



INVITATION

"Blue Bird" Russian Tour FIS SJ Ladies WC

15 – 25 March 2019, Nizny Tagil, Perm, Chaikovsky

Dear Ski Jumping friends, On behalf of the International Ski Federation and Federation of Ski Jumping and Nordic Combined of Russia, the Organizing Committee has the pleasure to invite all FIS member Associations to participate in **Blue Bird Russian Tour FIS SJ Ladies WC,**

taking place on March 15-25, 2019 in **Nizhny Tagil** and in **Chaikovsky**, Russian Federation.

We warmly welcome you to take part in **Blue Bird FIS SJ Ladies World Cup**, the most amazing cultural **Ski Jumping Tour**

ORGANIZERS

The Organizer of the competition is Federation of Ski Jumping and Nordic Combined of Russia Address: 8, Luzhnetskaya Naberezhnaya, Moscow, Russia
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ENTRIES

The entries must be done by FIS online entry system on www.fis-ski.com.

Registration Deadlines

Preliminary entries – February 10th, 2019

Entries by name - March 1st, 2019

OC Secretary and Contact Persons

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OC Secretary

Assistant - Anna Shilkova mobile +7 9370234230 e-mail: adshilkova@yandex.ru

RACE OFFICE

Nizhny Tagil

Hotel Aist (SJ Complex area)
Race Office is situated in Hotel Aist
(at the venue), 2nd floor

Chaikovsky

Snezhinka Hotel (SJ Complex area)
Race Office is situated in Hotel
Snezhinka, 1st floor

Race-office open hours:

Thursday, March 14 th	10:00 – 18:00
Friday, March 15 th	8:00 – 20:00
Saturday, March 16 th	8:00 – 20:00
Sunday, March 17 th	8:00 – 20:00

Race-office open hours:

Thursday, March 21 th	8:00 – 20:00
Friday, March 22 st	8:00 – 20:00
Saturday, March 23 th	8:00 – 20:00
Sunday, March 24 th	8:00 – 20:00

LIST OF DEADLINES

Deadline	Description	Where to send
February 10th, 2019	Visa form – non E.U.	bozhko@list.ru
February 25th, 2019	Visa form – E.U.	bozhko@list.ru
February 10th, 2019	Preliminary Entry	FIS Online registration system
February 18th, 2019	Charter entries	imc2013rus@gmail.com ; bozhko@list.ru
March 1st, 2019	Radio rent request, radio form	bozhko@list.ru
March 1st, 2019	Accreditation information and picture	bozhko@list.ru
March 1st, 2019	Hotel cancelation without fee	FIS Online registration system
March 1st, 2019	Transportation request (all exact info related to transport service)	bozhko@list.ru
March 1st, 2019	Entries by name	FIS Online registration system

Nizhny Tagil

March, 15 Friday Teams' arrival to Ekaterinburg –Nizhny Tagil

March, 16 Saturday TCM - 08:30
 Official training (2 jumps) NH -10:00
 Qualification NH – 11:30
 Opening ceremony (at the Hill)
 Trial round NH - 16:00
 1st competition round NH – 17:00
 Final round
 Prize giving ceremony
 Press-conference

March, 17 Sunday Qualification NH – 15:45
 1st Competition round NH – 17:00
 Final round
 Prize giving ceremony
 Press-conference

March, 18 Monday Transfer Nizhny Tagil - PERM

Chaikovsky

March, 20 Wednesday Transfer Perm – Chaikovsky

March, 21 Thursday Unofficial Training NH
 TCM – 17:00 in hotel

March, 22 Friday Official Trainings NH - 10:00
 Qualification NH – 11:30

March, 23 Saturday Trial round NH – 13:00
 1st Competition round NH – 14:00
 Final round
 Prize giving ceremony
 Press-conference
 TCM (after event) – in Sub-race office at the hill

March, 24 Sunday Official Training – LH – 09:00 (2 jumps) - TOP30
 1st Competition round LH– 14:00
 Final round
 Prize giving ceremony
 Press-conference

Farewell Party

March, 25 Monday Teams' departure

EVENT PROGRAM

Time LOC (-4 hours CET)

Perm

March, 18 Monday

Transfer Nizhny Tagil - PERM
Full-board accommodation at the Ural Hotel

March, 19 Tuesday

Ballet "Swan Lake" in Perm Opera and Ballet Theatre
Gala dinner for all Teams and FIS Officials
(transfer from Theatre to restaurant will be organized).

