



2025 FIS Australian Masters Championships – Race Invitation

Location

Thredbo, New South Wales, Australia

World Cup Race Course

Competition Programme

Date		Programme
FRIDAY	15 th Aug	Team Captains Meeting Thredboland, Friday Flat. 17:00
SATURDAY	16 th Aug	FIS MAS Event 1: Giant Slalom 1 (1 Run Race) FIS MAS Event 2: Giant Slalom 2 (1 Run Race)
SUNDAY	17 th Aug	FIS MAS Event 3: Giant Slalom 3 (1 Run Race) FIS MAS Event 4: Giant Slalom 4 (1 Run Race)
MONDAY	18 th Aug	FIS MAS Event 5: Slalom 1 (2 Run Race) FIS MAS Event 6: Slalom 2 (2 Run Race)
TUESDAY	19 th Aug	Weather Day

Organising Committee & Key Contacts

Race Secretary	Michelle Vari	raceadmin_thredbo@evt.com
Chief of Race	Trent Kaufman	race_thredbo@evt.com
Snow Australia Representative	Shawn Fleming	sfleming@snow.org.au
Thredbo Snowsports Manager	AJ Jones	aj_jones@evt.com



Eligibility & Entries

All entries will be taken through Thredbo's Online Shop at <https://shop.thredbo.com.au>
Entries are capped at a maximum of 75 competitors per event.

All entrants will be required to submit their active FIS MAS code to complete their race registration purchase.

Snow Australia Membership and FIS Registration

All competitors must be a member of their national sporting organization. For domestic Australian competitors, you will need to purchase an individual membership which can be purchased here, <https://www.snow.org.au/membership/>.

International Entries - FIS

FIS Entries for international competitors must be submitted by the competitors respective National Federation on a standard FIS Entry Form 2 weeks PRIOR to the event start date.

FIS entries are to be submitted electronically to info@snow.org.au

International competitors will also be required to register and pay their entry fee online via the Thredbo website by midnight Thursday 14th August.

Online Registrations

Competitors will also be required to register and pay their entry fee online via the Thredbo website by midnight Thursday 14th August.

Physical Payments

Competitors wishing to pay with physical money may do so by prior arrangement. For assistance with online registration or to arrange a physical payment, please contact the race secretary by no later than 5pm Thursday 14th August by email, raceadmin_thredbo@evt.com or phone, +61 2 6459 4294. Payment must be received in full by no later than 5pm Friday 15th August prior to the commencement of the Team Captains Meeting.

Entry Fees

Entry fees are set at AUD\$45 (25 Euro) per event.

Please note, there are 6 events across the 3 days of competition, 2 events each day.



Lift Tickets

Discount competitor tickets will be available to registered entrants for competition days only.

Discount competitor tickets will only be available to purchase online, as an add-on, at the time of registering for the event through Thredbo's online shop.

Discount tickets will be available at a cost of:

- 64 years and under – AUD149 per day.
- 65 years and over – AUD79 per day.

A MyThredbo Card is required at a cost of AUD\$5. Competitors with an existing MyThredbo Card will be able to reload their existing card.

Team Captain's & Race Office

The Race Office will be located in the Thredboland building at Friday Flat.

All Team Captain's Meetings will be held in the Thredboland building, with the first scheduled for 17:00 on Friday 15th August. Timings for subsequent Team Captain's meetings will be announced following completion of competition each day and will likely be approximately 1hr after completion of the day's events.

Prior to the first Team Captain's please direct all general enquiries to race_thredbo@evt.com.

Please direct all entry or administrative enquiries to raceadmin_thredbo@evt.com.

Race Bibs

Bibs will be allocated at the Team Captain's Meeting. Bibs shall be returned in the finish area at the conclusion of the final run daily.

Lost, stolen or unreturned bibs will result in a replacement fee of AUD\$40 per bib.



