

SPECTATOR'S GUIDE

UEC DOWNHILL EUROPEAN CHAMPIONSHIPS

CHAMPÉRY



09-11.08
2024

HOST DESTINATION



GRAVÉ DANS MON CŒUR.

WELCOME TO THE SPECTATOR'S GUIDE OF THE 2024 UEC MOUNTAIN BIKE DOWNHILL EUROPEAN CHAMPIONSHIPS IN CHAMPÉRY.

Discover all the key information to maximize your experience at this exceptional event.

OVERVIEW

FRIDAY
9TH AUGUST

PROGRAM

8:00 - 9:45

TRAINING | MEN MASTER

9:50 - 11:30

TRAINING | WOMEN ELITE / JUNIOR / MASTER / U15 & U17

11:40 - 13:40

TRAINING | MEN JUNIOR / ELITE

13:45 - 14:45

TRAINING | MEN MASTER

14:50 - 16:00

TRAINING | WOMEN ELITE / JUNIOR / MASTER / U15 & U17

16:05 - 17:30

TRAINING | MEN JUNIOR / ELITE

8:00 - 20:00

GYMKHANA, PUMPTRACK, KIDS GAMES , F&B

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PROGRAM

SATURDAY
10TH AUGUST

08:00 - 09:15

TRAINING | MEN MASTER

09:15 - 10:30

TRAINING | WOMEN MASTER / U15 & U17

10:00 - 11:30

SHOW & INITIATION VTT TRIAL

10:45 - 11:30

SEEDING ROUND | MEN / WOMEN MASTER

11:35 - 12:30

SEEDING ROUND | U15 & U17

13:00 - 14:30

MOUNTAIN BIKE TRIAL SHOW & INITIATION

13:00 - 14:30

TRAINING | MEN / WOMEN JUNIOR & ELITE

15:00

SEEDING ROUND | MEN / WOMEN JUNIOR & ELITE

16:30 - 18:00

MOUNTAIN BIKE TRIAL SHOW & INITIATION

18:00 - 22:00

MUSIC GROUP - LES ZURCHETTES & ZE BAND

22:00 - 23:00

DJ

8:00 - 20:00

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PROGRAM

SUNDAY
11TH AUGUST

08:00 - 09:00	TRAINING WOMEN MASTER / U15 & U17
09:00 - 10:00	TRAINING MEN MASTER & GUESTS
10:00 - 11:30	MOUNTAIN BIKE TRIAL SHOW & INITIATION
10:20 - 11:05	FINAL DOWNHILL U15 & U17 (BOYS/GIRLS)
11:30 - 12:10	FINAL DOWNHILL MEN/WOMEN MASTER
12:10	AWARDS CEREMONIES
12:30 - 13:30	TRAINING WOMEN JUNIOR & ELITE
13:00 - 14:30	MOUNTAIN BIKE TRIAL SHOW & INITIATION
13:30 - 14:30	TRAINING MEN JUNIOR & ELITE
15:00 - 15:40	FINAL DOWNHILL WOMEN JUNIOR & WOMEN ELITE*
15:45 - 17:30	FINALE DOWNHILL MEN JUNIOR & MEN ELITE*
17:00	MOUNTAIN BIKE TRIAL SHOW & INITIATION
17:30	AWARDS CEREMONIES
17:30 - 20:00	MUSIC GROUP - LAS VEGAS PARANO
8:00 - 20:00	GYMKHANA, PUMPTRACK, KIDS GAMES , F&B

* Separate DHI European Championship titles will be awarded for the Elite and Junior categories. Points will be awarded according to UCI rules.

DISCIPLINE & TRACK

DHI

Downhill is a race against the clock in which the rider negotiates a succession of fast and technical passages. The participant must demonstrate courage as well as sharp technical and piloting skills in order to affront tree roots, banked sections, bumps, jumps and other natural obstacles along the way. Speeds reach around 80km/h in the men's races and 70km/h for women.



