Invitation



Belgian Open 2017





Dear Snowboard Friends,

We are proud & happy to invite you to the Belgian National Championship in Les Deux Alpes, France. This event includes a slopestyle and big air competition and will run from Sunday the 9th until Thursday the 13th of April 2017.

The Belgian Open is organized for the 16th time and proves to be a fun contest with attractive side events (www.snowjam.be).

Traveling teams can combine this event with the NC in Avoriaz on the 8-9th of April or with the last event of the European Qualifier Tour in Silvaplana from the 18th till 22nd of April.

Besides a great snowpark, Les Deux Alpes is known for its ideal snowconditions. The snowpark at La Toura 2600m offers you perfect riding until the end of April.

The age limit for the FIS competition is 13 years (2003 and older). Kids younger than 13 years of age can enter the Belgian Championships in the open Kids Category.

Registration

By nation (mandatory for FIS)

National Associations can inscribe their riders by the attached entry list. The entry list has to be send by e-mail to <u>christophe@sneeuwsport.vlaanderen</u>, **latest 26 March.**

Starting Fee Elite, U15 and U13

€30 per discipline or €50 for both disciplines.

Lift tickets

€20 per day. If you book an accommodation (see below), lift tickets are included.



Accommodation

For accommodation send an e-mail to <u>christophe@sneeuwsport.vlaanderen</u>, including the number of rooms -, riders – and coaches. The organization provides a discount for riders:

Hotel, half board:

On request. (lift ticket and festival ticket included) For example:

http://wintersport.sunweb.nl/frankrijk/les deux alpes/les deux alpes/hotel ibiza.htm?view=o verview

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Apartment:

- Price in a quadruple room for riders: 269€ (lift ticket and festival ticket included, foodpack is optional at 59€)
- Price in a quadruple room for coaches: 319€ (lift ticket and festival ticket included, foodpack is optional at 59€)
- Double room: €319 for riders, €369 for coaches.
- Single room: €479 for riders.

Quadruple room = 2 bunk beds and 1 pull-out bed in the living area. For example: "Meijotel, Flocon d'Or of Résidence1650"

http://winter.snowblend.be/frankrijk/les deux alpes/les deux alpes/residences 1650snowjam.htm

Arrival on Saturday, after 16h. Departure on Saturday, before 10h. Lift ticket included, from Sunday till Friday.

We recommend booking as quick as possible to make sure that you find enough beds for your entire team.



At own terms:

Teams can also book their own accommodation directly with the Tourist Office of Les Deux Alpes: <u>http://www.les2alpes.com/fr/</u>

Competition venue

Les Deux Alpes, France. Snowpark La Toura, 2600m

More info about the festival: www.snowjam.be

Race Office

Maison de la montagne: 48 Avenue de la Muzelle, 38860 Deux Alpes (Les)

Opening Hours:

Saturday :	Arrival / TC meeting:	18.00 - 20.00
Sunday:	TC meeting:	19.00 - 20.00
Monday:	TC meeting:	19.00 - 20.00
Tuesday:	TC meeting:	19.00 - 20.00

TC Meeting (at Race Office)

The TC-meeting is mandatory for all Nations and Regional teams. We ask all Nations to check the entry list 15 min before the TC Meeting. This will help the athletes having well balanced heats and a fair competition.

In case of absence please contact us minimum 30min before the TC Meeting at following number: Christophe De Groof, +32 498 260 160.



Schedule:

Sunday:	TC meeting: 19.00 - 20.00
Monday:	TC meeting: 19.00 - 20.00
Tuesday:	TC meeting: 19.00 - 20.00

Competition program

Preliminary program below. The final program will be adapted to the riders field and the weatherconditions. It will be announced at the TC meetings.

Saturday 8th April

18:00 - 20:00: arrival day. Registration riders and coaches, collect training bibs.

Sunday 9th April

Official training slopestyle, only for riders with bib numbers!

19:00 TC meeting Slopestyle

Monday 10th April

Slopestyle Belgian National Championship

- 10.00 11.00: Warm-up heat 1
- 11.15 12.00: Qualification heat 1
- 12.00 12.30 : Judging and shape
- 12.30 13.30 : Warm-up heat 2
- 13.30 14.15: Qualification heat 2
- 14.15 14.45 : Judging and shape
- 15.00 15.30 : Training finalists
- 15.30 16.15 : Finals

Pricegiving

19.00: TC meeting big air



Tuesday 11th April

Official training big air, *only for riders with bib numbers!* 19.00: TC meeting

Wednesday 12th April

Big air Belgian National Championship

10.00 - 11.00: Warm-up heat 1 11.15 - 12.00: Qualification heat 1 12.00 - 12.30 : Judging and shape 12.30 - 13.30 : Warm-up heat 2 13.30 - 14.15: Qualification heat 2 14.15 - 14.45 : Judging and shape 15.00 - 15.30 : Training finalists 15.30 - 16.15 : Finals Pricegiving 19.00: TC meeting

Thursday 13th April

Weatherday

Contact & Information

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