<sup>th</sup> - 19<sup>th</sup>, 2015.

In order to help you with the preparation of your team's visit you will find below all the information regarding the competition. BE CAREFUL: because of high level competition the entries are limited.

We ask each national ski association to fill in the enclosed entry form and send it back as soon as possible. The OC will confirm or not the entries.

#### 1. Organizing Committee

**Chief of competition:** Olivier COTTE

Chief of course: Jean-Damien CLIMONET

General Secretary: Anne-Coralie GAUDE - annecoralie.gaude@oconsulting.fr - Tel: +33 6 89 94 94 26

Entry responsible: Sophie DEBILLON - Sophie.debillon@oconsulting.fr

FFS representative: Fabien BERTRAND - fbertrand@ffs.fr - Tel: +33 6 66 49 13 61

Technical Delegate: Joel FRANITCH (FRA)

#### Rules

- The French Ski Association and Vars are organizing an international FIS Race.
- The competition will be held under FIS rules and regulations of Freestyle skiing.
- This competition is Ski Slope Style events for both men and women
- The organizing committee reserve the right to change the schedule depending on snow conditions, weather or the decision of the competition jury.

### 2. Entries / Nation Quota and Competition Format

Entries will be accepted from the National ski Associations ONLY in accordance with the FIS.

Entries must be sent to the Organizing Committee before February 9<sup>th</sup> 2015 (included).

This FIS Race will be running in the same time of the SFRTour race.

**Competition format for MEN**: Qualifications on <u>Wednesday</u>, <u>February 18<sup>th</sup></u>, <u>2015</u> 2 runs per competitor. Best run count. Final on <u>Thursday February 19<sup>th</sup></u>, <u>2015</u> 2 runs per competitor. Best run count.

Competition format for WOMEN (max 16 participants): Competition on <u>Thursday February 19<sup>th</sup></u>, <u>2015</u> 2 runs per competitor. Best run count.

## **Limitation of entries:**

**For Men**: a maximum of 80 participants (40 French + 40 foreigners). **For Women :** a maximum of 16 participants (8 French + 8 foreigners).

The OC with the France NSA will select the 40 Men and 8 Women foreigners from the best skiers. Every skier or team has to ask <a href="mailto:Sophie.debillon@oconsulting.fr">Sophie.debillon@oconsulting.fr</a> for his spot. Then the OC will confirm a first list of riders on January 31st 2015. The other riders will be on a waiting list.

**Each NSA has ONE free quota which can be added to the first list of confirmed competitors**. Each NSA has to ask by email to **Sophie.debillon@oconsulting.fr.** This free quota before Monday February 9<sup>th</sup> 2015 included. Then the Organizing committee will inform and valid the spots to NSA as soon as possible. After that each NSA will be able to send its official entry form included all riders before February 15<sup>th</sup> 2015.

Please complete the enclosed Team entry form and send it back to Sophie Debillon: Sophie.debillon@oconsulting.fr

#### Official FIS entry form can be find here:

http://www.fis-ski.com/mm/Document/documentlibrary/FreestyleSkiing/04/36/60/Entryformrooming\_English.pdf

#### 3. Registration and means of payment

The organizing center is located at:

#### Tourism Office VARS

Cours Fontanarosa

05560 Vars

Tel: +33 4 92 46 51 31

(The situation is in the Center of VARS)

All fees and deposits must be paid upon registration in EUR by cash. No cheques or traveller cheques will be accepted.

## Entry Fee: 40€ / athletes included Skipass for competition and training days

#### 4. Accommodation

Teams are free to book the accommodation of their choice.

You can contact:

**VARSTOUR** 

Guiltour - www.guiltour.com

8 route de la gare - BP2 - 05600 GUILLESTRE - Tel : +33 4 92 45 09 46 - mail : reservation@guiltour.com

Or contact the Tourist Office:

Office de tourisme - Cours Fontanarosa - 05560 VARS - Tel: 04.92.46.51.31 - Mail: info@otvars.com

## 5. Schedule

# Sunday, February 15th, 2015

• 18:30 Riders & Team Captains Meeting (Tourism Office)

## Monday, February 16<sup>th</sup>, 2015

- Unofficial Training session
- 18:30 Riders & Team Captains Meeting (Tourism Office)

## Tuesday, February 17th, 2015

- Official Training session
- 18:00 Riders & Team Captains Meeting (Tourism Office)

# Wednesday, February 18th, 2015

- Men Qualifications: 3 heats
- 18:30 Riders & Team Captains Meeting (Tourism Office)

## Thursday, February 19th, 2015

- Women Race (16)
- Finals Men Race (16)

## 6. Bibs and Helmets

All competitors must wear bibs and helmets during official training, competitions and award ceremony (bib only). Sanction will be given to any competitors who do not wear his/her bib.

Each Team leader will be asked a deposit of 15 € per bib. Amount will be refunded at the end of the competitions when bibs will be returned.

## 7. Liability

All athletes, officials and other members of their National Association who attend and participate in the event shall do so at their own risk. The Organizing committee, Vars, the French Ski Association, sponsors and suppliers, employees and volunteers shall not be held responsible to any losses or injuries incurred or suffered by any athlete, official or other person in conjunction with the organisation or staging of the event.

All participants are urged not to be negligent in safeguarding their personal belongings at all time.

#### 8. Accident Insurance

Every competitor must be medically insured on her/his own. The Organizing Committee, Vars, the FIS and the French Ski Association decline any responsibility for accidents, damaged equipment during the training and competitions.

#### 9. Accident Protocol

In case of accidents on courses during the event, medical staff from the Organizing Committee and Ski Patrol will be responsible for any medical decision or evacuation to local hospital.