TRACK FACTS



DEPARTURE ALTITUDE

1'647 m



DROP

- 582 m



DISTANCE

1.72 km

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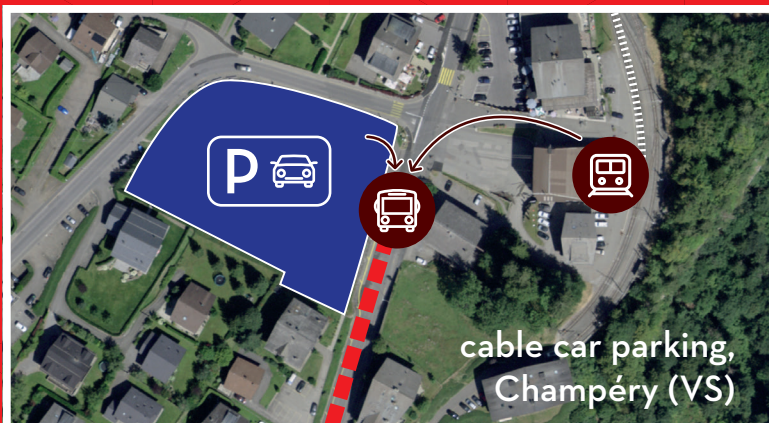
EVENT MAP

DHI

CHF 15.- / 15€ includes:

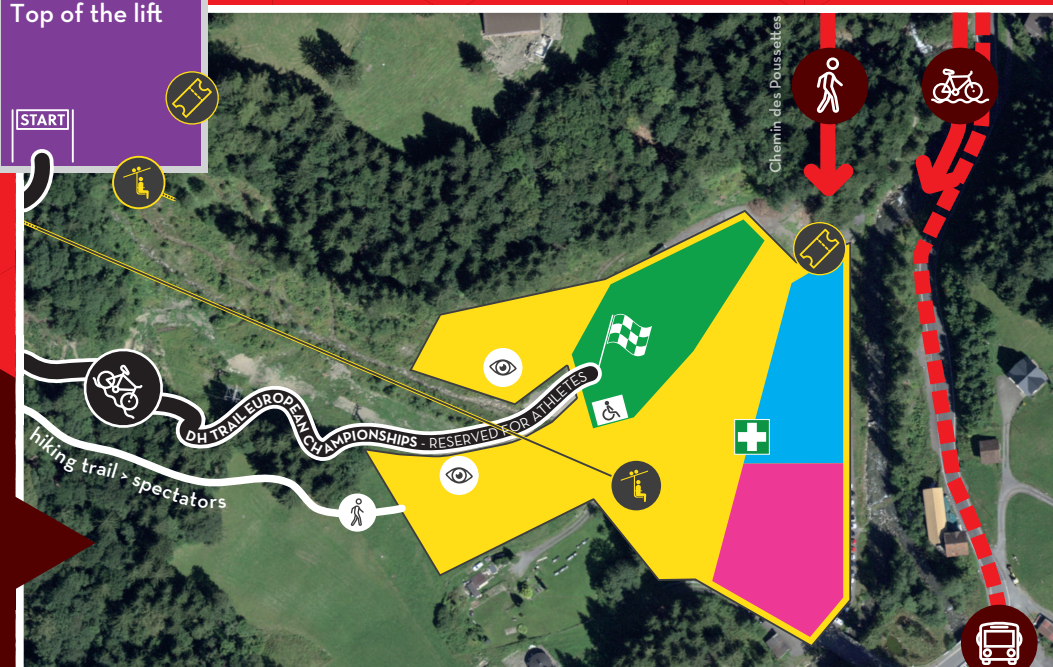
- Access to the event (saturday & sunday): grandstand, giant screens (live race), entertainment village (concerts, trials show, bars & catering, prize-giving ceremony, etc.), finish area with final road gap and announcer.
- The train from Monthey town ↔ Gare du Téléphérique (return ticket).
- The shuttle from the cable car station ↔ Grand Paradis - competition area (return ticket).
- The chairlift of Grand Paradis connecting the arrival area to the departure area (round trip) for pedestrians only.

For people with reduced mobility requiring assistance, the ticket is offered to the accompanying person upon request at info@rddm.ch.



cable car parking,
Champéry (VS)

Top of the lift



Village activities

giant screen (live)
food & beverage
concerts
activities
ceremonies & prize-giving
lift access (> departure zone)
WC

Departure zone

race start
panoramic viewpoint
bar
WC

Arrival zone

giant screen (live)
final road gap
spectators stands
arrival zone
bar & snacks
VIP zone
WC

Exhibition village & teams

exhibitors salon & teams
first aid
WC



Tickets



Access with ticket (pedestrians only)
Bike parking nearby



Access departure & arrival zones
(transportation included in ticket)



Free shuttle
Event site ↔ cable car parking
(+ round trip train Monthey included in the ticket)



Bike parking
Monitored parking from 08:00 to 18:30



Pedestrian/bicycle access to the event site



Grand Paradis, 1874 Champéry (VS)

Indicative plan, please comply with the signage in place as well as the instructions of security personnel.

