

2021/22 FIS Snowboard Cross World Cup Press Kit



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1. Official FIS Snowboard Channels

- Facebook - facebook.com/fissnowboard/
- Instagram - instagram.com/fissnowboard/
- Twitter - twitter.com/fissnowboard
- YouTube - youtube.com/fissnowboard

We encourage you to mark, tag and @-tag all relevant FIS Snowboard channels in any of your posts concerning FIS snowboard competitions, and in any post relating to your event we will happily return the favor.

Social media is about creating connections and spreading the content as far and as fast as possible. The more we work together, the greater our reach will be!

2. Official Hashtags

For all channels commonly using hashtags (Twitter, Instagram, Facebook) the official hashtag is: **#fissnowboard**

Should you have a particular hashtag you wish to use for your event as well, please let us know in advance so we can coordinate our efforts.

3. Photos and Video

We strongly encourage all of our LOCs to have a designated content manager or photographer on hand to document the on-hill action for use by their (and our) social media channels. Photos and videos are the most efficient way to communicate a sense of what takes place on hill, and through distribution on Facebook, Instagram, Twitter, and/or photo-sharing sites like Smugmug, quality images of an event are an ideal way to increase visibility for all partners involved.

We do understand that hiring content specialists on a day rate can be an expensive endeavour, which is why we suggest looking to establish something of an internship program. Seeking out a student photographer who is looking to build a portfolio, or an amateur enthusiast who will exchange photos for special competition access, are just two of the possibilities for finding a suitable documentarian for your event.

If and when you have located a photographer for your event, please put him or her in contact with [Julia Ziemska](#) to help organise logistics for the event.

4. Media access

Livestream:

Continuing after the successful first seasons, also this season all World Cup events will be live streamed on the FIS Snowboard [YouTube channels](#), this time with the addition of English live commentary. Available for free viewing in all nations where a national broadcaster does not hold exclusive rights to the event, the live streaming agreement with broadcast rights holder InFront Sports and Media is an important and exciting one for our sports moving forward, and we look forward to growing engagement and viewership over the season as awareness spreads.

Smugmug:

Throughout the 2021/22 FIS Snowboard season we will continue to share rights-free photos from each event on our SmugMug page - [HERE](#). Here you can also find archived photo galleries from previous seasons, and all photos are free for editorial usage with credit to the photographer (if listed) and FIS Snowboard (or @fissnowboard on social media).

Youtube:

Women's and men's top-3 podium runs as well as winner's interviews will also be available shortly after each competition on our YouTube page, [HERE](#). We happily encourage you to link, share and/or embed these videos through your channels throughout the season.

5. Venue Channels and Key Athletes

We follow all of our venue social media channels and share, retweet and regram from them whenever possible as we work to create buzz around our events and build towards the season's marquee competitions. If you would like to see what various organisers are doing ahead of and during a FIS Snowboard Cross event, here are complete lists of 2021/22 FIS Snowboard Cross World Cup organizers and their respective social media.

As well, to help you follow and share/retweet/regram athlete posts, we have compiled profiles of some the most prominent men and women of the Snowboard World Cup tour. If you are interested in more athletes (e.g. from your country) please contact us and we should be able to point you in the right direction.

6. Live-scoring and Statistics

The live-scoring service for the 2021/2022 FIS Snowboard Cross World Cup tour will be available [HERE](#) or through the [FISApp](#) for IOS and Android smartphones.

Furthermore the FIS website offers an extensive [STATISTIC](#) section based on athletes' and nations' past results, providing interesting insights from World Cup, World Championships and Olympic Winter Games results. For your convenience we've chosen a handful of key tables, below.

KEY STATS:

- [2020/2021 World Cup calender and results](#)
- 2020/2021 FIS Snowboard Cross World Cup ranking - [WOMEN](#) & [MEN](#)
- All top 3 World Championships results – [WOMEN](#) & [MEN](#)
- All top 3 Olympic Winter Games results - [WOMEN](#) & [MEN](#)
- Most World Cup victories - [WOMEN](#) & [MEN](#)
- All-time nations podium rankings - [ALL](#)

7. Covid-19

If you wish to attend the event in person, there are certain Covid-19 measures in place to be respected and followed.

