



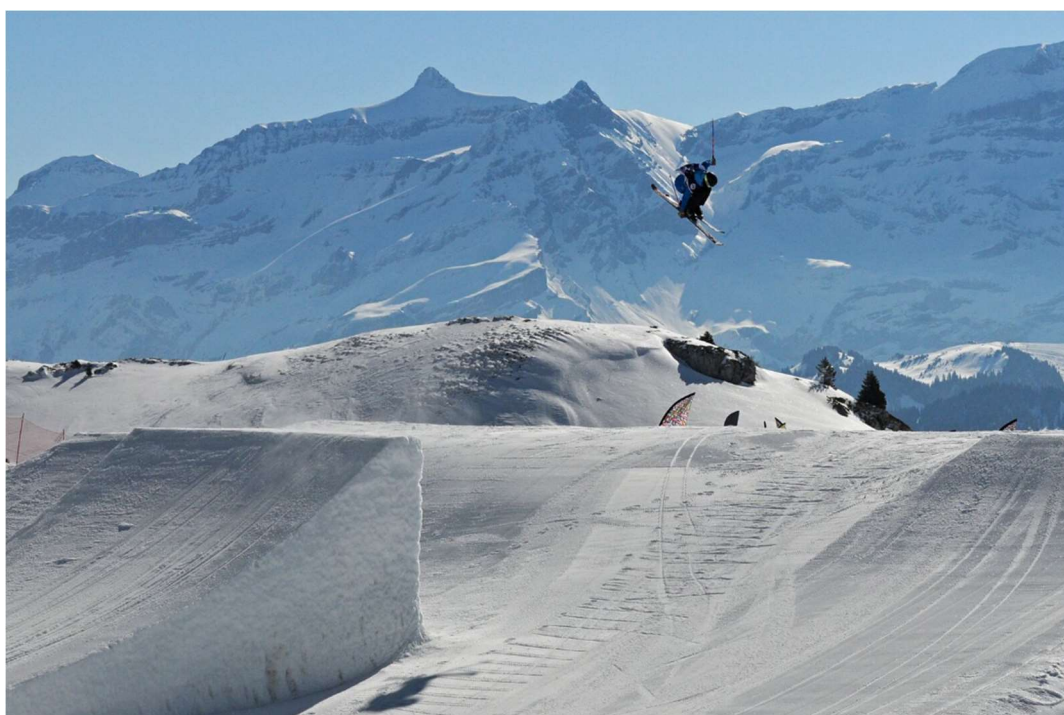
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Leysin Freestyle Open

Pre-YOG Event
Slopestyle & Halfpipe

25th-27th January 2019

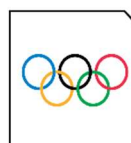


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Dear riders, teams, and freestyle enthusiasts,

We are delighted to invite you to the Leysin Freestyle Open 2019! This event includes both Slopestyle and Halfpipe disciplines. These official Pre-YOG competitions will be counting as a FIS race and as Gold events for the Swiss national tours - Swiss Freeski Tour - and - Audi Snowboard Series.

It will run from Friday, 25th until Sunday, 27th of January 2019 in the YOG 2020 host resort of Leysin located in the beautiful Swiss Alpes.

Official trainings for ski and snowboard will take place on Friday 25th. On Saturday and Sunday the competition will run with two disciplines at a time: Skiers on the slopestyle and snowboarders on the halfpipe the first day, and alternatively the following day.

This season, Leysin has a brand-new snowpark that is conform to the YOG standards. You will therefore, have the opportunity to test the set-up on which the games of 2020 will be held.

Competition Program (Swiss Freeski Tour & Audi Snowboard Series)

DATE	Ski	Snowboard
Fri 25.01.19	Official Trainings (Slopestyle and Halfpipe)	Official Trainings (Slopestyle and Halfpipe)
Sat 26.01.19	Slopestyle competition	Halfpipe competition
Sun 27.01.19	Halfpipe competition	Slopestyle competition

A detailed program will be given out at the TC-meeting the day before the competition, depending on registered riders and weather conditions.

Competition Set Up

As mentioned, the snowpark has been redesigned, preformed and adjusted to host the 2020 YOG. The slopestyle is 900m long and includes 1 urban feature, 1 kicker/rail, 2 kickers 16-20m, 1 rail zone. The Halfpipe length is 525 ft (160m) and has walls of 22 fts (7m) high.
(The set up can be modified depending on the weather and snow conditions)

Video of the summer 2018 preshape of the new snowpark: <https://vimeo.com/294116853>

Judging

The Judges are supported by an electronic scoring system. Displayed results include personal judge rankings on an individual screen. For the Slopestyle the Judges are supported by a live video screen. For the riders and teams, we offer a live result screen at the start and a live scoring app ("FEM Live").