-Make up and dress rent service for participants is free of charge

Dress code: Ladies – floor-length formal gown;

Men - suit with a tie (bow tie by wish).

Please send your dress sizes prefers until February, 25th.

**March,20
Wednesday**

Transfer Perm – Chaikovsky



FIS OFFICIALS

Race Director	Chika YOSHIDA
Assistant Race Director	Miran TEPES
Equipment Control	Aga BACZKOWSKA
Media Coordinator	Horst NILGEN

TECHNICAL DELEGATES and JUMPING JUDGES

Nizhny Tagil

TD	Geir Steinar LOENG	NOR
TDA	Nikolay PETROV	CAN

Chaikovsky

TD	Christian KATHOL	AUT
TDA	Nikolay PETROV	CAN

JUMPING JUDGES

Grigoriy ZAKHAROV	RUS
Ole WALSETH	NOR
Juho WELLING	FIN
Nazym NASSYROV	KAZ
Vladimir FRAK	SVK

JUMPING JUDGES

Evgeniy VASHURIN	RUS
Kelly JOHANSSON	CAN
Vahur TASANE	EST
Tom NORMANN	NOR
Per BUSK	SWE

ORGANISING COMMITTEE

Nizhny Tagil

President OC	Pavel Krekov
Executive Director	Leonid Rapoport
Accommodation	Andrey Zharinov
Accreditation	Denis Tarskih
OC Secretary	Nadya Bozhko
OC Sec.Assistant	Anna Shilkova

Chaikovsky

President OC	Aleksandr Postanogov
Executive Director	Leonid Vologzhanin
Accommodation	Lipatova Marina
Accreditation	Yuliya Saytarova
OC Secretary	Nadya Bozhko
OC Sec. Assistant	Anna Shilkova

COMPETITION COMMITTEE

Nizhny Tagil

Chief of Competition	Sergey Zyryanov
Chief of Race office	Nadya Bozhko
Chief of hill	Sergey Novozhilov
Chief of Tec. Facilities	Vladimir Tokarev

Chaikovsky

Chief of Competition	Sergey Zyryanov
Chief of Race office	Yuliya Saytarova
Chief of hill	Denis Shakirov
Chief of Tech.Facilities	Vasiliy Zhizhin

ACCOMMODATION

Nizhny Tagil

Booking according the FIS Rules via FIS Online system.

The teams will be accommodated at the Demidov Plaza Hotel

<https://demidovplaza.ru/>

Distance to venue 10 km. Route time to venue 15 min

Accommodation terms

according to FIS WC Rules art.6.2.1. For cancellation of booked rooms after March 1st FIS SJ WC Rules apply (6.2.1).

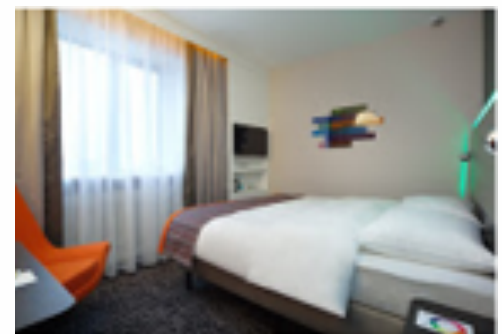
For over quota athletes and officials and extra days, the Organizing Committee provides full board accommodation at the price of

6800 RUS Rubles / night / SINGLE ROOM / person

4550 RUS Rubles / night / DOUBLE ROOM / person

Check-in time at hotel on arrival 9:00 (arrival day meals include lunch and dinner, breakfast must be paid by teams individually).