Please get familiar with the following documents and guidelines:

- [FIS World Cup Risk Management Covid-19 Testing Protocol](#)
- [FIS Covid-19 Media Guidelines 2021-22](#)
- [FIS Covid-19 Communications Guidelines 2021-22](#)
- [FIS Covid-19 Ceremony Guidelines 2021-22](#)
- [FIS Covid-19 Prevention Guidelines](#)

If you are seeking more information on Covid-19, please visit the [Covid-19 Hub](#) on our website.

4. FIS Snowboard World Cup 2021/22 season intro:

The FIS Snowboard Cross World Cup season 2021/22 will start off with a highly important Olympic test event in China's Secret Garden resort on November 28, in order for the athletes to get acquainted with the Olympic course ahead of the major event going down later this season.

Speaking of Olympic season, the athletes are now heading into the second half of the Olympic qualification period, which started on July 1, 2020 and lasts until January 16, 2022.

The SBX tour will head back to Europe to the classic SBX resort of Montafon (AUT) to kick-off the European leg of the tour with one individual and one mixed-team event, followed by a stop consisting of one individual competition in Cervinia (ITA), on the Italian side of the world-famous Matterhorn, before the Christmas break.

The New Year will start off with back-to-back races in Krasnoyarsk (RUS) on January 07-09, where last year's FIS Youth World Championships took place in an extraordinary matter. So, it is exciting to see the Siberian resort host an SBX World Cup for the very first time ever.

Then the SBX circuit will return to Italy for one individual event in Chiesa in Valmalenco on January 21-22 and then carry the Italian vibe to the last stop before the Olympics in the world-famous winter sports resort Cortina d'Ampezzo on January 28-29.

There, not only the 1956 Winter Olympics and the 2021 World Ski Championships were conducted, as well as the FIS Alpine Snowboard World Cup makes a stop every season, but the Winter Olympics will be held in the Italian resort once again in 2026, this time along with Milan.

Then, most of February should be highlighted in everyone's calendar, because that's when it's showtime for THE highlight of the season – the Olympic Winter Games in Beijing 2022. The SBX events will be held in Zhangjiakou with the women's competition going down on February 9 and the men's competition on February 10 and the world premiere of the mixed-team event at the Olympic Winter Games on February 12.

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We cannot wait to see who will be the ones on top of the Olympic podium holding up the medals with pride and happiness.

The World Cup tour will then continue in Mt. St. Anne, Quebec (CAN) with one single and one mixed-team event on February 25-27. And after that, in March there will be two joint stops together with the Audi FIS Ski Cross World Cup.

One is going to be at the Crosspark Reiteralalm in Austria on March 10-12 and the FIS Snowboard Cross World Cup is slated to finish off its season in Veysonnaz (SUI) on March 20, where once again both Cross disciplines will have their grand finale and crown their respective overall crystal globe winners.

Find the full FIS Snowboard Cross World Cup calendar [HERE](#) and in the coming pages you'll find information regarding the FIS Snowboard World Cup's top athletes, as well as further information on this season's venues and organizers.

And here is what last year's SBX crystal globe winners had to say about the upcoming season:

Eva Samkova pre-season interview [HERE](#).

Alessandro Haemmerle pre season interview [HERE](#).

Quick roundup of what happened last season

Despite the great difficulties and challenges faced, due to the worldwide Covid-19 pandemic, the FIS Snowboard Cross World Cup season 2020/21 turned out better than anticipated. The heavily affected calendar could somewhat be restored and therefore in the end, 6 competitions in 4 resorts were conducted.

New on the podium

Let's start off with who was new on the podium last year, as we witnessed this at the very first race of the season already. Dutch rider, Glenn de Blois surprisingly took his maiden win in Valmalenco (ITA) at the season opener in an outstanding performance, being the first Dutch winner since Feb. 19, 1997. It was a great season for de Blois, as he finished fourth in the SBX overall standings by the end of the season.

