



2nd European FIPS Meeting, Jan 23 – Jan 24, 2015

Welcome to 2nd EUROPEAN FIPS Meeting

hosted in Montgenèvre (France) by the FIPS and ANPSP organizations

January 23 & 24, 2015

FIPS (Fédération Internationale des Patrouilles de Ski)

#FIPS is made up of ski patrol organizations around the planet. Ski patrollers, physicians, lawyers, engineers, technicians, manufacturers, instructors, ski area managers, ambulance officers, and a raft of other volunteers and professionals, are involved in the multi-disciplinary activities of ski patrolling.

In 2015, **#FIPS**, the french ski resort **#Montgenèvre** and **#ANPSP**, french ski patrol organization, invite you to a special **#European FIPS Meeting** to discuss and disseminate information on new ski rescue techniques, avalanche rescue, search and rescue, medical management of ski injuries, legal issues, and ski safety, alpine risk management and accident prevention.

Montgenèvre, France

#Montgenèvre, is a French ski resort located in the southern Alps, at 1860m, on the Italian border, near international airports, easy to join by cars from many alpine countries. Come and join us to meet ski patrollers from all over Europe, to share, discover, practice and learn from each other ... and Enjoy skiing like nowhere else on the 400km of slopes with the Via Lattea ski area (Italy) !!

Countries expected are : France, Germany, Switzerland, Italy, Spain, Sweden, Norway, Liechtenstein, Poland, Slovenia, Slovakia, Romania, Scotland, Iceland, Russia, Andorra, Great Britain, Czech, Bulgaria, Austria...

Agenda

Thursday, Jan. 22 (afternoon)	Friday, Jan. 23
<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Arrival▪ Avalanche rescue dog training and demonstrations* (* need to be confirmed)▪ Welcome to Montgenèvre	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Medical ski injuries conferences▪ Countries introduction
Saturday, Jan. 24	Sunday, Jan. 25
<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Practice, share, workplaces▪ Ski patrol devices & techniques▪ Gazex/Catex avalanche control system demonstrations	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Departure our skiing day in Via Lattea, or La Grave/La Meije

See detailed program below.

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Countries introduction : “how the ski patrol system works in the country and how do they manage spinal and femur injuries immobilizations” : 10/15min

Medical ski injuries conferences :

- Spinal and femur ski injuries immobilization (methods, evolutions, improving, comparison...)
- Hypothermia

Ski patrol devices & techniques : new transceivers demos, toboggans, defibrillator, ABS,...

Avalanche rescue technique : Gazex and Catex remote avalanche control system demos.

(+ training and demonstrations of ski patrol dog handlers from France and others countries. Need to be confirmed, if yes, will be add to the program with a possibility to join soon).

Interpreters will be present on conferences for translation !

Your journey

Package includes :

- 3 nights/2 days accommodation (from Thursday night to Sunday morning)
- All meals included
- 2 days ski pass included
- Luge Monty express + Relax time in spa center included

Price Package is 150€

Shuttle may be organized from Torino Airport.

Please contact us for any particular demand: europemeeting@fips-skipatrol.org
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Access details

#Montgenèvre, is on the Italian border, near international airports (Torino), **easy to join by cars** from many alpine countries.

- Torino airport (Italy) : 98km
- Grenoble Airport : 145km
- Marseille Airport : 280km

Please, see the file “map.jpg”, for overview of airports.



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Registration

On-line registration is handled via ANPSP website (French ski patrol association) :

- To register, please prefer the register on-line !! :
<http://www.anps.asso.fr/fr/evenements/fips-europe-online-registration.html>
- Or you can register with an email + a payment by wire transfer, paypal or credit card.

Registration Form

Surname: Name:

Email: Country:

Phone: Cell Phone:

Address

Number & Street:

City, State, Province:

COUNTRY:

Postal Code / zip:

Ski Patrol Organization:

Office / Position:

Arrival date: (flight number / time):

Departure date: (flight number / time):

Mode (air, rail, ground, other):

Share accommodation with ?

Registration Cost (150€) includes:

2 days ski passes, shared room accommodation for 3 nights/2 days, all meals, Luge Monty Express activities, Spa center entry activity.

Does not include:

Air fare & airport taxes, Bar, personal expenses, rentals, excursions before, during or after.

Send REGISTRATIONS by email to : europemeeting@fips-skipatrol.org

Payment by Credit Card, Paypal, Wire transfer.

For Wire transfer, International Bank account number :

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European FIPS Meeting 2015 Program		
Thursday, Jan. 22		Where
14.00 – 18.30	Arrival of participants – Pick up from Airport and transport to Montgenèvre - Registrations	Montgenèvre, Village
13.30 – 16.30	Avalanche rescue dog training and demonstrations* (* need to be confirmed)	Montgenèvre, Ski Area
18.30 – 19.30	Welcome to Montgenèvre - Mayor, Managers, staff and ski patrols – FIPS, ANPSP Introduction to the 2 following days	Montgenèvre, Village
20.00	Dinner	Montgenèvre, Village
Friday, Jan. 23		
7.30 – 8.30	Breakfast , late arrivals	Montgenèvre, Village
8.30 – 12.30	Conferences Themes : Spinal & femur injuries immobilizations Countries introduction (10/15min per country)	Montgenèvre, Village
12.30 – 13.30	Lunch	Montgenèvre, Village
13.30 – 17.30	Conferences Themes : Spinal & femur injuries immobilizations + practising Demonstrate how your country treats these injuries + comparison Countries introduction (10/15min per country) and 16.30 : doctors meeting	Montgenèvre, Village
17.30	Luge Monty Express : sled attached to a monorail descends 1,400 meters downhill, the longest run of France	Montgenèvre, Ski Area
20.00	Dinner	Montgenèvre, Village

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Saturday, Jan. 24		
7.30 – 8.30	Breakfast	Montgenèvre, Village
8.30 – 9.30	Conferences Themes : Hypothermia (Anna Bågenholm and Torvein Naesheim) Testimony of Anna Bågenholm , survivor of an extreme hypothermia after 80min in freezing water, one of the lowest survived body temperature recorded : decreased to 13.7°C	Montgenèvre, Village
9.30 – 17.30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Practising (workplaces on these specific injuries immobilizations) ▪ Catex visit and demo (system for the preventive triggering of avalanches) ▪ Lunch on ski area ▪ Ski patrol devices & techniques demos (toboggans, new transceivers, defibrillator, ABS...) ▪ Gazex demonstration (remote avalanche control system) 	Montgenèvre, Ski Area
18.00	Relax time in the new spa center “Durancia”	Montgenèvre, Village
20.00	Dinner	Montgenèvre, Village
Sunday, Jan. 25		
	Departure or enjoy skiing in Via Lattea/Montgenevre, or La Grave/La Meije or Serre Chevalier	Ski resort



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