

## FINLAND ROOKIE FEST 30.1.-2.2.2025 VUOKATTI

### **What are you waiting for?** **Come and join the 2025 World Rookie Tour: The future is here!**

Welcome to Vuokatti, Finland. Vuokatti is a legendary place for freestyle snowboarding in Finland. Finnish Snowboard Academy has been here since 2004 and also Olympic training center for winter sports is located here. Vuokatti ski resort has two amazing snowparks made in co-work with Schneestern.

<https://www.instagram.com/vuokattisnowpark/>

In Finland Rookie Fest 2025 Vuokatti, we have many extra activities, like skateboarding and trampoline sessions, SafeShred and Zero+ points, and a night RAIL JAM on the slopes.

Here are recaps from the 21/22 [video link](#), the 22/23 [video link](#) and 23/24 [videolink](#)

***If you dream to become a professional snowboarder,  
then your future starts from the World Rookie Tour!***

### **Finland Rookie Fest 2025 Vuokatti – PROGRAM**

<b>30.1.2025 – Arrival Day</b>	
10:00 – 19:00	Training at Vuokatti Snowpark. The park is open to everybody.
13:00 – 14:00	Reshape (Park partly closed)
16:00 – 17:00	Reshape (Park partly closed)
17:00 – 19:00	Riders, coaches and media registrations. Payment of entry Fee (only by card) (cash and credit card). Bibs Distribution. All at Race Office Vuokatti Ski Resort (Ski School)
19:00 – 20:00	Riders Meeting at Ála-Katti restaurant Vuokatti ski resort
<b>31.1.2025 – Training day</b>	
10:00 – 19:00	Training at Vuokatti Snowpark. The park is open to everybody.
13:00 – 14:00	Reshape (Park partly closed)
16:00 – 17:00	Reshape (Park partly closed)
17:00 – 18:00	Riders, coaches and media registrations. Payment of entry Fee (only in card) (cash and credit card). Bibs Distribution. All at Race Office Vuokatti Ski Resort (Ski School)
18:00 – 20:00	Trampoline & Skate session at Vuokatti Super Park. (Entry fee 6€)
20:00 – 20:30	Riders Meeting at Vuokatti Super Park (Free entry to riders meeting)
<b>1.2.2025 – Slopestyle - Training day for Big Air</b>	
8:00 – 9:00	Race office open at Vuokatti Ski Resort “Ski School” building
9:00 – 9:45	Warm-up KIDS & GROMS
10:00 – 12:00	Qualification KIDS & GROMS
12:00 – 12:30	Warm-up ROOKIE & OPEN
12:40 – 13:40	Qualification ROOKIE & OPEN
14:00 – 14:30	Finals warm-up KIDS & GROMS
14:40 – 16:10	Finals KIDS & GROMS
16:10 – 16:40	Finals warm-up ROOKIE & OPEN
16:50 – 17:50	Finals ROOKIE & OPEN
18:00 – 18:30	Rail jam
18:30	Prize-giving Ceremony at Vuokatti Snowpark
<b>2.2.2025 – Big Air</b>	
8:00 – 9:00	Race office open at Vuokatti Ski Resort “Ski School” building
9:00 – 9:35	Warm-up ROOKIE & OPEN

9:40 – 11:10	ROOKIE & OPEN
11:40	Prize-giving Ceremony at Vuokatti Snowpark
11:10 – 11:55	Warm-up KIDS & GROMS
12:00 – 15:15	KIDS & GROMS
15.45	Prize-giving Ceremony at Vuokatti Snowpark

*The organisation reserves the right to make changes.*

### Age groups

Kids (1st of January 2014 and after)

Grom (After the 1st of January 2010 to the 31st of December 2013.)

Rookie (1st of January 2007 to the 31st of December 2009.)

Open

### Prizes

4 All-inclusive tickets for the 2025 World Rookie Finals in Kaprun Kitzsteinhorn Zell am See-Kaprun (Austria), All podium riders in Groms and Rookies will be qualified for the 2025 World Rookie Finals in Kaprun (Austria), And Goodies from the sponsors.

### Qualified Riders

National team athletes can be registered directly by National Snowboard Association (registration to be submitted by the national secretary or national/regional coach)

### Registration

The Athletes can be registered for the event through <https://www.liveheats.com/fsa>

Registration can be done also by the National Federation for the whole “National Team”, by sending the application form to [simo.suopanki@fsa.fi](mailto:simo.suopanki@fsa.fi)

<b>Entry fee</b>	25€ one competition, 35€ two competition (Liveheats)
<b>Bibs Deposit</b>	ID or 30€ (cash)
<b>Judging</b>	With official judges and snowboard experts.
<b>Park Shaping</b>	Vuokatti Snowpark.
<b>Transportation</b>	Local bus service to Vuokatti available from Kajaani (Taxi from Kajaani to Vuokatti about 100€)
<b>Media Accreditation</b>	Contact by e-mail at <a href="mailto:registration@worldrookietour.com">registration@worldrookietour.com</a>
<b>TV Production &amp; Pics</b>	After the event, video highlights, footage and photos of the event will be available (contact <a href="mailto:registration@worldrookietour.com">registration@worldrookietour.com</a> ).

