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FIS media services

Press release

On Tuesday before a World Cup, a press release is sent out to all subscribers of the FIS Cross-Country media list.

The release contains:

- Gracenote facts
- Current status of preparation of LOC
- Snow conditions at venue
- Side events

To sign up for the FIS Cross-Country press release please click here:
www.fis-ski.com/en/cross-country/media

There is no press release being sent out after the competitions.

Post race publication

After every World Cup competition day a race recap with results, links to the press conference audio (if available) and highlight videos will be posted on **www.fisski.com/crosscountry.**

Social Media and online media services

Soundcloud (audio of press conferences):
https://soundcloud.com/fiscross-country

Let's get social on Facebook, Instagram, Twitter and youtube and tag us on **@fiscrosscountry and #fiscrosscountry**

LOC # hashtag list

Venue	Hashtag
Ruka	#rukanordic
Lillehammer	#WCLHMR
Davos	#davosnordic
Planica	#planica #planica2019
Lenzerheide	#hejalenzerheide
Toblach	#skicrosscountryiscool #worldcupdobbiaco
Val di Fiemme	#fiemme #valleviva
Dresden	#skiweltcupdresden
Nove Mesto	#zlatalyze #goldenski
Oberstdorf	
Falun	#svenskaskidspelen #skidspelen #skidspelen2020
Ski Tour 2020	#skitour2020
Lahti	
Drammen	
Oslo	#hkskifest #holmenkollen
Québec	#skidefondquebec
Minneapolis	#mnworldcup
Canmore	

World Cup 2019/20 calendar overview

FIS CROSS-COUNTRY WORLD CUP 2019/20

Date	Day	Site	Nation	Women	Men	Remarks
Period I						
Ruka Triple						
29.11.	Fri	Ruka	FIN	Sprint C	Sprint C	
30.11.	Sat	Ruka	FIN	10 km C	15 km C	
01.12.	Sun	Ruka	FIN	10 km F	15 km F	Pursuit
07.12.	Sat	Lillehammer	NOR	Skiathlon	Skiathlon	
08.12.	Sun	Lillehammer	NOR	Relay	Relay	
14.12.	Sat	Davos	SUI	Sprint F	Sprint F	
15.12.	Sun	Davos	SUI	10 km F	15 km F	
21.12.	Sat	Planica	SLO	Sprint F	Sprint F	
22.12.	Sun	Planica	SLO	Team Sprint F	Team Sprint F	
Period II						
Tour de Ski						
28.12.	Sat	Lenzerheide	SUI	10 km F	15 km F	Mass Start
29.12.	Sun	Lenzerheide	SUI	Sprint F	Sprint F	
31.12.	Tue	Toblach	ITA	10 km F	15 km F	
01.01.	Wed	Toblach	ITA	10 km C	15 km C	Pursuit
03.01.	Fri	Val di Fiemme	ITA	10 km C	15 km C	Mass Start
04.01.	Sat	Val di Fiemme	ITA	Sprint C	Sprint C	
05.01.	Sun	Val di Fiemme	ITA	Final Climb F	Final Climb F	Mass Start
Period III						
11.01.	Sat	Dresden	GER	Sprint F	Sprint F	
12.01.	Sun	Dresden	GER	Team Sprint F	Team Sprint F	
18.01.	Sat	Nove Mesto	CZE	10 km C	15 km C	
19.01.	Sun	Nove Mesto	CZE	10 km F	15 km F	Pursuit
25.01.	Sat	Oberstdorf	GER	Skiathlon	Skiathlon	
26.01.	Sun	Oberstdorf	GER	Sprint C	Sprint C	
08.02.	Sat	Falun	SWE	Sprint C	Sprint C	
09.02.	Sun	Falun	SWE	15 km F	30 km F	
Period IV						
Ski Tour 2020						
15.02.	Sat	Östersund	SWE	10 km F	15 km F	
16.02.	Sun	Östersund	SWE	10 km C	15 km C	Pursuit
18.02.	Tue	Are	SWE	Sprint F	Sprint F	
20.02.	Thu	Storlien-Meraker	NOR	38 km F	38 km F	Mass Start
22.02.	Sat	Trondheim	NOR	Sprint C	Sprint C	
23.02.	Sun	Trondheim	NOR	15 km C	30 km C	Pursuit
Period V						
29.02.	Sat	Lahti	FIN	10 km C	15 km C	
01.03.	Sun	Lahti	FIN	Relay	Relay	
04.03.	Wed	Drammen	NOR	Sprint C	Sprint C	
07.03.	Sat	Oslo	NOR	30 km C		Mass Start
08.03.	Sun	Oslo	NOR		50 km C	Mass Start
Sprint Tour						
14.03.	Sat	Québec	CAN	Sprint C	Sprint C	
15.03.	Sun	Québec	CAN	Sprint F	Sprint F	
17.03.	Tue	Minneapolis	USA	Sprint F	Sprint F	
World Cup Final						
20.03.	Fri	Canmore	CAN	10 km F	15 km F	Mass Start
21.03.	Sat	Canmore	CAN	10 km C	15 km C	Pursuit
22.03.	Sun	Canmore	CAN	Mixed Relay C/F		

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Ruka	http://en.rukanordic.com/Media/	
Lillehammer	www.worldcuplillehammer.no/media	
Davos	http://www.davosnordic.ch/service/medien/	30th November 2019
Planica	https://www.planica.si/en/home/cross-country/press	16th December 2019
Lenzerheide	tourdeskilenzerheide.ch/accreditation	20th December 2019
Toblach	https://accreditation.pronet.bz/registration	15th December 2019
Val di Fiemme	https://www.fiemmeworldcup.com/en/tourdeski/media-accreditation.php	
Dresden	https://www.skiworldcup-dresden.com/service/accreditation/	20th December 2019
Nove Mesto	Request to: jiriposvar@gmail.com	12th January 2020
Oberstdorf		
Falun	https://magnetevent.se/Event/mediackreditering--media-accreditation-25122/	28th February 2020
Ski Tour 2020		
Lahti		
Drammen	https://cdmskidefondquebec.com/medias/	
Oslo	https://holmenkollenskifestival.no/nordic/press-og-media/accreditation/	1st March 2020
Québec		
Minneapolis	www.mnworldcup.com/media	1st March 2020
Canmore	www.albertaworldcup.com/media	10th February 2020

Individual venue information

The FIS Cross-Country family awaits a busy 2019/20 season with a total of 21 venues to visit, including the famous Tour de Ski in central Europe and the Ski Tour 2020 in Scandinavia. Find here all information about each venue structured by an overview of the location, information about the venue, what is not to miss as well as the race specific information from the program to all registration links. **Please note that changes (especially of times and distances) during the season are possible.**

Ruka Nordic (FIN)

29th November to 1st December 2019

Information about the venue
In Ruka area there are nearly 173 kilometres of skiing tracks. Ruka Ski resort is one of the biggest ski centers in Finland; it includes 34 slopes and 21 skiing lifts.
Besides Ruka Ski Resorts, the most famous tourist attraction is Oulanka National Park with 80 kilometres long hiking route Karhunkierros (Bear's Trail). During the route there are number of rapids, the most famous ones being Kiutaköngäs and Jyrävä. Karhunkierros and shorter trip trails are available also for snowshoeing and skiing in the winter.
Kuusamo has about 16 000 habitants, but thanks to Ruka Ski Resort and popular nature sights, the services of the area match a lot larger town. There are nearly 50 restaurants varying from large hotel bars to cozy countryside restaurants, many of them offering local delicacies.
Spa Kuusamon Tropiikki and Angry Birds Activity Park guarantee a successful vacation for families with children! When talking about wellbeing, sauna is of course a big thing in Finland, combined with massage and other pampering treatments.

