



LA THUILE VALLE D'AOSTA WOMEN'S SKI WORLD CUP

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LA THUILE IS READY FOR THE WOMEN'S FIS ALPINE SKI WORLD CUP SHOW

SuperG on Saturday- February 29th; Alpine Combined on Sunday -
March 1st

La Thuile is white-dressed again, thanks to the FIS Alpine World Cup Tour's coming back to this venue but also thanks to the 30cm of fresh snow occurred yesterday. The recent restrictions imposed will not allow to break the record of four years ago: only people who have purchased a name ticket for the grandstand or who have been accredited for the VIP Lounge or for the fan club area will be allowed to enter the parterre.

In La Thuile, however, everything is ready for the big show. In the last hours the slope crew has been called to work overtime, in order to have the 3-Franco Berthod slope in the best shape. For this reason the teams' free-skiing on the slope, in calendar for today, has been canceled: teams have chosen different activities, from taking a rest to go skiing in the upper part of the ski area, which presented gorgeous snow conditions.

Tomorrow the 3-Franco Berthod slope will host the superG, with the start from an altitude of 2075 meters. The slope presents an average gradient of 31%, with a maximum peak reaching 76%. The steepest section arrives immediately after the start: strength and speed will immediately increase at the first turns that will lead to Muret and then to Alpe Planey, where it will be essential not losing speed and taking the right approach to define the line for the "Muro della 2". Afterwards, another 65% average part for the athletes, but this time much shorter than the initial part. Then, three or four turns before the "Mini Centrale", followed by the "Baita di Giorgio" jump, the "Magneuraz" and the Diagonal, perfect for sliding with a speed increase. A few seconds in position, before approaching the last wall, with a 61% gradient, that faces the finish line and the grandstands.

Tomorrow Italy will line up Federica Brignone, Marta Bassino, Nadia Delago, Nicol Delago, Elena Curtioni, Francesca Marsaglia, Verena Gasslitter, Laura Pirovano and Valentina Cillara Rossi. Start at 10.30am.

The shuttle service is confirmed, while the public bib draw and the evening award ceremonies are canceled.

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