

# 2017 FIS CONTINENTAL CUP

## CARDRONA ALPINE RESORT, WANAKA, NEW ZEALAND

### INVITATION

15 - 18 August 2017

Cardrona is pleased to host 2017's FIS Continental Cup! The FIS Continental Cup is for ski & snowboard Halfpipe & Slopestyle competitors who want to earn FIS points & qualify for FIS World Cup events & the Winter Olympics. The Halfpipe will be in the 22ft Olympic Superpipe on Tuesday August 15. Slopestyles Qualifications will be held on Wednesday August 16 & Slopestyle Finals will be held Thursday August 17 in the Big Bucks Park. In the lead-up to the 2018 Winter Olympic Games in Pyeongchang Korea.

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### TECHNICAL

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### LOCATION

Cardrona Alpine Resort, Wanaka, New Zealand [www.cardrona.com](http://www.cardrona.com)

### DISCIPLINES & DATES

- Halfpipe Tue August 15
- Slopestyle Wed August 16
- Slopestyle Thu August 17
- Weather day Fri Aug 18
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### TEAM CAPTAINS MEETING

The first Team Captains Meeting will take place from 6pm-8pm Monday 13<sup>th</sup> August, there will be a second team captains meeting on Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> August 6pm-8pm. These will take place at the Snow Sports New Zealand Office, located at 78 Anderson Road, Wanaka.

Weather reports, bib allocation and lift pass information will all be distributed at these meetings.

### SCHEDULE

#### *Monday August 14*

9am:	Training
6pm-8pm:	Team Captains Meeting at Snow Sport New Zealand office

#### *Tuesday August 15: Half Pipe Qualifiers and Finals*

6:00am	Snow reports (cardrona.com, 03 443 7007 or Radio Wanaka)
8:00am	Lift open
8:30 am -9:05 am	Course Inspection/Training All
9:10 am -12:20pm	Qualifications Ladies & Men
12:20 am -1:10 pm	Training Finals All
1:10pm -2:25 pm	Finals Ladies & Men
3:30 pm	Awards Ceremony, Courtyard
6pm	Team Captains Meeting at Snow Sports New Zealand office

#### *Wednesday August 16: Slopestyle, Qualifiers*

6:00am	Snow reports (cardrona.com, 03 443 7007 or Radio Wanaka)
8:30am	Lift open
9:00 am -9:40 am	Course Inspection/Training All
9:40 am -1:25pm	Qualifications, Ladies and Men
1:30 pm	Coaches Meeting, bottom of course

### *Thursday August 17: Slopestyle, Finals*

6:00am	Snow reports (cardrona.com, 03 443 7007 or Radio Wanaka)
8:30am	Lift open
9:00 am -9:50 am	Course Inspection/Training Finals All
10:00am -10:25 am	Finals Ladies
10:30 am -10:45 am	Training Men's Finals
10:45am -11:30 pm	Finals Men
12:00 pm	Awards Ceremony, Courtyard

### *Friday August 18*

WEATHER DAY

## **GENERAL RULES**

The Competition is organised according to the ICR and FIS rules.

## **ELIGIBILITY**

All entrants must be FIS certified and applications must be completed on official FIS registration forms

## **LIFT TICKETS**

Lift tickets will be on sale at Team Captain's Meeting. Lift Tickets for athletes will be issued at a discounted rate of \$70/day. Complimentary passes will be issued to coaches listed on entry form to a limit of 1 pass per team of 8 athletes or part thereof.

## **INFO & ENTRY**

All entries are to be on standard FIS entry forms. These are available online at <https://www.snowsports.co.nz/>. Use separate forms for male and female competitors.

Entry fee for this event is \$60 per discipline day.

Late entries may be accepted at the Team Captains Meeting and will incur a late entry fee of \$20. A deposit of \$25 per bib or \$100 per team will be payable at the Team Captains Meeting before issue.

## **WANAKA INFO**

[www.lakewanaka.co.nz](http://www.lakewanaka.co.nz)

## **QUEENSTOWN INFO**

[www.queenstownnz.co.nz](http://www.queenstownnz.co.nz) | [www.newzealand.com/int/queenstown](http://www.newzealand.com/int/queenstown)

## **ACCOMMODATION**

There are several accommodation options available in Wanaka and Queenstown. Find information on the above websites.

## **AIRPORT**

Queenstown airport is a 10 - 15 minute drive from central Queenstown and just over an hour from Wanaka. Some international flights may fly directly to Queenstown.

## **TRANSPORT**

Cardrona is an easy drive or bus ride from NZ's most famous resort towns - Queenstown and Wanaka. These 2 lakeside destinations are surrounded by breath-taking alpine scenery and offer a dizzying array of activities, sights and sounds. Driving distances to Cardrona: Wanaka 34km, Queenstown 58km, Arrowtown 37km.