







Idre Fjäll, October 23th, 2019

# INVITATION

Audi FIS Ski Cross World Cup Idre Fjäll, Sweden January 23<sup>th</sup> – 26<sup>th</sup>, 2020

On behalf of the Swedish Ski Association and the Idre Fjäll Organizing Committee we are pleased to invite all Freestyle Nations to attend the AUDI FIS SKI CROSS WORLD CUP at Idre Fjäll, Sweden, January 23th – 26th, 2020.

The Organizing Committee will host the event in accordance with the competition rules of the International Ski Federation (FIS) and the World Cup Rules 2019/2020. All national Ski Associations affiliated with FIS are invited to compete.

In order to help you plan your stay we have enclosed some information regarding the event and contact information in case of questions.

Idre Fjäll and the Organizing Committee are looking forward to hosting you at Idre Fjäll during the Audi FIS Ski Cross World Cup.

Welcome to Idre Fjäll and Audi FIS Ski Cross World Cup!

Yours sincerely,

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#### **Entries**

Entries will be accepted from National Ski Associations following FIS quotas and rules. The online registration system is accessed on the FIS Homepage <a href="http://www.fis-ski.com">http://www.fis-ski.com</a> in the Member Section.

All quotas and entries are according to the FIS Freestyle Ski World Cup Rules 2019/2020. Only those competitors who are entered by National Associations are eligible and the number of participants is limited under current World Cup quotas.

## Provisional Entries: Sunday, December 15th, 2019

Each National Association must inform the Organizers about the expected total number of team members (Names, FIS Codes and Gender, team officials) arrival and departure dates and rooming needs (competitors, coaches, accompanying persons and service personnel). This needs to be done using the "Competition Online Entry System" and respecting the deadlines fixed and announced by the OC (40 days before the first competition day).

## Confirmation of Final Entries: Thursday, January 14th, 2019

No later than 8 days before the competition day the NSA must inform the OC of its final entries (Names, FIS Code and Gender) with their arrival and departure dates. The NSA must also inform the OC about the arrival and departure dates of the team officials. **Please note!** For any changes after the final deadline, the Organizing Committee may invoice the costs incurred for cancelled accommodation to the National Ski Association concerned. Teams or persons who register after the deadline will not be eligible for FIS rates.

#### Accommodation and meals

Teams will pay the fee for accommodation including half-board according to the FIS Freestyle Ski World Cup Rules 2019/2020 from Monday January 20<sup>th</sup> until Monday January 27<sup>th</sup>. Athletes, Coaches and Team Officials will be hosted in apartments at Idre Fjäll. The OC will charge 60 CHF each for accommodation including half-board and 100 CHF each for three single rooms including half-board. The half-board package at Idre Fjäll includes breakfast and dinner. The exchange rate of transactions in connection to Audi FIS Ski Cross World Cup Idre Fjäll 2019 will be fixed based on the exchange rate of October 18<sup>th</sup>, 2019: 1 CHF equals 9.79671 SEK (http://www.exchangerates.org/history/SEK/CHF/T).

The half-board package at Idre Fjäll includes breakfast and dinner.

Each team will pay all of their accommodation expenses upon arrival (major credit cards only).

Each team will be held responsible for any damage incurred during their stay. Extra expenses such as phone, pay-tv or bar bills are to be paid by the teams or athletes. Please enter the team accommodation requirements in the Competition Online Entry System including a provisional list regarding rooms sharing by December 15<sup>th</sup>, 2019.





#### Other meals

There are several restaurants where lunch is available at Idre Fjäll, all located within 600 meters from the race arena. Mora information on available restaurants is found on our website www.idrefjall.se.

#### **Ski Waxing Rooms**

Ski waxing and storage facilities will be located approximately 350 meters from the race arena (100 meters from the lift). Teams will be informed on location of waxing cabins upon arrival.

## Extra training

Idre Fjäll offers all teams extra training from the 19<sup>th</sup> of January on the north side in *Mellanbacken*. Teams will pay the fee for accommodation including half-board and ski pass according to the FIS Freestyle Ski World Cup Rules 2019/2020.

Contact: info@worldcupidrefjall.com

## Travel to Idre Fjäll

Idre Fjäll is situated in the northwest of the county of Dalarna in Sweden, close to the Norwegian border <a href="https://goo.gl/maps/iAXLkYB6PwK2">https://goo.gl/maps/iAXLkYB6PwK2</a>. Stockholm Arlanda Airport is about five hours by car from Idre Fjäll. You can also travel by train from Stockholm Arlanda Airport to Mora. From Gardermoen Oslo Airport it is around a four hour drive to Idre Fjäll. Mora Airport is a domestic airport and from Mora it is approximately two hours by car or bus.

## Airport Transfer:

Teams are responsible for their own transportation but the organizing committee provides assistance in arrangement of bus transfer from Arlanda Airport to Idre Fjäll upon request. Please contact the Organizing Committee by December 15<sup>th</sup>, 2019 to make airport transfer arrangements. Contact: <a href="mailto:info@worldcupidrefjall.com">info@worldcupidrefjall.com</a>.

### Race Office/Registration

The Race Office will be located in conference room Nipsalen at the main building at Idre Fjäll and will open at 14:00, Tuesday, January 21<sup>th</sup>.

Attention Team Captains: Please confirm your athlete entries at the Race Office on Tuesday, January  $21^{th}$  prior to the first Team Captain's Meeting.

