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The best conditions, many new winners and a great atmosphere on the second stage of the Transalpine Run from Bludenz to Brand. For 270 RUN2 runners, their competition ends there. For the others, the queens stage of almost 50 kilometers to Klosters in Switzerland awaits tomorrow.

In perfect conditions, the remaining 884 Transalpine Runners set off on their second stage from Bludenz to Brand. The RUN2 was won by the previous frontrunners after 2 daily victories each. In the TAR team and solo competitions, on the other hand, the tension increased with many new daily winners and several changes in the lead.

RUN2: Double victories for the leaders

Ramon Schmid and Dominik Hohenleitner from Team TEMPOTANDEM X SALOMON were once again unbeatable on the second day: in 3:42 hours, they took a commanding victory ahead of Team SPORT SCHINDELE X DYNAFIT (Peter Schlögel and Chris Walther) and Team SEEBERGER-MAMMUT with Clemens Keller and Anton Philipp. It was Ramon Schmid's second victory in the TAR, after winning the team competition last year. "It was almost harder than the 7 days in 2024, as you have to push harder in two stages," said Ramon Schmid.

The fastest mixed team with two stage wins were Julia Güthling and David Frank from Team TREFFPUNKT SCHWANSEEPARKPLATZ with a lead of around 8 minutes ahead of Team TRT VORARLBERG RESA (Sandra Stroppa and Rene Stocker) and Team BAGUETTE with Claudia Ernst and Thomas Wacha.

It was the same picture in the WOMEN'S category: two stage wins and thus overall victory for Carmen Selb and Marie Theres Reich from Team LECHTALER NATURPARKLAUF ahead of DYNAFIT TRAILHERO 2 (Kulia Rath & Nadine Gleirscher) and Team NACHSPIELZEIT (Franziska Geske and Anna Meyer).







TAR TEAM: Excitement in almost all categories

After second place yesterday, the MEN team PÖLLNER SPORTS TEISENDORF with Martin Bauregger and Daniel Deppisch won the day with a lead of about 10 minutes ahead of yesterday's winners Johannes Gerloff and Daniel Greiner DYNAFIT X RENNSTEIGLAUFVEREIN.

The latter, however, retain the overall lead with about 20 minutes ahead.



And there were also new winners in the MASTER MEN category with Team RESCHENSEE (Ewald Stocker and Christoph Lutz). The two have now also taken the overall lead - about 2 minutes ahead of yesterday's winners #HATANDCAP. Excitement also in the MASTER WOMEN: the day's victory went to Team SALOMON CANADA with Rene Unser and Sarah Macleod, who moved up to 3rd place overall. New overall leaders: today's runners-up KETTERER HERZHOPFEN (Claudia Schwarz and Jola Ketterer). And in the SENIOR MASTER MEN, today's winners Wolfgang Sieder and Steffen Walk - the WANNERS BUBEN - also took the overall lead.

WOMEN: The leading Finns, Team NORDIC WOMEN Maijla Hakala and Elisa Sihlova, also took the second victory of the day, as well as in the MIXED category, where Johanna Ehrenklau and Arne Wolff from the TWOPEAKLSENDURANCE X THE NORTH FACE team were able to extend their lead. In the MASTER MIXED category, today's winners Andrea Knabe and Maik Bernhardt from #FIT IM SCHRITT took the overall lead. The same picture in the SENIOR MASTER MIXED: the new leaders are today's winners BAM BAM from the USA, Barbara and Glen Parmly.

TAR Solo: Fast men and women

- Benedikt Nussbaum remains in first place in the MEN with his second victory of the day in 3:44 h, as does Verena Hohenrainer in the WOMEN (4:27 h), who has already run 1:25 h ahead.
- In the MASTER WOMEN, the Italian Tanja Plaikner also took the overall lead with her victory on the day, as did Michaela Jilg in the SENIOR MASTER WOMEN.
- Christoph Stark also won the second stage in the MASTER MEN category, while Cornel Furrer from Switzerland took the overall lead in the SENIOR MASTER MEN category.

Tomorrow at 6:00 a.m. on September 8, the Transalpine Runners will face the queen stage: over 49.5 kilometers and an impressive 3314 meters of altitude from Brand to Klosters in Switzerland.

All information and results at https://www.transalpine-run.com





