



IFMGA International Climbing Championship

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Salewa Cube – Bolzano



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The Association of South-Tyrolean Mountain and Ski Mountaineering Guides is very pleased to host the International Climbing Championship in the new Salewa Cube (dedicated to Erich Abram).

The mountain guides' family members are also admitted to the Championship in separate categories.

Provisional programme

Friday 28 October, 2011

From 9.00 am

Welcome of participants, registrations
Visit to the new ultra-modern Salewa building.

1.30 pm – 6.30 pm

Beginning of the competitions – qualifications
(approx. 12-15 routes with various difficulty levels)
6.00 pm End of the competitions

8.00 pm Sigmundskron Castle:
dinner with all participants and accompanying persons

Saturday 29 October, 2011

9.00 am – 12.00 am: Continuation of the qualifications

From 3.00 pm. Finals

The 20 best athletes of the qualifications will participate in the finals.
The final routes will be climbed on sight.

Saturday afternoon: Typical South-Tyrolean autumn party („Törggelen“) with music in the park near the climbing gym.

6.00 pm

Award ceremony and tombola



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Competition mode

1. The competition will be held on indoor routes in the Salewa Cube.

- All mountain guides with IFMGA certification as well as aspiring guides with the national certification are entitled to start. Identification is required! There will also be categories for family members.
- The ranking will be calculated according to the number of climbed routes and their levels of difficulty.
- The competition consists of the qualifying rounds and the final round.

2. Categories

Women's

- A. up to 34 years of age
- B. from 35 years of age

Men's

- A. up to 29 years of age
- B. from 30 to 39 years of age
- C. from 40 to 49 years of age
- D. from 50 to 59 years of age
- E. from 60 to 69 years of age
- F. from 70 years of age

Family members

- A. Cat. Women under 15
- B. Cat. Women 15+
- C. Cat. Men under 15
- D. Cat. Men 15+





Competition mode II

3. Qualifications

- The qualifying round consists of 2 rounds taking place on 2 separate days. The first round (day 1) lasts 5 hours, whereas the second round (day 2) lasts 3 hours.
- The routes (total up to 15) to be climbed in the qualifying rounds will be divided into 4 levels:

“Fun” (up to grade 5c)

“Master” (from grade 6a to grade 6c)

“Pro” (from grade 6c+ to grade 7b)

“Top” (from grade 7b+)

- The French numerical grading system will be used.
- The point values assigned to the single routes are the following:

Level	FUN	MASTER	PRO	TOP
Grade	4c 5a 5b 5c	6a 6b 6b+ 6c	6c+ 7a 7b	7c+
Multiplier	0,2 0,6 1,0 1,4	1,8 2,0 2,2 2,4	2,6 2,7 2,8	3,0
Bonus	30%	20%	10%	5%

- The evaluation of each route will be made by multiplying the number of holds (including chain) with the multiplier (see chart with multipliers).
- The performance will be determined by counting the number of holds (including the last hold the climber touches before he falls or if he has reached the chain).
- If a competitor climbs all routes belonging to one of the four categories without mistakes (without falling), he gets a special bonus per level (see bonus chart).
- At the end of the two rounds the ranking will be calculated according to the total score achieved by each competitor.





Competition mode III

4. Finals

The 20 best climbers of the qualifying rounds are admitted to the finals, where one route must be climbed “on sight” according to the International Rules.

5. Combination

The climbing championships are combined with the World Ski Championship for alpine guides, Solda/Sulden. The score will be made with ranking points for each category.

6. Prizes

- Each participant gets a souvenir.
- The three best competitors of each category (see point 2) as well as the three best competitors of all categories get prizes.
- The IFMGA challenge trophy goes to the winner of the finals. It can be kept, i.e. it need not be passed on if the winner of the final has won the challenge cup 3 times in total.
- The organisation committee may provide additional prizes or dedicate special awards.

7. Insurance

- Each participant must be insured.
- The organisers will not be held liable in case of accidents involving participants and third parties

8. Registration

The registrations must be made at least 15 days before the beginning of the championship. Registration, however, is only valid after the payment of the entry fee.





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REGISTRATION

Registrations must be made with the attached entry form;
please note that registrations are valid only after the entry fee has been paid.

DEADLINE

20th October 2011

COSTS / ENTRY FEES

Competitors 60,00 € / Children up to 15 years of age 30,00 €
These amounts include: entry fee for the climbing competition,
entrance to the climbing gym on Friday and on Saturday, visit of the Salewa
company, dinner on Friday at Sigmundskron Castle, souvenir prize,
South-Tyrolean autumn party ("Törggelen") on Saturday afternoon
Accompanying persons (not taking part in the competition) 40,00 €

PAYMENT

The fees must be remitted to the following bank account:
Bank: Raiffeisenkasse Bozen
Account holder: Verband der Südtiroler Berg-und Skiführer
(Association of South-Tyrolean Mountain and Ski Mountaineering Guides)
IBAN: IT76A0808111601000301059351
Reference: „IVBV Climbingcup 2011 + Forename and Surname“
Please bring the confirmation of payment.
Payments can also be made directly at the venue; the registration,
however, is binding.

ACCOMMODATION

All participants must provide on their own for accommodation and hotel booking. We can recommend the hotels and pensions listed below. For other interesting offers please visit the website of the Bolzano Tourist Board bolzano-bozen.it





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Entry form

Enrolment

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Deadline

20th October 2011

Online registration: please send an e-mail to info@guidealpine-altoadige.it –

By fax: +39 0471 312140

Mountain guide

Forename		Surname	
Indirizzo		Paese	
E-mail		Phone number	
Identification		Birthdate	

Family members

Forename			
Surname			
Birthdate			
I take part in the competition	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	

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