Must-see's and must-do's
· Oulanka National Park, especially Kiutaköngäs, Myllykoski and Jyrävä rapids year round
· Dancing on the tables of Restaurant Zone until 4 am
· Wild food: Local game and fish delicacies in numerous restaurants
· Hannu Hautala Nature Photography Center
· Smoke sauna, a dip in an icy lake and pampering treatments
· Husky safaris and visits to reindeer farms
· Juha Kankkunen Driving Academy – ice rally experience

Connect online:

Official hashtag:	**#rukanordic**
Website address:	**www.rukanordic.com**
Facebook:	**www.facebook.com/rukanordic**
Twitter:	**www.twitter.com/rukanordic**
Instagram:	**www.instagram.com/rukanoric**

Youtube:
www.youtube.com/channel/UCDPTQrgtBt33Fj7Y4gz0Etw/videos

Event program

Date	Competition	Remarks	Event program
Thursday, 15th February	**No competition**		
Friday, 29th November	**Sprint C** 00:00h start w 00:00h start m		18.00h Prize giving ceremony top 3 women & men in Ruka village
Saturday, 30th November	**10/15km C** 00:00h start w 00:00h start m		
Sunday, 1st December	**10/15km F** 00:00h start w 00:00h start m		

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Accreditation for Print Media and Photographers:
For media and photographers accreditation requests go to
http://en.rukanordic.com/media/

Accreditations for TV and Radio:

Domestic and international TV, radio, production and internet companies will be authorized by Infront Italy. They will have to submit their requests to film or commentate on-site directly to Infront's TV & Media Rights Manager rights@infrontsports.com and marta.preda@infrontsports.com

The deadline for applications is **15th November 2019**

Media Center

The main Media Center is located in the Ruka Conference Center, opening times Thursday–Sunday from 09:00-21:30.

The Sub-Media Center is located in the Stadium (tower building, 2nd floor), opening times Thursday–Sunday from 9:00-21:00.

Media Accommodation

The organizing committee can help you with finding the accommodation for the event. Please contact **paula.pellikka@lomarengas.fi** for further information, latest until 4th November 2019.

Transport

Official airport: Kuusamo Airport
There is an airport shuttle from Kuusamo Airport – Hotel Kuusamon Tropiikki – Ruka Village for the price 10 € / one way.

Ski Bus is available in ski resort area and between the Hotel Kuusamon Tropiikki and Ruka Village. Bus is free of charge with the media accreditation.

Lillehammer (NOR)

7th and 8th December 2019

Information about the venue
The FIS Cross-Country World Cup competitions will take place in the Birkebeineren Cross-Country Ski Stadium. This was the Olympic venue for cross-country and biathlon events in Lillehammer Olympic Winter Games in February 1994 and during the Youth Olympic Winter Games in February 2016.
The courses and stadium were upgraded and ready for the FIS Cross-Country World Cup in 2013. The Cross-Country stadium is a venue that keeps the high international standard for both athletes, public and media.
The venue is also being used, in addition to the FIS World Cup events, for the Birkebeinerrennet CC event, Inga-Låmi CC Ladies' event as well as many other national and international events each winter.

Must-see's and must-do's
Lillehammer is located in the eastern part of Norway, 180 km from Oslo.
The distance from Oslo Airport Gardermoen is about 150 km. Lillehammer is located at the northern shore of Norway's largest lake, Mjøsa. The population is approximately 27000.
The Lillehammer region is a true cross-country skier's paradise. The Lillehammer region is famous for its ski terrain and excellent winter sport facilities. 2000 km of cross-country ski trails may strike you as unbelievable, but we guarantee that the Lillehammer region offers the absolute best of what you can expect from a skiing destination.
And of course; Lillehammer is world famous for the Olympic Winter Games in 1994 and for the Youth Olympic Winter Games in 2016.

Connect online:

Official hashtag:	**#WCLHMR**
Website address:	***www.worldcuplillehammer.no***
Facebook:	**www.facebook.com/WCLHMR/**
Twitter:	***@wclhmr***
Instagram:	***@wclhmr***

Event program

Date	Competition	Remarks	Event program
Friday, 6th December	**No competition**	Training *10:00h to 15:00h (time may change)*	

Saturday, 7th December	**Skiathlon** 11:00h start w 12:30h start m	Training in the morning	*9:30h - 11:00h* *Bib distribution*
Sunday, 8th December	**Relay** 10:15h start w 11:45h start m	*12:30 – 13:05h* *Training / Testing* *14:50 – 15:15h* *Training / Testing*	*11:00h Bib distrubition*

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TV Responsible			
International TV Rights Holder	Infront Italy	+39 334 659 6313	filip.grabowski@infrontsports.com
National TV Rights holder			

Accreditation for Print Media and Photographers:

For media and photographers accreditation requests go to
http://www.worldcuplillehammer.no/home/gruppe1/media2/accreditation

Accreditations for TV and Radio:

Domestic and international TV, radio, production and internet companies will be authorized by Infront Italy. They will have to submit their requests to film or commentate on-site directly to Infront's TV & Media Rights Manager
filip.grabowski@infrontsports.com

The deadline for applications is **tbd**

Media Center

The Media Center at Birkebeineren Ski Stadium is located in the large "World Cup Event Hall" in the Cross-Country venue close to the Athletes' Lounge. Opening Hours:

Thursday 19:00 - 15:00
Friday 09:00 - 15:00
Saturday 08:00 - 17:00
Sunday 08:00 - 17:00

Contact person media center Cross-Country:
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Media Accommodation

The organizing committee can help you with finding the accommodation for the event. Information will be published on *www.worldcuplillehammer.no*

Transport

Official airport: Gardermoen Oslo Airport, Norway (approx. 2 hours by car/train).
Local transport: Train: www.vy.no (from "Oslo Lufthavn" to "Lillehammer").

Davos Nordic (SUI)

14th and 15th December 2019

Information about the venue
Davos Nordic is interested to develop it's happening every year. One part of optimizing the event is to improve the venue. A better view to the big screen for the audience is just one of it.
First time this year the guests will be charged a ticket fee to entry the venue at Bünda. Adults can experience this nordic spectacle for only CHF 10.00 a day. Children experience the happening for free. Davos Nordic is interested in encouraging young talents, therefore the Davos Nordic Park and the Daehlie Kids-Event are fix parts of this happening. Further, CHF 2.00 of the ticket fee will be invested in young talents development programme.

Since 1984, almost yearly, Davos Nordic presents a legendary Cross-Country world cup. A unique course through the stunning Fluela valley with its rustic Fluela stream attracts athletes as well as visitors.
We recommend to use the free "Flüela Shuttle" that brings you from the stadium dirctly to the Flüela valley. There you can experience the great atmosphere live and fan your favourite athletes passing in proximate near.

Must-see's and must-do's
Another highlight is the ceremony of the bib drawing. This happening you can watch at the christmas market next to "Seehof-Seeli" each evening before the competition.
In addition to the elite cross-country skier multiple great attractions are taking place. For example, the Daehlie Kids-Event with the most successful Cross-Country skier of all time himself, Björn Daehlie.

Connect online:

Official hashtag: #davosnordic
Website address: **www.davosnordic.ch**
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Twitter: **https://twitter.com/davosnordic**
Instagram: **https://instagram.com/davosnordic**
Youtube:
https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCtesAE8WFQE5CI1raUdYbtw/feed

Event program

Date	Competition	Remarks	Event program
Friday, 13th December	**No competition**	**11:30 –13:30** Official Training	**18:15** bib draw at the christmas market (Seehof Seeli)
Saturday, 14th December	**Sprint F** 11:30h qualification 14:00h finals	**16:00–17:00** Official Training	**18:15** bib draw at the christmas market (Seehof Seeli)
Sunday, 15th December	**10/15km F** 10:45h start w 14:55h start m		**12:30** Daehlie Kids Event

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Accreditation for Print Media and Photographers:

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Accreditations for TV and Radio:

Domestic and international TV, radio, production and internet companies will be authorized by EBU. They will have to submit their requests to film or commentate on-site directly to EBU TV & Media Rights Manager **Bruno Chappuis**.

