

BIG AIR 20 WORLD CUP 21 SNOWBOARD & FREESKI



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INVITATION

On behalf of the Austrian Ski Federation and the local OC of Kreischberg, as well as the Kreischberg resort we are pleased to invite all teams to attend the FIS Freeski and Snowboard Big Air World Cup Kreischberg 2021. The event will be held in accordance with the International Ski Federation (FIS) rules for competitions & World Cup from January 5 - 9, 2021.

The event week starts on Tuesday, January 5, with the first official practice sessions and ends on Saturday, January 9 with the Snowboard finals.

Pls. see attached current schedules for Freeski and Snowboard.

COVID-19 SITUATION

In order to ensure the health and safety for the athletes and team personnel, the LOC is working in accordance with the Regional and National Health regulations as well as with FIS in accordance with the FIS COVID-19 Prevention Organiser Guidelines together with the World Health Organisation (WHO) information and recommendations. The LOC and FIS Event Task Force has been established and is monitoring all developments. The corresponding arrangements are currently being put together in a separate document. This will be published and communicated by the LOC at a later stage. All competitors must have their own medical insurance (ICR art 212) which shall cover COVID-19 medical treatment expenses. Updated COVID-19 relevant medical procedures that may be required will be communicated whenever relevant. It'll be possible to conduct COVID testings on site for onward travels and needed test results.

At that point everyone connected to the event needs a negative COVID-19 tests not older than 72 hrs. when picking up the accreditation.

REGISTRATION

Entries will only be accepted from National Ski Associations following FIS quotas and rules for Big Air events. Entries are open now and must be submitted to the OC using the FIS online registration system within the mentioned deadlines. Please keep the 60 day deadline in mind (9th of November) as maximum field sizes will be applied if needed as by new W.C rules. Please read carefully the W.C. quota sheets and procedures.

Please make sure that all athletes have a valid FIS license. The World Cup rules are available on the FIS website.

Provisional entry deadline November 8, 2020.

Final entry deadline December 28, 2020.

EVENT ORGANIZER CONTACT

For any event related questions please contact:

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For all accommodation bookings pls. get in contact with the local tourism office.

Tourism office Kreischberg / Murau

tvbkreischberg@murau.at

Call: +43 3537 360

LOCATION

pls. find all relevant travel infos at www.kreischberg.at

ACCOMMODATION

First of all we want to underline that we highly recommend that all teams book their accommodation through the official and below mentioned channels in order to stay within the COVID-19 guidelines. It'll be way easier for you and us to safeguard a "bubble environment" for all teams during your stay at Kreischberg. Thanks a lot in advance for following this recommendation. If you choose to book somewhere else pls. communicate your accommodation with us in order for the local OC to have everything in place and get in touch with the respective hotel / pension.

Team accommodation, halfboard at CHF 80,- per day per person according to the FIS World Cup rules will be offered for the dates of the official program. Additional officials or accompanying persons and staff will be charged with CHF 110,- per day per person. According to World Cup rule 2.2.1.3.

For all bookings please contact the tourism office directly.

Please note that accommodation at the FIS rate is available for the dates of the program only.

Payment methods with VISA, Mastercard, Maestro and Cash!

Arrival

- Monday, January 4

Departure:

- Saturday, January 9 for Freeski

- Sunday January 10 for Snowboard

Early arrivals and late departures are subject to availability and are not available at the FIS rate.

The rate has to be paid directly to the tourism office. Any extras must be paid by the teams or athletes themselves. A credit card is requested at your arrival at the hotel for deposit.

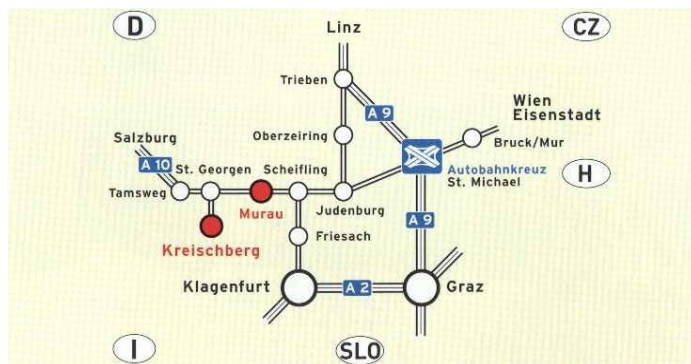
The FIS rate can only be guaranteed for bookings made until November 9, 2020. We have blocked rooms at the official event hotels.

