

# Nature Valley Freestyle Cup

Freestyle FIS World Cup

Lake Placid, New York USA January 16-22, 2006



*On behalf of the United States Ski & Snowboard Association,  
and the Olympic Regional Development Authority, the Lake Placid Organizing Committee  
cordially invites your nation, as a member of the Federation Internationale de Ski (FIS),  
to participate in the*

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part of the Freestyle FIS World Cup

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### **COMPETITION RULES**

FIS rules will be applied to this competition.

### **ENTRIES**

#### **Form #1 – Registration (FIS Entry Form)**

The final number of your competition team (including competitors and officials) and the names of participants must be sent to the organizing committee **no later than December 15, 2005.**

#### **Form #2 – Accommodations Application**

Your application for accommodations must be forwarded to the organizers *with a complete rooming list* **no later than December 15, 2005.**

Accommodations at FIS rate are for the dates of the program only.  
*Early arrivals and late departures are subject to availability and are not available at the FIS Rate.  
The hotel rates for early arrival and late departure are available upon request.*

*Please note: It is essential that birthplace, date of birth and passport # for all athletes, coaches and officials be included on the accommodations application form.*

#### **Form #3 - Transportation Request**

Requests for transportation from Albany, NY or Montreal, CAN must be submitted **no later than January 2, 2006.**

#### **Entry information should be sent to:**

#### **Olympic Regional Development Authority**

Attention: Heidi Roland  
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### Schedule

As of 10/13/05- Subject to Complete Change

#### Monday, January 16

8:00 am – 5:00pm  
12:00 pm - 4:00 pm

#### Arrival of Teams

Competitor / Press Registration  
Aerials Jump Shaping

OTC - Registration Room  
MacKenzie-Intervale Jumping Complex

#### Tuesday, January 17

8:00 am – 9:00 pm  
9:00 am - 12:00 pm  
10:00 am - 2:00 pm  
12:00 pm - 2:00 pm  
5:00 pm  
5:30 pm

Competitor / Press Registration  
Aerials Jump Shaping  
Moguls Open Training  
Aerials Open Training  
Team Captain Meeting  
Doctors Meeting

OTC – Registration Room  
MacKenzie-Intervale Jumping Complex  
Whiteface Wilderness Trail  
MacKenzie-Intervale Jumping Complex  
Olympic Training Center  
Olympic Training Center

#### Wednesday, January 18

8:00 am – 5:00 pm  
10:00 am – 3:00 pm  
10:00 am - 12:15 pm  
10:00 am - 2:00 pm  
12:45 pm – 3:00 pm  
5:00 pm  
7:00 pm – 9:00pm

Competitor / Press Registration  
Press Room Open  
Aerials Men's Training  
Moguls Open Training  
Aerials Women's Training  
Team Captain Meeting  
Athlete Ice Time (Hockey/Skating)

OTC – Registration Room  
MacKenzie-Intervale Jumping Complex  
MacKenzie-Intervale Jumping Complex  
Whiteface Wilderness Trail  
MacKenzie-Intervale Jumping Complex  
Olympic Training Center  
Olympic Center

#### Thursday, January 19

8:00 am – 5:00 pm  
10:00 am – 3:00 pm  
10:00 am - 12:15 pm  
10:00 am - 2:00 pm  
12:45 pm – 3:00 pm  
5:00 pm

Competitor / Press Registration  
Press Room Open  
Aerials Men's Training  
Moguls Open Training  
Aerials Women's Training  
Team Captain Meeting & Mogul 1 Draw

OTC – Registration Room  
MacKenzie-Intervale Jumping Complex  
MacKenzie-Intervale Jumping Complex  
Whiteface Wilderness Trail  
MacKenzie-Intervale Jumping Complex  
Olympic Training Center

#### Friday, January 20

7:00 am – 5:00 pm  
8:15 am – 8:30 am  
8:30 am – 9:15 am  
8:30 am – 5:00 pm  
9:30 am – 9:40 am  
**9:45 am - 10:45 am**  
**9:55 am - 12:25 am**  
12:00 am – 2:30 pm  
12:45 pm – 1:30 pm  
**1:30 pm – 1:45 pm**  
**1:55 pm – 3:15 pm**  
3:30 pm  
5:00 pm  
6:45 pm - 8:00 pm

