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Oetztaler Mountainbike Festival

Technical Guide 2026



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1. Oetztales Mountainbike Festival

XCO Forest Cross

- UCI HC Series
- UCI Junior Series
- Austria Youngsters Cup
- Cycling Cup Tirol

25.04. – 26.04.2026

Offroad - MTB - Cross Country XCO UCI HC Series - Cross Country XCO UCI Junior Series

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3. Arrival, accommodation



From Imst/Arlberg (Switzerland):

Take the A12 towards Innsbruck / Ötztal exit 123 Haiming/Oetztal – 2nd roundabout Exit - the race course is located on the left side.

From Innsbruck (Italy):

Take the A12 direction Bregenz / Arlberg exit 123 Haiming/Oetztal – 2nd roundabout Exit - the race course is located on the left side.



Accommodation

Tourist office Oetztal

www.oetztal.com – info@oetztal.com

Tel: 0572 00-800 – Fax: 0572 00-801

Next airports and public transport

Airport Innsbruck	via A12 47km	ca. 30 minutes
Airport München	via A12 249km	ca. 2 hours 30 minutes
Airport Zürich	via A12/S16 242km	ca. 2 hours 40 minutes
Trainstation Ötztal	via B171 3km	ca. 5 minutes

4. Registration

Registration Fee	U7, U9, U11 (Soft, Cross)	je	€ 8,00
	U13, U15, U17 (Rock, Mega, Hard)	je	€ 11,00
	Amateure	je	€ 26,00
	Masters	je	€ 19,00
	Juniors m/f	je	€ 19,00
	Elite / U23 m/f	je	€ 35,00

In Austria the fee regulation of the ÖRV applies. The entry fees must be paid when registering on the registration portal plus any transfer costs.

Registrations are only possible via the RaceResult registration portal.

The registration will take effect only after deposits of the entry fee.

Close of registration

Monday, April 20th 2026 08.00 pm

Late entry

No late entries possible!

Start number/transponder collection is only possible during the opening hours of the race office and up to 1.5 hours before the respective race!

Start Requirements

From the U13 category onwards, a valid license(at least a copy of the 2026 license application) or a member card must be provided during online registration or presented when picking up the race number. The member card must be purchased in advance via the Cycling Portal Austria (<https://portal.cyclingaustria.at>; if you have any questions about the membership card, please contact lizenz@radsportverband.at) – this can also be done online at short notice. All young riders who do not have a membership card must ensure that they have adequate insurance cover. The races in the U9, U11, and amateur categories are held as tourist events. By registering for these categories, sufficient insurance coverage is confirmed and the organizer's disclaimer of liability is acknowledged.

UCI Junior Series Oetztales Mountainbike Festival 2026

- Athletes without a UCI or national team entry must have at least 20 UCI points when registering
- All Austrian athletes can start, also in team clothing, this must be stated. Austrian athletes who do not have 20 UCI points or do not belong to a UCI team must be registered as a national team.
- In the case of non-national UCI Junior Series, the national federation may also nominate 5 athletes without the required 20 UCI points. If this is stated, they may also start in team clothing.

Timekeeping

sportedv mall

Sports Timing & IT Service

info@sportedv.com

www.sportsedv.com

5. Information

Insurance cover, racing license

Every driver must ensure that they have sufficient insurance coverage. The valid license or Member Card must be presented to the organizer on race day.

First aid, emergency care and closest hospitals

Allgem. öffentl. Krankenhaus St. Vinzenz Sanatoriumstraße 43, 6511 Zams	via A12 26km	ca. 20 minutes
Tirol Kliniken Anichstraße 35, 6020 Innsbruck	via A12 48km	ca. 30 minutes
medalp - Zentrum für ambulante Chirurgie Medalp Platz 1, 6460 Gemeinde Imst	via A12 15km	ca. 10 minutes
First aid, emergency care	Doctor	Start-/Finish
	Rotes Kreuz	Start-/Finish and on trail
	Bergrettung	on trail

Team manager meeting

There will be no team manager meeting in person. The information from the race management will be sent by email to the email address provided during driver registration in good time before the races.

BikeWash

There is a signposted BikeWash area near the start/finish area.

Doping control

In accordance with UCI regulations, the race will be subject to anti-doping controls carried out. The anti-doping tests take place in rooms next to the race office.

Anti-Doping Control Officer: N.N.

Garbage disposal

It is forbidden to throw away waste (e.g. gel packs, drinking bottles, etc.) away from the garbage islands or outside the technical/feed zones. The waste must be disposed of in the appropriately marked garbage cans set up in the start/finish area or in the garbage bags provided in the technical/feed zones.

Increased controls are being carried out here.