Media Center

The Media Center is at:
Schulhaus Bünda
Mühlestrasse 8
7260 Davos Dorf

It's open daily from
Thursday, 02:00 pm - 06:00 pm
Friday, 08:00 am - 06:00 pm
Saturday, 08:00 am - 06:00 pm
Sunday, 08:00 am - 06:00 pm

Media Accommodation

The organizing committee can help you with finding the accommodation for the event. Inquiries must be sent with the accreditation form (national press and photographers) on https://web.davos.ch/Event5/Home/243C0095122F462080F600A51D23CF38/7FEB2042F15D42E593CC5479215E640D until the 30th of November 2019

The OC offers hotel rooms in media hotels you find the hotels in the following link:
https://web.davos.ch/Event5/Home/243C0095122F462080F600A51D23CF38/7FEB2042F15D42E593CC5479215E640D

- Single room 125 CHF / night
- Double room 125 CHF / night

Transport

Official airport: Zürich
The organizing committee will arrange transportation between the airport and the hotels.
1 transport (from and to the airport) free of charge. Price for additional transport:

- Minibus up to 5 persons = CHF 750.00
- Minibus up to 13 persons = CHF 900.00
- Bus 14 - 40 persons = CHF 1'150.00

Other destinations possible, prices on request.
Information to the Shuttle service (hotels – venue) : walking distance or public bus (free of charge with guest card)

Planica (SLO)

21st and 22nd December 2019

Information about the venue

- This is the third time Planica will host the FIS Cross-Country World Cup since the opening of the new Nordic center in December 2015. Previous occasions were in January 2016 and 2018.
- Planica regularly hosts FIS Cross-Country OPA Continental and Alpen Cup competitions while many Nordic-Combined athletes also had the chance to compete on these tracks.
- FIS granted an award to Planica for organizing the best World Snow Day in 2019. Since the event was held in 45 countries and 464 locations the organizer takes great pride in this achievement. The ninth edition of the event will take place in January 2020 and Planica will try hard to continue to represent the beauties of winter sports to the youngest ones.
- After years of competitions in many categories in all three Nordic disciplines Planica will have the honor to host the FIS Nordic World Ski Championships in 2023.

Connect online:

Official hashtag:	**#planica #planica2019**
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Instagram:	**www.instagram.com/ocplanica/**
Youtube:	**www.youtube.com/c/ocplanica**

Event program

Date	Competition	Remarks	Event program
Friday, 20th December	**No competition**		
Saturday, 21st December	**Sprint F** 11:00h qualification 13:30h finals	1.2km w 1.2km m	19.30h Team presentation Kranjska Gora
Sunday, 22nd December	**Team sprint F** 9:00h semi finals 11:10h finals	6 x 1.2km w 6 x 1.2km m	11:00h Bib distrubition

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Accreditation for Print Media and Photographers:

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Accreditations for TV and Radio:

Domestic and international TV, radio, production and internet companies will be authorized by Infront Italy. They will have to submit their requests to film or commentate on-site directly to Infront's TV & Media Rights Manager
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The deadline for applications is **tbd**

Media Center

The media center is located in the 1st lower floor of the main Nordic center building. It is open daily from Friday 20th December to Sunday 22nd December from 7:00 to 18.00h.

Media Accommodation

The organizing committee can help you with finding the accommodation for the event. Inquiries must be sent to the accomodation office on behalf of Ms Mirjam Zerjav on zerjav.mirjam@gmail.com.

Transport

Official airport: Ljubljana Jože Pučnik Airport (https://www.fraport-slovenija.si/en/Main/);
Bus, Shuttle, Taxi and Rent-a-Car connections to Kranjska Gora.
Local transport: The hotels in Kranjska Gora are 5 minutes away from Planica. Free shuttle service from Kranjska Gora to Planica will be organized for media representatives.

Lenzerheide (SUI) - FIS Tour de Ski 2019/20

28th and 29th December 2019

Information about the venue
Lenzerheide offers 56 km of cross-country skiing trails and is declared by «Loipen Schweiz» as one of the best cross-country skiing regions in Switzerland.
Due to the so-called Snowfactory the cross-country season starts already on th 1st November 2019. Lenzerheide is the host of the FIS Ski World Cup Finals 2020 and UCI Mountain Bike World Cup Lenzerheide in 2020.

Must-see's and must-do's
Event (contemporaneous): Magic Forest Lenzerheide
The Magic Forest Lenzerheide is a festival under the open sky which combines light art, music, culinary and a Christmas market. The atmosphere in the squirrel forest makes the Magic Forest Lenzerheide a unique experience that lets more than 40,000 visitors immerse themselves in a world far from everyday life. From 13 to 30 December 2019, Magic Forest Lenzerheide will provide a unique cultural experience with enchantingly staged light installations for the eyes, the finest musical sounds for the ears and a delicious culinary offer for the palate.

Please note: The opening ceremony of the Coop FIS Tour de Ski performance by Le Gruyère AOP 2019/20 will also take place in the Magic Forest Lenzerheide on 27th December.

What's new:
Nordic House: In December 2016 the «Biathlon Arena Lenzerheide» have been extended with the substantial Nordic House. Besides a Bistro, a sports shop and lockers for the public Nordic Ski Centre, it also contains a professional athletic room, a seminar room and accommodations for 60 people in flexibly shared rooms.
Please note: The Media Centre is located at the new Nordic House.
Snowfactory: In October 2016 the so-called Snowfactory at the «Biathlon Arena Lenzerheide» was installed. This enables a production also at temperatures below zero – without chemical additives. No snow in the proper sense is produced, but instead small dry ice flakes. Due to the mechanical preparation the quality of spring snow is achieved.
Lenzerheide is for the 4th time a Tour de Ski venue, again as start stage with 2 competition days.

Connect online:

Official hashtag:	**#hejalenzerheide**
Website:	**www.tourdeskilenzerheide.ch**
Facebook:	**https://www.facebook.com/Lenzerheide**
Instagram:	**https://instagram.com/lenzerheide.inside**

Youtube:
youtube.com/channel/UConSoKf5cDJLeGU67Ht4QXQ?view_as=subscriber

Event program

Date	Competition	Remarks	Event program
Friday, 27th December	**No competitions**		**16:30h** press conference Aula, Lenzerheide **17:00h** Opening Ceremony Zauberwald, Lenzerheide
Saturday, 28th December	**10/15km F mass start** 12:45h start w 14:15h start m	**10:00 – 12:30h** Official ski testing w **13:15 – 14:00h** Official ski testing m	**10:30 – 12:30h** Coop Mini Tour
Sunday, 29th December	**Sprint F** 10:30h qualification 13:15h finals	**10:00 – 12:25h** Official ski testing w **After women's qualification** 15' warm up m	**11:30 – 13:00h** Coop Mini Tour

Contacts local organization committee

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Photo Chief			
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National TV Rights holder	Philippe Fischer	+41 44 305 65 38	philippe.fischer@bus.srg.ch

Accreditation

Please note: There is no general accreditation for the Tour de Ski available as the races in Switzerland and Italy work with separate international TV rights holders.

