

**UIAA Ice Climbing World Cup  
Edmonton, Canada  
27 February - 1 March 2025**

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Competition venue address

- Louise McKinney Park: [9999 Grierson Hill NW, Edmonton, Alberta, Canada](#)

Accommodation for competitors

- There are a number of hotels close to the event venue with links available through [Edmonton's Best Hotels](#) - Accommodation must be arranged individually.
- We have a special rate of \$139/night at [The Westin Edmonton](#). Bookings must be made before **February 7, 2025** using the following link to receive this preferred rate:
  - [Book Hotel Rooms HERE](#)
- Competitors are not required to use one of these accommodation providers and may choose to make their own arrangements with another provider.

Registrations

- [Online registrations of competitors must be done via the UIAA member federation.](#)
- Online registration deadline is 14 February 2025, any competitors registering after this deadline must pay a penalty.
- On-site registration takes place on 27 February 2025 – 17:30 - 19:30
- On-site registration address: Isolation Tent - Event Venue
- Award ceremony takes place on 28 February 2025 & 1 March 2025 - Event Venue

Nearest airport: Edmonton International Airport

- YEG: 1000 Airport Road, Edmonton International Airport, Alberta, Canada

Ground Transportation

- Catch a ride curbside outside Door 9, on the Arrivals Level directly to the hotel
- Visit <https://flyeia.com/parking-transportation/taxis-limos-rideshares/>
  - Taxi price is \$62 CAD (Approx. 42 euros)
  - Higher end/limo price is \$71 CAD (Approx. 48 euros)
- Competitors are not required to use one of these transportation providers and may choose to arrange their own ground transportation with another provider.

VISA applications

- For letters of invitation please contact Tara McConnery with the Alpine Club of Canada: [tmconnery@alpineclubofcanada.ca](mailto:tmconnery@alpineclubofcanada.ca)
- Indicate passport number, name as on passport and exact travel dates
- More information: <https://www.canada.ca/en/immigration-refugees-citizenship/services/visit-canada.html?outside>

**Provisional Schedule (subject to change):**

Date	Time	What	Where
27 February	17:30 - 19:30	Athlete Sign-In	Louise McKinney Park
	19:45 - 18:15	Technical Meeting / Protocol	
28 February	Lead Qualification Women		
	7:30	Warm Up Zone Open	Louise McKinney Park
	<b>9:00 - 12:00</b>	<b>Lead Qualification Women 2 Routes</b>	
	12:30	Results & Starting List Lead Semi-Final Women	
	Lead Qualification Men		
	12:00	Warm Up Zone Open	Louise McKinney Park
	<b>13:00 - 18:00</b>	<b>Lead Qualification Men 2 Routes</b>	
	18:30	Results & Starting List Lead Semi-Final Men	
	Speed Women & Men		
	9:15 - 10:00	Speed Men Training	Louise McKinney Park
	<b>10:00 - 11:00</b>	<b>Speed Qualifications Men</b>	
	13:15 - 14:00	Speed Women Training	
	<b>14:00 - 15:00</b>	<b>Speed Qualifications Women</b>	
	18:30 - 19:15	Opening Ceremonies	Louise McKinney Park
	Speed Final Women & Men		
	19:15 - 19:45	Speed Finals Women & Men Training	Louise McKinney Park
	<b>20:00 - 21:00</b>	<b>Speed Finals Women &amp; Men</b>	
+15 min. Final	Awards Ceremony		
1 March	Lead Semi-Final Women		
	8:00 - 8:30	Lead Semi-Final Women - Isolation - Open/Close	Louise McKinney Park
	9:00 - 9:15	Lead Semi-Final Women - Route Observation	
	<b>9:30 - 12:30</b>	<b>Lead Semi Final Women</b>	
	13:00	Results & Starting List Lead Final Women	
	Lead Semi-Final Men		
	12:30 - 13:00	Lead Semi-Final Men - Isolation - Open/Close	Louise McKinney Park
	13:30 - 13:45	Lead Semi-Final Men - Route Observation	
	<b>14:00 - 17:00</b>	<b>Lead Semi Final Men</b>	
	17:00	Results & Starting List Lead Final Men	
	Lead Final Women & Men		
	17:00 - 17:30	Lead Final Women & Men - Isolation - Open/Close	Louise McKinney Park
	18:30 - 18:45	Lead Final Women & Men - Route Observation	
<b>19:00 - 21:00</b>	<b>Lead Final Women &amp; Men</b>		
+15 min. Final	Awards Ceremony		
21:30	Evening Music & Party		
2 March	8:30 - 17:00	YEG Ice Fest: Clinics & Festival Activities	Louise McKinney Park
3-6 March	10:00 - 16:00	Athlete Open Climbing	Louise McKinney Park

- Edmonton has a [Single-Use Item Bylaw](#) to reduce the use of single use plastics
- Edmonton is approximately a 3 hour drive or bus ride from ice climbing in the Rocky Mountains. Additional travel/hotel booking links in the Rocky Mountains to come.
- We are hosting YEG Ice Fest for the public at the venue on March 2 - Clinic details to come: Competitor involvement is welcome!
- Competitors will be provided access to the competition routes starting on March 3

Details of the Organiser

- Offbeat Entertainment: <https://www.offbeatentertainment.ca/>
- The Alpine Club of Canada: <https://alpineclubofcanada.ca/>
- Local Tourism: <https://exploreedmonton.com/>

Official Website: <https://www.yegice.ca/ice-fest>