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ACCESS AND TRANSPORTATION

HOW TO GET TO CHAMPÉRY ?

[MORE INFO](#)

PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION

With good rail links, the Région Dents du Midi is easily accessible from other competition venues, the country's main towns and the airports of Sion and Geneva. From Monthey, the AOMC line (Aigle - Ollon - Monthey - Champéry) links the Chablais plain with Champéry, at the end of the Vallée d'Illeiez.

[MORE INFO](#)

BIKE

The competition venues and the Village Animations are accessible by road as well as via the mountain bike trails in the Portes du Soleil area. For a detailed map and lift timetables, go to regiondentsdumidi.ch.

[MORE INFO](#)

ACCESSIBILITY

Trains and buses are equipped to accommodate wheelchairs and the visually or hearing impaired. The arrival area and the entertainment village are accessible to people with reduced mobility :

- Transport to and from the AOMC railway station/cable car to the competition site
- Parking on site
- Reserved zone in the finish area
- Accessible toilets
- Contact : info@rddm.ch

[MORE INFO](#)

ON-SITE SHUTTLES

A shuttle service will run from 8.00 am to 7.00 pm on Saturday and Sunday between Champéry - Téléphérique and the Grand-Paradis competition site (approximately every 30 minutes). Saturday from 08:00 to 21:00 & Sunday from 08:00 to 19:00.

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TICKETING

The best downhill mountain bikers will be battling it out at the European Championships in Champéry! Get your tickets now.

TWO TICKETS ARE AVAILABLE TO SPECTATORS :

TICKET 1 CHF 15.- / 15€ | INCLUDES :

- Access to the event (two days) : grandstand, giant screens (live race), entertainment village (concerts, trials show, bars & catering, prize-giving ceremony, etc.), finish area with final road gap and announcer.
- The train from Monthey town <> Gare du Téléphérique (return ticket).
- The shuttle from the cable car station <> Grand Paradis - competition area (return ticket).
- The Grand Paradis chairlift linking the arrival area to the departure area (return ticket) pedestrians only.

For people with reduced mobility requiring assistance, the ticket is offered to the accompanying person upon request at info@rddm.ch.

BUY TICKETS

TICKET 2 CHF 37.- / 37€ | INCLUDES :

- The Portes du Soleil mountain bike day pass (Switzerland/France).
- Pre-sales (preferential rate) : 37 €, from 01 to 31.07, online at portesdusoleil.com
- During the event : 42€, from 01 to 11.08, purchase only at Portes du Soleil lift ticket offices
- Access to the event (on the day of the Portes du Soleil pass): grandstand, giant screens (live race), entertainment village (concerts, trials show, bars & catering, prize-giving ceremony, etc.), finish area with final road gap and announcer.
- The train from Monthey town <> Gare du Téléphérique (return ticket).
- The shuttle from Champéry's gondola to Grand-Paradis (event area).
- The Grand-Paradis chairlift from the finish area to the starting zone. (pedestrian only)

BUY TICKETS

ACCESS TO THE COMPETITION AREA IS FREE FOR HOLDERS OF A PORTES DU SOLEIL MOUNTAIN BIKE SEASON TICKET.

FOR PEOPLE WITH REDUCED MOBILITY, A TICKET IS OFFERED FOR A COMPANION, ON REQUEST BY EMAIL TO [INFO@RDDM.CH](mailto:info@rddm.ch).

For mountain bikers, there will be an alternative route to the area.

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SAFETY INFORMATION

THE FOLLOWING RULES APPLY ON THE EVENT SITE THANK YOU FOR YOUR UNDERSTANDING

- Every spectator, athlete, coach, and volunteer must be in possession of a valid admission wristband. This can be collected upon presentation of a valid ticket/VIP ticket/accreditation.
- No replacement will be issued for lost or stolen admission wristbands.
- The bringing of pyrotechnic objects, weapons and similar items is prohibited.
- Please follow the instructions of the security service.
- Entering the racetrack, rescue routes, team pits and restricted areas is prohibited.
- Please dispose of waste in the bins provided.
- The organizers of the UEC Downhill European Championships Champéry accept no liability for personal injury or damage to property.

RIDING IN CHAMPÉRY

The Portes du Soleil is one of the largest ski areas in the world. And in summer, the largest Mountain Bike area in Europe with 75 downhill marked trails and 5 Bike Parks... an unrivalled playground for adventures and a must for all types of mountain bikers.

DISCOVER

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