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INTERNATIONAL FEDERATION OF SPORT CLIMBING FIVE DAYS UNTIL SHOWTIME

In less than one week, 20,000 spectators and 500 IFSC Athletes will travel to the AccorHotels Arena for the 2016 IFSC World Climbing and Paraclimbing Championships. Before opening the curtains for the signature event of the 2016 IFSC Calendar, the IFSC and the Fédération Française de la Montagne et de l'Escalade (FFME) have been busy setting the stage.

Paris Athlete Portraits

IFSC Athletes are not just the cast of the show, they are the reason the IFSC World Championships can exist. To promote competition participants, the IFSC is sharing personal interviews with several top Athletes competing in Paris on the [IFSC Facebook page](#). Here is what some Athletes are saying:

"I am really looking forward to this competition. It is definitely one of the biggest highlights of the season for me." - Mina Markovic (SLO)

"I want to take part in this event and show my best, to prove to my family, coach and friends that I'm worth it and ready to move only forward." - Danyil Boldyrev (UKR)

"I was able to compete at the events in Paris in 2008 and 2012...they are on the top of all climbing events I've been to in my life!" - Charlotte Durif (FRA)

FFME Media Kit

The FFME has produced a Media Kit which provides extensive information regarding these upcoming IFSC World Championships in Paris. To learn more about the program, venue, disciplines, ticketing and more, access the link below, also on the dedicated Paris event pages for [Climbing](#) and [Paraclimbing](#).

http://www.ifsc-climbing.org/images/media-centre/press-releases/2016_CP_FFME_Media%20Kit.pdf

Paraclimbing LIVE Streaming

The IFSC strives to represent all disciplines equally. That is why the IFSC is pleased to announce LIVE Streaming of the Paraclimbing Men's B1 Finals on Saturday at 19:00 and Men's AL-2 Finals on Sunday at 13:30 (GMT+2). A highlights video will also be available for the Paraclimbing Finals on Friday. All LIVE Streams can be watched on the IFSC website:

<http://www.ifsc-climbing.org/>

Ftp Schedule

Clips of the action will be available on the IFSC Ftp server per usual: <ftp://ftp.ifsc-climbing.org/>
User: media Password: climbing2016

Below is the list of expected availability (GMT+2):

Wednesday, September 14th - 18:00

Thursday, September 15th - 18:30

Friday, September 16th - 00:30 (next day)

Saturday, September 17th - 1:30 (next day)

Sunday, September 18th - 20:00

Remember #IFSCwch

Lastly, we would like to remind you of the hashtag change. Different from IFSC World Cups where the hashtag is #IFSCwc, the official hashtag for IFSC World Championships is #IFSCwch. Please use accordingly and Tweet during the event with such.

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