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Race Results: Trail Alsace Grand Est by UTMB and Ultra-Trail Australia by UTMB

Trail Alsace Grand Est by UTMB®:

Sébastien Spehler (France - UTDC - 100M - first place male):

"I'd been wanting to do the 100M for a while, and doing it here was a very good idea for me because I knew roughly what to expect and I was very well supported, which was just what I needed because endurance is still my weak point. I saw that today, up until kilometre 120, my legs didn't hurt at all, but the last 40 kilometres were very difficult. It's good to have done it here, even if when you've just arrived you say to yourself: never again... The atmosphere in Alsace is monumental! It's incredible how many people follow this race, and for anyone who doesn't know the region, it's magnificent to come cross all these castles."

Jenny Josefsson (Sweden - UTDC - 100M - first place female):

"It was crazy, I can hardly believe it. It was a battle, and it was hard at the end when it started raining, and it got really cold when the pace slowed down at the end. I am super excited to have my place for the UTMB World Series Finals next year in Chamonix!"



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TOP 3					
100M	COUNTRY	RUNNER	UTMB points	DISTANCE & ELEVATION	TOP 3 GAIN DIRECT ENTRY TO UTMB®
Ultra-Trail des Chevaliers en Région Grand Est					
1	SWE	Jenny JOSEFSSON	605		
2	ITA	Francesca CANEPA	608		
3	BEL	Isabelle WAGMES	537	171 KM	
1	FRA	Sébastien SPEHLER	893	6300 M+	
2	FRA	Florian PIERRE	776		
3	FRA	Clément DESILLE	815		
100K	COUNTRY	RUNNER	UTMB points	DISTANCE & ELEVATION	TOP 3 GAIN DIRECT ENTRY TO UCC®
Ultra-Trail des Félins					
1	SWE	Anna CARLSSON	723		
2	FRA	Jennifer KAISER	658		
3	GER	Simone SCHWABZ	654	116 KM	
1	FRA	Théo DIETENNE	878	4200 M+	
2	FRA	Régis RICHAUD	787		
3	BEL	Xavier DIERART	808		
50K	COUNTRY	RUNNER	UTMB points	DISTANCE & ELEVATION	TOP 3 GAIN DIRECT ENTRY TO UCC®
Trail des Celtes					
1	FRA	Math GONCALVES	727		
2	ISR	Hagai-MACKENZIE	710		
3	FRA	Diane RASSELUX	670	50 KM	
1	KEN	Sammy CHELANGAT	-	2000 M+	
2	GER	Benedikt HOFFMANN	885		
3	KEN	Kipsang CHERDI	-		
20K	COUNTRY	RUNNER	UTMB points	DISTANCE & ELEVATION	
Trail des Pélerins					
1	FRA	Emilia TISSOT	-		
2	FRA	Nadine LE GOVIC	603		
3	BEL	Stéphanie CAPPELLE	378	34 KM	
1	POL	Dominik TABOR	867	1300 M+	
2	FRA	Dorian LOUVET	786		
3	FRA	Ludovic BOUR	-		

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Ultra-Trail Australia by UTMB®:

Michael Dimuantes (Australia - UTA100 - 100K - first place male):

"I tried to be a bit smarter than I usually am today, I tried to just relax in the first two or three hours, I think I was a bit more confident in my running going into this so that helped, and then it just went really, really well. Nutrition was great, I felt really strong most of the day, I had a bit of a low patch before Queen Vic and then was able to run really well down and almost all the way on the climb out. Once I got close to home the feeling was just amazing."

Beth McKenzie (United States - UTA100 - 100K - first place female):

"This was probably the hardest day of my life and I've done a bunch of IRONMAN races but this is a whole different level but I'm just feeling excited, there is so much love out there and it was such a great experience. The day started with a beautiful sunrise and a run along a big ridge where I even took a video because I thought this is too good not to do it. The first hour was super flowy and then after that things got pretty technical on me and that's not my strength but I just kept going. I had some really tough patches, I took a fall around 70km and then coming into Queen Vic I lost a lot of time, Lucy was closing in on me, I think she closed five or six minutes and I knew it, so then I just knew that I had to really huff it down that big descent and then just used what I had to get home."



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100K	COUNTRY	RUNNER	UTMB points	DISTANCE & ELEVATION	TOP 3 GAIN DIRECT ENTRY TO CCC®
UTA90					
1	USA	Beth MCKENZIE	726		
2	AUS	Lucy BARTHOLOMEW	712		
3	AUS	Stephanie AUSTON	721	100 KM	
1	AUS	Michael DIMUANTES	889	4350 M+	
2	GBR	Shawn PETTIT	771		
3	AUS	Josef MCGRATH	788		
50K	COUNTRY	RUNNER	UTMB points	DISTANCE & ELEVATION	TOP 3 GAIN DIRECT ENTRY TO CCC®
UTA92					
1	GBR	Kate AVERY	724		
2	AUS	Sarah-Jayne MILLER	721		
3	AUS	Nicole CAMPBELL	690	49 KM	
1	AUS	Charlie HAMILTON	838	2200 M+	
2	NZL	David HAUNSCHMIDT	837		
3	FRA	Clément DURANCE	852		
20K	COUNTRY	RUNNER	UTMB points	DISTANCE & ELEVATION	
Trail 21K					
1	AUS	Sara LEVETT	607		
2	AUS	Jason BIRMAN	709		
3	AUS	Joanne MILLS	-	22 KM	
1	IRL	Pat HENNESSY	-	1200 M+	
2	AUS	Ben DUFFUS	833		
3	AUS	Billy CURTIS	814		

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Since the creation of HOKA UTMB® Mont-Blanc in 2003 by a group of passionate friends, UTMB Group has been the driving force behind the development of trail running. The HOKA UTMB® Mont-Blanc is the sports pinnacle event, and every year, 10,000 runners earn their place on the start line. UTMB Group also pioneered the LiveTrail® technology, an innovative digital service that supports the management of endurance races. Revered by hundreds of thousands of athletes, UTMB® has become a global, premium, and leading brand. In May 2021, UTMB Group partnered with The IRONMAN Group to launch the UTMB® World Series, which brings together many of the best international events on the planet to provide exclusive access to the sport's pinnacle event, HOKA UTMB® Mont-Blanc. The UTMB® World Series is built on the founding principles of HOKA UTMB® Mont-Blanc: surpassing oneself; fairplay; respect for people and the environment; and solidarity. Find out more at <https://utmb.world>.

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