Awards Ceremonies

Prize giving ceremony will be held in the Schuss Bar on Sunday 17th August at 16:00 for the GS events.

Prize giving for the Slalom events will be held on Monday 18th August in the finish arena immediately on completion of the final run.

Race Course Location & Technical Data

All Giant Slalom and Slalom events will be held on Thredbo's fantastic World Cup Course. Visible from the Kosciuszko chairlift, this hill is the perfect blend of challenge and fun, starting on a wide mellow face, before entering a dog-leg bend through the flats and finishing on a pitch that gradually eases into the finish area.

Technical Data

	World Cup Giant Slalom	World Cup Slalom
Start elevation	1809	1660
Finish elevation	1510	1510
Vertical drop	299	150
Length	983	598



Detailed Race Schedule

Date	Time	Details
Fri 15th Aug	10:00 – 14:00 17:00	Training course – Rossignol Race Course Team Captains Meeting – Thredboland building
Sat 16th Aug <i>GS Events</i> 1 & 2	08:30 08:45 – 09:15 09:30 10:30 – 11:00 11:15	<i>World Cup Race Course</i> Kosciuszko or Snowgums chairlift open Course Inspection – GS Race 1 Start – GS Race 1 Course Inspection – GS Race 2 Start – GS Race 2
Sun 17th Aug <i>GS Events</i> 3 & 4	08:30 08:45 – 09:15 09:30 10:30 – 11:00 11:15	<i>World Cup Race Course</i> Kosciuszko or Snowgums chairlift open Course Inspection – GS Race 1 Start – GS Race 1 Course Inspection – GS Race 2 Start – GS Race 2
Mon 18th Aug <i>SL Events</i> 1 & 2	08:00 08:15 – 08:30 09:00 09:45 – 10:00 10:30 12:00 – 12:15 12:45 13:30 – 13:45 14:15 16:00	<i>World Cup Race Course</i> Kosciuszko or Snowgums chairlift open Course Inspection – SL Race 1, run 1 Start – SL Race 1, run 1 Course Inspection – SL Race 1, run 2 Start – SL Race 1, run 2 Course Inspection – SL Race 2, run 1 Start – SL Race 1, run 1 Course Inspection – SL Race 2, run 2 Start – SL Race 2, run 2 Presentations – <i>Schuss Bar</i>
Tues 19th Aug		<i>Weather Day</i>



RESORT INFORMATION

THREDBO

Thredbo is Australia's best ski resort and boasts a huge amount of snow terrain for all abilities and ages, a range of amazing lessons and programs to help you get your snow feet, tons of events and activities to enjoy, and a beautiful vibrant village right at the base of the mountain with a range of accommodation, restaurants, bars, cafes and retail shops to entertain you when you're off the mountain.

ACCOMMODATION

Accommodation in Thredbo offers stunning mountain views, convenience and comfort for all guests. Choose from lodges, hotels, on-snow chalets, luxurious apartments and self-contained units.

The team at Thredbo Resort Centre can help make it happen. Contact Thredbo Resort Centre, call 1300 020 589 or email reservations_thredbo@evt.com

BY AIR

FLY DIRECT TO THE SNOWY MOUNTAINS

Qantas

Services have commenced between Sydney and the Snowy Mountains (Cooma- OOM).

For more information or to make a booking:

Qantas: www.qantas.com.au - 13 13 13

FLY DIRECT TO CANBERRA

Qantas and Virgin service Canberra Airport (CBR) from major Australian cities.

Canberra Airport is a 2.5 hour drive from Thredbo. Bookings can be made at:

Qantas: www.qantas.com.au - 13 13 13

Virgin Blue: www.virgin.com.au - 13 67 89

Shuttle transfers to and from the airport can be arranged. Several major car hire companies also hire from Canberra.

