

LAAX OPEN
TEAM INVITATION
January 11 – 15, 2022
FIS Snowboard World Cup
CRAP SOGN GION, LAAX, Switzerland



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WELCOME INTRO

The LAAX OPEN, Europe's long-standing and number one snowboarding event, is scheduled for 11-15 January 2022. The FIS Snowboard World Cup in LAAX takes place as part of the European package at the beginning of the new year.

The LAAX OPEN team is happy to push ahead with the preparations for the LAAX OPEN 2022. Special measures for protection against COVID-19 are our number one priority. This includes developing safety concepts with Swiss-Ski, the Inside LAAX app and also visible items such as LAAX neck warmers with integrated certified masks.

We are looking very forward to welcome you for the LAAX OPEN 2022!

COVID-19 NOTE

We are currently in the procedure of establishing COVID-19 safe areas and procedures for all of you during the event. This work is in progress in close cooperation with both the FIS and the Swiss NSA, as well as with medical and other specialists in the field.

Other than this year's LAAX OPEN 2021, the event does not restrict spectators or side events, and we are looking forward to staging a snowboard event for the public again as in pre-pandemic times.

The mandatory COVID-19 safety measures implemented by the FIS foresee the same red group / bubble concept as in 2021. It allows you to participate at all trainings and contests during your entire stay, without lacking any standards or quality of execution for the contests.

As a consequence of any safe system, a few strict rules will be inevitable. They mainly concern your whereabouts during the event (such as rules for mountain and lift transportation, meals, avoiding non-riders areas, online TC meetings etc.).

All our efforts are driven to keep you safe from the moment you set foot in LAAX until you depart after the event. More detailed information shall be available in due time.

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GENERAL INFORMATION

Entries

Entries will be accepted from National Ski and Snowboard Associations following FIS World Cup quotas and rules. Please submit the provisional entry with anticipated number of officials and names of your Halfpipe and Slopestyle competitors by November 14, 2021. The final entry with number of your competition team and names of participants (including competitors and official) must be submitted to the organizers no later than January 3, 2022.

World cup quota rules will apply to the event with maximum field sizes allowed. Refer to W.C rules.

Registration

The FIS online registration system is accessed through the FIS Homepage "Members Section" Click here: <http://www.fis-ski.com/>

FIS has established nation quotas for World Cup events. National Snowboard Teams can only enter World Cup Competitors according to the quota limitations. The quotas can be downloaded through this link: [FIS WORLD CUP QUOTA](#)

Onsite registration / Accreditation

Registration and accreditation will be possible after the COVID-19-check-in. It is mandatory to go there first, do not go anywhere else upon your arrival.

Bring your COVID-19-check-in verification to the accreditation office – who is located in Diva 1, in the rocksresort House D. All competition participants (including competitors and officials) have to pass to the registration area for check-in before proceeding to the competition venues. All fees will be collected upon check-in.

Athlete Participation Fee: CHF 120.00 (also for riders competing in both events HP and SS) at accreditation office.

Payment by Maestro-, Post- and credit cards in the accreditation office possible.

Following credit cards are accepted: Visa, MasterCard and American Express.

Bibs

All competitors must wear bibs during all scheduled trainings, competition and at the awards ceremony. Bibs will be the same from training day 1 until semi finals. There will be new bibs for the finals.

TC Meeting

The TC Meetings will be held from Monday, January 10 to Saturday, January 15, 2022. We are considering to run them virtually (final call for this upon your arrival).

The first TC Meeting for Slopestyle and Halfpipe
Monday, January 10, 2022 6pm – 6.30pm

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Anti-Doping

Anti-Doping control may be conducted for this event.

Clothing Halfpipe Finals

For the Halfpipe Night Finals on Saturday we suggest to all finalists to wear bright, colourful (namely better visible) clothing, for judging and TV/media reasons. This will help to better capture the riding action and give a much better viewing experience to both onsite and TV spectators. Thanks for your cooperation on this matter!

