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## COGNE DOESN'T STOP: HERE IS THE FORTY-SECOND MARCIAGRANPARADISO

In Cogne, the winter will be amazing for skiers. After the confirmation of the World Cup round, the Granfondo cross-country ski race par excellence is now part of the calendar. A unique 30-kilometer route will guarantee fatigue and pure fun!

The news that has been front-page news in recent days is clearly the return of the **Cross-Country Ski World Cup** round to **Cogne**, after the unforgettable weekend of 2019 that celebrated the Italian double by **Pellegrino-De Fabiani**.

The Cognein winter will be even richer and more tempting because the **Organizing Committee** has confirmed that the Prati di Sant'Orso will also host the forty-second edition of the **MarciaGranParadiso**.

Same tried and tested formula, although there will be only one route, just like the distance: **30 kilometers**, for everyone. A choice as difficult as it is forced, given that the unstoppable **flood of June 2024**, unfortunately, swept away a significant portion of the route in the areas of Valnontey and Epinel. The restoration works on the original route are proceeding briskly and without stopping, however it is effectively impossible to complete them by this winter.

In addition to these two major events dedicated to narrow skis, there is also the **Minimarcia**, a day of competitions dedicated to the little ones, also this year combined with the **SkiriTrophy** of Lago di Tesero, for the fourth edition of the **SkiriMini**. The intention is to send a strong message to the world: **#CognelsUnstoppable**.

So, the event is scheduled for the weekend after the World Cup. On **Saturday 8th and Sunday 9th February 2025**, Mini number 18 and Marcia number 42 will give their best to give everyone an unforgettable experience.

Registration for the granfondo, which last year saw champions of the calibre of Clément Parisse and Maurice Manificat compete, opened on October 1<sup>st</sup>.

It is possible to register online (and also with an offline form), by following the instructions on the official website: <a href="https://www.marciagranparadiso.it/pagina.php?id=2">https://www.marciagranparadiso.it/pagina.php?id=2</a>.

The partnership with the prestigious **Ski Classics Challengers** granfondo circuit has also been renewed, for which the **Marciagranparadiso** represents the **Italian round**.

You can follow the event dedicated to adults on the **Facebook** page @Marcia Gran Paradiso, on the **Twitter** profile @MGranparadiso and on the **Instagram** profile @marciagranparadiso. Three are the official hashtag for the event: #marciagranparadiso, #MGP2025 and #SkiClassicsChallengers.











You can follow the event dedicated to youngsters on the **Facebook** page @MiniMarciagranparadiso, on the **Twitter** profile @MGranparadiso and on the **Instagram** profile @marciagranparadiso. Three are the official hashtag for the event: **#MiniMarcia**, **#MiniMGP2025** and **#SkiriMini**.

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