

EVENT SCHEDULE

Sunday July 15

20h00 Course Release

Wednesday July 18

15h00-18h30 Racer Registration priority line for EWS Teams

18h30 EWS Manager Briefing Hotel Planibel

Thursday July 19

08h30-11h30 Racer Registration Hotel Planibel

09h30-14h30 Training - Group A Stages 1 and 3

09h30-14h30 Training - Group B Stage 2

12h30-17h00 Training - Group A Stage 2

12h30-17h00 Training - Group B Stages 1 and 3

Friday July 20

08h30-10h30 Racer Registration Hotel Planibel

09h30-16h30 Training - Group A Lift access starting at 9h30. Order 4-5-6

10h30-17h00 Training - Group B Lift access starting at 10h30. Order 6-5-4

18h30 Rider Briefing Hotel Planibel, Frazione Entreves

21h15 "The Moment" Sala Arly Theater

Saturday July 21

08h00-17h30 Race Day 1

Sunday July 22

08h00-17h30 Race Day 2

18h00 Awards Paddocks

18h00 Food/Drink/Music Paddocks

21h00 Afterparty Piazza Cavalieri di Vittorio Veneto



SCHEDULE UPDATED: [Training schedule for Friday revised from original version](#)



LOCATION

La Thuile ITA

Race Village: Frazione Entreves <https://goo.gl/maps/CeLtHT42JAH2>





REGISTRATION

EWS race is full / registration is closed.



ENTRY FEE

Entry fees include 2 days of marshaled training , 2 races days, post event party, and lift access on the race days. Discounted tickets will be available on the training days.



CANCELLATION POLICY

Registration fees are refundable (less an administrative fee) up to 3 weeks prior to the race. Cancellation request must be sent to athletes@enduroworldseries.com by 23:59 UCT June 29. Entries are no longer refundable after June 30. After this date, the registration proceeds are transferred to the organizer and the account is closed. Registrations are not transferable.







EWS MEMBERSHIP

The EWS memberships are optional, but:

- Only EWS members will be eligible to collect EWS Global Ranking points at the EWS global series, EWS Continental Series or EWS Qualifier Series events.
- Only EWS members will be added to the EWS Reserve List and offered priority registration for the following season.
- Only EWS members will be seeded for EWS races (all the members within a category are grouped together and seeded according to EWS rank and other relevant results. Non members start in a different group).



	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Riders will be separated in groups for training. Riders on EWS teams and top ranked EWS members will be in Group A; all other riders will be in Group B. <p>A rider must hold a valid EWS membership prior to starting the race in order to collect EWS Global Ranking points. No points will be awarded retrospectively should a rider purchase a EWS membership after an event.</p> <p>If a rider purchases a membership after the Seeding List has been published, they will still be eligible to collect Global Ranking points – but the Seeding List will not be redone.</p> <p>EWS memberships are valid for a calendar year (January-December). 2018 memberships can be renewed / purchased at : LINK</p>
	<p>RACE LICENSES</p> <p>The La Thuile Enduro World Series #5 is sanctioned by the Italian Cycling Federation. Racers are required to either have a current 2018 FCI / Enti della Consulta or a UCI license issued by their national federation.</p> <p><u>No</u> day licenses will be available from the Italian Cycling Federation at the onsite checkin.</p> <p> NOTE: Riders with a FCI Amatori Junior Sport (JMT or JWS) license are not eligible to race the La Thuile EWS. ASI cards are not sufficient for international races as they are not recognized by UCI. Italian racers competing in the EWS rounds will need an FCI license The “Cycling For All” option offered by some National Cycling Federation is not recognized at EWS races.</p>
	<p>ONSITE CHECKIN / PLATE COLLECTION</p> <p>Race office, Hotel Planibel https://goo.gl/maps/RokNf5GsWEB2</p> <p>Wednesday 15h00-18h30 (priority line for EWS Team riders) Thursday 8h30-11h30 Friday 8h30-10h30*</p> <p>*Deadline. Riders who have not collected plate / checked in by 10h30 will not be included on the Start List for Saturday.</p> <p>Riders will be required to present their UCI / FCI licenses. Photos or electronic copies are acceptable.</p>
	<p>RIDER BRIEFING</p> <p>Friday 18h30, Hotel Planibel, Frazione Entreves</p> <p>Changes to the rules, course, timetable etc and details of course marking, tech zone and feed station will be communicated at the Rider Briefing. Non-attendance at the Rider Briefing will not be accepted as an excuse for any rule violation by any rider.</p> <p>Racer can also visit the Facebook Event Page / Rider Forum at for up-to-date race information or to ask any questions. https://www.facebook.com/events/1257409021062437/</p>





