

StarClassNewsletter



StarClass season 2011/2012 took shape during the recent European Calendar meeting in Basel in mid-May. Candidates to host next year's competitions were selected and evaluated and the following were chosen:

- Bormio – Italy – a well known short-track location in the Alps will host the first event for Starclass, Senior, Junior A and B categories from October 7th to 9th.



Narrow alley in the centre of Bormio village
(courtesy www.industriadelturismo.com/bormio-sci-e-terme/)

- Malmö – Sweden – also a new entry to the Starclass circuit, is excited to have the opportunity of hosting an event to spur activity in the area. It will be welcoming Junior C and Novices categories from October 28th to 30th.



The 16km long Öresundsbron bridge connecting Malmö to Copenhagen
Foto: Frederik Tellerup © Malmö Turism

- Hasselt – Belgium – will greet the older categories for the third consecutive season from November 25th to 27th.
- Oberstdorf – Germany – is another new entry to the Starclass circuit. A lovely mountain village in the

Bavarian Alps, it will open its rink to Junior C and Novices categories from December 9th to 11th.



The village of Oberstdorf – a renowned resort since the early 19th century
(Courtesy Tourismus Oberstdorf)

- Grenoble – France – yet another new venue for the Starclass and a world renowned resort having hosted the X Olympic Winter Games in 1968. The gates of the Pôle Sud ice-rink, the largest in France in terms of seating capacity, will open for the Starclass, Senior, Junior A and B categories from January 13th to 15th.



The Pôle Sud ice-rink in Grenoble
(Courtesy FFSG)

- Amsterdam – Netherlands – (to be confirmed) after hosting the Junior Europa Cup Final in 2009 will close the Starclass season for Junior C and Novices categories from February 24th to 26th.

Grand Finale of the season will be in Romania in the town of Brasov from March 16th to 18th for the Junior Europa Cup Final.

The updated memorandum and more info on the season to come will soon be published on www.shorttrackonline.info.