

To the

- Members of the Sub-Committee for Masters Racing

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**Minutes of the Meeting Sub-Committee for Masters Racing  
Fall 2021 – Virtual Meetings**

Dear Ski Friends,

We have pleasure in sending you the Minutes of the Meeting of the Sub-Committee for Masters Racing, held via Zoom on September 29<sup>th</sup>, during the Fall FIS Virtual Meetings.

Additionally, we would also like to take the opportunity of informing you that the Minutes will be available on the Member Section services on the FIS Website: [www.fis-ski.com](http://www.fis-ski.com).

Thank you very much for the valuable cooperation.

Kindest regards,



Stefano Arnhold

Chairman Sub-Committee for Masters Racing

## INTERNATIONAL SKI FEDERATION

### Sub-Committee for Masters Racing

#### 1. Welcome

The Chairman welcomed the delegates and thanked everyone for their presence and specially for the hard work during this so unusual Season.

#### 2. Roll Call

##### Members Present:

Stefano Arnhold (Chairman)  
Petr Seidel (CZE)  
Peter Bloch (SUI)  
Luka Vucinic (CRO)  
Patricija Mali (SLO)  
Rudi Schweighofer (AUT)  
Julie Lemieux (CAN)  
Bob Davis (USA)  
Igor Lapikov (UKR)  
Cristobal Calzado Pujol (ESP)  
Sergio Parot (CHI)  
Jean-Marie Hennes (FRA)  
Paul Trayner (GBR)  
Andrea Bell Pedersen (NOR)

##### Guests:

Luis Eichner (GER)  
Radovan Cagala (SVK)  
Attilio Perona (THA)  
Harinat Siriwan (THA)  
Shun Fukuda (JPN)  
Stanley Rubinstein (ISR)  
Lauren Beckos (USA)  
Alfredo Guala (OC Pila)  
Didier Bonvin (OC Veysonnaz)  
Kjetil Larsen (NOR)  
Lisa Ballard (USA)  
David Nighswander (CAN)  
Bill Schenker  
Dave Brennan

##### FIS Office:

Stefanie Gerber  
Dimitrije Lazarovski

3. **Languages Required** – The Meeting was held in English.

4. **Approval of the Minutes from the last Meeting:**

The Minutes of the last Meeting held by Zoom, May 7th, 2021 were approved.

5. **Reports**

No reports from the Southern Hemisphere Season as all Masters competitions scheduled for South America had to be cancelled due to the Covid 19 situation.

6. **COVID 19 Situation**

**6.1 Special Protocols**

Mr. Dimitrije Lazarovsky gave a special presentation on this matter explaining the recommend protocols that are mandatory for World Cup and major FIS Competitions, but only recommendations for lower level Competitions such as Masters Races.

All participants must follow Local Regional and National protocols imposed by Regional and National Health Authorities and observe travel restrictions.

Mr. Arnhold congratulated and, in the name of all Masters, thanked Mr. Lazarovski and his Team for the excellent work and achievements during the last Season.

**6.2 Whats App Group for Quick Decisions**

The S/C approved the same Whats App group of the last Season for quick decisions on COVID Matters composed by the Chair and the representatives from CHI, CRO & FRA.

7. **Calendar**

**7.1 Calendar Review**

The Calendar for the Northern Hemisphere part of the Season 2021-22 was revised and duly approved with a record number of 80 Races (66 FMC & 14 MAS) organized by 15 different NSAs in 23 Venues comprising 15 SG, 26 SL, 34 GS and 5 AC in 3 Continents.

Please see the Calendar attached.

## **7.2 WCM 2022**

The World Criterium Masters (WCM) 2022 is confirmed at St. Moritz (SUI) March 14<sup>th</sup> to 19<sup>th</sup>, 2022. The Chairman had a call with the OC just before the meeting and the OC will prepare a program in line with the one already proposed by the Chair with each SG in a separate day.

## **7.3 FMC Finals 2022**

Confirmed for Abetone (ITA) April 8<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup>, 2022 with SG/GS.

## **7.4 Long Term Calendar**

2023 – WCM Goestling-Hochkar (AUT)  
FINALS Krvavec (SLO) with SL/GS

2024 – WCM North America (CAN)  
FINALS Megeve (FRA) with SG/SL

2025 – WCM FRA  
FINALS Pila (ITA) with SG/GS

2026 – WCM GBR at Sta Catarina (ITA)  
FINALS Formigal (ESP) SL/GS

2027 – WCM ITA  
FINALS open SG/SL

## **8. IT Items**

No specific item to be highlighted.

## **9. Rule Change Proposals**

No Rule Change Proposals were received up to the deadline of September 10<sup>th</sup>.

## **10 Equipment Rules**

Mr. Arnhold will attend the Equipment Committee meeting on Friday, October 1<sup>st</sup>.

## **11. Finances**

The Statement as of 29.09.2021 for the International Masters Fund (IMF), kindly prepared by Mr. Andreas Wenger, was presented.

## **12. Ban on Fluorinated Waxes**

The Chairman briefly explained about the Declaration of Consent that all FIS affiliated NSAs are signing recognizing the prohibition of certain fluorinated waxes containing C8/PFOA.

## **13. Open Discussions – Miscellaneous**

No items were presented for discussion.

