

2026 UIAA Ice Climbing World Cup (L, S) Cheongsong



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1 Competition Outline

- Title : 2026 UIAA Ice Climbing World Cup (L, S) - Cheongsong KOREA
- Period : 9th(Fri)~11th(Sun), January, 2026
- Venue : Cheongsong Ice Valley Ice Climbing World Cup Stadium
(140 Palgaksan-ro, Juwangsan-myeon)
- Hosted by : The International Climbing and Mountaineering Federation(UIAA),
Korea Alpine Federation(KAF)
- Organized by : Cheongsong-gun, Gyeongsangbuk-do Alpine Federation
- Supported by : The North Face, Outdoor Research, DYPNF
- Official website : <http://www.ice-climbing.or.kr>

2 Participation Outline

- Categories : Men & Women - Lead, Speed
- Team Quotas
 - Each National Federation : 6 Male and 6 Female competitors for each discipline
※ 9 Male & 9 Female for each discipline in the case of the host country
 - Team Officials: Team Manager(1), Coach(2), Medical(2)
- Deadline for Registration : **31th(Tue.) Dec 2025.**
Please visit UIAA Ice Climbing Competition Online Registration :
<<https://uiaa.results.info/users/login>>
- Visa : If you need an invitation letter for Visa, please contact Korea Alpine Federation
by **17th(Wed.) Dec 2025.** <Email: kockaf@kaf.or.kr>
***Team list and Passport Copies need to be submitted.**
- Competition Schedule

Date	Time	Schedule	Remarks
9, Jan (Fri)	12:30 -15:00	Athlete Registration	Juwangsan Tourist Hotel
	17:00- 17:30	Technical Meeting	Juwangsan Tourist Hotel
10, Jan (Sat)	Lead Qualification & Speed Qualification and Finals		
	07:30~08:20	Warm-up Area open	Competition Venue
	08:30-13:00	Lead Qualification	
	14:00-14:30	Opening Ceremony	
	15:00-16:00	Speed Practice	
	16:00-17:30	Speed Qualification	
	17:30-19:00	Speed Final	
11, Jan (Sun)	Lead Semi-final & Final		

	07:00-08:00	Isolation - Open/Close	Competition Venue
	08:30-12:00	Lead Semi-Final	
	12:50 -13:10	Isolation - Open/Close	
	13:10 -13:50	Route Setting	
	14:00 -14:15	Athlete Presentation and Route Observation	
	14:40-16:40	Lead Final	Juwangsan Tourist Hotel
	16:55~	Award Ceremony	
	19:00~	Farewell Dinner	

- ※ The above schedule is subject to change depending on the circumstances on the competition day
- ※ After the route-finding session at 14:15, an event and performance will take place until the competition begins at 14:40 (25 minutes)

Types of Competition

- Lead : On-sight leading
- Speed : Tournament for the final round

(Competition will apply the UIAA '2026 COMPETITION REGULATIONS')

Mandatory Equipments : Harness, Helmet (approved by UIAA), Ice-axes(2), Crampons, Ice climbing shoes and others

Prizes : Total 12,600 Euros

Category Ranking	Men&Women Lead	Men&Women Speed
1	Trophy, Gold Medal, Prize Money 1,050 Euros	Trophy, Gold Medal, Prize Money 1,050 Euros
2	Silver Medal, Prize Money 800 Euros	Silver Medal, Prize Money 800 Euros
3	Bronze Medal, Prize Money 550 Euros	Bronze Medal, Prize Money 550 Euros
4	Prize Money 350 Euros	Prize Money 350 Euros
5	Prize Money 250 Euros	Prize Money 250 Euros
6	Prize Money 150 Euros	Prize Money 150 Euros

- ※ The prize money will be paid via bank transfer after deducting 4.4% of the tax.

3 Participation Fee

Athletes :

Option 1. €390 or €340 per person

(Registration Fee €75 : Accommodation(Western Style), Meal & Transportation Fee €315)

(Registration Fee €75 : Accommodation(Korean Style: Ondol), Meal & Transportation Fee €265)

Option 2. €445 or €395 per person

(Registration Fee €125 : 2 disciplines, Accommodation(Western Style), Meal & Transportation Fee €320)

(Registration Fee €125 : 2 disciplines, Accommodation(Korean Style: Ondol), Meal & Transportation Fee €270)

- Officials : €250 per person (including Manager, Coach and others)
(for the Accommodation, Meal & Transportation)

- ※ Accommodation : 3 nights and 4 days from Friday 9th Jan. to Monday 12th Jan.
: *Western Style – single/double beds – max 4 persons per room*
: *Ondol style – mattresses on floor – max 6 persons per room*
: *Rooms will be reserved on a first come first served basis, so when a particular style of room runs out you will automatically be allocated what is left.*
- ※ Meals : From Lunch 9th Jan.(Fri) to Breakfast 12th Jan.(Mon)
- ※ Transportation : -Incheon Int'l Airport & Jamsil(Seoul) ↔ Cheongsong(Official hotel)
-Cheongsong(Official hotel) ↔ Competition Venue

- Cash in Euros is ONLY accepted.

