



41st Skiri Trophy XCOUNTRY | 18-19.01.2025 | Lago di Tesero | Trentino

THE SKIRI TROPHY SHAPES THE CHAMPIONS OF TOMORROW

Skiri Trophy Cross Country is the name that hides all the charm of a symbolic youth cross-country skiing event that is ready in 2025 to liven up the weekend of January 18th and 19th to celebrate its 41st edition at the Cross-Country Stadium of Lago di Tesero.

As per tradition, the categories from Under10 to Under16 will be involved in a series of snappy and dynamic races, strictly in classic technique. What was once known as “Trofeo Topolino” (Mickey Mouse Trophy), later renamed the Skiri Trophy, will involve hundreds of young cross-country skiers from Italy and around the world for a two-day competition that fully deserves the title of ‘mundialito of cross-country skiing’ given the variety of nations it has managed to involve for the past 40 years.

At the Skiri Trophy Cross Country, one can ski while having fun on some of the most iconic tracks of international cross-country skiing, as the competition stage is the Lago di Tesero Cross-Country Stadium, which after countless World Cup and World Championship events is preparing to host the 2026 Milano Cortina Olympic and Paralympic Winter Games. Not only that, the Skiri Trophy is also the perfect occasion for young cross-country skiers to grow alongside their “colleagues”, savouring the taste of their first career victories in some cases, and coming to terms with their first defeats in others. It is a cult event in youth cross-country skiing, which has been swept away for over four decades by the wave of enthusiasm of the Skiri Trophy, with the unflinching company of its mascot: the Skiri squirrel, the first supporter of cross-country skiers taking part in the famous trophy.

Even in the 2025 edition, the GS Castello will promote the event and will work hard to guarantee a high-level event, as it has always accustomed the young cross-country skiers of the future, enriching the races between the tracks of Val di Fiemme with engaging side events. One of the most loved proposals is without a doubt the Revival one. This contest puts on narrow skis the Skiri participants of the past who, even though have exceeded the age limits imposed by the trophy, do not miss the opportunity to take part again and experience the charm of a race that leaves its mark in the heart of every participant.

Registrations for the 41st edition of the Skiri Trophy Cross Country 2025 are open and available on the event’s official website. Many well-known protagonists have already enriched the beloved event roll of honour among foreign and Italian cross-country skiers who have alternated on the highest steps of the podium for decades.

Last season, more than 1,500 participants came to Val di Fiemme from all corners of the world not to miss the ‘Skiri’, a trophy that never goes out of fashion and leaves its mark not only in the career but also in the heart of every cross-country skier.

For the ‘mundialito’ of cross-country skiing, there is nothing left to do but wait until January 18 and 19, 2025.

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