



Second victory for Martí; Baruzzi way in front.

The Andorran skier, Robert Martí, wins for the second time in the category U16 of the Borrufa Trophy 2014, this time on the slalom. Amongst the girls, the Argentinian Francesca Baruzzi didn't give any options to her rivals and won comfortably, leaving the skier in second place more than 2" behind.

Martí had a great performance on the first heat establishing an advantage of 48 hundredth of a second in front of Marcus Vorre, so he didn't have to take risks on the second heat. It is worth mentioning that on this first heat the Andorran was the only skier under 38". The Danish skier, Vorre, managed to reduce the difference with Martí on the second heat, but it wasn't enough.

As for the girls, with Baruzzi absolutely outstanding, the fight was for the other places on the final podium, which eventually were for the Russian Gornostaeva and the Australian Offord. Anna Oller, winner of the Giant slalom yesterday, couldn't step on the podium by only 6 hundredth of a second.

Wednesday, 29 January 2014							
Technical Data	Race	SL U16/M	SL U16/F	Race Information	Race	SL U16/M	SL U16/F
	Track	Les Canals	Les Canals		Les Canals	Snow	Powder
Start/Finish	2237/2117	2237/2117	2237/2117	Weather	Sun and Clouds	Sun and Clouds	
Vertical Drop	120	120	120	Temperature	-4°	-4°	
Gates	45	45	45	Competitors	58	50	
Homologation N.	7817/04/05	7817/04/05	7817/04/05	Start Time	10h15/12h15	10h15/12h15	

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Classification	Race	SL U16/M					SL U16/F					
	1	Robert Martí	AND1	37'84	43'28	1'21'12		Francesca BARUZZI	ARG1	38'64	38'85	1'17'49
2	Marcus VORRE	DAN	38'26	43'02	1'21'28	0'16	A. GORNOSTAEVA	RUS	40'74	39'04	1'19'78	2'29
3	Xabder VERCAMEN	BEL	38'83	42'80	1'21'63	0'51	Zali OFFORD	AUS	39'74	40'32	1'20'08	2'57
4	Albert ORTEGA	SPA2	40'90	41'87	1'22'77	1'85	ANNA OLLER	SPA1	40'55	39'57	1'20'12	2'63
5	Barnabas SZOLLOS	HUN	39'15	43'82	1'22'97	1'85	Roxy VAN DER HAAS	NED1	39'53	41'16	1'20'69	3'20
Rank	Name	Nation	Man1	Man2	Total	Dif.	Name	Nation	Man1	Man2	Total	Dif.

The Argentinian Francesca Baruzzi was specially pleased with today's win. Here is what she had to say about her day: ***It was the perfect event, I found the best pace from the very beginning and I finished both races without making any mistakes. My favourite speciality is the slalom.***

How great Baruzzi's performance on the slalom of the slope Les Canals was, was made clear by the results for both heats. She was the only female skier under 39" in both heats and, especially on the first one, she left her closest rival almost 1" behind.

Another participant that was also very pleased was the Australian, Zali Offord, who made the following comment: ***Getting a good result when you are so far away from home feels great and makes me and the rest of my team way more confident.***

As far as the Andorrans go, the best skiers in each category were Mariona Raméntol, sixth, and Albert Pérez, seventh.

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