

## **Courchevel and Meribel, the next big event in alpine skiing**

WORLD CUP FINALS FROM MARCH 16 TO 20, 2022

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The world cup finals in Meribel, March 2015. ©AgenceZoom

After Beijing, the men's and women's alpine ski world cup finals in Courchevel and Meribel from March 16 to 20 will be the other major event on the ski planet! They will be the only opportunity to gather and approach during one week, in France, on the same slopes, the best skiers of the planet and to celebrate the new medalists, who will fight for the crystal globes of specialties and the general standing of the men's and women's world cup. The celebration promises to be great with, among others, the big names of the season such as Marco Odermatt, Aleksander Aamodt Kilde, Beat Feuz, Mikaela Shiffrin, Petra Vlhova, Federica Brignone, Sofia Goggia, Michelle Gisin... and the French skiers Johan Clarey, Mathieu Faivre, Clément Noël, Alexis Pinturault, Tessa Worley...\*

During five days, the 25 best men and women in each discipline will split between Méribel, for the technical events, and Courchevel, which will host the speed events. While the Olympic track of the Roc de Fer in Méribel, the scene of the 2015 World Cup finals, will be a rediscovery, Courchevel will unveil "L'Eclipse", a new, complete and extreme track with technical jumps and alternating areas of darkness and light. It will be raced for the first time in official competition for the speed events (downhill and Super-G) on March 16 and 17. Its size already makes it one of the most impressive and demanding runs on the world circuit, along with the Streif in Kitzbühel and the Stelvio in Bormio.

Nearly 25,000 spectators are expected in the finish areas or along the slopes, to admire the skiers, the recent medal winners and to witness the grandiose spectacle offered by the elite of alpine skiing. Tickets for the grandstands can be booked on the official website : <https://www.worldcupfinals2022.com/en/ticketing/>

Perrine Pelen, General Manager of the organizing committee, is available for interviews, by phone or video. On request at [contact@agence-op.fr](mailto:contact@agence-op.fr)

\*subject to qualifications

## THE COMPETITION PROGRAMME

**14 TO 20 MARCH 2022**

03/14-15 • COURCHEVEL	WOMEN AND MEN'S DOWNHILL TRAINING
03/16 • COURCHEVEL	WOMEN AND MEN'S DOWNHILL
03/17 • COURCHEVEL	WOMEN AND MEN'S SUPER G
03/18 • MÉRIBEL	TEAM PARALLEL
03/19 • MÉRIBEL	MEN'S GIANT SLALOM & WOMEN'S SLALOM
03/20 • MÉRIBEL	WOMEN'S GIANT SLALOM & MEN'S SLALOM

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### THE 2023 WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS, A RARE EVENT, A SKI FESTIVAL FOR ALL

These finals will be a great rehearsal before the Alpine World Ski Championships, which will take place in February 2023 in Courchevel and Meribel.

The event will be resolutely innovative, with for the first time two competition sites equally divided between men and women, a sensational new slope - the Eclipse - dedicated to the men's events, and the desire to make the meeting between the athletes and the public a popular celebration.

The event will bring together 75 nations, 600 athletes and up to 150,000 spectators. 500 million television viewers will follow the competitions thanks to the 1800 accredited media and the more than 1000 hours of broadcasting. France has only hosted 4 editions of the Alpine World Ski Championships, the last one in 2009 in Val d'Isère. It took 14 years for this exceptional event to return to France, launching the sequence of major international sporting events in France, before the Rugby World Cup 2023 and Paris 2024.

Follow Courchevel Méribel 2023 on social networks to discover the backstage of the preparation and be part of this adventure: @courchevelmeribel2023

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