We also saw a very strong performance throughout the entire season from Canadian young gun Eliot Grondin. While he made his first jump onto the podium the year before on home soil in Big White, he managed to grab second spot at the season opening race in Valmalenco, just behind de Blois. He then proved his strong shape at the 2021 Idre Fjall World Champs, claiming bronze.

And just after this big event, Grondin made it to his maiden win in Bakuriani (GEO). Just as you thought, it couldn't get any better, the young Canadian managed to take home the gold medal at the FIS Youth World Championships in Krasnoyarsk (RUS) to top off the season. Needless to say, we can surely expect to see more action from Grondin this season.

We also saw Kalle Koblet from Switzerland grab his first podium spot in Bakuriani, Georgia, this season, coming in second at the second of back-to-back competitions at the 2023 World Championships venue.

Strong performances

Certainly not new to the podium, but a strong performance including three podium spots last season, secured the third rank for Faye Gulini (USA) in the SBX overall World Cup ranking at the end of the season.

Also, teammate and all-time winningest SBX World Cup athlete Lindsey Jacobellis made a comeback to the podium with a second place in Reiteralm (AUT) and a third place in Bakuriani (GEO).

Crystal globes

On the women's side, we witnessed World Cup finals as tight as it gets. In the historical women's big final of the 2020/21 season, Eva Samkova (CZE) and Michela Moioli (ITA) entered the start gate with the exact same number of points. It was a tight battle until the very finish line, where it was Samkova, who managed to dominate the track from top to bottom, only to clinch her third SBX overall crystal globe, edging Moioli off into second rank.

On the men's side, it was Austria's Alessandro Haemmerle, who managed to do the three-peat, claiming his third SBX overall crystal globe in a row. It had been a quite successful season for Haemmerle, as he also finally made it onto the podium at a major event, becoming Vice-World Champion 2021 in Idre Fjall, in a super tight finish fight with his friend and rival Lucas Eguibar (ESP), who managed to grab gold for Spain.

The second overall rank went to Eliot Grondin (CAN) and in third came Merlin Surget from France.

Overall, with two completely new venues in the calendar, Bakuriani (GEO), which will be the host of the 2023 FIS Freestyle and Snowboard World Championships, as well as the Crosspark Reiteralm in Austria, the season was a success after all and now it is time to look ahead as we enter the Olympic winter season 2021/22...

FIS Snowboard Cross World Cup Venues 2021/22



FIS Snowboard Cross World Cup Venues 2021/22				
WEBSITE	DATE	FACEBOOK	TWITTER	INSTAGRAM
Secret Garden (CHN)	25.-27.11.2021	OWG 2022	OWG 2022	OWG 2022
Montafon (AUT)	09.-11.12.2021	Weltcup Montafon	@MeinMontafon	@silvrettamontafon
Cervinia (ITA)	17.-18.12.2021	Cervinia resort	@CerviniaValt	@cerviniavalt
Krasnoyarsk (RUS)	07.-09.01.2022	Krasnoyarsk		@Krasnoyarsk
Chiesa in Valmalenco (ITA)	21.-22.01.2022	SBX World Cup Valmalenco	@AirCompetition	@sbxworldcupvalmalenco
Cortina d'Ampezzo (ITA)	28.-29.01.2022	Snowboard Club Cortina	@cortinadolomiti	@cortinasnowboardworldcup
Mt. St. Anne (CAN)	25.-27.02.2022	Canada Snowboard	@CanadaSnowboard	@canadasnowboardteam
Reiteralm (AUT)	10.-12.3.2022	Crosspark Reiteralm		@crosspark_reiteralm
Veysonnaz (SUI)	20.3.2022	Veysonnaz Worldcup	@VeysonnazSuisse	@worldcupveysonnaz



SECRET GARDEN, CHINA

The FIS Snowboard Cross World Cup 2021/22 will kick-off with an Olympic test event in Secret Garden (Zhangjiakou), China. Unfortunately, last year's event was cancelled due to the ongoing worldwide pandemic, therefore ski cross athlete did not get to familiarize themselves with the Olympic track.

