

PREVIEW MEN'S EVENTS SEEFELD - Friday 2 February 2024 - Sunday 4 February 2024

Anniversary

- **FIS celebrates its 100th anniversary on the day of this event. The international federation was founded on 2 February 1924 in Chamonix.**

Jarl Magnus Riiber

- Jarl Magnus Riiber has finished first (eight times) or second (three times) in all 11 individual World Cup events this season. In 2019/20 he either won or came runner-up in the first 15 individual World Cup events.
- **Riiber and Hannu Manninen (both 90) share the record for most individual World Cup podium by a Nordic combined athlete. Riiber (65) has claimed more individual World Cup wins than Manninen (48).**
- Riiber (99) is one shy of becoming the second Nordic combined athlete to record 100 World Cup podiums (including team events), after Eric Frenzel (107). Manninen (96) is in third place all-time.
- Riiber has only recorded more World Cup podium results in Ruka (14) and Ramsau am Dachstein (13) than in Seefeld (12, alongside Lillehammer). The total tallies include team events.
- Riiber has won seven individual World Cup events in Seefeld, most recently in January 2022. He failed to finish on the podium in Seefeld last year (fourth place on 27 January 2023 and a disqualification on 28 January 2023).
- Riiber won the Nordic Combined Triple in the 2019/20 and 2020/21 World Cup. Eric Frenzel is the only other multiple-time winner (he won the first four editions, from 2013/14 to 2016/17).
- Earlier this World Cup season, Riiber became the overall winner of the Ruka Tour (24-26 November) and the German Trophy (13-28 January).
- Norway (197) are three wins shy of becoming the first country to win at least 200 individual World Cup events on the men's side.

Johannes Lamparter

- Lamparter is the defending champion in the Nordic Combined Triple. He was joined on the podium by Julian Schmid (runner-up) and Jens Lurås Oftebro (third) in last season's edition (27-29 January 2023).
- Lamparter might not be able to defend his title in the Nordic Combined Triple due to health issues. He will decide if he will take part by Thursday at the latest.

- Lamparter finished second on the opening day of the Nordic Combined Triple in Seefeld last season before winning the next two events. This resulted in him becoming the second Austrian winner of this competition, after Mario Seidl in 2018/19.
- Johannes Lamparter (wins in Ramsau am Dachstein on 15 and 16 December) is the only person to have defeated Jarl Magnus Riiber more than once in the men's World Cup this season.
- Lamparter has claimed six World Cup podium finishes in Seefeld, more than at any other venue.
- Lamparter (12) has equalled Mario Stecher (12) in third place on most individual World Cup victories among Austrian men, behind Felix Gottwald (23) and Klaus Sulzenbacher (14).

Other contenders

- **Stefan Rettenegger turns 22 years on the day of this Nordic Combined Triple (3 February). Two men have won an individual World Cup event on their birthday: Hermann Weinbuch in Štrbské Pleso on 22 March 1986 and Felix Gottwald in Ramsau am Dachstein on 13 January 2002.**
- Rettenegger is still chasing his first individual World Cup victory despite six individual podium results in the World Cup. Those six podium results (two second places and four third places) were all achieved this season.
- **Jens Lurås Oftebro** is the only Nordic combined athlete other Riiber and Lamparter to win an individual World Cup event this season. Oftebro triumphed in the opening event in Ruka this season on 24 November.
- Jens Lurås Oftebro's only individual World Cup victory came in Seefeld in last year's edition of the Nordic Combined Triple. The Norwegian took first place in the first event of the competition (27 January 2023).
- **Julian Schmid** finished on the podium in all three events in the Nordic Combined Triple at this venue last year (3rd, 3rd, 2nd). The German came second overall behind only Johannes Lamparter.
- Schmid's best result so far in the 2023/24 World Cup was fourth in Lillehammer on 2 December 2023.
- **Jørgen Graabak** won the Nordic Combined Triple in 2021/22. Only Eric Frenzel (four times) and Jarl Magnus Riiber (twice) have won this competition more than once (the inaugural edition took place in 2013/14).

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