

## PREVIEW WOMEN'S EVENTS SCHONACH – Saturday and Sunday 27-28 Jan 2024

### Ida Marie Hagen

- Ida Marie Hagen won two of the last three individual World Cup events, to become the second woman on multiple World Cup wins, after Gyda Westvold Hansen (20).
- Hagen has finished first (2) or second (4) in all six individual World Cup events this season. She is the only woman to achieve this in the 2023/24 campaign.
- Norwegian women have won all six individual World Cup events this season, and they claimed 16 of the 18 podium spots. The exceptions were third-place finishes for Finland's Minja Korhonen (15 December) and Austria's Lina Hirner (16 December) both in Ramsau.
- Norway has won 23 of the 25 individual women's World Cup events in Nordic combined. USA and Japan each won one event.

### Gyda Westvold Hansen

- Gyda Westvold Hansen has not won any of the last three individual World Cup events (2nd-3rd-2nd). She had won 20 of the 22 events prior to this run.
- Westvold Hansen has won three of the four individual World Cup events in Schonach. She only won more events in Lillehammer (6) and Ramsau (4).
- Westvold Hansen finished on the podium in 24 of her 25 individual World Cup starts. The exception was when she abandoned the event in Schonach on 12 March 2022 (Anja Nakamura won).

### Other contenders

- **Mari Leinan Lund** became the fifth woman to win an individual World Cup event when she won in Oberstdorf on 13 January. She joined Westvold Hansen (20), Hagen (2), Nakamura (1) and Tara Geraghty-Moats (1, inaugural World Cup event) on the list of winners.
- Leinan Lund can claim her first World Cup podium finish in Schonach. The only venues where she finished in the top three are Lillehammer (4) and Oberstdorf (2, including her only win).
- Mari's sister **Marte Leinan Lund** finished fourth in Oberstdorf on 14 January, behind Mari in third place. The last time Marte finished ahead of Mari in an individual World Cup event was in Oslo on 11 March 2023: Marte 5th and Mari 14th.
- Marte Leinan Lund claimed her only podium finish in Otepää on 12 December 2021 (Mari posted a DNF in that event).
- In 2023, **Jenny Nowak** (2nd on 11 February) and **Nathalie Armbruster** (3rd on 12 February) became the first German women to claim a podium finish in an individual World Cup event in Schonach. For Nowak this is still her only top-three result in the World Cup.

- Armbruster has claimed seven podium finishes in individual World Cup events, but not since her third place in Schonach last year.
- Armbruster's seven podium finishes (2 second places, 5 third places) are the third-most behind Westvold Hansen (24) and Hagen (12).
- **Haruka Kasai** (born 4 February 2004) finished **fourth** in **four** individual World Cup events this season, and in five of her last seven World Cup starts: **4-4-4-6-4-4-7**. Only Marte Leinan Lund (5) has finished fourth as many times as Haruka (5).
- Haruka Kasai's two podium finishes in individual World Cup events both were in Schonach: second places on 12 and 13 March 2022. Only Westvold Hansen (3, all wins) claimed more podium finishes here than Haruka (2).
- **Yuna Kasai** celebrated her most recent podium finish also in Schonach - a third place on 11 February 2023. The next day she finished fourth here.

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