



Morez (Montagnes du Jura), february 7th 2018

Stars & Stats 2018

3983 REGISTERED RACERS FOR THE DIFFERENT EVENTS:

68 % in FT - 32 % in CT

Per event:

La Transjurassienne: **2124**

La Transju'Marathon: **601**

La Transju'Classic: **552**

La Trans 25 FT: **447**

La Trans 25 CT: **258**

29 NATIONS.

17 % foreign racers coming from the four corners of the world: New Zealand, Australia, Canada Switzerland, Poland, Estonia...

147 ULTRA TRANS SKIERS REGISTERED.

With the participation of Michel Vuillet, the «number one» Senator of La Transju' who has completed every Transju' event from the beginning and who will take the start of La Transju'Classic on Saturday and then race the long event on Sunday: hats off!

8 SENATORS.

8 Senators who have raced and finished every Transju' event will once again take on the challenge this year!

The most senior Senator, Bernard Demeer (70 years old this year) from Paris, will take the start of La Transjurassienne on Sunday alongside André Midol (Montrouge), Jean Kuhni (Champagnole), Yves Panier (Les Verrières de Joux), Jean-Claude Bernard (Barberaz), Dominique Aires (Nurieux-Volognat), Robert Besson (Echiroilles) and our local, Michel Vuillet (Bellefontaine).

4 WORLDLOPPET RACES OF THE WORLDLOPPET SKI FEDERATION (Bieg Piastow, Finlandia hiihto, Tartu Ski Maraton, Merino Muster) will be represented this Transju' weekend. Volunteers will be ready to stamp Worldloppet passports in the finish area in Chaux-Neuve... just look for the Worldloppet logo!



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55 REGISTERED IN SOLIDARITY WITH LA SAPAUDIA.

Several athletes will take part in La Transjurassienne or La Trans'25 CT in solidarity with La Sapaudia to increase awareness of bone-marrow donations, but also to share a beautiful moment of solidarity. This is the case for cyclist Thibaut Pinot, who will take on the long Transju' for the first.

As for the motorcycle champion Vincent Philippe, several time winner of the motorcycle endurance race Bol d'or and the Endurance World Championships, he will be taking on Trans'25 FT, along with a group of other participants skiing for La Sapaudia. He'll be skiing alongside the ice-skaters Vanessa Gusmeroli and Isabelle Delobel, the swimmer Marion Bragard and the triathlete Olivier Bragard.

For the main event, Véronique Delobel and Matthieu Jost (figure skating), Alexandre Chouffe and Didier Faivre Pierret (cycling), The Olympic champions Sébastien Lacroix and Vincent Gauthier-Manuel will ski alongside Sylvain Guillaume, President of La Sapaudia and Olympic medalist in Nordic Combined.

53 REGISTERED IN SOLIDARITY WITH SKIEZ POUR ELLES.

53 women will be present on Saturday at the start of La Trans 25 CT, all dressed in pink and led by our 4-time winner of La Transju' Marie-Pierre Guilbaud, all skiing to communicate that physical activity puts up walls against cancer!

1050 VOLUNTEERS work tirelessly for the success of la Transjurassienne each year!

ELITE SKIERS TAKING THE START ON SATURDAY: LA TRANSJU'CLASSIC

-> Jeannerod Alexis, Neveux Robin, Milici Aurélien, Egraz Martin, Chopard-Lallier Céline.

ELITE SKIERS TAKING THE START ON SUNDAY: 3RD STAGE OF THE FIS WORLDLOPPET CUP 2018! LA TRANSJURASSIENNE

-> Men: Millereau Jérémie, Perrillat Boiteux Ivan, Chauvet Benoît, Gløersen Anders, Mougél Adrien, Berthet Nicolas, Agnellet Gérard, Armgren Ted, Poirrier Bastien, Roy Didier.

-> Women: Graefnings Maria, Dabudyk Aurélie, Imoberdorf Rahel, Lacroix Roxane, Colin Marion, Damiani Léa, Donzallaz Nicole.

LA TRANSJU'MARATHON

Cavro Sylvain, Augustin Milan, Goudard Olivier, Serrette Laurie-Anne.

CHAMPIONS AT THE START: SWEDISH SKIER MARIA GRÄFNINGS (WINNER OF LA TRANSJU'2017), ALEXIS JEANNEROD (WINNER OF LA TRANSJU'CLASSIC 2017), THE NORWÉGIAN SKI CHAMPION ANDERS GLØERSEN, KLARA MORAVKOVA FROM THE CZECH REPUBLIC, THE CYCLIST THIBAUD PINOT, THE MOTORCYCLE CHAMPION VINCENT PHILIPPE, THE FORMULA 1 PILOT ROMAIN GROSJEAN.