Accreditation for Print Media and Photographers:

For media and photographers accreditation requests go to **tourdeskilenzerheide.ch/accreditation**

Accreditations for TV and Radio:

Domestic and international TV, radio, production and internet companies will be authorized by EBU. They will have to submit their requests to film or commentate on-site directly to EBU TV & Media Rights Manager **Bruno Chappuis.**

The deadline for applications is **20th December 2019**

Media Center

The Media Center will be located next to the Wax cabines complex in the team area at the venue (Biathlon Arena Lenzerheide).
Opening times daily (Thursday to Sunday) from 8:00 to 18:00h

Media Accommodation

The organizing committee can help you with finding the accommodation for the event. Inquiries must be sent with the accreditation form and will be processed individually.

Transport

By plane
The closest airport is Zurich. From there, Lenzerheide is reachable by car or by train.
Travel time: 2h 20min (public transport); 1h 50min (by car).

By public transport
By train to Chur and from there you will reach Lenzerheide with the Post Car (Postauto).
Travel time Chur – Lenzerheide: 30 min

Train schedules you can find here: www.sbb.ch

By car
Leave the Highway at Chur Süd in direction of Lenzerheide until you reach Valbella/Lenzerheide.
Travel time Chur – Lenzerheide: 25 min

Please note: In Switzerland all cars, vans or trucks need a «motorway tax sticker». The sticker is available at every gas station and at the border. The tax sticker costs CHF 40.00 (driving without a sticker costs CHF 200.00). The sticker is valid for one year.

Toblach (ITA) - FIS Tour de Ski 2019/20

31st December 2019 and 1st January 2020

Information about the venue
Coop Mini will be organized on the day of official training 30th December 2020.

Must-see's and must-do's
Course „Nathalie" is used for the race. Track will be 3.3km for women and 3.7km men and athletes will pass the stadium 3 times instead of two times.
Tipical uphill is the roof of the Nordic Arena

Connect online:

Official hashtag:	**#skicrosscountryiscool #worldcupdobbiaco**
Website:	**www.worldcupdobbiacchio.com**
Facebook:	**https://www.facebook.com/worldcuptoblachdobbiaco**
Flickr:	**Sportoktoblach**
Instagram:	**https://instagram.com/worldcupdobbiaco**
Youtube:	**https://www.youtube.com/user/sportoktoblach**

Event program

Date	Competition	Remarks	Event program
Tuesday, 31st December	**10/15km F** 12:30h start m 15:00h start w		New year's party in the stadium in the evening
Wednesday, 1st January	**10/15km C pursuit** 11:50h start w 13:00h start m		

Contacts local organization committee

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Media Chief	Mario Facchini	+39 3481149895	mario.facchini@newspower.it
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National TV Rights holder	Infront Sports & Media AG	+39 366 629 1509	lorenzo.pala@infrontsports.com

Accreditation for Print Media and Photographers:

For media and photographers accreditation requests go to https://accreditation.pronet.bz/registration (will be activated shortly before season start)

Accreditations for TV and Radio:
Domestic and international TV, radio, production and internet companies will be authorized by Infront Sports. They will have to submit their requests to film or commentate on-site directly to Infront Sport TV & Media Rights Manager **Lorenzo Pala - +39 366 6291509 - lorenzo.pala@infrontsports.com**

The deadline for applications is **15th December 2019**

Media Center

The Media Center will be located at Grandhotel Toblach Dolomitenstrasse 31 39034 Toblach . It's open daily from 10am until 7.30 pm on December 30th 2019
9am untill 7.30pm on December 31st 2019 and Janaury 1st 2020

The Sub-Media Center is located at Nordic Arena Toblach, 1st floor. It will be open daily from 9:00-17:30h on 31st December and 1st January.

Media Accommodation

The organizing committee can help you with finding the accommodation for the event. Inquiries must be sent to the accomodation office on behalf info@worldcup-dobbiaco.it with a deadline until 10th December 2019.

Transport

Innsbruck (AUT) ca. 140km or Munich (GER) ca. 300km
Treviso (ITA)/S. Angelo ca.180km
On request we can organise a transport from the airport to the venue (on payment)
Local transport: we offer a transport from the press center to the Nordic Arena. Attention we do not have enough Parking space at the Nordic Arena and consider the use of the shuttle.

Val di Fiemme, Lago di Tesero (ITA) - FIS Tour de Ski 2020

3rd to 5th January 2020

Information about the venue

Val di Fiemme is surrounded by two **natural parks** and stunning Dolomite peaks, that **Unesco declared World Heritage Site** - Corno Bianco, dominating the South-Tyrolean canyon of Bletterbach, **Mountain group of Latemar**, with its incredible tops, and the park Paneveggio Pale di San Martino.
Fiemme is famous for being **"The Valley of Harmony"** thanks to the prestigious resonance trees used to realize sounding boards for **pianos** and **violins**, once appreciated by Stradivari and nowadays still wanted by internationally-famous luthiers. You can breathe and hear the melody of nature in the **Forests of Violins or in the Sounding Forest**, where worldwide famous musicians "adopt" their favourite spruce. For this valley breathing the oxygen produced by 60 million trees (a survey says that there are 20 trees per tourist) is not enough: as a matter of fact it loves taking challenges to conquer new records. All you have to do is believe that, every day, over a third of the twenty thousand inhabitants are using heat or electricity from alternative renewable sources, like the two big district heating plants (Cavalese, Predazzo) and the widest ground photovoltaic plant of Italy (Carano).
With more than 110 kilometres of ski slopes, immerge yourself in the natural paradise of the **Ski Center Latemar**, down the 50 km of slopes connecting **Pampeago**, **Predazzo** and **Obereggen**. In the **Bellamonte-Alpe Lusia skiarea**, the ski slopes caress the boundaries of the Natural Park of Paneveggio Pale di S. Martino. The slopes at Passo Rolle lie in the fabulous reign of the majestic Pale di S. Martino. From **Skiarea Alpe Cermis -** the home of the longest slope of the valley, the 7.5-km-long Olimpia - your eyes get lost in one of the most enchanting landscapes of the Dolomites. Another wonderful place where you can get captivated by the dawn and sunset colours reflecting on the limestone mountains at Passo di Lavazé-Oclini, the place where downhill meets **cross country skiing.**
The **Cross Country Stadium of Lago di Tesero,** illuminated by night, boasts groundbraking facilities, the perfect place to live the emotion of skiing on the **World Championships & Olympics** tracks.
More Info **www.visitfiemme.it**

Must-see's and must-do's
Sprint CT – local hero Federico Pellegrino | Final Climb for the first time in Mass Start format | 'Olympic Sprint Revenge' between Cristian Zorzi "Zorro", Peter Schlickenrieder and Tor Arne Hetland

Side events:
Kids Event: COOP Mini World Cup & Junior Final Climb | Rampa con i Campioni | Tour del Gusto | Celebration Assignment Winter Olympic Games MilanoCortina2026

Connect online:

Official hashtag:	**#fiemme #valleviva**
Website:	**www.fiemmeworldcup.com/tourdeski**
Facebook:	**https://www.facebook.com/fiemmeworldcup**
Twitter:	**https://twitter.com/fiemmeworldcup**
Instagram:	**https://instagram.com/fiemmeskiworldcup**
Youtube:	**https://www.youtube.com/user/fiemme2013**

Event program

Date	Competition	Remarks	Event program
Friday, 3rd January	**10/15km C mass start** 10:15h start w 15:15h start m	2.5km course	11:00h Mini World Cup
Saturday, 4th January	**Sprint F** 09:00h qualification 11:25h finals	1.3/1.5km course	
Sunday, 5th January	**The final climb F – mass start** 13:15h start w 15:15h start m	10km course	10:00h Rampa con i campioni 11:00h Junior final climb

Contacts local organization committee

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National TV Rights holder			

Accreditation for Print Media and Photographers:

Media and photographers accreditation requests can be submitted on:
www.fiemmeworldcup.com/en/tourdeski/accrediti-media.php

Accreditations for TV and Radio:

Domestic and international TV, radio, production and internet companies will be authorized by Infront Italy. They will have to submit their requests to film or commentate on-site directly to Infront's TV & Media Rights Manager
filip.grabowski@infrontsports.com

Media Center

Media Center Lago di Tesero
It's open daily from 0:00 to 20:00h.