Accident Insurance

All competitors must have their own medical/injury insurance. The Organizing Committee, sponsors, suppliers, their agents, employees and volunteers, the FIS and Swiss Ski / Swiss Snowboard Association 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 Swiss Ski / Swiss Snowboard Association 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.

Transportation

Teams are responsible for their own transportation to and from the resort.

Laax is located just 30 minutes from Chur and 1 hour and 45 minutes from Zurich by car. You can easily reach our resort from anywhere in Europe. Whether you are travelling by public transport or by plane, thanks to the exceptional infrastructure around Flims, Laax and Falera, you will reach us easily.



By car

If you're coming from Zurich or Basel, follow the A3/A13 motorway towards Chur and exit at Reichenau (no. 18). Then take route 19 and you will reach our resort in around 30 minutes. If you're coming from San Bernardino, also exit at Reichenau (no. 18).



By public transport

If you are coming by train, the international train connections will also take you to Chur. From there, you can reach our destination by PostBus going towards Flims. The same applies if you're travelling to Ilanz by Rhaetian Railway.



By plane

From Zurich, Basel and Friedrichshafen international airports, the best way to get to Laax is to take the airport shuttle. National train connections will also comfortably take you from the airports to Chur.

From there, it is a 30-minute journey to our resort via the PostBus service. You can also take the Rhaetian Railway to Ilanz, where you will also be able to take the PostBus.



Airport shuttle

With our airport shuttle service, you can easily travel to and from Laax from Zurich, Friedrichshafen or Memmingen airports. You can pick up the shuttle bus directly in front of the airport terminal.

Simply contact us by phone on +41 (0)81 927 77 77 to place a booking, or book online. Please note that you need to book a place on our airport shuttle service at least 48 hours prior to travelling. Payment must be made by credit card.

[Book online here](#)

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ACCOMMODATION

Accommodation according to FIS WC Rules

All prices are available from January 11 to 16, 2022

Double room CHF 80.00 per person / night, incl. breakfast and dinner

For reservation, please contact the hotel.

Accommodation will be provided according to FIS WC rules 5.3 at:

- **Schweizerhof Flims, Romantik Hotel**

Rudi Dadens 1
7018 Flims Waldhaus
Phone: +41 (0)81 928 10 10
Email: info@schweizerhof-flims.ch
www.schweizerhof-flims.ch

- **Hotel Adula**

Via Sorts Sut 3
7018 Flims Waldhaus
Phone: +41 (0)81 928 28 28
Email: info@adula.ch
<https://adula.ch>

- **Intersoc Grand Hotel Surselva**

Herman Buys
Rudi Dado 8
7018 Flims Waldhaus
Phone: +41 79 610 50 19
Email: herman.buys@intersoc.be

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Additional accommodation offers

- **RIDERS HOTEL** (walking distance to venue)
 - Riders Single
CHF 185.00 per person / night, incl. breakfast and dinner
 - Riders Double
CHF 140.00 per person / night, incl. breakfast and dinner
 - Riders Friends 3 (3 persons)
CHF 125.00 per person / night, incl. breakfast and dinner
 - Riders Friends 4 (4 persons)
CHF 115.00 per person / night, incl. breakfast and dinner
 - Breakfast and dinner (menu of the day) at rocksresort

For reservation, please contact as soon as possible:

RIDERS HOTEL

Via Murschetg 1
7032 Laax Murschetg
Phone: +41 (0)81 927 97 00
Email: riders@laax.com
<https://ridershotel.com/>

- **signinahotel** (walking distance to venue)
 - Double room
CHF 165.00 per person / night, incl. breakfast and dinner
 - Breakfast and dinner (menu of the day) at rocksresort

For reservation, please contact:

signinahotel

Via Murschetg 15
7032 Laax Murschetg
Phone: +41 (0)81 927 99 99
Email: reservation@signinahotel.com
www.signinahotel.com

