







FIS Freestyle Ski Aerial World Cup 2017/2018

Secret Garden, China

Team Invitation









Dear Freestyle Ski Friends,

The Organizing Committee and Chinese Ski Association are very pleased to invite your national teams to participate in the FIS Freestyle Ski Aerial World Cup which will take place in Secret Garden, China. Secret Garden is the official competition venue of Freestyle Skiing and Snowboarding for Olympic Winter Games 2022. Your athletes will have the opportunity to train and compete in the Olympic Zone four years before the Games. The World Cup Competition will be conducted in accordance with the FIS International Ski Competition Rules (ICR), and all of the FIS members are invited to this competition, entries of the event are through FIS website.

In order to help you to organize your participation smoothly, the Organizing Committee has prepared the enclosed information for your reference.

We look forward to welcoming you to secret Garden.

Kind regards

Shiiie DUAN

President

Chinese Ski Association









General Information

Key Contacts:

Organizing Committee:

Chinese Ski Association

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For Race and Visa information: chinaski408@sports.cn

For Accommodation and Transportation: worldcup@secretgardenresorts.com









Event Schedule

December 12th (TUE)	Arrival of Teams
December 13th (WED)	Official Training
December 14 th (THU)	Official Training
December 15 th (FRI)	Official Training
December 16 th (SAT)	Aerial Competition
December 17 th (SUN)	Aerial Competition
December 18 th (MON)	Departure









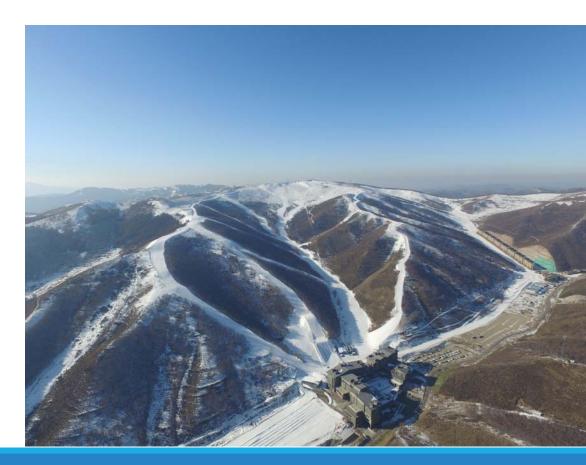


Location

Secret Garden Ski Resort is located in Chongli county, Zhangjiakou City, which it is about 220km away and 3.5 hours to drive from Beijing Capital Airport.

Secret Garden Website:

http://www.secretgardenresorts.com











ENTRIES

Entries will be accepted from National Ski Associations, affiliated to the FIS in accordance with the FIS quotas and rules. Entries must be submitted through the FIS Online Registration and Entry System at www.fis-ski.com.

Deadlines of Entries

Preliminary Entry (Announcement of Team Size): 6th November 2017

Final Team Entry by Name: 6th December 2017









Registration

The registration will start on December 12th (Tuesday) from 09:00--21:00 at the Race office in Genting Grand hotel.

To be eligible for participation in the 2017/2018 FIS Freestyle Ski Aerial World Cup, each competitor must be a citizen of the country from the National Ski Association, and must have the FIS Code and a valid passport. All fees and deposits need be paid in cash or credit card upon the registration.









VISA

To travel to China, most country citizens are required to have a Visa. Please send us the photocopies of passports in advance. As soon as receiving your team entries and passport copies, we will prepare and send you a visa invitation by names. This invitation is required when you submit your visa application to the respective Chinese embassy.

Please also note that all passport must be valid for at least half a year after you leave China. If you need to apply your visa in the country which is different from your nationality, please inform us.

Please contact: chinaski408@sports.cn for Visa Invitation









Accommodation

All teams will be accommodated in Genting Grand Hotel, which is 5 stars with gym, swimming pool, restaurants and other facilities. And the Aerial Course is in front of the hotel.

Organizing Committee will provide Half Board Accommodation from dinner of 12th to breakfast of 18th based on the World Cup Rules. The room rate will be CHF 50.00 per team member. Early arrivals and late departure are subject to availability and subject to different rate.

For accommodation and hotel reservation, please contact with Tina:

worldcup@secretgardenresorts.com









Transportation

The nearest international airport to Secret Garden Ski Resort is the Beijing Capital International Airport (PEK). The Organizing Committee will provide the pick-up and drop-off service at this airport based on the request from participating teams. All itinerary information and transportation requests need to be submitted to the Tina: worldcup@secretgardenresorts.com by Nov. 11th, 2017 for the latest.

Race Office

Race office will be located at the conference room, 2nd floor of the official hotel.









<u>Liability & Accident Insurance</u>

All participates in the event shall do so at their own risk. All competitors must have their own insurance. The organizing Committee, CSA and FIS decline any responsibility for accidents, damage or lost equipment and second and third party claims during the event.

Prizes

A global prize of 50,000 CHF will be awarded for each Aerial World Cup event. Prize money will be awarded to the top 10 men and top 10 women. The winners will receive prize money via bank. In order to process the prize money all winners must provide valid bank details, identification, and complete appropriate tax documentation. Athletes or team captains are required to go to the Race Office immediately after the awards on final competition day to claim the respective prize money.