Registration

- **By nation (mandatory for FIS Points)**

Nations may register their riders by FIS entry form.

The entry form must be sent by e-mail **until the 22th of January** to:

christoph.ryser@swiss-ski.ch

To get FIS points a FIS licence is mandatory.

- **Online**

Open riders may register via online registration: **deadline: 22th of January**

Skiers at: www.swissfreeskitour.ch

Snowboarders at: www.audisnowboardseries.ch

Please note: We charge an additional fee of CHF 10.- for on-site registration! (Payment by card is possible)

Starting Fees & Ticket prices

Per day	Adult 2003+	U15 2004-
Starting Fee online	CHF 20.-	CHF 20.-
Starting Fee on site	CHF 30.-	CHF 30.-
Ticket	CHF 30.-	CHF 20.-
Coach*	CHF 0.-	
Accompanying person	CHF 37.-	

**To note: Only one coach per rider will be accepted, any additional coach will be considered as accompanying person.*

Training & competition tickets are available from 24th on until 27th of January at the race office (see opening hours below).

All coach & rider tickets have to be picked up at the race office – there are no discounts available at the lift ticket desk!

Before the LFO competition (only from Saturday 19th of January) reduced tickets are offered at the main ticket desk:

Day Pass:

Adults, 16+	Youth, U16	Coach*	accompanying person
CHF 30.-	CHF 20.-	CHF 0.-	CHF 37.-

→ **IMPORTANT:** Discounted tickets are only available by showing proof of registration to the competition. That is;

- For open riders, the confirmation email received after registration
- For national teams, the completed FIS entry form.

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Accommodation

Different hotels in Leysin are offering special deals for the competitors and their coach's. You can review the offers below as well as the contact information of the hotel.

To make a reservation, directly contact the hotel, and announce that you're a competitor at the Leysin Freestyle Open.

<p>Central Résidence et Alpine Classic Hôtel</p>  <p>www.hotelcr.ch LEYSIN</p>	<p>Full board accommodation with the possibility to request a lunch pack or a discount of CHF 8.- if no lunch is taken.</p> <hr/> <p>Price CHF per night for groups of young people up to 18 years</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Accommodation in 5-6 bedded rooms, 50.- per youth • Accommodation in 3-4 bedded rooms, 60.- per youth • Accommodation for accompanying persons in a double room, 60.- per person <p>Price CHF per night for groups of adults</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Accommodation in 3-4 bedded rooms, 70.- per person • Accommodation in 2 bedded rooms, 90.- per person • Accommodation in a single room, 110.-
<p>Contact and address</p>	<p>Hôtel Central Résidence & spa ***:Route du Belvédère 20, 1854 Leysin Alpine Classic Hôtel *** :Route de la Cité 4, Case postale 221, 1854 Leysin Tel. +41.24.493.07.07 E-mail : sales@hotelcr.ch</p>
<p>Hôtel Tour d'Aï</p> 	<p>Accommodation with breakfast.</p> <hr/> <p>Price CHF per rooms :</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Single rooms: 60.- • Double rooms: 100.- • Triple rooms: 120.- • Quadruple rooms: 140.-
<p>Contact and address</p>	<p>Hôtel La Tour d'Aï **: Route des Ormonts 1854 Leysin Tél. +41 (0)24 493 2280 Fax +41 (0)24 493 2281 www.hotelourdai.ch</p>
<p>Hôtel Le Grand Chalet*** & Wellness</p> 	<p>Accommodation with breakfast.</p> <hr/> <p>Price CHF per person :</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Single rooms: 90.- • Double rooms: 60.- per person • Triple rooms: 50.- per person • Quadruple rooms: 40.- per person
<p>Contact and address</p>	<p>Hôtel le Grand Chalet*** : Chemin de la Source 2 1854 Leysin Tél. +41 (0) 24 493 01 01 E-mail : hotel@grand-chalet.ch www.grand-chalet.ch</p>

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Race Office

Location: Inside the tourism office building, in the center of the village. -> Route de la Cité 27, 1854 Leysin

Opening Hours:

Thursday 24.01	18:00 - 21:00
Friday & Saturday 25 & 26.01	07.15 - 08.30 17:00 -19:00
Sunday 27.01	07.15 - 08:30

