



MALIBU OPEN - LACANAU - FRANCE

RECORD CAPABILITY

CASH PRICE: \$21 000 SLALOM MEN & WOMEN

AUGUST 31th - SEPT 1st AND 2nd

FORMAT:

- 3 Rounds RC slalom for AMATEURS: 2 rounds on Friday August 31st and 1 round on Sunday September 2nd
- 2 Rounds RC slalom for PROS on Saturday September 1st for qualification and HEAD TO HEAD finals for cash on Sunday September 2nd

Format for the PRO SKIERS

(maximum of 40 skiers across Women and Men)

- Top 25 Men and Top 15 Women skiers in the current Elite Ranking will have prioritized entry until August 5th.
- After that, entries will be open to anyone with minimum criteria for participation of a current Personal Best of 1@10.75m for Men and 4@12m for Women.
- We will accept a maximum of 25 Men and 15 Women

There will be 2 qualifying rounds.

Round 1

Seeded according to most recent IWWF Elite Ranking.

The top 4 Women and Men will automatically qualify for the Head-to-Head finals, seeded at the top 4 spots.

These skiers will not have to ski Round 2, but will be allowed to if they want to.

In case of a tie for a qualifying spot, a run off will take place, with skiers starting at the last completed pass.

In case of a tie between qualified skiers, IWSF Elite Ranking will determine Head-to-Head seeding.

Round 2

Seeded according to Round 1 results.

The top 4 Women and Men of Round 2 will fill the remaining spots for the Head-to-Head finals, seeded at the bottom 4 spots.

In case of a tie for a qualifying spot, a run off will take place, with skiers starting at the last completed pass.

In case of a tie between qualified skiers, results from Round 1 will determine Head-to-Head seeding.

Head-to-Head Finals

The format for head-to-head will be the usual bracket system.

The order of events will be the following:

- Women 8-skier bracket (min. start: 14.25m)
- Men 8-skier bracket (min. start: 13m)
- Women 4-skier bracket (min. start: 13m)
- Men 4-skier bracket (min. start: 12m)
- Women 2-skier bracket (min. start: 13m)
- Men 2-skier bracket (min. start: 12m)

The top seeded skier will get to choose either order or driver.

The skiers starting second off the dock will have to beat the opponent's score to qualify for the next head-to-head round.

Positions 5th-8th and 3rd-4th will be determined by score in the first and second head-to-head bracket respectively.

Payout (USD)

	Pro Women	Pro Men
1st	<i>3000</i>	<i>4000</i>
2nd	<i>2200</i>	<i>2800</i>
3rd	<i>1600</i>	<i>2200</i>
4th	<i>1000</i>	<i>1100</i>
5th	<i>700</i>	<i>800</i>
6th	<i>400</i>	<i>600</i>
7th	<i>—</i>	<i>400</i>
8th	<i>—</i>	<i>200</i>

TOTAL

\$ 8 900

\$ 12 100

Format for the AMATEUR SKIERS

(maximum of 40 skiers across categories)

Amateur skiers will **ski three rounds**, with the first two rounds happening on Friday and the last one on Sunday morning.

The order of series will be according to age groups, so young skiers first, followed by Senior and Open. Running orders will be randomized for first round and kept equal for all the rounds.

Deadline: August 5th

Entry fees:

150€ for Amateurs

220€ for Pro Women

250€ for Pro Men

Entry fees must be sent before deadline

To pay the entree fees, you have to go to <https://sports-service-proshop.com/137-malibu-open> and buy the entry which correspond with your category

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DIRECTIONS & HOTELS:

The closest airport is Bordeaux Mérignac (BOD), about 45km from the site

Although there is an official hotel for the tournament: Hotel VITAL PARK at Lacanau Ocean: <http://fr.vitalparc.com/>



Some Houses are available on site to rent, please contact Géraldine JAMIN if you want more information (geraldine@sports-service.fr)