For all accommodation bookings pls. get in contact with the local tourism office.
Tourism office Kreischberg / Murau.
worldcup@regionmurau.at
Call: +43 3537 360

ARRIVAL & TRANSPORTATION

Teams are responsible for their own transportation.

Next airports: Graz 150 km, Salzburg 160 km, Vienna 250 km, Munich 320 km



PARKING & TRAFFIC

We'll provide a dedicated parking area for all teams within walking distance to the event venue and the bottom station of the WM Bahn, the chair lift you'll be riding exclusively for the event days.

ACCREDITATION

Registration and accreditation will be held at the Kreischberghalle on January 4 and 5 2021. Please see the official event schedule for registration times. All competition participants (including competitors and officials) must report to the registration office for check-in before proceeding to their accommodations or the competition venue. If you are planning to bring a media team with you or know of someone wishing to cover the event, please note that they must be accredited by the Kreischberg World Cup media office. This applies whether they are editorial media or filming for promotional purposes.

Media accreditation requests prior to the arrival are appreciated.

ENTRY FEES

An administration fee will be charged for each World Cup competitor. All fees will be collected upon check-in at the registration office. We accept debit and credit cards as well as cash. The administrative fee is CHF 120,- (as per FIS rules) per competitor.

Payment methods with VISA, Mastercard or Maestro and Cash!

LIFT TICKETS

Lift tickets will be provided to all competitors and team officials for official training and competition days and will be distributed at the first team captains' meeting.

The number of free lift tickets given out to team officials will be relative to the team's size (as per FIS World Cup rules).

BIBS

All competitors must wear bibs during all scheduled official trainings, competition and at the award ceremony. Training and competition bibs will also be allocated at the team captains meetings.

A cash only deposit of € 50,- per bib will be required in cash at the first team captains' meeting.

COMMUNICATION & SOCIAL MEDIA

We would love to share your stories from the Kreischberg World Cup and would thus be grateful for you to join in on the conversation by using the hashtags #kreischberg and tagging @kreischberg in your social media activities.

For any inquiries upfront pls. get in touch with karl.fussi@kresichberg.at

ANTI-DOPING

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

ACCIDENT INSURANCE

All competitors must have their own medical insurance.

The organizing committee, sponsors, suppliers, their agents, employees and volunteers, the FIS and the Austrian Ski Federation decline any responsibility for accidents, damaged or lost equipment and second and third party claims during the event.

LIABILITY

All athletes, officials and members of National Associations who attend and participate in the event shall do so at their own risk.

The organizing committee, sponsors, suppliers, their agents, employees and volunteers, the FIS and the Austrian Ski Federation shall not be responsible for any losses or injuries incurred or suffered by any athlete, official or other person in conjunction with the organizing and staging of the event.

FIRST TEAM CAPTAINS' MEETINGS

The first team captains' meeting will be held on Tuesday, January 5 , 10:30am CET for Snowboard and on Tuesday, January 5, 15:30pm CET at the Kreischberghalle.

SCHEDULE

Pls. find current and preliminary schedules attached for FK and SNB attached to this email.

SANCTIONING

Athletes must have a valid FIS license to compete.

AWARD CEREMONY

Ceremonies will take place at the finish line area immediately after the competitions' finals. Podium placing athletes are obliged to attend these ceremonies and should be available for media interviews and athlete signings immediately after the awards.

PRIZE MONEY

The total prize purse for BIG AIR is CHF 50,000 per FIS rules and payments. The prize money breakdown is in accordance with the FIS rules and all money transfers will be made electronically within 3 days after the event.

In order to make the money transfers, all athletes who qualify for the finals must provide their bank details in an original bank document, home address and a copy of their passport for verification. These details need to be provided to the organizing committee in printed form on the evening before the finals.

Prize money breakdown according to FIS rule 2.4.1

Place	Amount CHF	% of Total
1st place	11,250	45.00%
2nd place	5,875	23.50%
3rd place	3,125	12.50%
4th place	1,500	6.00%
5th place	750	3.00%
6th place	625	2.50%
7th place	563	2.25%
8th place	500	2.00%
9th place	437	1.75%
10th place	375	1.50%
Total	25,000	100.00%

According to World Cup rule page 9, rule 1.2.10 / 1.2.10.1 and page 22 rule 2.4 and 2.4.2

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