

## PREVIEW MEN'S INDIVIDUAL - LARGE HILLTITISEE-NEUSTADT – 9&10 January 2021

### Kamil Stoch

- Four Hills Tournament winner Kamil Stoch has won 38 individual World Cup events, one shy of Adam Malysz (39) in third place all-time behind only Gregor Schlierenzauer (53) and Matti Nykänen (46).
- Including men's team events, Stoch has won 45 World Cup events, which ranks him also in fourth place, behind Schlierenzauer (70), Janne Ahonen (46) and Nykänen (46).
- The last time Stoch won three successive individual World Cup events was when he won all four events in the 2017/18 Four Hills Tournament.
- In three of the last five years, the winner in Bischofshofen during the Four Hills Tournament also won the next individual World Cup event, Peter Prevc (2016), Stoch (2017) and Ryoyu Kobayashi (2019)
- Stoch has claimed three podium finishes in individual World Cup events in Titisee-Neustadt, including a win on 15 December 2013. Only compatriot Adam Malysz (6) has claimed more than three individual World Cup finishes in the German town.

### Halvor Egner Granerud

- Overall World Cup leader Granerud has won five individual World Cup events this season, at least three more than any other male ski jumper.
- The only Norwegians to win at least six individual World Cup events in one season are Roar Ljøkelsøy (7 in 2003/04) and Ole Bremseth (6 in 1981/82).
- Granerud can follow in the footsteps of Anders Fannemel (2015) and Johann André Forfang (2016) as only Norwegians to win an individual World Cup ski jumping event in Titisee-Neustadt.
- Granerud's only participation in Titisee-Neustadt is a 37th place on 10 December 2017.

### Karl Geiger

- Karl Geiger has won seven individual World Cup events, one short of Richard Freitag (8) in sixth place among German ski jumpers.
- Geiger could become the fourth German ski jumper to win a World Cup event in Titisee-Neustadt, after Sven Hannawald on 2 December 2001, Severin Freund on 7 February 2015 and Richard Freitag on 10 December 2017.
- Geiger's best result in Titisee-Neustadt is a fifth place in the second event last season (19 January).

## Dawid Kubacki

- Dawid Kubacki won both World Cup events in Titisee-Neustadt last season and could become the first ski jumper to win three in a row on this hill.
- The only ski jumper to win three individual World Cup events in total in Titisee-Neustadt is compatriot Adam Malysz (3).
- **Poland** can win its fourth and fifth successive individual World Cup event. The only time Polish ski jumpers have won five in a row was in January 2001, when Adam Malysz won five in a row.

## Other contenders

- **Stefan Kraft** is still looking for his first individual World Cup podium finish this season.
- Kraft's best result this season is a fourth place in Bischofshofen.
- Kraft's 21 individual World Cup victories ranks him in fourth place among Austrians, behind Gregor Schlierenzauer (53), Andreas Felder (25) and Morgenstern (23).
- The only Austrian ski jumpers to win an individual World Cup event in Titisee-Neustadt were Martin Höllwarth (twice in 2002/03) and Thomas Morgenstern (2013/14).
- **Marius Lindvik** finished on the podium in each of his last two World Cup events in which he participated (Oberstdorf 3rd, Bischofshofen 2nd).
- Lindvik has won two individual World Cup events, both in the Four Hills Tournament, in 2019/20, in Garmisch Partenkirchen and Innsbruck, the two hills he missed this season.
- **Markus Eisenbichler** failed to reach the final in Bischofshofen for the first time this World Cup season (35th).
- Eisenbichler finished in the top-7 in nine of the 11 individual World Cup events this season, equal-most alongside Halvor Egner Granerud.

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