#### Nature Valley - Mogul Competition

Competitor / Press Registration  
Moguls Inspection  
Moguls Official Training  
Press Room Open  
Moguls Forerunners  
**Women's Moguls Qualifications**  
**Men's Moguls Qualifications**  
VIP/Sponsor Lunch  
Moguls Finalist Official Training  
**Moguls Finalist's Showcase**  
**Moguls Finals (16/16)**  
Awards  
Team Captain Meeting & Aerial Draw  
Aerials Training (Men and Women)

OTC – Registration Room  
Whiteface Wilderness Trail  
Whiteface Wilderness Trail  
Whiteface Base Lodge  
Whiteface Wilderness Trail  
Whiteface Wilderness Trail  
Whiteface Wilderness Trail  
Mid-station Boule's Bistro  
Whiteface Wilderness Trail  
Whiteface Wilderness Trail  
Whiteface Wilderness Trail  
Whiteface Base Lodge Area  
Olympic Training Center  
MacKenzie-Intervale Jumping Complex

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### Saturday, January 21

7:00 am – 5:00 pm  
8:30 am – 9:30 pm  
8:45 am – 9:00 am  
9:00 am – 10:15am  
10:00 am – 2:00 pm  
10:30 am – 11:20am  
11:20 am – 11:35 am  
11:35 am – 1:05 pm  
1:05 pm – 2:00 pm  
4:30 pm  
6:30 pm – 7:15 pm  
6:30 pm – 8:30 pm  
7:15 pm – 7:25 pm  
**7:30 pm – 7:50 pm**  
**7:50 pm – 8:15 pm**  
8:30pm

### Nature Valley - Aerial Competition

Competitor / Press Registration  
Press Room Open  
Women's Speed Checks  
Women's Official Training  
Moguls Training  
Women's Qualifications  
Men's Speed Checks  
Men's Aerials Official Training  
Men's Qualifications  
Team Captain Meeting & Mogul 2 Draw  
Finalist Official Training (12/12)  
VIP/Sponsor Dinner  
Showcase  
**Women's Aerial Finals (12)**  
**Men's Aerial Finals (12)**  
Men's & Women's Awards

OTC – Registration Room  
MacKenzie-Intervale Jumping Complex  
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Whiteface Wilderness Trail  
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### Sunday, January 22

7:00 am – 12:00 pm  
8:15 am – 8:30 am  
8:30 am – 9:15 am  
8:30 am – 5:00 pm  
9:30 am – 9:40 am  
**9:45 am - 10:45 am**  
**9:55 am - 12:25 am**  
12:00 am – 2:30 pm  
12:45 pm – 1:30 pm  
**1:30 pm – 1:45 pm**  
**1:55 pm – 3:15 pm**  
3:30 pm

### Nature Valley - Mogul Competition

Competitor / Press Registration  
Moguls Inspection  
Moguls Official Training  
Press Room Open  
Moguls Forerunners  
**Women's Moguls Qualifications**  
**Men's Moguls Qualifications**  
VIP/Sponsor Lunch  
Moguls Finalist Official Training  
**Moguls Finalist's Showcase**  
**Moguls Finals (16/16)**  
Awards

OTC – Registration Room  
Whiteface Wilderness Trail  
Whiteface Wilderness Trail  
Whiteface Base Lodge  
Whiteface Wilderness Trail  
Whiteface Wilderness Trail  
Whiteface Wilderness Trail  
Whiteface Wilderness Trail  
Mid-station Boule's Bistro  
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Whiteface Base Lodge Area

### Monday, January 23

### Departure, Reserve Day

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### ACCOMMODATIONS

World Cup Freestyle lodging & meals have been arranged at the Olympic Training Center (OTC), Crowne Plaza (formerly Holiday Inn), Wildwood and the Swiss Acres Inn at the FIS determined rate. The organizers are not responsible for teams staying at any other facility.

