

## OFFICIAL INVITATION TO BALTIC CUP 2021 ALPINE SKI COMPETITION IN POZZA BUFFAURE ALOCH

Latvian Ski federation and the Lithuanian Ski Association has the pleasure to invite participants from all countries to Baltic Cup competition in alpine skiing from 2<sup>nd</sup> to 5<sup>th</sup> of March 2021. The competition will be organized in close collaboration with the Ski area Pozza Buffaure and the races will be held on the slope Aloch. You will find all the important team-related information in this document.

### ORGANIZER

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### ORGANIZING COMMITTEE CONTACTS

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### OFFICIAL WEBSITE

The official website is <https://pozza-di-fassa.ski.lv/>. **Teams can use this website to find the most up to date list of competitors, each day's start lists and programs.** Visit the official website for photos after the race.

### ENTRIES

For Baltic Cup races published in the FIS calendar all entries must be sent according to the International Ski Competition Rules ICR. All entries must be sent to the official email of the organizer [info@ski.lv](mailto:info@ski.lv) so that the Organizing Committee receives them before the final date of entry. The organizers must have a final and complete list not later than 24 hours before the first draw, the entry deadline for the FIS races will be 28.02.2020. at 19.00.

### RACE OFFICE AND TEAM CAPTAIN'S MEETING

Due to the Pandemic situation the race office will be organized online. We ask all teams to send together with their entry forms email address and a contact telephone for **ONE** team captain per nation per gender. Right after the entry deadline we will send the list of the entered athletes to the team captain via WhatsApp and must have the final confirmation no later than 2 hours before the team captains meeting. This procedure will be done before every race separately.

The first team captains meeting will be held as an online "Microsoft teams" meeting on March 1<sup>st</sup> at 19.00. local time. All team captains will receive an email invitation to the online team captains meeting after the entry deadline.

According to experience with a possible risk of weak internet connection or failure to connect to the online team captains meeting, for certain teams, the team will not be pulled from the board if not present during the roll call but **have confirmed their final entries via WhatsApp at least two hours before the meeting.**

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## ENTRY FEES AND BIB DISTRIBUTION

Entry fee of EUR 20.00 per racer per race will be charged. The entry fee must be paid for all the racers that appear at the start list after the draw is made. The entry fee must be paid in the morning of the race day during the bib collection. With respecting the Covid-19 restrictions, we kindly ask teams to coordinate the payments through the ONE team captain per nation per gender and make the payment by one person for all the bibs that will be ready for collection for each team in the morning before the race near the Aloch ski lift and the finish area. Please be aware that only cash payment will be accepted.

## LIFT TICKETS

After the entry deadline the list of competitors will be sent to the ticket office. For teams that will be on the list of competitors it will be possible to buy the lift tickets for a discounted rate of EUR 20.00 per race day in the morning before the race in the ticket office at the bottom of Aloch slope.

## QUOTAS

The FIS National championships for Latvia and Lithuania will be organized with respecting all normal FIS quotas for the participating nations. Only exceptions will be made between the host nation Italy and the Organizing nations Latvia and Lithuania. (ITA 20+20; LAT 12+12 in LTU race; LTU normal quota).

## PROGRAM

2.03.2021	GS FIS NC LAT
3.03.2021	GS FIS NC LTU
4.03.2021	SL FIS NC LAT
5.03.2021	SL FIS NC LTU

## AWARDING

The first three owners of the best results are awarded with Baltic Cup trophies. The best result owners of the 4th, 5th and 6th places are awarded with diplomas. In Baltic Cup races U21 age group is awarded separately.

## PRE-RACE AND POST-RACE TRAINING

For training, please contact the slope manager Mr. Sergio Liberatore [ski.aloch@gmail.com](mailto:ski.aloch@gmail.com)

## ACCOMMODATION

Since the race planning has been done in a very short time, we apologize to not have a partner that is ready to host all teams. We kindly ask all teams to check the options in booking.com; Airbnb; the local tourist office, etc. We are sure that during the time of our races there is a wide range of accommodation available in the valley of Val di Fassa.

## COVID-19

We must remind that all races will have to be run according to strong restrictions regarding distancing, gatherings, limited number of people on the chairlift and in race area and wearing masks. If it will be forced by the law of the state or the region, also other restrictions might be taken in action. We expect that all teams that arrive have followed the instructions of border crossing before their travel to Italy and all restrictions that are in force in Italy also during their stay: <http://www.salute.gov.it/portale/nuovocoronavirus/dettaglioContenutiNuovoCoronavirus.jsp?lingua=english&id=5412&area=nuovoCoronavirus&menu=vuoto>

All team captains will be asked to show a signed health questionnaire (attached to this document and available here - <https://www.infoski.lv/files/health-questionnaire-11-12-2020.pdf>) for all team members that will take part in the races.

Welcome!