TC Meeting

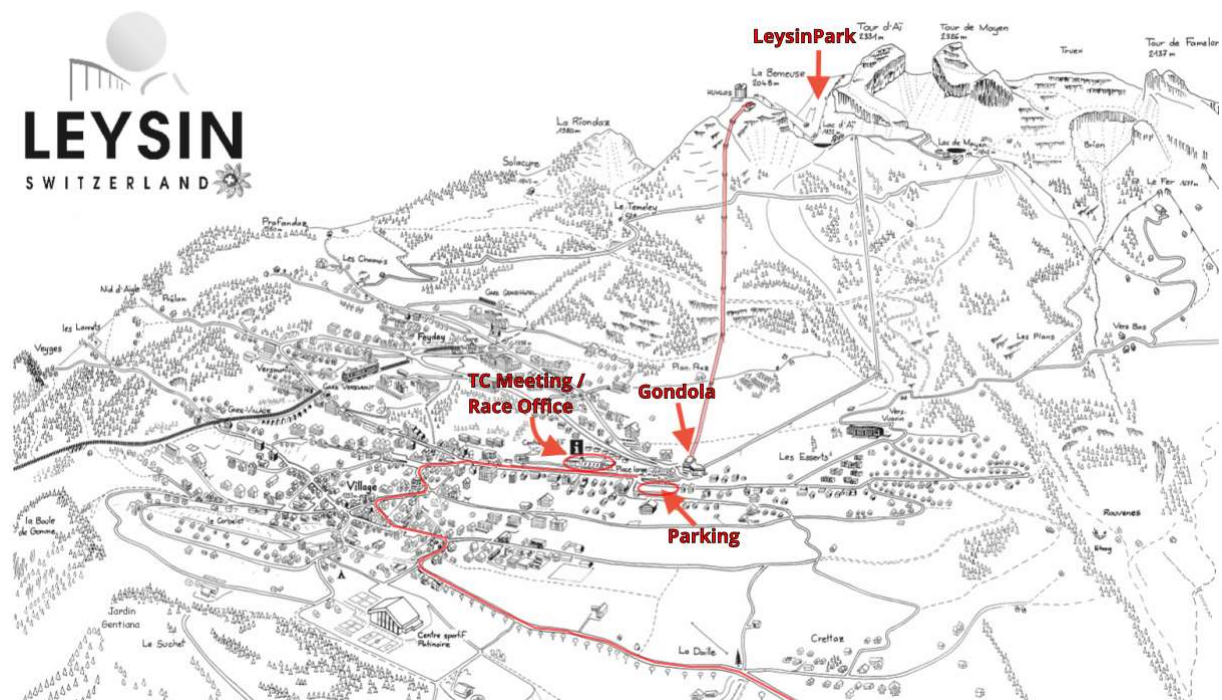
The TC-meeting is mandatory for all nations and teams. We ask teams to check the entry list 15 min before the beginning of the TC meeting. This will help us and your riders, to have well balanced heats and a fair competition. In case of any last-minutes absence, please contact us at minimum 30min before the TC Meeting. **Contact: Romain Erard +41 79 946 31 22**

The TC meetings (mandatory for all Nations/Teams) will be held in the same building as the race office, that is, at the tourism office. Route de la Cité 27, 1854 Leysin.

Thursday: 20h00 (Freeski & Snowboard)

Friday: 16h00 (Snowboard)

Saturday: 19h00 (Snowboard)



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Location/Access

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By Plane	
Geneva Airport	Geneva Airport (Genève-Cointrin) is the nearest airport. It takes 2 hours by train to come to Leysin, or 1 ½ hours by car.    Genève Aéroport → Aigle → Leysin-Feydey
Zürich Airport	From Zürich Airport (Zürich Flughafen) It takes 3 ¾ hours by train and 3 hours by car.      Zürich Flughafen → Bern → Lausanne → Aigle → Leysin-Feydey
By Train	You can find trains schedules and tickets on https://www.sbb.ch/fr/home.html
By Car	Exit the highway A9 in Aigle and follow indications to Leysin, GPS can be useful.

Competition venue:

Leysin snowpark, chair lift of Chaux-de-Mont. <http://www.leysinpark.ch/>

Access from Leysin village by Gondola to Berneuse and then down the slope to Chaux-de-Mont.

Contact & Information

Event Coordinator: Romain Erard, romain_erard@hotmail.com, +41 79 946 31 22

Contest Director: Guido Van Meel, guido.vanmeel@swiss-ski.ch +41 79 508 58 39

Administrative Manager: Aline Turrian, aline.turrian@live.fr, +41 77 407 43 09

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