

To:

- International Freeski Judges
- National Ski and Snowboard Federations

For Information:

- Sub-Committee Park & Pipe
- Snowboard, Freestyle, Freeski Committee

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Invitations for Freeski Judges Webinar

Dear Freeski Judges,

As you are aware, the present situation with Covid -19 and many different travel restrictions, you will see a lot of work has been done on the education platform including a new link: https://www.fis-edu.com.

As an addition to all the education on fis-edu.com and instead of in-person clinics, we are hosting webinars to provide even more education and discussions, as well as doing some testing.

We are offering two different webinars.

- Halfpipe.
- Slopestyle and Big Air

To be assigned to a FIS Freeski World Cup & Continental Cup, you must attend one of the webinars in the relevant event. For example, if you are only assigned to a BA World Cup, you do not need to attend the halfpipe webinar this year.

However, to improve your knowledge and understanding of freeski judging across all events, we would recommend you take the time to attend both webinars.

To try and make attending easier for judges, we are offering many time slots that you can register yourself in. Please see the dates below. Each webinar will be considered full once we have reached a maximum of 25 attendees. Also, we will **NOT RUN** a webinar if we have less than 10 judges signed up. We will contact the judges who registered for this webinar that this will no longer be available and that we will have to find another date.

The webinars will be open for all, but we would like that A & B Licensed judges have priority to enter the webinars and speak on the webinars.

The format for the webinars will include several runs that you need to watch, steno and rank before the webinar starts. During the webinar, we will discuss the rankings given, cover key discussion topics relating to each event, and feature some common trick and criteria comparisons. Once we have confirmed that a webinar will in fact run, we will notify the participants that the webinar will take place, and we will send a link to the webinar course to be completed ahead of time.

For testing, during the webinar, you will be sent a link to the video for the test. You must watch the video, identify the tricks, and provide your rank during the allotted time at the end



of the webinar. Again, all the instructions will be made available and the webinar hosts will be there to answer questions and help facilitate the test. Remember, this is new for all of us so please have patience with this new process.

We ask that you supply any questions you want to ask before the webinar starts via the feedback questions as part of the webinar course on the FIS-Edu platform or directly to: jasonarens@ymail.com

The proposed dates for these webinars are:

Date:	Time in CET:	Webinar:
16 th Nov	17.00 - 19:00	Slopestyle & Big Air
16 th Nov	20.00 - 22.00	Halfpipe
17 st Nov	17.00 - 19:00	Halfpipe
17 st Nov	20.00 - 22.00	Slopestyle & Big Air
18 nd Nov	17.00 - 19:00	Slopestyle & Big Air
18 nd Nov	20.00 - 22.00	Halfpipe
19 rd Nov	17.00 - 19:00	Halfpipe
19 rd Nov	20.00 - 22.00	Slopestyle & Big Air
20 th Nov	17.00 - 19:00	Slopestyle & Big Air
20 th Nov	20.00 - 22.00	Halfpipe
21 st Nov	17.00 - 19:00	Halfpipe
21st Nov	20.00 - 22.00	Slopestyle & Big Air
22 nd Nov	17.00 - 19:00	Slopestyle & Big Air
22 nd Nov	20.00 - 22.00	Halfpipe

Please go to this google form to sign up for your Webinar:

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAlpQLSee4Hn7jAozvyIYNZhpKXbYU2eI0q7hMVQJpB4R1iYMk0M_ng/viewform?usp=pp_url

We appreciate your participation.

Kind regards,

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