



European Youth Olympic Festival (EYOF)

**Friuli Venezia Giulia,
Italia 21-28.1.2023**

Eligibility and team:

Athletes born 2005-2006 are eligible to compete.

A maximum of four (4) men and four (4) women will be selected from a Pre-list of eight (8) men and eight (8) women. Selected athletes will start in all individual events (SL, GS, SG).

Ski Sport Finland (SSF) will propose Athletes to be selected, based on the selection criteria below, to the National Olympic Committee (NOC) High Performance Unit. In order to be selected, an athlete must be on the Pre-list. Final team selection is made by NOC according to the NOC selection criteria, NOC general eligibility and SSF proposal.

Coaching staff (3 coaches /service) will be selected from Alpine Academies (Vuokatti-Ruka, Tahko, Levi) and/or National Team Coaches by SSF Sport or Executive Director. A Team lead for Alpine operation will be selected. Staff members need to meet NOC general eligibility.

Selection criteria and priority;

1. World Cup-points season 2021-2023
2. European-cup points season 2021-2023
3. For all remaining quota; Athletes will be ranked on 2 best fis points from 2 dicipline presented before January 4th, 2023 (avg. FIS points) of season 2022-2023
4. Coaches evaluation and decision

Process and timeline:

1. October 7th 2023

Athletes (8 men, 8 women) will be placed on the Pre-list based on criteria above. Athletes will be notified of possible selection.

2. Jan 4th 2023

Selection period ends. SSF will notify selected athletes and ask them to confirm their participation in EYOF



If an athlete does not confirm, the next best athlete in the ranking will be offered a selection. NOC supports the EYOF travel, the athlete's part of the costs is about 1000€, exact cost will be announced with the selection.

4.1.2023 SSF will propose the Team to NOC who will confirm the Team.

EYOF 2023 20.-29.1.2023 Alpine competition.

--Exeutive Director--