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Another festival, another success

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This year's Day of Fun at Kosciuszko Run was deemed a triumph. The alpine event, held on Saturday, February 12, coincided with the second Kosciuszko Run from Charlotte Pass Village to the summit of Mt. Kosciuszko.

Dr Ernestyna Skurjat-Kozek, the event organiser, said: "The festival in the picturesque valley at the foot of Mt Kosciuszko has gone beautifully; I hope that the concert in honour of our great Polish guests, Joanna and Andrew Gwiazda, will stay long in their memories."

Some participants were worried that the event would be cancelled because of bad weather the previous day. However, the blue skies and sunshine ensured that everything went ahead.

The performance by the Paderewski Symphony Orchestra from Chicago was particularly appreciated. "Dark clouds, torrential rain and thick fog all the way to the village forebode doom for the group, but lo and behold the fog lifts, the rain stops, glorious sunshine and warmth greets them on their arrival just in time for their performance," said Felix Molski, one of the volunteers. "It goes off stunningly well. A great day of entertainment was had by all."

The winners of the Kosciuszko Run were former Australian orienteering champions Rob Walter and Shannon Jones.

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By various photographers, including Felix Molski and *Puls Polonii*



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