### VUOKATTISPORT HOTEL – ACCOMMODATION IN THE SLOPES CENTRE

#### Hotel

1 person 85€/night

2 person 115€/night

Sport-apartments 4 person

125€/night

Chalets-apartments 45m2 4 person: 150€/night

Apartments min. 2 nights

Reservations for sales service.

mon-fri 8 am-4 pm

sales@vuokattisport.fi

08-6191500

mention when booking: FINLAND ROOKIE FEST

(not via the online store)

**IMPORTANT:** if you have any special request for your accommodation just contact the sales office

Ski passes Finland Rookie Fest Vuokatti '25

	6-12 yrs	
1 day	42 €	27 €
2 days	78 €	50 €
3 days	109 €	71 €
4 days	136 €	88 €

Prices include 14% VAT. Keycard is not included in the ski pass prices. Keycard 7 €.

Ski passes for competitors' support teams are priced according to the standard price list.

<https://vuokatti.fi/en/vuokatti-slopes/slope-tickets-and-prices/>

Price list valid during the Finland Rookie Fest Vuokatti '25 event.

### Sponsor & Partner

Sponsor: Vuokatti Ski Resort, SKI ONE, Corny, Blistex, Blue Tomato, TSG International, Red Bull.

Media Partner: Boardriding.com, Prime Snowboarding, Quattro Media.

**The World Rookie Tour is organized by Black Yeti company** in collaboration with National and International Sports Associations and it is made possible by Red Bull, Blue Tomato, Vökl, Marker, TSG Protection, Surfolive.com, Elle-Erre, Nitro Snowboards and Moon. You can follow the World Rookie Tour on our international media partners Fuel.TV, Boardriding.com and Quattro Media.

### ABOUT WORLD ROOKIE TOUR

*The World Rookie Tour is organized by the Black Yeti ssrl in collaboration with World Snowboard Federation, National Snowboard, Ski and Skateboard Associations, and selected action sports agencies. It was born in 2005 as a series of youth snowboard events and it consists now of a selection of high-quality international events for snowboard, Freeski, Skateboard and Surf, the so-called "Rookie Fests", reserved for riders under 18's only, in Europe, North and South America, Oceania and Asia. The World Rookie Tour consists not only of competitions: it also features loads of other activities to help rookies to grow in the field of professional action sports, such as photo & video shootings, avalanche, and rescue clinics, meetings with photographers, and international team managers, parties and English talks. Since year zero, it awards tickets to world-class events such as X Games Norway, Audi Nines, The Arctic Challenge, The Air & Style, The World Snowboarding Championships, Red Bull Roller Coaster, Simple Session, Mystic Sk8 Cup, invitations to professional photo & video shootings, and shooting trip all around the world. Every year the tour crowns the World Rookie Champions at the end of the season, during the World Rookie Finals, a unique event format where the best youngsters from almost 30 countries compete and have fun. More information at [www.worldrookietour.com](http://www.worldrookietour.com).*

### ABOUT BLACK YETI ssd

*The Black Yeti is an amateur sports club dedicated to the realization of Snowboard, Freeski, Skateboard and Surf projects for boys and girls up to 18 years of age, at international level. One of the most successful projects is the World Rookie Tour, the biggest and the most famous tour in the action sports world that attracts 3.000 young athletes from 30 nations to the events called "Rookie Fest", organized all over the world: Italy, Europe, North and South America, Oceania and Asia. The Rookie Fests program includes not only the competition but also many side activities such as avalanche and rescue clinics, workshops, and English talks.*

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**For Snowboard, Freeski and Skateboard Calendar, please check the last [online version here](#).**

**Follow the World Rookie Tour**

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**EVENT INFO SHEET**  
**FINLAND ROOKIE FEST 2025 - VUOKATTI SNOWPARK, VUOKATTI (FIN)**

**Event** Finland Rookie Fest  
**Location** Vuokatti (Finland), Vuokatti snowpark  
**Date** 30. January -2. February 2025  
**Event Format** Snowboard Slopestyle and big air  
**Age groups** Kids (after 1st Jan 2014) / Grom (1st Jan 2010 - 31st Dec 2013)  
Rookie (1st Jan 2007 – 31st Dec 2009) / Open (before 31st Dec 2006)

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Products from event sponsors

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