4 Transportation

To Cheongsong

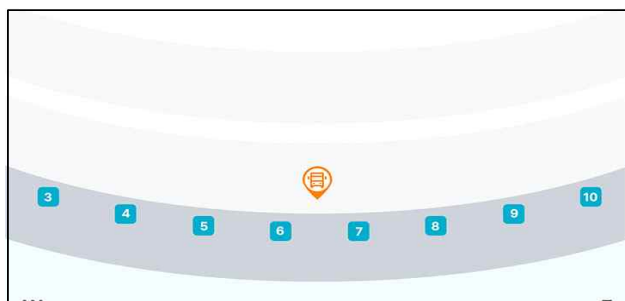
- KAF will provide a local transportation to the official hotel in Cheongsong
- All the participants(officials and athletes) should make a reservation for the transportation through the event's official website(www.ice-climbing.or.kr) by 17th Dec. 2025
- BUS are scheduled to depart at **09:00 am(9th Jan)** the place of departure is as below

NOTICE : You can take a bus only the place you have applied for.
There are only 2 options. (In front of World Gate or JamsilSports Complex Station)
We will not let you board unless it is where you applied for.

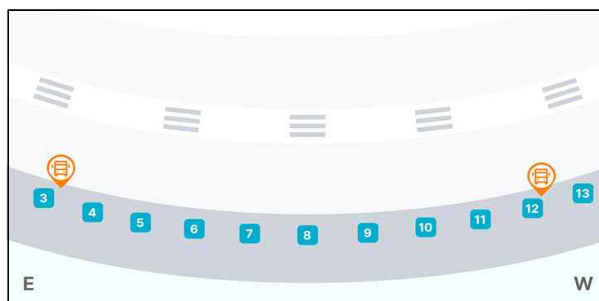
#1. In front of World Gate Building in Incheon Airport International Business Complex (9:10 am)

The free airport shuttle bus(AIRPORT 03) is available for transportation from Incheon International Airport to the World Gate Building

Terminal 2 3F (near Gates 6-7)



Terminal 1 3F (Gate 3 and 12)



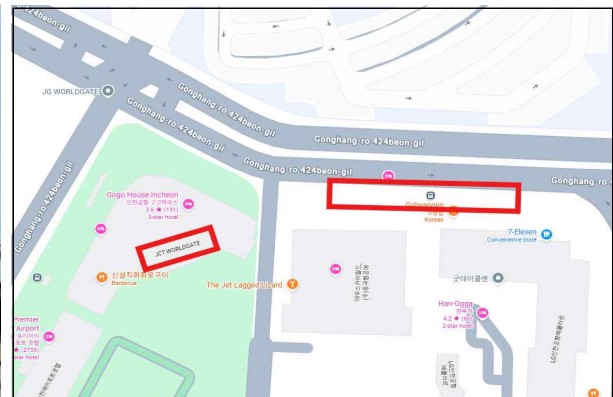


※Operating Interval : 7 ~ 20 minutes

※Operating Hours : 04:30 ~ 23:40

※Board at the pick-up spot in front of Gate 7 on the 3rd floor of Terminal 2

※Board at the pick-up spots in front of Gates 3 and 12 on the 3rd floor of Terminal 1



Use the AIRPORT 03 free shuttle to reach International Business Complex Station. From there, a shuttle bus available near the World Gate Building will proceed to the competition venue

※Near by World Gate Bldg., there are several guest houses where you can stay in.
e.g) Incheon Airport gogohouse (If you need, you should book accommodation on your own.)

#2. Jamsil Sports Complex Station : Exit No.1 (Metro Line No.2 & 9)(9:00 am, 9:10 am)



※Jamsil Sports Complex Station is on Metro line No.2 & 9



※The bus will depart for Cheongsong in front of Exit No.1 of the station at 09:00 am, 09:10am

Note : The participant should arrive at Departure Point by 08:40 am on 9th Jan.

■ From Official Hotel to Competition Venue (10th ~ 11th Jan.)

- Shuttle bus will be provided

■ From Cheongsong

1. To Seoul (11th Jan.)

- The BUS will depart at 21:00 pm to Incheon Int'l Airport.

(via Seoul *Jamsil Station, estimated arrival time is around 01:00 am on 12th Jan at the airport)

2. To Incheon Int'l airport and Seoul (12th Jan.)

- The BUS will depart at 06:00 am and 09:00 am
- To Incheon Int'l Airport - depart at 06:00 am
(estimated arrival time is around 9:50 am)
- To Seoul(Jamsil Station) - depart at 9:00 am
(estimated arrival time is around 12:00 pm)
- To Incheon Int'l Airport - depart at 09:00 am
(estimated arrival time is around 1:00 pm)


3. All the participants(officials and athletes) have to make a reservation for the transportation through the event's official website(www.ice-climbing.or.kr) by 17th Dec. 2025

5 Accommodation

Official Hotel

- Cheongsong Juwangsan Tourist Hotel
- Address : 69-2, Wolmak 1-ri, Cheongsong-eup, Cheongsong-gun, Gyeongsangbuk-do
- Homepage : www.juwangspahotel.co.kr, Tel. : +82-54-874-7000~6

6 Airfare support

-  To encourage more nations and athletes to participate, KAF will support airfare subsidies to each national team
 - If a national team is from Asia(UAAA Members ONLY), €150 per person up to 3 athletes of each nation will be paid
 - If a national team is from non-Asia, €250 per person up to 3 athletes of each nation will be paid
- ※The nationality of each athlete will be decided as shown in his/her passport

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