TIMING CHIPS

Racers will collect their timing chips on Saturday morning prior to the race (behind the start platform in the Paddocks). Riders should checkin behind the start platform at least 15 minutes before their scheduled start.

Racers will be required to leave a piece of identification for the timing chip – to be returned on Sunday after the race.

Each rider will be issued two chips (the second unit provides backup in case of loss or a crash). One chip should be worn on each wrist.

Timing chips will be collected at the finish of the race on Sunday. Racers who withdraw or do not complete the race should return the chips to the finish. Lost or damaged chips will be assessed a 100 GBP replacement fee.

BIKE MARKING

Racers must use the same bike (frame, fork and wheels) for the duration of the race. If one of these parts break (frame, fork, rear swingarm and wheels), riders have to report it to the race director. In the case of a replacement of a part or the entire bike, a 5-minute penalty will be given if the rider reports it to the race director (with the penalty assigned to the Stage when the replacement is made). If not reported, the rider will be disqualified.

Official event bike marking stickers will be included in the race package.



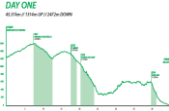

UPDATE: Only 3 stickers will be included in the race package. To be applied to wheels (x2) and fork. The timing sticker to be issued on Saturday morning will count as the frame sticker.

Do not affix the stickers until the race day.

Racers who lose their bike marking stickers prior to the race start may be assessed a time penalty.





	<p>COURSE STAGES: 6 total (3 per day)</p> <p>MAPS: http://www.enduroworldseries.com/wp-content/uploads/2017/11/Lathuile-Course-Map-and-Elevation-Profile.jpg</p> <p>Trailforks GPS Maps https://www.trailforks.com/event/2946</p> <p>ELEVATION PROFILE: Day 1: 39,15 km 1100 D+ 2900 D- Day 2: 27,6 km 700 D+ 2545 D- http://www.enduroworldseries.com/wp-content/uploads/2017/11/Lathuile-Course-Map-and-Elevation-Profile.jpg</p> <p>LIAISON INFORMATION http://www.enduroworldseries.com/wp-content/uploads/2017/11/Lathuile_Liaison-Information-V2.18JUL.pdf</p> <p>Stages will be closed for riding until training on July 19-20</p>																								
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	<p>TRAINING</p> <p>The race stages will be closed for riding effective July 15 until training on July 19-20. Any racer found riding any stages outside of official practice hours will be disqualified.</p> <p>TRAINING GROUPS to minimize congestions on the tracks and the lifts during practice, racers will be separated in groups for training. Riders on EWS teams and top ranked EWS members will be assigned to Group A; all other riders will be in Group B. <u>Group Assignment</u></p> <p>SCHEDULE</p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th colspan="3">Thursday July 19</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>09h30-14h30</td> <td>Training - Group A</td> <td>Stages 1 and 3</td> </tr> <tr> <td>09h30-14h30</td> <td>Training - Group B</td> <td>Stage 2</td> </tr> <tr> <td>12h30-17h00</td> <td>Training - Group A</td> <td>Stage 2</td> </tr> <tr> <td>12h30-17h00</td> <td>Training - Group B</td> <td>Stages 1 and 3</td> </tr> <tr> <th colspan="3">Friday July 20</th> </tr> <tr> <td>09h30-16h00</td> <td>Training - Group A</td> <td>Lift Access starting at 09h30. Order 4-5-6</td> </tr> <tr> <td>10h30-17h00</td> <td>Training - Group B</td> <td>Lift Access starting at 10h30. Order 6-4-5</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p>Racer will be limited to 1 training run on each Special Stage.</p>	Thursday July 19			09h30-14h30	Training - Group A	Stages 1 and 3	09h30-14h30	Training - Group B	Stage 2	12h30-17h00	Training - Group A	Stage 2	12h30-17h00	Training - Group B	Stages 1 and 3	Friday July 20			09h30-16h00	Training - Group A	Lift Access starting at 09h30. Order 4-5-6	10h30-17h00	Training - Group B	Lift Access starting at 10h30. Order 6-4-5
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UPLIFTS

