











PAMPOROVO

Freestyle Open

























PAMPOROVO FREESTYLE OPEN

European Qualifier Tour - Slopestyle

PAMPOROVO – MECHI CHAL March 13 – 14, 2017

INVITATION



Dear riders and snowboard nations,

We are happy to invite you to the 8th edition of Pamporovo Freestyle Open. As part of the European Qualifier Tour, the snowboard competitions will run as WST National and FIS European Cup. We start on Sunday, March 12 until Tuesday March 14, 2017 on the Slopestyle Pro Line.





















The competitions are open and have no rider limit. Minimum year of birth is 2003. For FIS points and European Cup points an active FIS code is required.

The competition is in the middle of the season and it could be a great step for collecting points before the last four events of the season. Collecting points will benefit in better season ranging and a WC quota.

In 2016 Pamporovo resort merged with the nearby ski area of Mechi chal, Chepelare. The distance is only 9 km and the connection is regulated by ski shuttle transport free to use with valid ski pass. In result Pamporovo resort changed its official name to Ski area 2in1 *Pamporovo-Mechi chal*. Celebrating the new united ski region the Slopestyle course will be built at the foot of the main slope of Mechi chal ski area.

REGISTRATION

Entries will be accepted from National Ski Associations in accordance with the European Cup quotas and rules. For the FIS EC competitions only riders with active F.I.S. codes are admitted to participate in the event. Please submit all entry forms to the Organizing Committee by e-mail to: snowboard@bfski.com & reg@funpark.bg

<u>ENTRY FORM</u> - http://www.fis-ski.com/mm/Document/documentlibrary/Snowboard/03/29/93/Entryfor Neutral.pdf

For competitors without FIS codes, please send your registration at e-mail: reg@funpark.bg

Team registration will take place on Sunday, March 12th:

9:00 - 14:00 - hotel Perelik, Snezhanka hall













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17:00 - 18:00 - hotel Perelik, Snezhanka hall

Deadline for sending you registrations is March 8th, 2017.

EVENT FEES

The entry fee for riders is Euro 30 per person per race day, including full access lift pass.

Access tickets for team members is Euro 20 per person per race day.

For the training day March 12th, all registered riders and team members will receive a free pass at the registration desk.

ACCOMODATION

Perelik Hotel*** - www.perelikhotel.com

Accommodation rates for all team members during the event period 12 - 14.03.3017:

DBL Room on HB (overnight, breakfast and dinner) – 46 BGN per person per night

SGL Room on HB (overnight, breakfast and dinner) – 65 BGN per person per night

The payment could be made cash in Bulgarian leva $(BGN) - 1 \in$ = 1,96 BGN or by credit/debit card at the reception. There is an Exchange desk and ATM next to the hotel. Each team will be held responsible for any damage incurred during the stay.

Please, make your booking not later than Wednesday, 8th 2017, to make sure you have lodging close to the SBS course.























Contacts for hotel reservation:

E-mail: marketing@pamporovo.me

Office phone: +359700 17 702

Mobile: +359 882 886 419

TRANSPORTATION:

By airplane: Teams should fly to Sofia or Plovdiv Airport. The OC will provide free shuttle service from Sofia and Plovdiv Airport to Pamporovo and back 2 times a day on 11.03 and 12.03.2017. The return shuttles from Pamporovo will be provided on 14.03 and 15.03.2017. Our host will meet the teams at Sofia / Plovdiv Airport. Therefore all flight details must be sent to:

E-mail: reg@funpark.bg, marketing@pamporovo.me

By car: Driving directions to Pamporovo (240km – 3-3,5 hours by car from Sofia Circle road), From Sofia get on the Highway to Plovdiv and after 130km look for sign directing to « Smolyan » (Smolyan) or « Pamporovo ». Then follow the « Smolyan » (Smolyan) signs. If you use GPS Navigation, just put in Pamporovo, Hotel Perelik and use the main roads. Please, avoid any secondary roads.

On site transportation: The OC will provide a shuttle service from Hotel Perelik to the race area and back.

LIABILITY

All athletes, officials and members of National Ski Association, who attend and participate in the event, shall do so at their own risk. Upon starting every competitor confirms that he/she acknowledges the race course and safety precautions as





















adequate and sufficient. Above all the Organizing committee, Pamporovo resort, the FIS, the Bulgarian Ski Federation, race staff, 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.

INSURANCE:

Each individual NSA is responsible for providing sufficient insurance for its participants (art. 204.2 ICR). The Organizing committee, Pamporovo resort, the FIS and Bulgarian Ski Federation decline any responsibility for accidents, damages or lost equipment during the training or racing days, nor are they liable to third party claims.

BIBS:

Each rider must wear her/his bib during the official trainings, competitions and award ceremonies. The riders have to return their bibs after qualifications and finals to the official at the exit gate. Deposit amount of 10€ (or 20 BGN) per bib have to be paid during the teams' registration. The deposit will be paid back during the second TCM. The riders could keep their bibs as a souvenir after second race day.

PRIZE MONEY:

For each race day the OC is provided prize money as follows:

Men: Ladies:

1st place – 1 000€ 1st place – 300 €

 2^{nd} place $-600 \in$ 2^{nd} place $-200 \in$

3rd place – 300 € 3rd place – 100 €





















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PROGRAM

*The program for 13th and 14th is not final. The official competition program will be announced during the first TC meeting on 12th March at 18:00 in hotel Perelik.

Day 1, March 12, Sunday

Snowboard (Men/Ladies)

9:00 - 14:00 - Registration - hotel Perelik, Snezhanka hall

11:00 - 14:30 Official training (Slopestyle snowboard M/L)

17:00 - Registration - hotel Perelik, Snezhanka hall

18:00 - hotel Perelik, Snezhanka hall (TC Meeting)

Day 2, March 13, Monday

Snowboard (Men/Ladies)

9:00 - 10:00 Training (Slopestyle snowboard M/L)

10:20 - 11:20 Qualifications (first run-Slopestyle snowboard M/L)

11:20 - 11:40 Reshape

11:40 - 12:40 Qualifications (second run-Slopestyle snowboard M/L)

13:00 – Finals (Slopestyle snowboard M/L)

14:30 – Awards (Slopestyle snowboard M/L)

18:00 - hotel Perelik, Snezhanka hall (TC Meeting)





















Day 3, March 14, Tuesday

- 9:00 10:00 Training (Slopestyle snowboard M/L)
- 10:20 11:20 Qualifications (first run-Slopestyle snowboard M/L)
- 11:20 11:40 Reshape
- 11:40 12:40 Qualifications (second run-Slopestyle snowboard M/L)
- 13:00 Finals (Slopestyle snowboard M/L)
- 14:30 − Awards (Slopestyle snowboard M/L)

SKI AREA MAP IS AVAILABLE IN PDF AT:

https://pamporovo.me/en/winter/activities/ski-and-snowboard/ski-zone-map/



ORGANISER:

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