

Media Guide

AUDI FIS ALPINE SKI WORLD CUP COURCHEVEL
2026



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The men's alpine ski World Cup makes its grand return to Courchevel

Courchevel is delighted to host the men's alpine ski World Cup on 13, 14 and 15 March 2026, a prestigious event that the resort has not organised since 1979 (apart from the 2022 World Cup Finals and the 2023 FIS World Championships). Two major races, downhill and super-G, will take place on the legendary Éclipse course, which hosted the 2022 World Cup Finals and the men's events of the 2023 FIS World Championships.

A true jewel of technical excellence, the Éclipse impresses with its demanding layout: 3.2 kilometres in length, nearly 1,000 metres of vertical drop, and a succession of high-speed sections, shifting light and shadow, making it the ultimate test of skill and courage for the world's best skiers.

The return of the men's World Cup to Courchevel reflects the resort's ongoing sporting commitment, on the eve of the 2030 Olympic Games, and further confirms its status as a leading alpine destination.

The organising committee warmly thanks the media for their interest and continued support.

This Media Guide brings together all the practical information you need to facilitate your work on site and to ensure an exceptional experience in the heart of the French Alps.

We look forward to welcoming you to Courchevel !

The press team

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Le saut du Zénith

The world's best downhill skiers have already passed four gates by the time they reach this bump. A first jump follows, offering a breathtaking view of Mont Blanc before plunging into the next steep section.

Le mur du son

Skiers reach it at full speed, having built up momentum on the upper section of the course.

Le S des Arolles

A curve stretching over 200 metres, one of the course's signature features, with true chicanes where you won't always see the exit.

Le saut des jockeys

This jump launches professional skiers 50 metres through the air before they land on a steep, shaded section. It is undoubtedly the biggest jump on the Éclipse course !

Le trou noir

A highly evocative name for a section where you suddenly plunge into the shadow of the forest.

Le mur de la bux

The penultimate wall of the course, this is where the most seasoned skiers truly let loose, with gradients reaching up to 58% at their steepest.

L'envol

Above the Olympic ski jumps of Le Praz, this jump propels the champions a little closer to the finish area.

Le mur des braves

It is the steepest and most spectacular wall on the course, drawing attention one final time and sending the athletes into the ultimate schuss to conclude this exceptional downhill run !



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Accomodation

Direct booking

Courchevel Tourisme
Central booking office

https://reservation.courchevel.com/?lang=fr_FR

Les 3 Vallées
Central booking office

<https://reservation.les3vallees.com/fr/>

Brides-les-Bains
Central booking office

<https://www.blb-travel.com>

Partner hotels

Hotels Courchevel 1850

La Loze, 4*

Tel: +33 (0) 4 79 08 28 25

Mail: info@la-loze.com

Hotels Courchevel 1650

Fahrenheit 7, 4*

Tel: +33 (0)4 86 15 44 44

Mail: courch@fahrenheitseven.com



Accreditation

Request

All accreditation requests must be submitted via the accreditation request form no later than **Monday, 9 March 2026**.

[Link to the accreditation website](#)

Accreditation office - Salle famille Alpinium Courchevel Le Praz

[Link to the map](#)

Press room opening hours

Tuesday 10 March – 9 a.m. / 5 p.m.

Wednesday 11 March – 9 a.m. / 5 p.m.

Thursday 12 March – 9 a.m. / 5 p.m.

Friday 13 March – 8 a.m. / 7 p.m.

Saturday 14 March – 8 a.m. / 7 p.m.

Sunday 15 March – 8 a.m. / 7 p.m.



Media programme

Tuesday 10 march 2026

8 p.m. – Team Captains' Meeting
Alpinium Hall

Wednesday 11 march 2026

Official training sessions

5 p.m. – Team Captains' Meeting
Alpinium Hall

Thursday 12 march 2026

Official training sessions

5 p.m. – Team Captains' Meeting
Alpinium Hall

Friday 13 march 2026

10:45 a.m. – Super-G race

Saturday 14 march 2026

11 a.m. – Downhill race

5 p.m. – Team Captains' Meeting
Alpinium Hall

6:30 p.m. – Downhill podium ceremony and
bib draw

*Free admission – Forum ice rink,
Courchevel 1850*

Sunday 15 march 2026

10:45 a.m. – Super-G race



Media Center



L'Envolée sports hall

This venue centralises all services related to the event's press operations, including accreditation collection. It is also where media arrival and check-in take place.