6. Program

Friday, April 24th 2026

Course inspection by the race conductor	03.00 pm - 04.30 pm
Startnumber- and Transponder pickup	03.00 pm - 06.00 pm
Accreditation Technical-/Feed Zone	03.00 pm - 06.00 pm
Official training	04.30 pm – 06.00 pm

Saturday, April 25th 2026

Startnumber- and Transponder pickup	07.30 am – 02.00 pm
Accreditation Technical-/Feed Zone	07.30 am – 02.00 pm
Oetztaler Forest Cross UCI HC Series	08.30 am - 03.00 pm
Oetztaler Forest Cross UCI Junior Series	03.00 pm – 04.30 pm
Official training	04.30 pm – 06.00 pm

Sunday, April 26th 2026

Startnumber- and Transponder pickup	08.00 am – 02.00 pm
Accreditation Technical-/Feed Zone	08.00 am – 09.00 am
unofficial training	08.00 am – 09.15 am
Oetztaler Forest Cross UCI Junior Series	09.30 am - 11.00 am
unofficial training	11.00 am – 11.30 am
Ötztaler Forest Cross Masters, Amateure, U17 – U9	11.45 am – 04.30 pm

The handlebar number must be mounted during official training!
Wearing a helmet is mandatory during training and racing.

The race management or the organizer reserve the right to make program changes!

Start number/transponder distribution closed 1.5 hours before the respective race!

7. Timetable

Raceday 1, Saturday April 25th 2026

Category / Race	Start time
UCI HC U23 M	08.30 am
UCI HC Elite F	10.30 am
UCI HC U23 F	10.32 am
UCI HC Elite M	12.45 pm
UCI JS Juniors F	03.00 pm

Victory ceremony after the races

The prize money for the **Juniors** categories will be handed over personally to the drivers for places 1 to 5 exclusively at the award ceremony and for the remaining placings in the race office/start number distribution.

The prize money for the **U23 and Elite** categories will be handed over personally to the drivers for places 1 to 5 exclusively at the award ceremony and for the remaining placings in the race office/start number distribution. There will be no transfer of prize money afterwards.

Failure to appear after the third call by the speaker will result in exclusion prize money.

Raceday 2, Sunday April 26th 2026

Category / Race	Start time
UCI JS Juniors M	09.30 am
Victory ceremony after the races	
Masters, Amateure	11.45 am
U17 (Hard) M/F	11.45 am
U15 (Mega) M/F	01.15 pm
U13 (Rock) M/F	02.15 pm
U11 (Cross) M/F	03.00 pm
U9 (Soft) M/F	03.30 pm
Victory ceremony U9 – U17, Masters, Amateure	04.00 pm

The prize money or non-cash prizes for the **Amateur and Masters** categories for places 1 to 5 will only be handed over personally to the drivers at the award ceremony.

The prize money or non-cash prizes for the **U15 and U17** categories for places 1 to 5 will only be handed over personally to the drivers at the award ceremony. There will be no transfer of prize money afterwards. Failure to appear after the third call by the speaker will result in exclusion prize money.

The non-cash prizes for the **U9 to U13** categories will be handed over personally to the drivers for all placements at the award ceremony.

Any changes to the schedule are subject to the race management or the organizer!

UCI-points and trophy money XCO accordance to valid regulations of the UCI-Class HC

The prize money for places 1 to 5 will only be handed over personally to the drivers at the award ceremony and for the remaining placements in the race office / start number distribution. There is no retrospective transfer of the prize money.

Platzierung	Punkte *)			Preisgeld		
	Elite	U23	Junior Series	Elite	U23	Junior Series
1	100	60	90	1.000 €	400 €	200 €
2	80	40	70	800 €	265 €	130 €
3	60	30	60	600 €	200 €	100 €
4	50	25	50	500 €	165 €	80 €
5	40	20	40	400 €	130 €	65 €
6	35	18	35	300 €	100 €	50 €
7	30	16	30	250 €	80 €	45 €
8	27	14	27	200 €	65 €	30 €
9	24	12	24	150 €	50 €	25 €
10	22	10	22	100 €	30 €	20 €
11	20	8	20			
12	18	6	18			
13	16	4	16			
14	14	2	14			
15	12	1	12			
16	10		10			
17	9		9			
18	8		8			
19	7		7			
20	6		6			
21	5		5			
22	4		4			
23	3		3			
24	2		2			
25	1		1			

*) the award of points is subject to the UCI decision

8. Kategorie – Length of laps - Altitude – Number of laps

Kategorie	Rundenlänge	Höhenmeter	Rennzeiten
U9 (Soft)	790 m	10 m	3
U11 (Cross)	2.092 m	50 m	2
U13 (Rock)	2.291 m	54 m	3
U15 (Mega)	3.014 m	76 m	4
U17 (Hard)	3.174 m	89 m	5
Amateure, Masters	3.174 m	89 m	5
Juniors M / Juniors F	3.920 m	130 m	01.00 – 01.15 *)
U23 M / U23 F	3.920 m	130 m	01.15 – 01.30 *)
Elite M / Elite F	3.920 m	130 m	01.20 – 01.40 *)

*) the number of laps is determined by the UCI Commissaires and published on the homepage via the Communiqué of the UCI Commissaires

This is how I find the start and the technical/feed zones 1 and 2:

Start-/Zielbereich	Technical-/Feedzone 1:	Technical-/Feedzone 2:
47.229917, 10.857569 (47°13'47.7"N 10°51'27.3"E)	47.230944, 10.857310 (47°13'51.4"N 10°51'26.3"E)	47.231452, 10.861809 (47°13'53.2"N 10°51'42.5"E)

9. Situation plan, Race tracks