Course will feature a combination of lift accessed and pedalled transitions.

LIFT TICKETS

Lift tickets are included in the entry fee for the race days.

Discounted lift tickets for training days can be purchased in the Race Office (Wednesday and Thursday only, credit card payments only).

Rates:

1 day ticket 22€

2 days ticket 40€

Lift operating times Thursday and Friday 9h30 – 17h00

SHUTTLES | TRAINING

Racers will be able to shuttle a portion of the S2 transition during practice.

S2 Colle San Carlo Shuttle Drop Off: [45.74296](tel:45.74296), [6.98939](tel:6.98939)

Elevation with a shuttle for training: Day 1 : 550 mt climb . If racers do not have a shuttle for Day 1, same elevation as race day (1110 mt climb)



UPDATE: [Original version of the training plan also allowed riders to shuttle a portion of S5. Due to safety and logistic issues with the narrowness of the road, this will no longer be an option. All riders will be required to pedal the complete S5 transition.](#)



CATEGORIES

WOMEN | Under 21 (1998-2001)

WOMEN | Master 35+ (1983+)

WOMEN

MEN | Under 21 (1998-2001)

MEN | Master 40+ (1978+)

MEN

EWS uses December 31 2018 as the age calculation date.

Minimum age 17 (Year of birth 2001)

START LIST and START PROCEDURES

Start List will be published after onsite checkin closes (10h30 Friday).

Any racers who have not checked in / collected their race plate by 10h30 Friday will be removed from the start list.

Riders will be issued a sticker with their individual stage start times on Saturday morning at the start platform (same time / location that they will be issued the timing transponder)

Racers will have preassigned start times for all 6 stages.

Late racers will be given the following penalties:

up to 5 minutes late = 1 minute penalty.

5+ minutes late = 5 minutes penalty

Any racers arriving at the start of a race stage later than 30 minutes after their specified start time, or once all other racers in their category have started, will be assigned a DSQ for the race and should not complete any other stages. Racers who do not finish Day 1 will be permitted to start Day 2, but will not be included in overall results.







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RACER Rider
WOMEN | Under 21
Village: 8:00:00
Stage 1: 9:00:00
Stage 2: 10:00:00
Stage 3: 11:00:00
Stage 4: 12:00:00
Stage 5: 13:00:00
Stage 6: 14:00:00





	<p>A 1-minute interval will be added every 20-30 riders to allow a clear gap to start riders who have missed their start. All late riders must start, under instructions from the official starter, within each 1-minute gap. There is no fixed start interval between late starters as the goal is to keep late riders racing, without affecting other riders on course. Late starters will receive a fixed penalty</p> <p>If a racer is delayed reaching the start as a result of assisting an injured rider or due to some other exceptional circumstances beyond the racer's control (which the rider can provide evidence for), the time penalty may be waived and / or the racer may be permitted to repeat the stage. Any racer affected by a 'significant incident' during a transition or special stage should immediately report to the finish or start official of the affected stage (as applicable).</p> <p>The Race Director has the final right to change start times during the race in case of any unforeseen circumstance.</p>
	<p>START ORDER and SEEDING</p> <p>All the EWS members within a category are grouped together and seeded according to EWS Seeding Rules. http://www.enduroworldseries.com/rules/ 5.4: Seeding and Start Order. Seeding will be in reverse order – highest ranked rider will start last</p> <p>The non EWS members start in a separate group at the start of their category (or at the beginning of the race for the Men and Women categories).</p> <p>MEN (<i>non EWS members</i>) MEN Master 40+ WOMEN (<i>non EWS members</i>) WOMEN Master 35+ WOMEN Under 21 MEN Under 21 MEN (<i>EWS members</i>) WOMEN (<i>EWS members</i>) MEN (<i>top 30</i>)</p> <p>Seeding List DOWNLOAD</p>
	<p>LIVE TIMING and RESULTS</p> <p>http://www.enduroworldseries.com/live/</p>
	<p>FEED ZONES</p> <p>Day 1 : Colle San Carlo, Paddock area Day 2: Paddock area, Pont Serrand</p> <p>Following will be available in the Feed Zone: fruits, cakes, bread, jam, cheese, ham, chocolate, water</p> <p>WATER STATIONS</p> <p>Day 1 : Colle San Carlo, Paddock area Day 2: Paddock Area, Pont Serrand, Start S5</p>
	<p>TECH ZONE</p> <p>Day 1 : Paddock area Day 2: Paddock area</p>