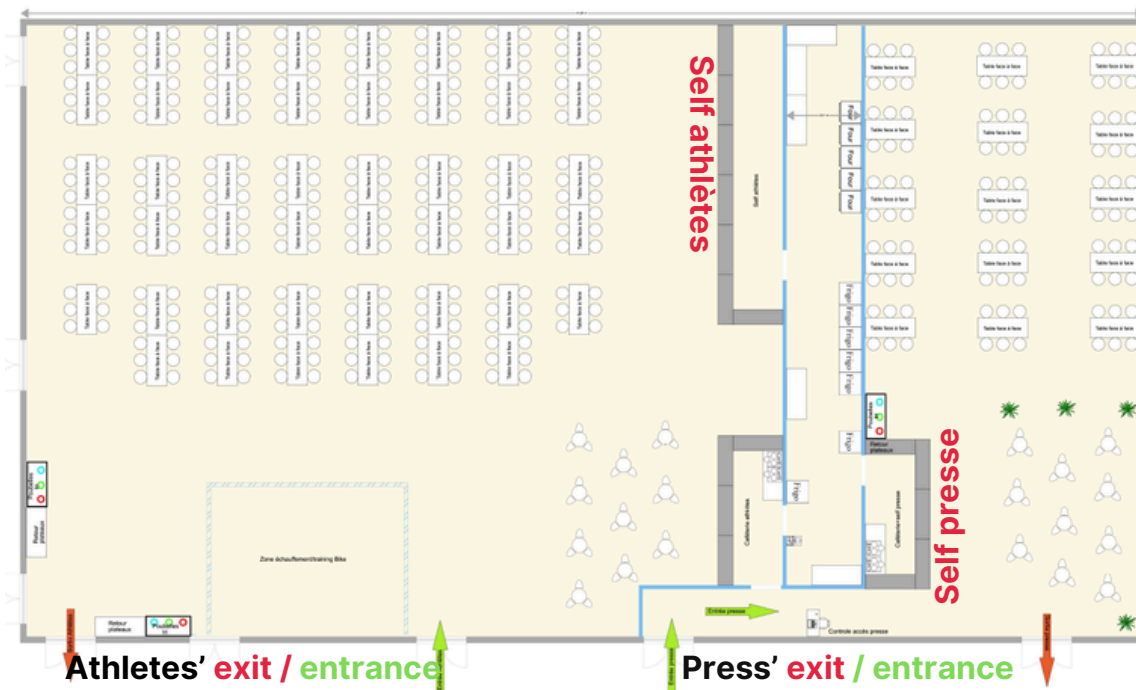
Located at the L'Envolée sports hall, in the ski jump stadium area next to the Éclipse finish area, the media centre brings together all services dedicated to the press. Facilities include a working area, a cafeteria and restrooms.

The media centre is open from Tuesday 10 March to Sunday 15 March.

[Link to the map](#)

Athletes' restricted area

Press restricted area



Media services

General information

The media centre, as well as the website, will provide both general information about the races and all specific information intended for the media.

Workstations

Workstations are available at the L'Envolée sports hall. The press room has a capacity of 90 seats, each equipped with power outlets.

Internet

The media centre is equipped with high-speed Wi-Fi. The password is available at the media reception desk.

Catering

In the media centre cafeteria, coffee, tea, water and soft drinks are available free of charge throughout the day.

Lunch catering is included on race days.

Catering on training days (Tuesday 10, Wednesday 11, Thursday 12) is available upon reservation: €30 incl. VAT per person (*payable on site by credit card only*).

[Link to the menu](#)

Parking

Reserved parking spaces for the media are available, subject to availability. When not located in the immediate vicinity, a shuttle service operates between these car parks and the finish stadium.

Parking permits are allocated in advance by the press team during the accreditation process and are issued at check-in at the L'Envolée media centre. No access to the stadium by private vehicle is permitted.

Additional shuttle services will operate from La Tania to Le Praz.

Ski lifts

The Le Praz and Grangettes gondola lifts (Courchevel Village) will be free of charge on race days.

Ski passes

Upon request, lift passes can be provided to facilitate access to the course. If you wish to benefit from this service, please inform us as soon as possible.

***There will be no press conference after the races.
Media requests will be handled directly in the mixed zone.***



Photographers

Armbands

Photographers selected by the chief photographer and accredited by the press team may collect their armband at the L'Envolée Sports Hall **(against a €10 deposit or an ID document)**.

To access the course, photographers must wear their numbered armband at all times. The armband must be returned to the media centre at the end of the races.

In the event of non-compliance with the photographers' regulations (available on the FIS website), the race organisation reserves the right to withdraw the armband from the photographer concerned. A serious breach may also result in the withdrawal of accreditation.

Image and TV rights

Armbands

Broadcasters selected by Infront and accredited by the press team may collect their armband at the L'Envolée Sports Hall **(against a €10 deposit or an ID document)**.

To access the course, broadcasters must wear their numbered armband at all times. The armband must be returned to the media centre at the end of the races.

In the event of non-compliance with the broadcasters' regulations (available on the FIS website), the race organisation reserves the right to withdraw the armband from the broadcaster concerned. A serious breach may also result in the withdrawal of accreditation.

Please note that by submitting your accreditation request, you agree to comply with **Infront's broadcasting regulations**.

Only photographers accredited by the organisation are authorised to take professional photographs.

Only official TV rights holders, with formal authorisation from Infront, are permitted to film the competition.

Photographers' contact

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Infront's contact

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Entertainment

Entertainment programme

Communication channels

To make sure you don't miss any race updates and to enjoy interactive content, follow us on our channels:

 @cds.courchevel



Partners' village

On competition days, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., at the foot of the Éclipse course – bar and catering available on site.



Aerobatic display

Aerobatic formation display by the Adrenalin Flights team (Extra 300 aircraft) in the morning on competition days.



Concerts

Post-race concert on Saturday: KTR6 (pop rock)

Saturday 14 March – Batucada parade with the Samba Loelek group (50 musicians)

Post-race concert on Sunday: Bloc Off The Wall



Public grandstand - FREE FOR THE RACE ON FRIDAY, MARCH 13

Experience the competition at the heart of the action from the grandstand, located at the foot of the finish stadium, and fully enjoy the festive atmosphere.

- Seated, unnumbered seating
- Single price: €10
- Free for children under 8

The fan zone (standing area and surroundings of the Éclipse course) is free of charge.

VIP packages available.

Saturday 14 March: 6.30 p.m. – Downhill podium ceremony and bib draw

Free admission – Forum ice rink, Courchevel 1850





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