

FIS Freeski Halfpipe World Cup Secret Garden

TEAM INVITATION



Dear Freeski Nations,

The Organizing Committee and Chinese Ski Association are very pleased to invite your national teams to participate in the FIS Freeski Halfpipe World Cup which will take place in Secret Garden, China. Secret Garden is official competition venue of Freestyle Skiing and Snowboarding for 2022 Winter Olympic Games. Your athletes will have opportunity to train and compete in Olympic Venue four years before 2022 Winter Olympic Games. Competition will be conducted in accordance with the FIS International Ski Competition Rules (I. C. R.), 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

Shijie Duan

President

Chinese Ski Association



General Information

Key Contacts: Organizing Committee: Chinese Ski Association No.56, Zhongguancun South Street P:(+86)10 88318824

For Race and Visa information: <u>Snowboard@sports.cn</u> For Accommodation and transportation: <u>worldcup@secretgardenresorts.com</u>



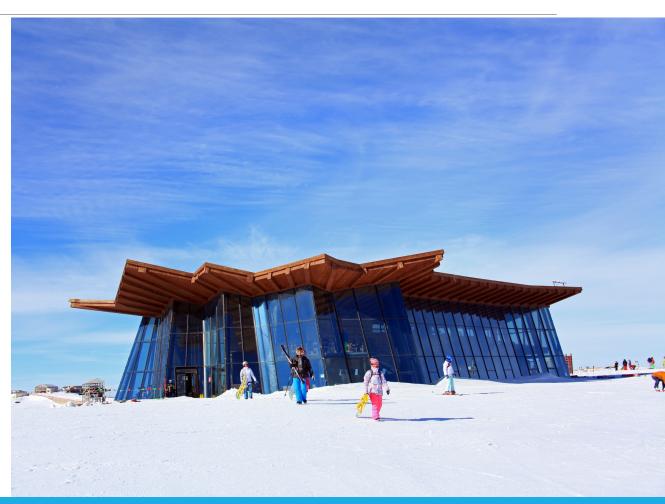




Dates

Sat 16 Dec
Sun 17 Dec
Mon 18 Dec
Wed 20 Dec
Fri 22 Dec
Sat 23 Dec

Arriving& Registration Training Men&Women Training Men&Women Qualification Final Depature









Location

Secret Garden Ski Resort located in Chongli county, Zhangjiakou City, It is about 220Km and 3.5 hours drive from Beijing Capital Airport.

Secret Garden Website: <u>http://www.secretgardenresorts.com</u>





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.fisski.com.

Deadlines of Entries

Preliminary Entry (Announcement of Team Size): 10th November 2017

Final Team Name list:

10th December 2017

Entry Fees

According to the FIS World Cup Rules, a mandatory participation fee of CHF120 per competitor has to pay to the OC at registration in cash or by credit card.



Registration

The registration will start on December 16th (Saturday) from 09:00--21:00 at the Race office in Genting Grand hotel.

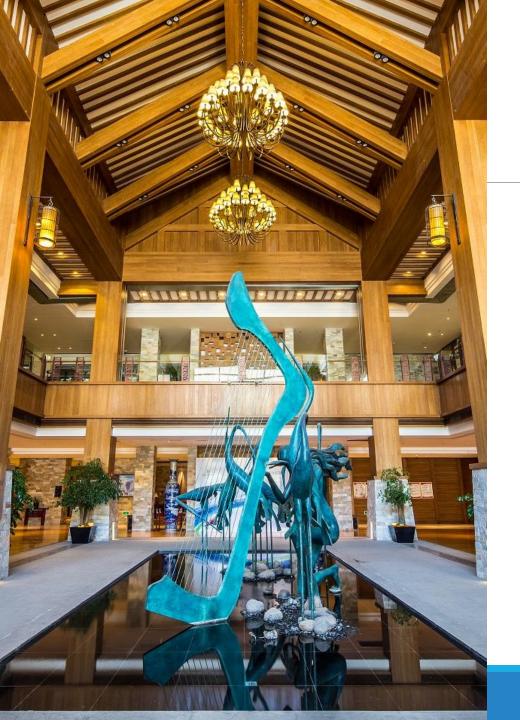
To be eligible for participation in the 2017/2018 FIS Freeski Halfpipe World Cup, each competitor must be a citizen of the country from the National Ski Association, and must have the FIS Code and a valid passport. All fees and deposits need be paid in cash or credit card upon the registration.



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: snowboard@sports.cn for Visa application









Accommodation

All team will stay in Genting Grand Hotel, which is 5 stars with Gym, Swimming Pool, restaurants and other facilities. Gondola is 50 meters away from Hotel. Organizing Committee will provide Half Board Accommodation from dinner of 16th to breakfast of 23rd, The rate will be CHF80 per team member. Early arrivals and late departure are subject to availability and subject to different rate.

For accommodation, please contact with Tina:

worldcup@secretgardenresorts.com



Transportation

Please set your flight destination Beijing Capital International Airport(PEK). The OC will provide transportation from airport to Secret Garden. The rate for round trip will be USD120 per person. Please fill the transportation application form and send to Tina: <u>worldcup@secretgardenresorts.com</u>

Offices

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

Prize Money

Prize money will be CHF25000 per gender and payment will be via bank transfer. Prize money is subjected to income tax of China.



Insurance

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.

Anti Doping

Anti Doping control may be conducted for this event.