	<p>RACE RULES Riders are expected to read and understand the Race Book and Rule Book. Unfamiliarity will not be accepted as an excuse for any rule violation by any rider</p> <p>http://www.enduroworldseries.com/rule-book/</p> <p>The Race Director is authorized to give additional penalties that are not listed in the EWS rules in the case of a rider who fails to respect the other riders, the spirit of the sport, the environment or the organization.</p> <p>Protests and complaints regarding the race, results, behavior of the other racers and any other sort of issue must be presented to the Race Director within 15 minutes from the posting of the results.</p> <p>RULE BREAK REPORT FORM: https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSc-FhoIqP7w0Jf8m_2ZQbp6nHAKUPnHQvp_IMDbJy2-5PpkMw/viewform</p>
	<p>PROTECTION RULES Full face helmet, knee pads, gloves and back protector mandatory on race stages during training and race. Open face helmets can be worn on transitions.</p>
	<p>AWARDS 18h00 Stage/Paddock area Top 3 from each race categories will be awarded – as well as the overall EWS teams and EWS leaders (Women, Women U21, Women Master, Men, Men U21 and Men Masters)</p>
	<p>PRIZE MONEY 3.000,00 EUR total 1st Men and Women: EUR 750,00 2nd Men and Women: EUR 500,00 3rd Men and Women: EUR 250,00</p>
	<p>AFTER PARTY Food, drinks and music after the Award ceremony Live music from 21h00 Location: Stage Piazza Cavalieri di Vittorio Veneto https://goo.gl/maps/arns3Y7srEv Tickets are not required .</p>
	<p>RACE VENUE FOOD SERVICES Restaurants in La Thuile http://www.lathuile.it/ospitalita.asp?id=250&cat=13&l=1&s=E Cafè in La Thuile http://www.lathuile.it/ospitalita.asp?id=251&cat=14&l=1&s=E</p>
	<p>GROCERY STORES / MARKETS http://www.lathuile.it/ospitalita.asp?id=354&cat=15&l=1&s=E</p>
	<p>BANK MACHINES Unicredit – Frazione Bathieu 6 Banca Di Credito Cooperativo Valdostana Scrl - Via Marcello Collomb, 20</p>
	<p>BIKE SHOPS Only Ski and MTB – Frazione Entreves http://www.onlyski.com/eng/</p>