SHUTTLE SERVICES OPERATING FROM CANBERRA TO THREDBO

Murrays Coaches, Buses & Limousine

<https://www.murrays.com.au/express-services/murrays-snow-express/>

NSW Country Link

<https://transportnsw.info/regional>



Snowlink

<https://snowlinkshuttle.com.au/>

Snowy Mountains Shuttles

<https://www.snowymountainsshuttles.com.au/>

SnoExpress

<https://snoexpress.com.au/>

BY CAR

Your ticket to the divine alpine is just 6 hours' drive from both Sydney and Melbourne. If you're cruising to the mountains from Sydney, once you're on the Eastern Distributor there are only a few sets of traffic lights to Thredbo. From Melbourne, the fully sealed Kosciuszko Alpine Way is your scenic window as you wind through the spectacular Kosciuszko National Park.

The roads are clear for most of the year, but when the big snowfalls hit, chains may be required for 2 wheel drives. Chains can be hired in Jindabyne and Khancoban. When hiring they will need to know your tyre size and be sure to ask them about any fitting tips. A tip from us is to practice fitting your chains and to pack an old blanket to use when fitting them.

For up to date road conditions please call the RTA traffic information line on 132 701. Select option 1 for road closures from storms, snow and ice etc and then option 1 again for Southern NSW. This will take you straight to the conditions for the Snowy Mountains.

If in the local area tune to 107.3 2XL or 97.7 Snow FM for regular updates.

The National Parks and Wildlife Service collect park use fees upon entry to the National Park. You can purchase your pass from the Entrance Station before you get to Thredbo, the Snowy Region Visitors Centre in Jindabyne, the National Parks Visitors Centre in Khancoban, or the Thredbo Information Centre at the Valley Terminal bus stop in Thredbo village.

Distance & driving times from major cities

Sydney 5 - 6.5 hours 500km (approx.)

Melbourne 7 hours 500km (approx.)

Canberra 2.5 hours 180km (approx.)

Driving from Sydney

Follow the Hume Highway from Sydney then just south of Goulburn take the Federal Highway and travel south to Canberra. This section of the trip is mainly on a divided road. From Canberra follow the signs to the Monaro Highway to Cooma. This road then joins the Kosciuszko Rd that you follow through the town of Berridale and onto Jindabyne. Follow the signs through Jindabyne to Thredbo. You will go through the National Park Entrance Station, and keep driving until you reach Thredbo.



Driving from Melbourne

Follow the Hume Highway from Melbourne to Wodonga. Take the Murray Valley Highway's Wodonga/Tallangatta exit. After passing Wodonga follow the signs to Tallangatta, again on the Murray Valley Highway. You pass through the village of Koetong onto Corryong. Drive through Corryong and take the "Khancoban" turn-off on your right. Once in Khancoban you are only 76kms from Thredbo. From here the drive is truly spectacular as you take in awesome views of the Main Range and discover the beauty of the Kosciuszko National Park.

An alternate route from Melbourne is the Kosciuszko Alpine Way, which lets you experience the wonder of the Snowy Mountains as you wind along the great Murray River. Your journey will take you through quaint country towns dotted with historic huts, homesteads and buildings. You can marvel at the power of the Snowy Scheme, take in views of the Main Range, Wymah Punt over Lake Hume, lakes Eucumbene and Jindabyne, and even freshen up with a dip in the Murray itself. The diverse wildlife of the Kosciuszko National Park makes this experience truly memorable.

Transport While You're here

Throughout winter a free shuttle bus service operates around Thredbo Village to make getting around easier and more convenient for all visitors. The map below shows the three routes and their drop off and pickup points. <https://www.thredbo.com.au/the-village/village-map/>

The bus service starts at 7:30am and runs until 6:30pm all through the winter season. During July and August a special night service runs until 10pm seven nights a week, unless otherwise advised.

Parking at Thredbo

If you're visiting Thredbo for the day you can park your car in one of the many car parks close to the village and mountain.

If you are staying overnight in Thredbo, we have free overnight designated parking areas (P2,P3 & P4) and many chalets and apartments have on-site parking for guests.