Therefore, the circuit will travel to China to take a look at what's in store for the major event of the season, which will be the Olympic Winter Games Beijing 2022 in February.

Zhangjiakou is a prefecture-level city in northwestern Hebei province in Northern China, bordering Beijing to the southeast, Inner Mongolia to the north and west, and Shanxi to the southwest.

Zhangjiakou will host Freestyle and Nordic skiing and snowboarding excluding big air for the 2022 Winter Olympics. The events will be held in a venue in Taizicheng, a village in Chongli District. All venue constructions started in November 2016 and were finished by the end of 2020.

It will be the first-ever snowboard cross World Cup to be held at the Chinese resort.

Secret Garden/ Beijing 2022 links and info:

- [Secret Garden data page \(live timing/brackets and results\)](#)
- [Homepage](#)
- [Facebook](#)
- [Instagram](#)
- [Twitter](#)
- [YouTube](#)
- [GEPA pictures](#)

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MONTAFON, AUSTRIA

On a Snowboard Cross World Cup tour that features a long list of picturesque stops, Austria's Montafon region is one of the prettiest of them all. The area sometimes referred to as the Blue Silvretta has proven itself one of the SBX tour's premier stops since its inception.

2021/22 will be the eight consecutive year (not counting the years that planned competitions had to be cancelled due to bad weather or the pandemic) that Montafon will host a Snowboard Cross World Cup event, where this year again the course will be situated on the Hochjoch in the Silvretta Montafon ski area.

This year, the stop will feature one individual event, followed by a mixed-team event the next day. This race format features one woman and one man of each team to race in a relay format with the men going first and the women starting out of the gate with the time difference that the men crossed the finish line.

Montafon links and info:

- [All Montafon results](#)
- [Montafon 2021/22 data page](#) (live timing, brackets & results)
- [Photos](#)
- [Homepage](#)
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CERVINIA, ITALY

In the course of the years of organizing the FIS Snowboard Cross World Cup, Italy's Cervinia resort proved itself as a top-tier World Cup venue, with the course's huge, sweeping turns and multiple passing areas lending themselves well to thrilling back-and-forth racing throughout the competition.

When you consider the fact that Cervinia is nestled under the shadow of the Matterhorn for one of the most stunning backdrops in snowboarding, add in a couple Italian athletes on the podium every year like Michela Moioli, Lorenzo Sommariva and Omar Visintin, and count on the fact that this season the course will be refined and improved upon with the knowledge learned through the last seasons, then you've got the makings of a future snowboard cross classic in the Italian Alps.

Cervinia links and info:

- [All Cervinia results](#)
- [Cervinia 2021/22 data page](#) (live timing/brackets and results)
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KRASNOYARSK, RUSSIA

For the first time ever, the FIS Snowboard Cross World Cup will have a stop in Russia's Krasnoyarsk, which is located in Siberia. It is the capital of the Krasnoyarsk Territory, which is the second largest region of the Russian Federation. The city is located in the very heart of Russia and situated on two banks of the mighty Yenisey river.

Krasnoyarsk became the host city of the 29th Winter Universiade in March 2019 for 11 competition days for athletes from around the globe. The Games were the biggest according to the number of participating countries.

Krasnoyarsk continues to deliver major international sports events, such as FIS World Cup stages in Freestyle in 2020, and hugely successful FIS Freestyle Ski and Snowboarding Junior World Championships 2021 and now also back-to-back SBX races will be held from January 07-09, 2022, to get an action packed start into the new year.

For the SBX athletes this will be the last chance to qualify for the Olympic Winter Games, since the qualifying period is July 1st 2020 until January 16th 2022. We can definitely expect athletes to bring it on and give it full gas on this last qualifying occasion.