## **14. Next Meeting**

In Vilamoura (POR), 22<sup>nd</sup> to 28<sup>th</sup> May 2022 during the 53<sup>rd</sup> FIS International Ski Congress

# FIS MASTERS Calendar 2021/2022

Revised by the Sub-Committee For Masters Racing  
Zoom Meeting, September 29th, 2021

| Month     | Day   | Nation  | Location   | Type | Race            |       |       |     |     |
|-----------|-------|---------|--|------|-----------------|-------|-------|-----|-----|
| AUGUST    |       | AUS     |  | MAS  | GS              | GS    |       |     | W+M |
|           |       | AUS     |  | MAS  | SL              | SL    |       |     | W+M |
| SEPTEMBER | 17    | BRA/CHI | Catedral- Bariloche (ARG)                          | FMC  |                 | SG    | SG    |     | W+M |
|           | 18    | CHI/BRA | Catedral- Bariloche (ARG)                          | FMC  |                 | AC    | SL    |     | W+M |
|           | 19    | ARG/BRA | Catedral- Bariloche (ARG)                          | FMC  |                 | GS    | GS    |     | W+M |
| NOVEMBER  | 12-13 | GER     | Alpinecenter Wittenburg (Indoor)                   | FMC  | SL              | SL    |       |     | W+M |
|           | 19-21 | NOR     | Oslo - Snow Dome SNO                               | FMC  | SL              | SL    |       |     | W+M |
| DECEMBER  | 3-5   | SUI     | Veysonnaz  | FMC  | SL              | GS    | GS    |     | W+M |
|           | 11-12 | AUT     | Reiteralm  | FMC  |                 | SG    | GS    |     | W+M |
|           | 16-19 | ITA     | Pila   | FMC  | 2XGS            | SL    | SG+AC | GS  | W+M |
|           | 25-26 |         |  |      |                 |       |       |     |     |
| JANUARY   | 1-2   |         |  | FMC  |                 |       |       |     | W+M |
|           | 7-9   | SLO     | Cerkno   | FMC  | SG              | SL    | 2XGS  |     | W+M |
|           | 14-16 | AUT     | Schiunion Böhmerwald – Hochficht                   | FMC  | SG              | SL    | GS    |     | W+M |
|           | 22-23 | GER     | Goetschen  | FMC  | GS              | GS    | SL    |     | W+M |
|           | 22-23 | CZE     | Rokytnice na Jizerou                               | MAS  | SL              | GS    |       |     | W+M |
|           | 22-23 | JPN     | Oze-Tokura (Gunma)                                 | MAS  | GS              | GS    |       |     | W+M |
|           | 28-30 | CRO     | Zagreb-Sjleme                                      | FMC  | SG/AC           | GS    | SL    |     | W+M |
| FEBRUARY  | 4-6   | USA     | Beaver Creek                                       | FMC  | 2XSG            | SL    | 2xGS  |     | W+M |
|           | 4-6   | CZE     | Rokytnice na Jizerou                               | MAS  | SG              | SL    | GS    |     | W+M |
|           | 5-6   | JPN     | Sugadaira Kogen (Nagano)                           | MAS  | SL              | SL    |       |     | W+M |
|           | 10-11 | JPN     | Owani (Aomori)                                     | MAS  | SL              | GS    |       |     | W+M |
|           | 10-13 | CAN     | Stoneham   | FMC  | 2GS             | SL    | SL    | 2GS | W+M |
|           | 17-20 | ITA     | Cortina D'Ampezzo                                  | FMC  | 2SG*            | AC+SL | GS    | GS  | W+M |
|           | 26-27 |         | Carnival   |      |                 |       |       |     |     |
| MARCH     | 05-06 | CZE     | Pec pod Snezkou                                    | FMC  |                 | SL    | GS    |     | W+M |
|           | 11-13 | GBR     | Sta. Caterina (ITA)                                | FMC  | SG              | AC+SL | GS    |     | W+M |
|           | 14-20 |         | <b>WCM - World Criterium</b>                       |      |                 |       |       |     | W+M |
|           |       | SUI     | St. Moritz   | WCM  | SG              | SL    | GS    |     | W+M |
|           |       | SUI     | St. Moritz   | FMC  |                 |       | GS    |     | W+M |
|           | 25-27 | SVK     | Strbske Pleso                                      | FMC  | SL              | SL    | GS    |     | W+M |
|           | 25-27 | ESP     | Formigal   | MAS  | SG              | SL    | GS    |     | W+M |
| APRIL     | 1-3   | FRA     | Megeve   | FMC  | SG+AC           | SL    | GS    |     | W+M |
|           | 8-9   | ITA     | Abetone  | FMC  | GS              | GS*   | SG    |     | W+M |
|           |       |         |  |      | * single points |       |       |     |     |
|           |       |         | *Double FMC points (SL + GS), Overall Awards Party |      |                 |       |       |     |     |

Best 12 Results out of 66 FMC races count for Overall "MAS World Cup", must be ranked in minimum 6 races  
W+ M = Women and Men  
FMC Finals award double points  
FMC FINALS always two different events (program must define substitution)

**PREVIEW** (Subject to change): 2022: SUI (St Moritz 14-20th March) Finals SL/GS Abetone (ITA) SG/GS  
FIS World Criterium MASTERS 2023: Goestling-Hochkar (AUT) , Finals Krvavec (SLO) GS/SL  
2024: CAN - FINALS SG /SL Megeve (FRA)  
2025: FRA, Finals Pila (ITA)SG/GS  
2026 GBR ( Sta Catarina - ITA), Formigal SL/GS  
2027 ITA, Finals SG/SL

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