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**HOLMENKOL ANNOUNCES THOMAS BURMANN TO JOIN WORLD RACING TEAM**  
*John Dyste, US Nordic Race Service, to train under Thomas Burmann.*

Holmenkol Sport Technologies, based in Ditzingen, Germany, announces the addition of Thomas Burmann to the staff of the Holmenkol World Racing Team. This move puts Holmenkol squarely at the front in Nordic racing technology and experience.

Thomas Burmann, age 37, is a highly recognized and well known Nordic serviceman. His background includes the previous seven years as the chief technician for the Swiss National Nordic Team, and eight years prior as the chief technician for the German National Nordic Team.

The Holmenkol World Racing Team is a small group of Alpine & Nordic specialists that service World Cup, led by *Rennchef* Franz Nemeth. Together, Holmenkol offers consistently top-notch dedication and service to all nations at the world's most elite competitions.

One of Thomas' first responsibilities will be to conduct an in-depth training seminar, to be held in Germany at the end of September. John Dyste, Holmenkol USA's new Nordic Race Service specialist, will be attending.

"The opportunity to train & learn from Thomas Burmann will be amazing, even for someone as knowledgeable & experienced as John" says Dave Peszek, Holmenkol USA brand manager. "I know that John will come back from Europe excited to spread the news within the Nordic Racing Community about Holmenkol product, our dedication to racing worldwide, and here in the US."

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