Krasnoyarsk links and info:

- [Krasnoyarsk 2021/22 data page](#) (live timing, brackets & results)
- [Photos](#)
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CHIESA IN VALMALENCO, ITALY

The FIS Snowboard Cross World Cup season will then get back to the Italian resort of Chiesa in Valmalenco with one individual race on January 21-22.

Interestingly enough, the venue has not been hosting the FIS Snowboard Cross World Cup from March 2012 until last year, where it came back onto the calendar and was the season kick-off in 2020/21 with a double race.

The organizing committee of Valmalenco carried on the project of organizing the first stage of the FIS Snowboard Cross World Cup 2020/21 with dedication and determination. Once again, they confirmed the vocation of this ski resort, that is one of the most renown in Northern Italy and a valuable point of reference for any snowboarder. Over the years, the Valmalenco Bernina Ski Resort has been chosen as the location for several competitions at national and international level.

Since we saw some great racing last year, you can be sure to witness some great pre-Christmas SBX action again this season.

Valmalenco links and info:

- [Chiesa in Valmalenco past results](#)
- [Valmalenco 2021/22 data page \(live timing/brackets and results\)](#)
- [Valmalenco past results](#)
- [Photos](#)
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CORTINA D'AMPEZZO, ITALY

Cortina d'Ampezzo – „the queen of the dolomites“ certainly does ring a bell to anyone who is a wintersports fan. Not only does the Audi FIS Ski World Cup make stop in the popular Italian resort, but the FIS Snowboard Alpine World Cup tour has also been a regular guest there for the past couple of seasons.

This year, for the first time ever the snowboard cross circuit will also make a stop in Cortina and will have its last race before the Olympic Winter Games in Sochi, the Tofana area, with one individual race. It will take place on January 28-29.

It is going to be very special to be hosted by such a popular resort. The wide Ampezzo Valley and the Dolomites surrounding it make Cortina a privileged spot for sports enthusiasts and sporting events: the 1956 Winter Olympics, the 2021 World Ski Championships and the Winter Olympics once again in 2026, this time along with Milan.

Furthermore, the small town is surrounded in all directions by some of the most scenic peaks of the Dolomite mountains, a UNESCO World Heritage site.

Cortina links and info:

- [Cortina 2021/22 data page \(live timing/brackets and results\)](#)
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OLYMPIC WINTER GAMES, CHINA

The next stop for snowboard cross athletes will be the major event of the Olympic Winter Games 2022 in Beijing, China. This is definitely a highlight event, athletes prepare for during a period of four long years.

Having won the bid for the 2022 Olympic Winter Games on 31 July 2015, Beijing is set to become the first city in the world to have hosted both the summer and winter editions of the Olympic Games.

With a vision of "Joyful Rendezvous upon Pure Ice and Snow," Beijing 2022 will build on the legacies of the landmark Beijing 2008 Olympic Games. The 109 events in seven Olympic winter sports will be held in the three competition zones of central Beijing, Yanqing and Zhangjiakou.

The SBX events will be held in Zhangjiakou with the women's competition going down on February 9 and the men's competition on February 10 and the world premiere of the mixed-team event at the Olympic Winter Games, will be held on February 12.

Defending Olympic World Champions in Snowboard Cross:

Women: [Michela Moioli](#) (ITA)

Men: [Pierre Vaultier](#) (FRA) - retired

Beijing links and info:

- [OWG top 3 results women and men](#)
- [OWG data page \(live timing/brackets and results\)](#)
- [Homepage Beijing](#)
- [Homepage IOC](#)
- [Facebook Beijing 2022](#)
- [Facebook IOC](#)

Beijing links and info:

- [Instagram Beijing 2022](#)
- [Instagram IOC](#)
- [Twitter Beijing 2022](#)
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Mt. St. ANNE, CANADA

While Mont St. Anne has a rich history of hosting snowboard World Cup events dating back to 1997, it was always other snowboard disciplines than SBX. Therefore, also the Canadian event will be a premiere event this season.