Teams arriving earlier, please contact the OC for early check-in.



NOTE: Teams Accommodation terms (Hotel and price) can be changed and will be finally confirmed until February 10th. Please take above information and Hotel data as preliminary.



Shuttle bus services for teams and officials will be provided between the hotels and the hill free of charge.

FIS Officials will be accommodated at the AIST hotel

www.aist-land.ru

(SJ Complex area)

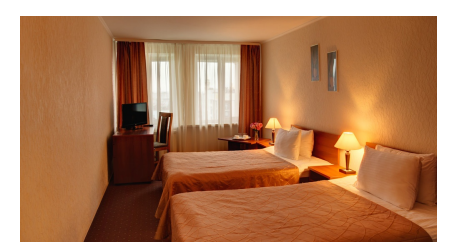
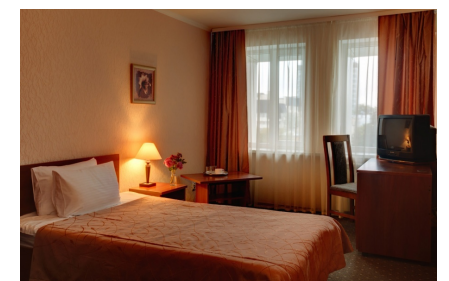


Perm

Full-board accommodation at the Ural Hotel

<https://hotel-ural.com/>

The modern hotel in the city center is just a few steps from the Kama river esplanade, the city's and main theaters.



Booking according the FIS Rules via FIS Online system.

Deadline February 18th, 2019

Chaikovsky

Booking according the FIS Rules via FIS Online system.

The teams will be accommodated at the **SNEZHINKA Hotel** (SJ Complex area)

Deadline February 18th, 2019

OC provides full board accommodation for the teams and officials according FIS Quotas.

Over quota / extra days price per day (full board):

60,00 Euro per person per night. Cash and credit cards are accepted.

Additional services provided by Hotel:

Gym – 2 Euro/hour/person or 10 Euro/hour/TEAM

Massage room – 10 Euro/day

We kindly ask teams to specify date and time of departure so that we can inform the hotel about individual check-out times and provide relevant transfers.

TRANSPORT

Charter Route : **Trondheim (NOR) – Ekaterinburg (RUS)** <http://svx.aero/en/> (Ural Airlines) on Friday (March 15) 9:00 - 10:00 (time TBC)

OC Flight manager will be able to help with check-in, luggage etc.

Deadline for Team charter entries – 18.02.2019

Shuttle between airport and hotel in Nizhny Tagil provided by LOC (140 km).

For teams who does not book Charter. Please specify **by March 1st, 2019**

1. Arrival / departure date, time, flight number, destination (from/to)
2. Amount of luggage in pieces and its approximate total weight

Transfer between Nizhny Tagil and Perm, March, 18th:

By Charter train (Nizhny Tagil train station – Perm)

Trip time - 6,5 hours

Sport equipment will travel directly from N.Tagil to Chaikovsky by truck



Transfer between Perm and Chaikovsky by OC Shuttle bus , **March 20th, 2019**
280 km , 3-4 hours

We kindly ask teams to fill attached form and send by March 1st, 2019 for booking a Charter flight and a Charter train.



Departure

OC provides free transportation for the teams: ONLY

To/from airports: Ekaterinburg Koltsovo (for Nizhny Tagil Event) and **Perm** city (280 km away from the Hotel Snezhinka, 3-4 hours)

OC provides airport transfer for participants on terms they have communicated the following information to the OC on time by **March 1st, 2019**:

1. Departure date, time, flight numbers, destination (from/to)
2. Number of passengers and all names of participants in a group
3. Number of luggage in pieces and its approximate total weight (preferable)

PRICES

450 EUR – all-inclusive offer (Charter flight, charter train, accommodation in Perm, make up and dress rent service for participants, Ballet and Gala Dinner, 1 day accommodation in Chaikovsky);

200 EUR – offer without charter flight (charter train, accommodation in Perm, make up and dress rent service for participants, Ballet and Gala Dinner, 1 day accommodation in Chaikovsky);

300 EUR – offer without train and accommodation in Perm, without visiting Ballet and Gala Dinner;

Payment terms:

Option 1: Prepayment by bank transfer 100% - from 1st of March, 2019

Option 2: Cash or Card payment on site in Race office.