Sub-Media Center Alpe Cermis
It's open on Sunday from 10:00 to 18:00h.

Media Accommodation

The organizing committee can help you with finding the accommodation for the event. Inquiries must be sent with the accreditation form (national press and photographers) on https://www.fiemmeworldcup.com/en/tourdeski/accrediti-media.php
Further information *at ursula.guadagnini@visitfiemme.it*

The OC offers hotel rooms in hotels in Cavalese and surrounding area

- Single room from 88 EUR / night
- Double room from 126 EUR / night

Transport

Official airport: Munich – Innsbruck - Verona

Dresden (GER)

11th and 12th January 2020

Dresden is hosting the World Cup for the third time. The venue is located right on the banks of the River Elbe. The backdrop of the track will be the world-famous baroque skyline of Dresden.
Sustainability and comfort - our official World Cup hotel, The Westin Bellevue, is renovating its rooms and becoming a certified, green hotel. Until the World Cup, the hotel holds 200 completely new rooms ready for you.

Information about the venue
The race track has been shortend to 650 meters and is run twice. The location of the start and finish are swapped for a long finish sprint and more tactical possibilities. Spectators have the opportunity to move between the arena and the bridge and get close to the track.

Must-see's and must-do's
Dresden is not only famous for its architecture and history but also for its many breweries and beer varieties as well as its colorful Christmas markets that will ring in the new year and lead the way for the FIS World Cup hosted here in January.
Dresden is just a short drive away from the winter sports regions of the Ore Mountains where small towns like Altenberg, Oberwiesenthal or Klingenthal have left their mark on the international winter sports scene thanks to their hosting of international competitions and their nurturing of successful Olympic athletes.

Connect online:

Official hashtag: **#skiweltcupdresden**
Website address: **www.skiwolrdcup-dresden.de**
Facebook: **www.facebook.com/SkiWeltcupDresden/**
Twitter: **https://twitter.com/SkiWeltcpDD**
Instagram: **www.instagram.com/skiweltcupdresden/**
YouTube: **https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCgmwjJBZzYiwzlx3JP09jKg?view_as=subscriber**

Event program

Date	Competition	Remarks	Event program
11th January	**Sprint F** 12:00h qualification 14:50h start heats		*9:30h - 11:00h* *Bib distribution*
12th January	**Team Sprint F** 13:15h qualification 15:20h start heats	*12:30 – 13:05* *Training / Testing* *14:50 – 15:15* *Training / Testing*	*11:00 Bib distrubition*

Contacts local organization committee

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Photo Chief	Daniela Möckel	+49 15253635134	daniela.moeckel@skiweltcup-dresden.de
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International TV Rights Holder	Infront Italy	+39 334 659 6313	filip.grabowski@infrontsports.com

National TV Rights holder	Tbd		

Accreditation for Print Media and Photographers:

For media and photographers accreditation requests to **https://www.skiworldcup-dresden.com/service/accreditation/**

Accreditations for TV and Radio:

Domestic and international TV, radio, production and internet companies will be authorized by Infront Italy. They will have to submit their requests to film or commentate on-site directly to Infront's TV & Media Rights Manager
filip.grabowski@infrontsports.com

The deadline for applications is **Friday, 20th December 2019**

Media Center

The Media Center is located at the Ministry of Finance next to the venue.
Opening times (preliminary), Friday from 16:00h to 20:00h, Saturday from 8:00h to 20:00h and Sunday from 8:00 to 18:00h

Media Accommodation

The media accommodation is located in the World Cup Hotel "Westin Bellevue" ****(*), located directly at the venue. Please contact the hotels Reservations manager Silke Graf at silke.graf@westin-dresden.com

Transport

Official airport: Dresden International Airport (DRS)
We recommend to use public transport between airport and the city. The local train takes you directly to the Station *Dresden Neustadt*, from where it is a 10min walk to the media hotel. Car rental at airport is possible, please have a look at: http://www.dresden-airport.de/passengers-and-visitors/to-and-from-the-airport-parking.html

There is no shuttle from the media accommodation to venue, as it is only a 5min walk. If media stays somewhere else in the city, we recommend taking the tram which stops right in front of the venue (Trams 3, 7 and 8 at Carolaplatz). Please note that there is no parking available at the venue.

Nove Mesto (CZE)

18th and 19th January 2020

Information about the venue
Cross-country Skiing has a rich history in the Bohemian-Moravian Highlands, which international chapter started to be written back in 1981, when the first women's World Cup was organized in the venue. A total of twenty Cross-country Skiing World Cup events has been organized in Nové Město na Moravě since then.

In the era of the Czech cross-country stars Lukáš Bauer and Kateřina Neumannová, the visit rates of major skiing events in the heart of the Czech Republic went up to about twenty thousand spectators per race. The Tour de Ski series stopped in Nové Město three times.

With the advent of biathlon, the Vysočina Arena has expanded to include new grandstands, Media centre, Office Area building, Athlete & Wax Cabins and other key facilities that offer a hospitable environment to all coming to compete in the venue.

Must-see's and must-do's
In addition to the World Cup races, it is worth visiting the Horácko Gallery with its permanent exhibition focused on Czech sculpture works of the 20th century, landscape paintings by local painters and glass works from Škrdlovice village.

Connect online:

Official hashtag:	#zlatalyze #goldenski
Website address:	www.vysocina-arena.cz
Facebook:	https://www.facebook.com/vysocinaarena
	https://www.facebook.com/behnalyzich/
Instagram:	https://www.instagram.com/vysocinaarena/
	https://www.instagram.com/czechxcskiteam/

Event program

Date	Competition	Remarks	Event program
17th January			17:30h Bib ceremony
18th January	**10/15km C** 09:45h start w 11:15h start m		

19th January	**10/15km F pursuit** 11:10h start w 13:00h start m		

Contacts local organization committee

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National TV Rights holder	Czech TV	+420 736 531 295	Marketa.Vrankova@czech-tv.cz

Accreditation for Print Media and Photographers:

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Accreditations for TV and Radio:

Domestic and international TV, radio, production and internet companies will be authorized by Infront Italy. They will have to submit their requests to film or commentate

on-site directly to Infront's TV & Media Rights Manager
filip.grabowski@infrontsports.com

The deadline for applications is **12th January 2020**

Media Center

The Media Center is located on the 1st floor of the Media Building behind the grandstands B.

Opening times

Friday 17.January	9:00 - 18:00
Saturday 18. January	8:00 - 18:00
Sunday 19. January	8:00 - 18:00

Media Accommodation

Hotel Jehla in Žďár nad Sázavou (15-minute has been selected as the official media hotel for the FIS XC World Cup. All media representatives shall book and pay directly with the hotel.

Address: Hotel Jehla, Kovářova 214/4, Žďár nad Sázavou 1, 591 01 Žďár nad Sázavou

Phone: +420 731 150 659 / **Email:** info@hoteljehla.cz

Contact the WC accommodation manager in case of any problems.

Transport

All media shall use their own transport to get to the venue. Sufficient amount of parking places reserved for media is available directly inside the Vysočina Arena World Cup venue.