Contact: raceoffice@worldcupidrefjall.com

## **Team Captains Meeting**

 $1^{\text{st}}$  TCM: Tuesday, January  $21^{\text{th}}$ , at 20:00 in conference room Nipsalen at main building.  $1^{\text{st}}$  Draw: Thursday, January  $22^{\text{th}}$  at 18:00 in conference room Nipsalen at main building.  $2^{\text{nd}}$  Draw: Saturday, January  $23^{\text{th}}$  at 18:00 in conference room Nipsalen at main building.

#### Accreditation

Accreditation is received at the Race Office in conference room Nipsalen at the main building at Idre Fjäll. The Race Office will open on Tuesday, January 21<sup>th</sup>, 2020.





#### Regulations

The Organizing Committee will follow all qualifications as outlined in current rules and formula for the FIS Freestyle Ski World Cup Rules 2019/2020 and any precision and/or amendments to these rules.

#### **Bibs**

The competitors must wear bibs during training, the race and award ceremonies.

## Prize Money and Prize Money Taxes

Please Note: Prize money will be transferred to the athletes account. A Bank Transfer form for Prize Money Payments will be provided at the Race Office. A withholding tax will be retained as per Swedish Income Tax Law.

#### Insurance and liability

Each competitor must have his/her own medical insurance. The Organizing Committee sponsors, suppliers, their agents, the FIS and the Swedish National Ski Association do not take any responsibility for accidents, damaged or lost equipment during the event. All athletes, officials and members of the National Associations who attend and participate in the event, shall do so at their own risk. The OC, sponsors and suppliers, their agents, employees and volunteers shall not be held responsible for any losses or injuries incurred or suffered by any athlete, team official or other person in conjunction with the Organizing or staging of the event.

## Anti-Doping

Anti-Doping testing may be conducted in accordance with the rules and regulations set forth by FIS.

#### **Program**

Please see the Race program below for the provisional program of the bib draw, training, qualifications, race and ceremonies. The Organizing Committee reserves the right to modify this schedule, depending on snow conditions or/and the decision of the competition jury.

Program January 21th, 2020		
Official Team arrival		
Race office open - Accreditation	12:00-19:45	Nipsalen at main building
First Team Captains Meeting	20:00-20:30	Nipsalen at main building
Medical Meeting	20:30-20:45	Nipsalen at main building

Program January 22th, 2020		
First run on lift for athletes	08:00	
Jury Meeting at Start	07:00-07:15	
Jury Coach Inspection & Setting	07:15-08:15	
Break	08:15-08:30	
Inspection Competitor Testers	08:30-09:15	
Break	09:15-09:30	
Competitor Testing	09:30-10:30	



Competitor & Jury De-Briefing	10:30-10:45	Finish area
Course preparation	10:45-12:00	
Inspection	12:00-12:45	
Course preparation & Forerunner	12:45-13:00	
Training	13:00-14:30	
Jury Meeting	14:30-14:45	Finish area
Team Captains Meeting & Info	18:00-18:20	Nipsalen at main building

Program January 23th, 2020		
First run on lift for athletes	08:00	
Jury Inspection & Course Setting	08:15-09:30	
Inspection M + W	09:30-10:00	
Break & Course Preparation	10:00-10:30	
Training Men + Women	10:30-11:30	
Break & Course Preparation	11:30-12:00	
Qualification Men	12:00-13:00	
Break & Course Preparation	13:00-13:15	
Qualification Women	13:15-14:00	
Team Captains Meeting & Draw	18:00-18:20	Nipsalen at main building

Program January 24th, 2020			
First run on lift for athletes	08:00		
Jury Inspection & Course Setting	08:15-09:30		
Inspection M + W	09:30-10:00		
Break, Course Preparation & Forerunner	10:00-10:30		
Training M + W	10:30-11:30		
Break, Course Preparation & Forerunner	11:30-12:00		
Second Race qualification			
Qualification Men	12:00-13:00		
Break, Course Preparation & Forerunner	13:00-13:15		
Qualification Women	13:15-14:00		
Team Captains Meeting & Info	18:00-18:20	Nipsalen at main building	

Program January 25th, 2020 Finals Competition 1		
First run on lift for athletes	08:00	
Jury Inspection & Course Setting	10:45-11:45	
Inspection Finalists	11:45-12:15	
Break & Course Preparation	12:15-12:45	
Training Finalists	12:45-13:15	
Break & Course Preparation	13:15-13:35	
Forerunner	13:35-13:45	
EF Men	13:45-14:08	
QF Women	14:08-14:21	
QF Men	14:21-14:33	
Break	14:33-14:36	



SF Women	14:36-14:42	
SF Men	14:42-14:49	
Break	14:49-14:51	
Finals Women	14:51-14:59	
Finals Men	14:59-15:07	
Break	15:07-15:11	
Prize giving and WC leader bib	15:11	Finish area
Team Captains Meeting & BIBs	18:00-18:30	Nipsalen at main building

Program January 26th, 2020 Finals Competition 2		
First run on lift for athletes	08:00	
Jury Inspection & Course Setting	08:00-09:00	
Inspection Finalists	09:00-09:30	
Break & Course Preparation	09:30-10:00	
Training Finalists	10:00-10:30	
Break & Course Preparation	10:30-10:50	
Forerunner	10:50-11:00	
EF Men	11:00-11:23	
QF Women	11:23-11:36	
QF Men	11:36-11:48	
Break	11:48-11:51	
SF Women	11:51-11:57	
SF Men	11:57-12:04	
Break	12:04-12:06	
Finals Women	12:06-12:14	
Finals Men	12:14-12:22	
Break	12:22-12:26	
Prize giving and WC leader bib	12:26	Finish area

## General information

If you have any question, please feel free to contact the Organizing Committee at <a href="mailto:info@worldcupidrefjall.com">info@worldcupidrefjall.com</a>.