All other costs according to FIS SJ Rules

ACCREDITATION INFORMATION

Bearers of FIS seasonal accreditation cards will receive additional LOC accreditation for venue access. All accreditations will be handed over to team/group representatives upon arrival and are absolutely necessary for entering the venue as well as teams' hotel.

Accreditation form (attached to the invitation) must be submitted to OC not later than **March 1st, 2019**.

The form must be filled for each team member and official.

Accreditation Office

Nizhny Tagil

Hotel Aist (SJ Complex area)

Contact person: Denis Tarskih

Office hours:

Chaikovsky

Snezhinka Hotel (SJ Complex area)

Contact person: Yuliya Saytarova

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Office hours:

VISA INFORMATION

Deadline for visa requests

for non E.U. citizens -February 10th, 2019

for E.U. citizens – February 25th, 2019

(Make your request for all potential participants!)

Visa Invitation form is attached.

All foreigners are required to possess entry visa to travel to the Russia.

Russian entry visas can be obtained at local Russian Embassy or Consulate/visa centers, official letter of invitation issued by the Organizing Committee is required.

The list of Russian Consular offices abroad can be found at

www.mid.ru/zu_r.nsf/strawebeng

Please send the filled visa form and copy of valid travel passport

to nbozhko@list.ru (we kindly ask you to name the scan-copies with Name/Surname of the participant for everybody's convenience).

We will return to you for clarification if necessary.

RADIOS

Herewith we present an official statement regarding use of portable radio stations and allowed radio frequencies in Russian Federation.

Radio frequencies are divided into 3 groups

1. Frequencies allowed for free use without additional documents.
2. Frequencies allowed only after obtaining official permission (time for obtaining permission up to 6 months)
3. Frequencies forbidden to use

Import of equipment of groups 2 and/or 3 without official permission is forbidden.

Obtaining permission for group 2 takes up to 6 months and is not free of charge.

Therefore OC recommends to the teams to check if their radio frequencies are correspondent to the specification of group 1

- Radio stations for private use, range of 27 MHz (CB- range) with a tolerable radiation of the transmitter not more than 10 W
- Low-power radio stations with frequencies 433,075 - 434,750 MHz and with a tolerable radiation not more than 10 MW
- Portable Radio stations with frequencies of 446 - 446,1MHz and with a power of radiation no more than 0,5 W

For the teams whose radios are not within the above description OC will provide local radios with a rent price of 10 EURO per radio.

Please send your request for radio rent till **March 1st, 2019.**

FINANCES

According to FIS WC rules.

EXTRA PRIZE MONEY

25 000 CHF - Top 6 overall winners of
Blue Bird **FIS SJ Ladies World Cup**

(two Competitions in Nizhniy Tagil + two Competitions in Chaikovsky)

Rank	CHF
1	10000
2	7000
3	4000
4	2000
5	1500
6	500

SKI WAXING and SERVICE AREA

Ski wax cabins will be located at the venue.

DOPING CONTROL

According to FIS standards and rules.

FIS LICENCE

To be eligible for participation in the Blue Bird Russian Tour FIS SJ Ladies WC
all the skiers must have a valid FIS Code.

INSURANCE

All athletes need the insurance arranged by their National Ski Associations.
The Organizing Committee is not responsible for any injuries of the athletes neither for the
damage or lost property.

LANGUAGE

The official language is English.

PRESS CENTER

The main Press Center will be located at the hotels.