

Saas-Fee

Saastal

Regulations

1. The Allalin Races are held in the region between Mittelallalin (3550 m) and Saas-Fee (1800 m) and are known as the world's highest downhill glacier races.
2. The Allalin Races Organizing Committee is solely responsible for making any necessary changes to these Regulations.
3. The race route runs along the standard pistes. These will not be specially groomed for the event.
4. The route will feature control gates. Competitors must ski between the control gates.
5. On unclear parts on the glacier the piste will be marked as the official route with fencing material, bunting, etc. at its edges. Competitors may only ski within this marked route. **The organisers of the Allalin Races expressly do not accept any responsibility for accidents occurring outside the marked piste.** Any competitor leaving the official route will be disqualified.
6. Competitors must adapt their speed to conditions and visibility and maintain a safe distance from other skiers and obstacles. The general FIS rules also apply, in particular Rule No. 2 (Control of Speed and Skiing or Snowboarding). Competitors must strictly abide by the instructions of the marshals with yellow-orange flags.
7. The race organizers retain the right to shorten, move, interrupt or cancel the race for safety reasons in case of poor visibility, lack of snow, etc. **In the event that the races do not take place, participants will be reimbursed for 50% of the entry fee upon applying to the Race Office on the days of the Races only. Reimbursements in case of illness or accident (also 50%) will only be made upon presentation of a doctor's note.**
8. Participants must observe official start times. Race numbers must be visible on competitors' clothing throughout the race.
9. Practice runs are not permitted on the piste for security reasons. Further information regarding possibilities for training are announced in the race office.
10. All participants in all races must wear helmets.
11. At the fun races (fun teams) race dresses are forbidden. The race will be closed (entrance at finish) one hour after the start time. Times are taken, but only dresses are awarded.
12. All participants are obliged to take out accident insurance. **The Organising Committee expressly does not accept liability for any accidents.** It is not possible to take out one-day insurance policies through the event organisers.
13. The Allalin Races (alpine skiing and snowboard) are held in the following categories:

Couple Race	Cat. A	Women/men from 16
Club/Team-Race	Cat. B1	3-5 members per team, all aged from 18
Team-Race Women	Cat. B1	3-5 members per team, all aged from 18
Club/Team-Race fun	Cat. B2	3-5 members per team, all aged from 16
Allalin-Race Individual	Cat. C/F	Women/men aged 18-35
	Cat. D/G	Women/men aged 36-49
	Cat. E	Men aged 50-59
	Cat. H	Women aged 50 and over
	Cat. I	Men aged 60 over

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14. The number of participants in the Allalin Races is limited:

Couples	300 couples (Alpine skiing)
Club/Team-Races	180 teams (Alpine skiing) / 30 teams (Snowboard)
Individual	1,100 (Alpine skiing) / 100 (Snowboard)

15. The Allalin medals are only awarded for the individual races:

- Gold: For the winner in each category
- Silver: Category top time +30%
- Bronze: Category top time +60%

16. Non-compliance with these regulations will result in exclusion from the races.

17. Except where these regulations contain contradicting stipulations, the stipulations of the *Schweizerische Wettkampfordnung* (Swiss Competition Rules – SWO) apply.

18. By signing the registration form, participants confirm that they accept these Regulations and the General Terms and Conditions in their entirety.

General Terms and Conditions for the 2022 Allalin Races

Alternative date

There are no alternative dates. The races are held on the original dates. The date of one race cannot be changed with the date of another one.

Club/Team-Races: if the Club/Team-Races cannot be held the ranking is taken from the times of the Allalin Race individual (best three times out of five at maximum).

Individual: if the Allalin Race individual cannot be held the ranking is taken from the times of the Club/Team-Races.

Race pass

The fee for the race pass includes the following:

- Bip
- Participant gift
- Allalin medal (see Regulation 15)
- Ski-pass discount
- Transportation of personal effects from the start to the finish line
- Entrance to the evening happenings

Ski pass

Reduced-price ski passes can be obtained from Saas-Fee Bergbahnen **upon presentation of a valid race pass**. These special passes are valid for one to seven days between 27.03. - 02.04.2022
All prices are in Swiss Francs.

1 day	2 days	3 days	4 days	5 days	6 days	7 days
67.00	130.00	177.00	231.00	285.00	328.00	373.00

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Registration

Registrations can be made at any time from now until the participant limits stipulated in Regulation 13 have been reached. Please send your completed registration form to the Allalin Race Office.

Registration is completed once the entry fee has been paid in full. By signing the registration form you confirm your full acceptance of the regulations, including any discrepancies between these and the SWO. **The receipt slip or copy of it serves as confirmation of registration.**

Changes

Any changes (so long as the race number remains the same) will be accepted free of charge up to 6 p.m. on the evening before the respective race.

Programme changes

The official noticeboard in the Race Office will provide information on any changes to the programme.

Starting line-up

For all races, race numbers will be assigned according to the ranking from the previous 3 years, as long as the Race Office has received registration forms and entry fees by 31 January 2021. The assignment of numbers to new participants or participants registering after this date will depend on the date the registration is completed (with payment of fee). The race numbers of the 30 first racers will be raffled.

Issue of race numbers

Opening hours Race Office:

Saturday, 26.03.2022 from 1 p.m. till Saturday, 02.04.2022 at 10 a.m.:

Every day from 8-10 a.m. and from 4-6 p.m. On race days from 7 a.m.

The race office stays closed on Sunday, 27.03.2022

Personified race numbers

It isn't allowed to add the personal name on the race number, if the payment of the entry fee doesn't effect 4 weeks at least before the beginning of the race.

Accommodation

Participants are requested to arrange for their accommodation independently.

Information evening

An information evening will take place on the Thursday before the races. The Race Office will post the time and venue on its noticeboard. Attendance is optional, but advised.

Further information

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