Oberstdorf (GER)

25th and 26th January 2020

Information about the venue
tbd

Must-see's and must-do's
tbd

Connect online:

Official hashtag: # tbd
Website address: tbd
Facebook: tbd
Twitter: tbd
Instagram: tbd
YouTube: tbd

Event program

Date	Competition	Remarks	Event program
25th January	**Skiathlon** 11:00h start w 12:30h start m		
26th January	**Sprint C** 00:00h start w 00:00h start m		

Contacts local organization committee

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Transportation			
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Photo Chief			

TV Responsible			
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National TV Rights holder			

Accreditation for Print Media and Photographers:

For media and photographers accreditation requests to **tbd**

Accreditations for TV and Radio:

Domestic and international TV, radio, production and internet companies will be authorized by Infront Italy. They will have to submit their requests to film or commentate on-site directly to Infront's TV & Media Rights Manager
filip.grabowski@infrontsports.com

The deadline for applications is **tbd**

Media Center

The Media Center is located at **tbd**.
Opening times **tbd**

Media Accommodation

The media accommodation is located at **tbd**. For any further information, please contact **tbd**

Transport

Official airport: **tbd**

Falun (SWE)

8th and 9th February 2020

Information about the venue
Our arena/venue Lugnet is an all-round sports complex that can cater for as many as 57 of the 69 acknowledged sport by the Swedish Sports Confederation.
Lugnet is an unique arena, located only 2 km from the city center of Falun.
We continue to offer good skiing and decisive hills in a spectator-friendly fashion.

o Falun courses use major parts of the old course system in a creative way
o Multiple permanent overpasses ensure that spectators can avoid to cross the tracks in most parts of the areas.
“Mordarbacken” – Faluns signature hill is well known in the Cross Country community. Before the WSC 2015 the course system was changed and developed, and we now have
the large and small “Mordarbacken”. For our competitions 2020 we will use the large.
Calle Halfvarsson, Hanna Falk, Linn Somskar, Anna Dyvik and Simon Andersson are some of the skiers who live in Falun.
Falun is not only hometown of successful skiers, we have our new Olympic Gold medalistJenny Rissveds (mountain biking) who lives in Falun and also Susanna Kallur, well-known for her long track and field career (Hurdle)

Must-see’s and must-do’s
The beautiful view over Falun from the top of the two high jumping towers and the museum which was built in 2015 when Falun was host of the Cross Country World Championship.

Connect online:

Official hashtag:	**#svenskaskidspelen #skidspelen #skidspelen2020**
Website address:	**www.skidspelen.se**
Facebook:	**www.facebook.com/skidspelen**
Instagram:	**www.instagram.com/svenskaskidspelen**

Event program

Date	Competition	Remarks	Event program
8th February	**Sprint C** 11:00h qualification 13:30h finals	9:00 – 11:00h training	**17:30h Bib ceremony**
9th February	**10/15km C** 11:45h start w 13:30h start m	9:00 – 10:00h training	

Contacts local organization committee

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Accommodation	Agneta Andersson	+46 (0) 70 – 591 10 67	agneta@konferensbyran.se
Transportation	Anna Zetterström	+46(0)70-649 1291	anna.z@telia.com
Media Chief	Anna Tynell Segerström	+46(0)73- 838 40 11	anna_segerstrom@hotmail.com
Photo Chief	Ulf Palm	+46(0)70-695 5555	ulf@gamlabrandstation.se
TV Responsible	Ulf Mååg	+46(0)70-698 9280	ulf.maag@ltdalarna.se
International TV Rights Holder	Infront Italy	+39 334 659 6313	filip.grabowski@infrontsports.com
National TV Rights holder			

Accreditation for Print Media and Photographers:
For media and photographers accreditation requests to
https://magnetevent.se/Event/medieackreditering--media-accreditation-25122/

Media criterias
The media accreditation for Svenska Skidspelen 2020 give access to all media accredited areas at the Lugnet venue. To grant a media accreditation during Svenska Skidspelen 2020 following criteria must be fulfilled.
1. Valid AIPS number or valid national press card.
2. Freelance journalists/photographers have to be able to show a job description from the temporary employer valid for coverage of Svenska Skidspelen 2020.
3. Copies of published material from the last twelve months.
All the applications will be handled separately and LOC could ask for additional information if needed. If necessary, mutual order of precedence counts according to the criteria listed above.

Accreditations for TV and Radio:

Domestic and international TV, radio, production and internet companies will be authorized by Infront Italy. They will have to submit their requests to film or commentate on-site directly to Infront's TV & Media Rights Manager **filip.grabowski@infrontsports.com and federica.ceresa@infrontsports.com**

The deadline for applications is 24th January 2020

Media Center

The Media Center is located at the Lugnet venue, Falun. It's open daily from 14:00 – 20:00h

Media Accommodation

The media accommodation is located at **tbd**. For any further information, please contact **tbd**

Transport

Official airport: **tbd**

Ski Tour 2020 (SWE/NOR)

15th to 23rd February 2020

Information about the tour

In February 2020, the Cross-Country world will look to the Mid-Scandinavian Ski Region to follow the best skiers in the World as they compete in five different venues, while crossing the border from Sweden to Norway. The Swedish and Norwegian National Ski Associations, historical rivals but also close friends, will launch a tour which will be remarkable in more than one way.
The official opening ceremony will take place in Östersund Friday February 14, 2020. After two days of racing in Östersund the tour will move on to Åre, Storlien/Meråker and Trondheim. The schedule will be tough, starting with two race days in Östersund and continuing with a challenging sprint set in the Alpine Championships arena in Åre. In Storlien/Meråker the athletes will take on a long-distance race crossing the border between Sweden and Norway. The tour will finish with two days of racing in Trondheim. When the athletes cross the border in the distance race from Storlien to Meråker it will be the first time ever a World Cup race cross international borders.
Ski Tour 2020 wish to set an example for future organizers by focusing on sustainability and environmentally friendly choices. By making all athletes take the train between the different locations, minimizing the number of transports and maximizing the use of environmentally friendly fuel alternatives, Ski Tour 2020 will take every measure possible to minimize its carbon dioxide footprints. That also means that we will set a high standard for ourselves, our partners, the athletes and their teams.
We look forward to seeing you in Östersund, Åre, Storlien, Meråker and Trondheim in February!
The Ski Tour 2020 Team

Must-see's and must-do's

More information about the different locations and must-see's and must-do's will be found on the media page on the Ski Tour 2020 website.

Connect online:
Official hashtag: #skitour2020
Website address: www.skitour2020.com
Facebook: www.facebook.com/skitour2020
Instagram: www.instagram.com/skitour2020

Event program

Date	Competition	Remarks	Event program
Östersund (SWE)			
14th February			Opening ceremony Opening press conference / Team presentation Media mingle
15th February	10/15km interval F 13:30h 10km w 16:10h 15km m		Press conference after each race, focus on distance
16th February	10/15km pursuit C 14:00h 15km m 16:00h 10km w		Press conference after each race, focus on distance
Åre (SWE)			
17th February	No competition	Training in Åre	
18th February	Sprint F 13:45h qualification 16:15h start finals		Press conference focus on sprinters
19th February	No competition	Training in Storlien-Meråker	
Storlien-Meråker (SWE/NOR)			
20th February	38km F Mass start 10:45h start w 13:30h start m		Media mingle in Trondheim Thursday February 20th
Trondheim (NOR)			
21st February	No competition	Training in Trondheim	
22nd February	Sprint C 10:30h qualification 13:00h start finals		Press conference focus on sprinters

23rd February	10/15km F 11:15h 10km w 14:25h 15km m		

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National TV Rights holder	TBA		

Accreditation

Please note: Media representatives can apply for accreditation that is valid during the entire Ski Tour 2020.

Accreditation for Print Media and Photographers:
For media and photographers accreditation requests please visit the Ski Tour 2020 website.
www.skitour2020.com

The online accreditation application for media and photographers will open Friday, November 1st, 2019.
The deadline for the accreditation of media and photographers is Friday, January 31st, 2020.

Please note that deadline for accommodation reservations is Monday, January 13, 2020.