	BIKE WASH Frazione Entreves – Event Village (near Bosco Express chair lift)
	TOILETS Frazione Entreves
	WIFI Free public wifi will be available in the Paddocks
	RACER PHOTOGRAPHS A professional photographer will be on the side of the stages on race days to shoot pictures of your performance. Pictures of you will be available soon after your race and you'll be able to buy them from the FollowRacer website by searching your bib number. https://followracer.com/
	MASSAGE / PHYSIOTHERAPY Sport Massage service provided by Massage Me – available in the the Expo zone on Friday and Saturday. Prebook: www.massage-me.com/events . Drop in appointments will also be available on the day however advance bookings recommend to guarantee your treatment. Rates: 20min 35€, 30min 45€, 45min 63€, 60min 80€
	EMERGENCY RESPONSE: Dispatch: +39 346 2236562 Medic Stations: Frazione Entreves (race village) Thursday and Friday: 9h30-17h30 days Saturday and Sunday: 7h30-18h00
	NEAREST CLINIC / HOSPITAL MORGEX MULTI-PURPOSE LOCAL HEALTH OUTPATIENT SURGERY Via del Convento, 5 Morgex T. +39 0165 809300 PARINI HOSPITAL Via Ginevra, 3, Aosta
	CONCUSSION PROTOCOL Any EWS racer who fails a concussion assessment by a qualified medical practitioner, during that event, will be removed from the current practice session or race and will be prohibited from further participation in any EWS or practice session or race until cleared in writing by a medical doctor to resume such activity. Should a concussion be confirmed by a medical doctor, the athlete is responsible for completing a 'graduated return to activity' plan.
	INJURY/ILLNESS PERFORMANCE PROJECT During all EWS events, medical staff may collect preliminary rider injury and illness data, in order to













	<p>monitor the magnitude of issues that occur. As part of your participation this will include your medical data should you sustain an injury (or illness) during the event. You will not be identifiable at any stage during any collection of this data, and any data collected on you will be anonymized and kept strictly confidential at all times. The information gathered may be used by the EWS/EMBA to help guide and direct future rider health and injury/illness prevention initiatives. You do not need to do anything as part of this data collection.</p>
	<p>INSURANCE FCI insurance covers medical costs associated with injuries occurred during the race.</p> <p>All costs of transportation from the venue to a medical facility (including transfers by helicopter Soccorso Alpino), are covered by the Italian National Medical Assistance. No cost for injured riders.</p>
 	<p>TRAVEL / TRANSPORTATION Closest international airports are Torino (TRN) and Geneva (GVA).</p> <p>Teams and riders arriving from Aosta need to take Morgex highway exit and follow "Pre St. Didier" and then La Thuile.</p> <p>⚠ ATTENTION : DO NOT FOLLOW NAVIGATION SYSTEM INFORMATION THROUGH "COLLE SAN CARLO". It is a narrow, steep and twisty road, not recommended for team vehicles and trucks.</p> <p>If arriving from the Mont Blanc Tunnel, take highway exit Courmayeur, then follow "Pre St. Didier" and then La Thuile.</p> <p>If coming from the Petit St. Bernard Pass, follow the "Funivie" sign once in La Thuile.</p>
	<p>PARKING Refer to venue map http://www.enduroworldseries.com/wp-content/uploads/2017/11/LaThuile-venue-map.png</p>
	<p>ACCOMMODATION Consolidated list of hotels, B&B and camping options: http://www.lathuile.net/ospitalita.asp?id=229&cat=2&l=3&s=I</p> <p>⚠ This year the Tour de France will be passing through La Rosiere (which is very close to La Thuile) on the Wednesday before the race (July 18th). Therefore accommodation in the area could be very busy and we advise you to book this as far in advance as you can.</p>
 	<p>CAMPING Camping Rutor 11016 La Thuile (AO) tel. +39 0165 884165 camping.rutor.it@libero.it http://www.campingrutor.altervista.org</p> <p>And Azzurra is a camper parking area open all year round, equipped with 80 comfortable pitches and all the useful services http://www.azzurracamper.com</p>





	<p>OTHER RIDING ZONES Riding options for racers / teams arriving in advance: La Thuile Bike Park http://www.lathuile.it/datapage.asp?id=208&l=1&s=E Bike Valle d'Aosta http://www.bikevalledaosta.it/</p>
	<p>PLACES OF INTEREST La Thuile outdoor activities http://www.lathuile.it/datapage.asp?id=180&l=1&s=E La Thuile relax and wellness http://www.lathuile.it/datapage.asp?id=192&l=3&s=E</p>
	<p>MOVIE SCREENING Free screening of the "The Moment". Friday 21h15, Sala Arly Theater https://www.facebook.com/lathuilemtb/photos/gm.1312387272231278/2157497627826156/?type=3&theater</p>
	<p>WEBSITE www.lathuile.it/mtb</p> <p>EWS SOCIAL MEDIA</p> <p>  </p>
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