Rooms are assigned based on availability and will be available for check-in on Monday, January 16 at 16:00. Departure is on Monday, January 23 by 10:00. Accommodations at FIS rate are for the dates of the program only. *Early arrivals and late departures are subject to availability and will be charged at the hotel rate and are not available at the FIS Rate. The rates are available upon request.*

#### Olympic Training Center (OTC) Guidelines:

The Olympic Training Center is designed for world caliber athletes. The facility includes athlete fitness training, specially designed menus for athletes and it will also be the site for the competition office and all team captain meetings. ***If your team chooses to stay at the OTC, rooms for athletes will be assigned as double (2) or triple (3) occupancy and there are no single rooms.*** Please note that smoking and alcohol consumption are **not** permitted at the OTC. The OTC requires birth date, birth place and passport information for all athletes, coaches and team support as background security checks are required.

Please complete the attached Accommodation Application Form #2 and return to the organizers **no later than December 15, 2005.** Upon confirmation of your housing application, additional forms will be forwarded to you for completion as required by the organizers.

### TRANSPORTATION

#### Rental Vehicles

For teams arriving at Pierre Trudeau (formally Dorval) International Airport in Montreal, Canada or Albany International Airport in Albany, NY rental vehicles are available through many national car rental agencies. Arrangements can be made by calling the agency directly at the following North American telephone numbers:

Thrifty	1-800-367-2277	or	www.thrifty.com
Hertz	1-800-654-3131	or	www.hertz.com
Avis	1-800-331-1212	or	www.avis.com
Dollar	1-800-800-4000	or	www.dollar.com
National	1-800-227-7368	or	www.nationalcar.com

#### Cargo Vans

Budget	1-800-527-0700	or	www.budget.com
Ryder	1-800-467-9337	or	www.ryder.com

Automobile rental is available locally:

Avis	(518) 523-3506	or	1-800-331-1212
Hertz	(518) 523-3158	or	1-800-654-3131

#### TRANSPORTATION – From Airports

The organizers will provide round-trip transportation from Albany, NY or Montreal, CAN and training/competition

transportation at the cost of \$150 (US) per person.

Reservations for transportation are required by January 2, 2006.

### VISA/FOREIGN ATHLETES ENTERING USA

Each person with foreign nation teams traveling into the United States must have an American Visa. At the border crossing you will be required to pay a fee of \$6.00 (U.S. Dollars) and fill out an I-94 registration card. This is very important in facilitating arrival in the United States. Please note a new visa is required **each time** you enter the United States.

**CURRENCY EXCHANGE** - Teams should exchange foreign currency to US Dollars prior to arriving in the United States - we recommend doing so at an airport.

**LIABILITY/INSURANCE** - The organizer cannot be held liable for any damage or accident. All participants have to be sufficiently insured against accidents and illness by themselves or their National Federation.

### REGISTRATION/CHECK-IN/ACCREDITATION

Registration and Accreditation will be held in the Event Registration Room at the Olympic Training Center. Please see schedule for registration times. All Team Leaders must report to the Registration Area for check-in before proceeding to the Whiteface (moguls venue) or the MacKenzie-Intervale Jumping Complex (aerial venue). All fees will be collected upon check-in.

**COMPETITION OFFICE** - The competition offices will be located at the Olympic Training Center. Mailboxes will be provided for each team and official for daily updates and results.

**TEAM CAPTAINS MEETINGS** - All Team Captains meetings will be in the Olympic Training Center AuSable Room, Old Military Road, Lake Placid. Please see schedule for meeting times.

**DOPING CONTROL** - Doping control testing may be conducted in accordance with the rules and regulations set forth by FIS.

**FIS LICENSE** - All athletes are required to have a valid FIS license in order to compete.

**CEREMONIES** - Awards Ceremonies will take place at the conclusion of each competition. A World Cup Celebration is scheduled for Saturday, January 17 following the Aerial Competition.

**PRESS CENTER** - The main press center is at the Whiteface Base Lodge. An ancillary center is at the Ski Jumping Complex on competition day.