Mont-Sainte-Anne is a ski resort in eastern Canada, located in the town of Beaufré, Quebec, about 40 km northeast of Quebec City. The mountain is part of the Laurentian mountain chain and has a summit elevation of 800 m above sea level with a vertical drop of 625 m. For day skiing, there are 71 available downhill ski trails covering 71 km the southern, northern and western sides of the mountain. For night skiing, there are 19 trails covering 15.2 km the southern part of the mountain only. It is the highest vertical for night skiing in Canada.

Canada Snowboarding has recently launched its new major event brand - Shred the North. Over the next seasons, the Shred the North Series will include FIS Snowboarding World Cups across all snowboarding disciplines, as well as major independent events. Under the umbrella of this series, the SBX "Bataille Royale" will go down in Mont St. Anne, Quebec from February 25-27 featuring one individual and one mixed-team competition.

We can't wait to witness this event as part of the Shred the North major event series...Bataille Royale – en garde!

Mt. St. Anne links and info:

- [Mt. St. Anne data page \(live timing/brackets and results\)](#)
- [Homepage](#)
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REITERALM, AUSTRIA

In the 2020/21 season, the Crosspark Reiteralm, which is a permanently installed training facility for ski and snowboard cross athletes of all levels, stepped in quite last minute to host their first-ever Audi FIS Ski Cross and FIS Snowboard Cross World Cup. Although it was a last-minute call for the organisers, they really stepped up to face the challenge of organizing a double World Cup event. And while the weather conditions were perfect, athletes benefited from a brand new course at their World Cup tour.

This season again, Reiteralm will host a double-cross event, after the athletes had some days of a break after a lot of travelling across the world since the beginning of the year, including the journey to the Olympic Winter Games in Beijing.

The Crosspark Reiteralm belongs to one of the most popular Austrian skiing regions, which is Schladming in the Styria region. The entire skiing region bundles together four peaks, Hauser Kaibling, Planai, Hochwurzen and Reiteralm. A total of 123 kilometers of slope and 44 modern gondolas and chairlifts provide for an excellent wintersports experience.

Let's see what this year's edition of the Reiteralm World Cup holds in store.

Bakuriani links and info:

- [Reiteralm past results](#)
- [Reiteralm data page \(live timing/brackets and results\)](#)
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VEYSONNAZ, SWITZERLAND

The final stop on the FIS Snowboard Cross World Cup Tour yet again in 2021/22, Switzerland's Veysonnaz resort has established itself as the most long-standing and dependable stop on the SBX circuit, having hosted World Cup competition nearly every season back to 2009/2010 and been the scene of the World Cup finals many times in that span.

And it's no wonder that Veysonnaz has been such a go-to venue for SBX action once one lays eyes on the Swiss course. Big, fast, and technical all at once, Veysonnaz demands the best out of the riders in every run, from qualifiers through to the big final.

Beginning at an altitude of just above 2,500m above sea level and finishing around the 2,000m mark, the Veysonnaz track offers a breathtaking vertical drop of some 500 metres. And while the steep and tricky start section is as crucial as any on the World Cup circuit, with more than 20 features facing the riders from top to bottom of the course there is plenty of time and space for the passing and lead changes that typically make Veysonnaz one of the most entertaining SBX races to watch in the world.

Veysonnaz links and info:

- [All Veysonnaz results](#)
- [Veysonnaz 2021/22 data page \(live timing/brackets and results\)](#)
- [Photos](#)
- [Homepage](#)
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FIS Snowboard Cross World Cup top athletes - WOMEN

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<u>TRESPEUCH Chloe</u>	FRA	@ chloetrespeuch	@ chloetrespeuch	@ trespeuchchloe
<u>BANKES Charlotte</u>	GBR	@ charlotte_bankes	@ bankescharlotte	
<u>JACOBELLIS Lindsey</u>	USA	@ lindseyjacobellis	@ lindseyjacobellis	@ lindsjacobellis
<u>BROCKHOFF Belle</u>	AUS	@ bellebrockhoff	@ bellebrockhoff	@ bellebrockhoff
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Athlete snap shots Women

