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1. Welcome
2. Presentation of the organising persons present at TOM
3. Distributed material
4. General information about the WCF 2017
5. Specific information for the long and middle distance
6. Questions and answers



1. Welcome

23 countries and 186 athletes plus 30 coaches have registered

2. Organising Committee:

Event Director: Matthias Niggli

Technical Director: Simone Niggli / Kilian Imhof

Senior Event Adviser: Eike Bruns (GER)

National Controllers: Ulu Aeschlimann, Jost Hammer

Jury

Urs Hofer (SUI)

Kenneth Buch (NOR), to be confirmed at the meeting

Lars Lindström (DEN), to be confirmed at the meeting



3. Distributed material

Startlists, SIAC, cable car tickets

4. General informations about WCF 2017

- Health + Safety tips: Grindelwald lies on 1034 m and the forest competition areas are up to 1900 m: drink lots of water, apply sun screen and take clothes for all wheather conditions with you!
- Safety-pins will be distributed in the quarantine on Friday. Please re-use them.
- Team officials will get a map to navigate from the quarantine and pre-start to the arena which is within walking distance. Please note that once leaving the quarantine nobody is allowed to go back in.



4. General informations about WCF 2017

- There are quite many barbed wire fences (mapped) and mobile fences (not mapped) in the forest terrains. Please be careful while crossing them and report damages at the finish. Some are marked with yellow tape to be more visible.
- There can also be cattle on the pasture, they are used to tourists, so it will not be a problem.
- Respect out-of-bound areas marked on the map.
- Those marked with a line on the map, are marked with *red-white tape* in the terrain. It's the same for all competitions (long, middle and sprint).

5. Specific information Long Distance

Weather:

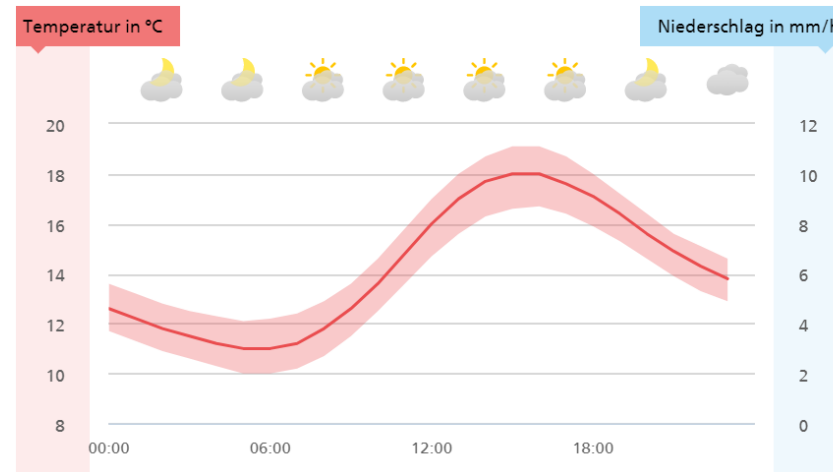
Lokalprognose

Grindelwald

Freitag, 29. September 2017

PLZ oder Ort

Ort anpassen



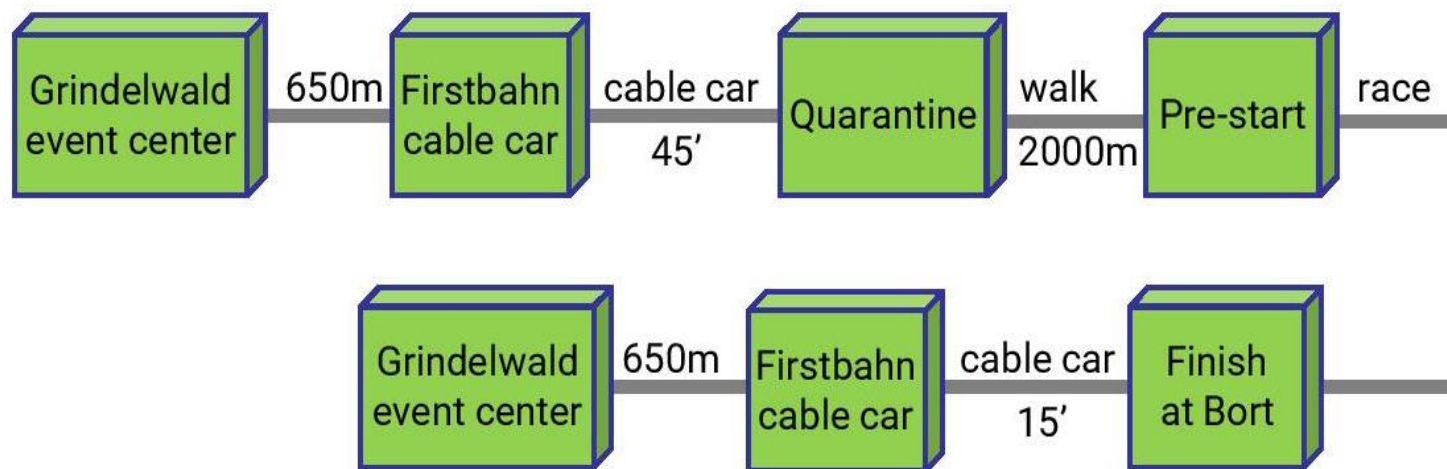
Course-setters: Urs Steiner and Bruno Haldemann

Men 11,7 km, 780 m ↗, 24 controls, 3 🍷 (water and sports drink), winning time 85'

Women 7,7 km, 560 m ↗, 17 controls, 2 🍷 (water and sports drink), winning time 76'

Long Distance

Timing:



Cable car tickets: 2 tickets per person, one from Grindelwald-quarantine (First) and one from finish (Bort) -Grindelwald. Coaches going back from First get a ticket First-Bort in the quarantine.