- **rocksresort apartment** (walking distance to venue)
 - Apartment with 2 bedrooms
 - Breakfast and dinner (menu of the day) at rocksresort
 - 4 pax CHF 135.00* per person / night (incl. tourist tax)
 - 3 pax CHF 157.00* per person / night (incl. tourist tax)
 - 2 pax CHF 201.00* per person / night (incl. tourist tax)
 - *price excl. bed and towelling linen and final cleaning

For reservation, please contact:

rocksresort

Via Murschetg 15
7032 Laax Murschetg
Phone: +41 81 927 97 97
Email: reservation@rocksresort.com
www.rocksresort.com

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Teams must submit their expected total number of team members (competitors, coaches and team officials) and accommodation needs no later than November 14, 2021. Final accommodation reservations must be booked no later than January 3, 2022.

Waxing Facilities

Waxing rooms in team hotels.

Waxing space at parking garage signinahotel if no waxing room in the team hotel.

Prize Money / Award Ceremonies

Quick awards ceremony Slopestyle: Saturday, January 15, 2022 right after finals at finish area Slopestyle.

Quick awards ceremony Halfpipe: Saturday, January 15, 2022 right after finals at finish area Halfpipe.

Both main awards ceremonies Slopestyle (Saturday, January 15, 2022) and Halfpipe (Saturday, January 15, 2022) will be held on Crap Sogn Gion mountain.

A total prize purse of CHF 140'000.- (CHF 35'000.- per gender and event) will be awarded at the LAAX OPEN 2022, see splitting below. The winners will receive prize money via bank transfer only.

NSAs are responsible for entering the personal bank information for each athlete using the Athlete Registration module in the FIS Member Section.

		Halfpipe		Slopestyle	
rule		MEN	WOMEN	MEN	WOMEN
45.00%	1st	CHF 15'750	CHF 15'750	1st	CHF 15'750
23.50%	2nd	CHF 8'225	CHF 8'225	2nd	CHF 8'225
12.50%	3rd	CHF 4'375	CHF 4'375	3rd	CHF 4'375
6.00%	4th	CHF 2'100	CHF 2'100	4th	CHF 2'100
3.00%	5th	CHF 1'050	CHF 1'050	5th	CHF 1'050
2.50%	6th	CHF 875	CHF 875	6th	CHF 875
2.25%	7th	CHF 788	CHF 788	7th	CHF 788
2.00%	8th	CHF 700	CHF 700	8th	CHF 700
1.75%	9th	CHF 613	CHF 613	9th	CHF 613
1.50%	10th	CHF 525	CHF 525	10th	CHF 525
		CHF 35'000	CHF 35'000	CHF 35'000	CHF 35'000

EVENT ORGANIZER CONTACTS

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+41819277145





COMPETITION SCHEDULE

Monday, January 10	Arrival Day
Tuesday, January 11	Training Slopestyle Training Halfpipe
Wednesday, January 12	Training Slopestyle Training Halfpipe
Thursday, January 13	Qualification Slopestyle Men Semi Finals Halfpipe
Friday, January 14	Semi Finals Slopestyle Training Halfpipe Night Training Halfpipe for Finalists
Saturday, January 15	Finals Slopestyle Prize Giving Slopestyle Training Halfpipe Night Finals Halfpipe Prize Giving Halfpipe
Sunday, January 16	Departure Day Reserve Day (if needed)

Please note that the event schedule may change on short notice due to inclement weather.



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CONTEST FORMAT

CONTEST FORMAT SLOPESTYLE



WOMEN



MEN

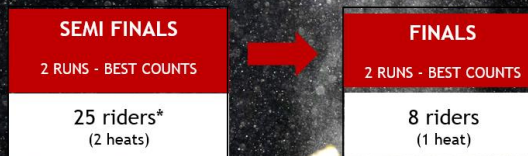


* The number of riders may vary according to the inscription rules of the FIS Snowboard World Cup Rules

CONTEST FORMAT HALFPIPE



WOMEN



MEN



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