



FIS Update January 15th, 2024

This update is geared towards those athletes who are not doing the Kimberly speed project and will be traveling out to Panorama for the Tech race Feb 1-4.

Logistics

For the athletes who will not be skiing Kimberly we will have training here in Whistler Thursday to Sunday. For this week's training plan, I will send out on Wednesday as we are pushing for GS and will be able to get up and look at the race centre on Wednesday morning to decide if GS is a viable option. Alternatively we will continue with SL training for Thursday and Friday training. In terms of getting to and from **Panorama this group will now be driving**. The plan will be to load the truck and trailer on Tuesday Jan 30th at the WMSC and drive to Panorama Jan 31st. We will all rendezvous back in Panorama where we will race from Feb 1-4th. Everyone will come home on the 5th; the speed group will fly home on the 5th and the tech group will drive home on the 5th. We found an SUV with winter tires that was substantially cheaper than other rental companies plus could guarantee proper snow tires so this is a much better option than flying the athletes in and out for this project. We will have Matou and Marie staying with this group for training the next two weeks as well as driving the athletes out to Panorama and back.

For this project we will be staying in VRBO units at the base of the village. We will all be around the general store area giving everyone easy access to the base of the mountain with the village gondola. The athletes will be responsible for cooking their meals and the food will be covered by the team.

Schedule

Jan 30th 4:3pm-6pm Load skis and equipment at WMSC

Jan 31st Drive to Panorama

Feb 1st FIS GS race #1

Feb 2nd FIS GS race #2

Feb 3rd FIS SL race #1

Feb 4th FIS SL race #2

Feb 5th Drive home to Vancouver

Rooming List For Panorama

VRBO 1	3 Bedroom Condo
Bed 1	Brad
Bed 2	Laurence
Bed 3	Marie
Bed 4	Ryan
Bed 5	Mattou
VRBPO 2	Moutain Aloha
Bed 1	Marlo Parkhill
Bed 2	Liv Imregi
Bed 3	Lola Gilbert
Bed 4	Viveka Deck
Bed 5	Vanessa Young
Bed 6	Heidi Schenk
VRBO 3	Cozy and Convenient Mountain
Bed 1	Brook Bessie
Bed 2	Thea Torn
Bed 3	Thea Lutz
Bed 4	Marlow Cook
Bed 5	Hanna Jensen
Bed 6	Lea Getaz
VRBO 4	2 Bedroom Town House Horsetheif
Bed 1	Owen Staniforth
Bed 2	Indigo Liu
Bed 3	Henry Elgie
Bed 4	Mateo Letter
VRBO 5	River View Garden
Bed1	Carys Griffin
Bed 2	Giulia Agazzi
Bed3	Rebecca Whelan
Bed 4	Sarah Whelan
VRBO 6	Ski in/walkout
Bed 1	JJ Gibbons
Bed 2	Nick Kokot
Bed 3	Diano Nakamura
Bed 4	Yuki Tazawa

If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to reach out to me.

Sincerely,

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"There may be people that have more talent than you, but there's no excuse for anyone to work harder than you do." – Derek Jeter