Long Distance

Signs: there are some signs about forest working in the forest. Forest working is NOT going on during the race and competitors may cross these signs.





Long Distance

Arena passage: take the right corridor, the left corridor leads to the finish (you may see it out of the cable car when going to the quarantine ;-))

After-finish-Quarantine: until 13:30 in the team zone at the finish. Even coaches have to stay inside. The coaching zone is within this team zone.

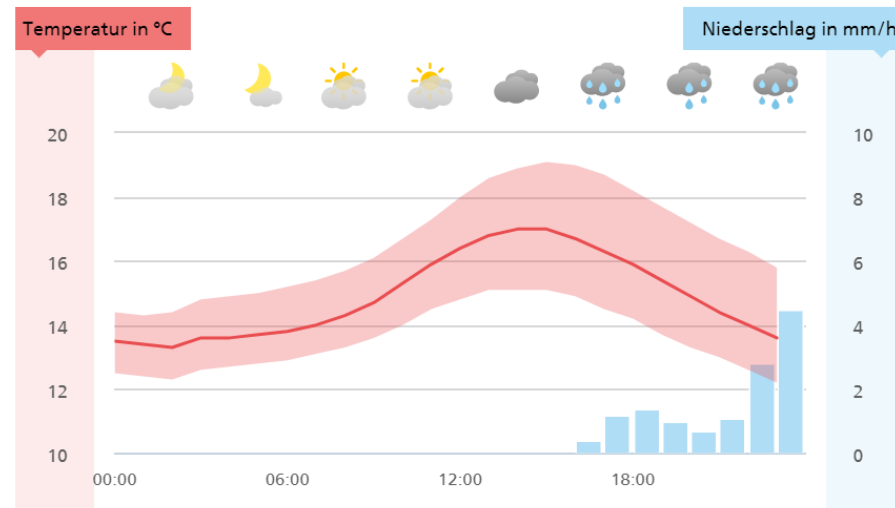
Flower Ceremony: 16:45 for athletes ranked 1-3 please be ready!

Middle Distance

Weather: Lokalprognose
Grindelwald
Samstag, 30. September 2017

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Course setters: Urs Steiner and Bruno Haldemann

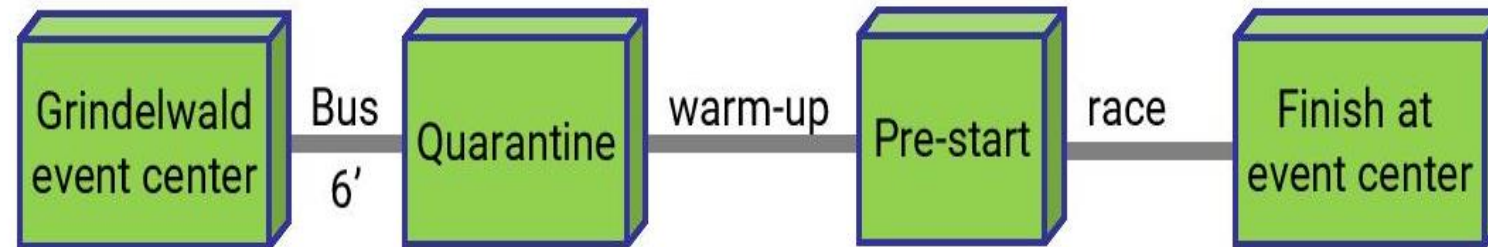
Men 5,5 km, 275 m ↗, 23 controls, 1 🍷 (water), winning time 35

Women 4,7 km, 225 m ↗, 19 controls, 1 🍷 (water), winning time 35'



Middle Distance

Timing:



No parking places at the quarantine! Please use the local bus, leaving at Bärplatz south of the railway station. The bus leaving 11:44 is an extra bus.

Middle Distance



Start lists: will be published on the internet as soon as they are ready. We will bring some printed startlists to the quarantine.

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After-finish-Quarantine: until 12:00 in the team zone at the finish. Even coaches have to stay inside.

Middle Distance

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Leaderchair: a team official or team mate may hand over changing clothes to an official

Flower Ceremony: 15:37 for athletes ranked 1-3 please be ready, we are on live TV!

Prize giving ceremony (Long, Middle, Overall WC): 16:00 for athletes ranked 1-6





Entry for mixed teams in the sprint relay

Mixed teams or single runners for mixed teams in the sprint relay must make an entry to Daniel Leibundgut (dl@resultservice.ch) latest until **Saturday at 16:30** with the following information:

- first name
- last name
- IOF-ID
- preferred leg
- gender
- federation

Question and answers



Next TOM for Sprintrelay: Saturday, 30 september 2017, 17:30

Deadline for final entries:

Middle Distance: Friday, 29 september 17:30

Sprintrelay: Saturday, 30 september 16:30