Accreditations for TV and Radio:

Domestic and international TV, radio, production and internet companies will be authorized by Infront Italy. They will have to submit their requests to film or commentate on-site directly to Infront's TV & Media Rights Manager
filip.grabowski@infrontsports.com

The deadline for applications is TBA.

Media Centers along the tour. Opening hours are subject to change.
Östersund
Location: Östersund Ski Center
Opening times:
Thursday February 13th, 12.00-17.00
Friday February 14th, 08.00-21.00
Saturday February 15th, 08.00-23.00
Sunday February 16th, 08.00-23.00

Åre
Location: The National Arena, Årevägen 180
Opening times:
Monday February 17th, 08.00-23.00
Tuesday February 18th, 08.00-23.00
Wednesday February 19th, TBA

Meråker
Location: Grova skicenter
Opening times:
Wednesday February 19th, 08.00-13.00

Thursday February 20th, 08.00 - TBD

Trondheim
Location: Granåsen Ski Center
Opening times:
Friday February 21st, 08.00-21.00
Saturday Februar7 22nd, 08.00-23.00
Sunday February 23rd, 08.00-23.00

Media Accommodation and transportation

At each location, the Ski Tour 2020 cooperates with local hotels which also hold rooms reserved for media. To reserve your accommodation as well as transportation please contact Anne Guri Sklet on accommodationskitour@gyro.no

More information about accommodation and transportation between the different locations as well as transportation from the media hotels to media center at the different locations will be posted on Ski Tour 2020 website.

Lahti (FIN)

29th February and 1st March 2020

Information about the venue
tbd

Must-see's and must-do's
tbd

Connect online:

Official hashtag: # **tbd**
Website address: **tbd**
Facebook: **tbd**
Twitter: **tbd**
Instagram: **tbd**
YouTube: **tbd**

Event program

Date	Competition	Remarks	Event program

29th February	**10/15km C** 00:00h start w 00:00h start m		
1st March	**Relay** 00:00h start w 00:00h start m		

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National TV Rights holder			

Accreditation for Print Media and Photographers:

For media and photographers accreditation requests to **tbd**

Accreditations for TV and Radio:

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The deadline for applications is **tbd**

Media Center

The Media Center is located at **tbd**.
Opening times **tbd**

Media Accommodation

The media accommodation is located at **tbd**. For any further information, please contact **tbd**

Drammen (NOR)

4th March 2020

Information about the venue
tbd

Must-see's and must-do's
tbd

Connect online:

Official hashtag: # tbd
Website address: tbd
Facebook: tbd
Twitter: tbd
Instagram: tbd
YouTube: tbd

Event program

Date	Competition	Remarks	Event program
4th March	**Sprint C** 00:00h qualification 00:00h start finals		

Contacts local organization committee

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Accommodation			
Transportation			

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National TV Rights holder			

Accreditation for Print Media and Photographers:

For media and photographers accreditation requests to **tbd**

Accreditations for TV and Radio:

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The deadline for applications is **tbd**

Media Center

The Media Center is located at **tbd**.
Opening times **tbd**

Media Accommodation

The media accommodation is located at **tbd**. For any further information, please contact **tbd**

Transport

Official airport: **tbd**

Oslo (NOR)

7th and 8th March 2020

Information about the venue
This year, the ladies' cross country 30K will take place on Saturday, and the men's 50K on Sunday. This change is something the ladies themselves have pushed on, and FIS and the organizer are happy to say that this year the change have been implemented. This means that the ladies will get the well-known "Holmenkollen atmosphere" in the forest areas.

In the forest, some challenges have been pressing on the last years, and a joint effort from the municipality, the organizer, police and medic services have really improved the situation.
The men's 50 km race is in classical style and consists of 6 laps of 8.3 km. There is a bonus sprint at Frognerseteren on all laps. A new uphill at Seterbakken was added in 2016, ensuring that the total climb is at the FIS maximum of 200 m for the 50 km, making it the toughest 50 km on the World Cup circuit.

The women's 30 km race is in classical style and consists of 1 lap of 5 km and then 3 laps of
8.3 km. On the first lap there is a bonus sprint at 3 km and then there is a bonus sprint at Frognerseteren on all the 3 laps of 8.3 km.

Must-see's and must-do's
Don't miss out on the other great World Cup competitions during the Skifest weekend in Oslo. Ski jumping (RAW AIR) and Nordic combined are on the program in Holmenkollen. Close to the national arena you can find the Ski Museum with a vast variety of skiing history. If you have the chance, go see the camps and groups of friends celebrating the 30 and 50K race in the forest areas close to Frognerseteren. Contact the info desk in the Press Center for more information.

Connect online:

Official hashtag:	**#hkskifest #holmenkollen**
Website address:	**www.holmenkollenskifestival.no/nordic**
Facebook:	**www.facebook.com/holmenkollenskifestival**
Twitter:	**www.twitter.com/hkskifestival**
Instagram:	**www.instagram.com/holmenkollenskifest**

Event program

Date	Competition	Remarks	Event program

7th March	**30km F** 12:00h start w		Please note that the men 50K has switched place with the women's 30K this year. Next year it will be the other way around.
8th march	**50km F** 11:30h start m		

Contacts local organization committee

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Accreditation for Print Media and Photographers:

For media and photographers accreditation requests to https://holmenkollenskifestival.no/nordic/press-og-media/accreditation/

Accreditations for TV and Radio:

Domestic and international TV, radio, production and internet companies will be authorized by Infront Italy. They will have to submit their requests to film or commentate on-site directly to Infront's TV & Media Rights Manager lorenzo.pala@infrontsports.com

The deadline for applications is **1st March 2020**

Media Center

The Media Center is located besides the finish line of the Cross-Country tracks.
Opening times **tbd**

Media Accommodation

The organizing committee can help you with finding the accommodation for the event. Inquiries must be sent with the accreditation form (national press and photographers) on media@holmenkollen.com

Transport

Official airport: The Airport Express train uses approx. 20 minutes from the airport to Oslo City Center.
Local transport: please email media@holmenkollen.com for information if you have the need for a parking permit. There are a limited amount of parking spaces in the venue.

Québec (CAN)

14th and 15th March 2020

Information about the venue
Quebec City World Cup stop is becoming a classic for athletes and locals alike. Along with the World Cup competitions venue includes kids track, exhibitors and amateur race.

Event main infrastructures will be at Manege Militaire, the only military building in Canada to have been recognized as a national historical site.
Exhibitors and kiosks will be along Grande Allee street, a great place to eat, drink, dance, meet new people, and have a good time.

Alex Harvey, newly retired, will act as an ambassador for the event. He will be involved in MC-ing during competitions and advising the OC.

Must-see's and must-do's
Track will be set on the Plains of Abraham, one of Canada's most important historical park and one of Quebec City most prestigious city parks.

It will combine uphills and downhills on a 1650-meter-long loop allowing a great view of the action for the crowd.

Connect online:

Official hashtag: **#skidefondquebec**
Website address: **www.cdmskidefondquebec.com**
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Instagram: **www.instagram.com/cdmskidefondqc**
YouTube:
https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCb0kPta7YRlu1tpJ9NvZkCg

Event program

Date	Competition	Remarks	Event program
14th March	**Sprint C** tbc qualification 13:20h start finals		
15th March	**Sprint F** tbc qualification 13:15h start finals		

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National TV Rights holder			

Accreditation for Print Media and Photographers:

For media and photographers accreditation requests to **https://cdmskidefondquebec.com/medias/**

Accreditations for TV and Radio:

Domestic and international TV, radio, production and internet companies will be authorized by Infront Italy. They will have to submit their requests to film or commentate on-site directly to TV & Media Rights Manager:

Marie-Michelle Gagné, 418 561-6762, mmgagne@gestev.com

The deadline for applications is: ***March 6, 2020***.