	<p>Michela Moioli (ITA)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • PyeongChang 2018 Olympic Winter Games gold medalist • Kreischberg 2015, Sierra Nevada 2017, Solitude 2019 World Championship bronze medalist • Idre Fjall 2021 World Championship silver medalist • 2015/16, 2017/18, 2019/20 SBX World Cup crystal globe winner • 33 podiums in 56 career World Cup events, including 15 wins • has never finished lower than third on the SBX standings, except for injury-shortened 2013/14 season
	<p>Chloe Trespeuch (FRA)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sochi 2014 OWG bronze medallist • Sierra Nevada 2017 World Championships silver medalist • 23 podiums in 64 World Cup events, including 3 wins
	<p>Lindsey Jacobellis (USA)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • the most dominant athlete in SBX World Cup history • 5x SBX World Champion • Torino 2006 Olympic silver medalist • 2006/07 and 2008/09 SBX World Cup crystal globe winner • 100 World Cup starts, 55 World Cup podiums and 31 victories - most for any SBX athlete, men or women
	<p>Eva Samkova (CZE)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • OWG Sochi 2014 gold medalist, PyeongChang 2018 bronze medalist • youngest SBX Olympic champion at 20 years old in Sochi • 2019 Solitude SBX World Champion • 2021 Idre Fjall SBX World Championships bronze medallist • 2016/17, 2018/19, 2020/21 SBX World Cup crystal globe winner • 29 podiums and 17 victories in 58 World Cup competitions • eight straight top-5 SBX overall finishes leading up to 2021/22 season
	<p>Julia Pereira de Sousa Mabileau (FRA)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • PyeongChang 2018 Olympic silver medalist • youngest-ever French Olympic Winter Games medalist at 16 years old • 4 podiums in 32 World Cup starts • Idre Fjall 2021 World Championships bronze medal at the mixed-team event with team mate Leo Le Ble Jaques
	<p>Charlotte Bankes (GBR)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2021 Idre Fjall SBX World Champion • 2019 Solitude SBX World Championships silver medalist • Used to be part of the French team, due to her dual citizenship • 2017 Sierra Nevada SBX Team silver medalist with former team mate Manon Petit-Lenoir from France • 42 World Cup starts including 8 podiums of which 4 were victories

FIS Snowboard Cross World Cup top athletes - MEN

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Athlete snap shots Men

	<p>Alessandro Haemmerle (AUT)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2021 Idre Fjall World Championships silver medallist • 23 podiums in 71 career starts and 12 victories • 3 times SBX overall crystal globe winner in 3 consecutive seasons (2018/19, 2019/20, 2020/21)
	<p>Eliot Grondin (CAN)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2021 Idre Fjall World Championships bronze medallist • 2021 Krasnoyarsk Junior World Champion • 28 World Cup starts with 3 podiums, of which 1 was a victory • Finished second in the SBX overall World Cup standings 2020/21
	<p>Mick Dierdorff (USA)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Solitude 2019 World Champion • Solitude 2019 team competition gold medalist (together with team mate Lindsey Jacobellis) • 59 World Cup starts • 3 World Cup podiums
	<p>Lucas Eguibar (SPA)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2021 Idre Fjall World Champion • Sierra Nevada 2017 World Championships silver medalist • 2014/15 SBX World Cup crystal globe winner • 13 podiums and 4 victories in 58 World Cup starts • won the only Sierra Nevada 2017 medal for the host Spanish squad with the King of Spain in attendance
	<p>Omar Visintin (ITA)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • entering 14th season in FIS Snowboard Cross World Cup tour • 2013/14 SBX World Cup crystal globe winner • 16 podiums and 6 victories in 74 World Cup starts
	<p>Lorenzo Sommariva (ITA)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Second overall 2019/20, sixth overall 2020/21 in the SBX World Cup standings • 2021 Idre Fjall World Championships mixed-team event silver medal, together with team mate Michela Moioli • 49 World Cup starts, 4 podiums and 2 victories

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