Media Center

The Media Center is at *Manege Militaire*.
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Opening times:
Thursday, 9:00 to 17:00h
Friday, 8:00 to 19:00h
Saturday, 8:00 to 18:00h
Sunday, 8:00 to 18:00h

Media Accommodation

The organizing committee can help you with finding the accommodation for the event. Inquiries must be sent with the accreditation form (national press and photographers)

Marie-Michelle Gagné, 418 561-6762, **mmgagne@gestev.com**

Information regarding accommodation will be online:
https://cdmskidefondquebec.com/tourisme/

Transport

Official airport: Québec City Jean Lesage International Airport
The organizing committee can help arrange transportation between the airports and the hotels. Distance between hotel and venue: Walking distance. No shuttle service.

Minneapolis (USA)

17th March 2020

Minnesotans are excited to host the first FIS Coop Cross-Country World Cup competition in the
United States since 2001. Americans are becoming more enthusiastic followers of world-class
Cross-Country ski racing in recent years, and the US Women's Team gold medal performance atthe PyeongChang 2018 Winter Olympics only boosted that level of interest. US Women's Team member and gold medal winner Jessie Diggins grew up in the Twin Cities area, so she'll have a large hometown following cheering her on at this competition.

Information about the venue
The course is set in Minneapolis' Theodore Wirth Park, the 1.7km/1.4km routes winding through
an urban hardwood forest with views of the Minneapolis skyline from high points on the course.
Also, the course will offer spectacular viewing areas for spectators.

Must-see's and must-do's
Minneapolis is known as the "City of Lakes," and there are miles of walking trails around the lakes not far from the Trailhead/Wirth Park. Also, skiers will find groomed trails connecting Wirth Park to the city lakes, with groomed trails on and around the lakes.

The Shops at West End offers a shopping, dining and entertainment experience like no other. This shopping area is located in St. Louis Park, where the media/team hotel is located, just minutes from downtown Minneapolis. From locally-owned boutiques and entertainment to high-class dining and rejuvenation, The Shops at West End will give you a unique Minnesotan experience. Open Monday through Saturday from 10am to 9pm, and Sunday from 12pm to 6pm.

Connect online:

Official hashtag: **#mnworldcup**
Website address: **www.mnworldcup.com**
Facebook: **www.facebook.com/mnworldcup**
Twitter: **@mnworldcup**
Instagram: **www.instagram.com/mnworldcup**
YouTube: **www.youtube.com/loppetfoundation**

Competition program

Date	Format	Distance	Remarks
17th March	**Sprint F** 14:15h Qualification 16:45h start heats	1.4km women | 1.7km men	Sprint crystal globe ceremony

Event program

Date	Competition	Training	TCM	Other*
Monday, 16th March		**15:00h –17:00h** Training		**13:00h** Opening press-conference at

				Media Center (chalet)
Tuesday, 17th March				Race followed by sprint crystal globe ceremony

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Accreditation for Print Media and Photographers:

For media and photographers accreditation requests to **www.mnworldcup.com/media**

Accreditations for TV and Radio:

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The deadline for applications is **tbd**

Media Center

The Media Center is located at the Theodore Wirth Park Chalet (second floor). Opening times
Monday and Tuesday from 7:00h to 21:00h

Media Accommodation

The organizing committee can help you with finding the accommodation for the event. For information on hotel accomodations and to reserve a room with the group discount, go to www.mnworldcup.com/festival-information#accommodations

The OC offers hotel rooms in the media hotel DoubleTree by Hilton Hotel – Park Place, St. Louis Park with free shuttles from the hotel to the Trailhead at Theodore Wirth Park.

Transport

Official airport: Minneapolis - St. Paul International Airport (MSP), located 20 minutes from both – the DoubleTree hotel and the venue.
Local transport: Meia representatives will have free shuttle service from the DoubleTree hotel to the event venue. From MSP airport, take Uber/Lyft or taxi to the DoubleTree hotel.

Canmore (CAN)

20th to 22nd March 2020

Finals of the 2019/20 FIS Cross-Country World Cup season with the first ever **Mixed Relay** at a 4x5km on Sunday 22nd March 2020.
The Distance Crystal Globes will be handed out on Saturday, 21st March 2020. The Nations Cup will be awarde on Sunday, 22nd March.

Information about the venue
Site of the 1988 Olympic Nordic Events.
Host of 5 World Cups since 2005 including the 2016 Ski Tour Canada
Racing will be held on the Olympic Course at the Canmore Nordic Centre, this trail includes “Beckie Scott Hill” and the “Sara Renner Corner”
The Canmore Venue is nestled in the Canadian Rocky Mountains with spectacular opportunities for photos and stories.

Must-see’s and must-do’s
Welcome to Canmore – Kananaskis tourism region! We are excited to be hosting the 2020 FIS Cross Country Season Finale.

Canmore – Kananaskis offers an incredible variety of things to do and see for a diverse range of visitors. While you are here, try an extreme sport in the morning and world class cuisine in the evening. Walk along the trails around town, taking in the glacier-turquoise river scenery and unique shops and art galleries. Try a yoga session followed by a trip to the spa. Whatever type of experience you’re looking for, you will find it here.

The OC is partnering with the Town of Canmore to host an Artwalk from downtown along the Legacy Trail to the Nordic Centre. This will be a series of temporary outdoor art installations reflecting the community’s relationship to nature, winter and our surrounding environment.

Connect online:

Website address: www.albertaworldcup.com
Facebook: www.facebook.com/AlbertaWorldCup
Twitter: www.twitter.com/AlbertaWorldCup
Instagram: www.instagram.com/AlbertaWorldCup

Competition program

Date	Format	Distance	Remarks
20th March	**Mass start F** 11:10h start women 12:15h start men	10km women / 15km men	
21st March	**Pursuit C** 10:30h start women 11:45h start men	10km women / 15km men	
22nd March	**Mixed Team relay** *Time tbd*		First ever mixed relay

Event program

Date	Competition	Training	TCM	Other*
Friday, 19th March		11:00 – 13:00 Official Training	19:00 Coast Hotel	17:30 – 18:30 Opening Ceremony Canmore Civic Centre
Saturday, 20th March	11:10 10km F Mass Start Women 12:15 15km F Mass Start Men		19:00 Coast Hotel	Flower ceremonies following races.
Sunday, 21st March	10:30 10km Cl Pursuit Women 11:45 15km Cl Pursuit Men		19:00 Coast Hotel	Flower ceremonies after the races. Crystal Globes Distance after men's race.
Sunday, 22nd March	09:45 Mixed Relay C/F	*12:30 – 13:05* *Training / Testing* *14:50 – 15:15* *Training / Testing*		flower ceremony, Nations Cup ceremony

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National TV Rights holder	Nordiq Canada		ddyer@nordiqcanada.ca

Accreditation for Print Media and Photographers:

For media and photographers accreditation requests go to **www.albertaworldcup.com/media**

Accreditations for TV and Radio:

Domestic and international TV, radio, production and internet companies will be authorized by Infront Italy. They will have to submit their requests to film or commentate on-site directly to Infront's TV & Media Rights Manager **filip.grabowski@infrontsports.com**

The deadline for applications is **tbd**

Media Center

The Media Center is at the Bill Warren Training Centre. It's open daily from 8:00am to 19:00h.

Media Accommodation

The organizing committee can help you with finding the accommodation for the event. Inquiries must be sent with the accreditation form (national press and photographers) on www.albertaworldcup.com/media or contact aevans@albertaworldcup.com by **10th January 2020.**

Transport

Official airport: Official Airport is Calgary International (YYC).
Please contact aevans@albertaworldcup.com to arrange transfers.