



December 18 - 19, 2010
Apex Mountain Resort
FIS Freestyle NorAm Aerial
Events



WELCOME



November 11, 2010

Dear Athletes, Coaches, Officials and Parents –

Welcome to the 2011 FIS FREESTYLE NORAM CUP. The NorAm Cup is the stepping stone and training ground to the big show, the WORLD CUP. Acting as both an access point and holding area to the best developing skiers in the America's and the World, the FIS Freestyle NorAm Cup has events in all FIS Freestyle disciplines – Ski Cross, Moguls, Dual Moguls, Ski Halfpipe, Aerials and Ski Slopestyle (2012).

My goal is to assure that your experience at this level of freestyle skiing is safe, fair and fun. I work closely with USSA, CFSA, the representing officials and the Local Organizers to assure we are as well prepared to operate a competition as you are to compete. I look forward to your success throughout the 2011 NorAm Cup. If I can be a help throughout the season please do not hesitate to contact me at konrad@urtur.com – GOOD LUCK!

Best Regards,

Konrad X. Rotermond, Volunteer Coordinator

FIS FREESTYLE NORAM CUP 





November 11, 2010

Welcome!

On behalf of the Apex Freestyle Ski Club and the Organizing Committee for the CANADA POST NORAM FREESTYLE FRENZY, it is our pleasure to invite you to attend the FIS Freestyle NorAm Cup Aerial events at Apex Mountain Resort in Penticton, British Columbia, Canada on the 18th and 19th of December, 2010.

Following are the event details and registration information.

We look forward to your attendance and wish you the best of luck!

Best Regards,

Todd Finlayson

Event Chair

Apex Freestyle Ski Club President





Apex Freestyle Ski Club is pleased to invite all freestyle nations and their athletes to attend the Canada Post NorAm Freestyle Frenzy as part of the 2010-2011 FIS Freestyle NorAm Cup. The Organizing Committee will host the event in accordance with the International Freestyle Ski Competition Rules (I.C.R.) of the FIS, the FIS Continental Cup Rules and operated in accordance with the NorAm Standard Operating Procedures.

Organizing Committee:

Event Chair – Todd Finlayson, tjspeedshop@shaw.ca, 1-250-490-6207
Race Secretary - Michelle Little, michelledlittle@gmail.com, 1-360-417-1301
Chief of Competition – Glenn Spence, gwspence@shaw.ca, 1-250-490-5371
Chief of Course - Mike Pond

Entry and Registration Information:

- Teams must register online before Dec 5th at www.apexfreestyle.com
- Athletes must have current FIS registration and provide verification
- Changes can be made at any time by sending an email to the event registrar: michelledlittle@gmail.com
- Registration fees payable online with paypal or cc (3.5% fee) or at competition office with cash (CAN or US) or cheque (payable to Apex Freestyle Club).
- \$150 for first event
- \$95 additional for second event (day two)
- Fees include NorAm tour fee (\$7.50 per event)





Lift Tickets:

Apex Mountain Resort offers reduced ticket prices to athletes.

- Athletes must purchase tickets from the resort ticket booth
- Athletes must show/wear bib when purchasing tickets
- MC/Visa accepted for lift ticket purchase
- Ticket office opens daily at 8 a.m.
- Ticket price \$46 (age 19 and up), \$36 (age 13-18) + taxes

Complimentary lift tickets for coaching staff, judges and officials are available at the competition office each day.

Basic Event Program:

Aerialists will compete in two NorAm events at the Apex Airsite located within walking distance of the Apex village. Athletes will access the venue from the t-bar. Spectators and media are encouraged to watch these young athletes on their way to become olympians. Medal ceremonies will take place at the end of each competition.

Travel and Transportation:

Apex Mountain Resort is located in the Okanagan Region of British Columbia, just 30 minutes from the city of Penticton.

Air Canada provides service to the Penticton airport. Major air service is also available to Kelowna, BC (1.5 hours) and Spokane, WA (5 hours). If traveling by car from the US, please confirm border crossing locations and hours (not all have 24 hr access) and passport requirements.

Ambrosia Tours provides shuttle services between downtown Penticton and Kelowna International Airport - contact bookaseat@ambrosiatours.ca or call 1-250-492-1095.

For maps and directions to the resort, please visit www.apexresort.com/gettinghere/directions/php.





Accommodations:

Apex Mountain Resort offers a variety of quality accommodation with something to fit every budget. All accommodation is within snowballs throw of the village and runs. Check out the bed and breakfast, hotels, or many private accommodations. There are two restaurants at the ski hill and a small market and liquor store. The mountain also houses one of the best ski shops in BC.

Apex Accommodations: www.stayatapex.com, 1-866-273-9737
Apex Mountain Inn: www.apexmountaininn.com, 1-800-387-2739
Saddleback Lodge: www.saddlebacklodge.com, 1-800-863-1466
Whitetail Chalet: www.whitetailchalet.bcreorts.com, 1-250-460-0975

Team Captains Meeting:

All coaches must attend the 1st Team Captains meeting on Friday, December 17th, at the Airsite judges building. This meeting will take place at approximately 2:30pm or 15 minutes after training. Please confirm meeting time with Chief of Competition or Race Secretary.

Statement of Medical Plan:

Event Medical Plan is available at the Race Office all teams must acknowledge receipt of the Medical Plan.

Bibs:

Bib deposit fees (\$30) must be paid separately with cash or cheque. Athletes must return bib after their last event to get deposit back.





Statement of Liability:

All athletes, officials and other members of their National Association who attend and participate in the event shall do so at their own risk. Apex Freestyle Club (organizing committee), Apex Mountain Resort, the Canadian Freestyle Ski Association, sponsors and suppliers, their agents, employees and volunteers shall not be held responsible for any losses or injuries incurred or suffered by any athlete, official or other person in conjunction with the organization or staging of the event. All participants are urged not to be negligent in safeguarding their personal belongings at all times. The aforementioned parties will take no responsibility for missing belongings.

Accident Insurance:

Every competitor must have his/her own medical insurance in accordance with FIS ICR Rule 204.2. The Organizing Committee, Sponsors, Suppliers, Apex Mountain Resort, the Canadian Freestyle Ski Association and the FIS decline any responsibility for accidents, damaged equipment and second and third party claims during the event.

Accident Protocol:

In the case of accidents on courses during the event, medical personnel from the Organizing Committee and Ski Patrol personnel will be responsible for any medical decision or evacuation to the local hospital in co-operation with the National Associations' medical personnel identified on the entry form.

REFUND POLICY (per FIS rules 2010/2011):

If a competition is cancelled, \$45.00 CAN shall be refunded to each athlete registered for that event. An athlete shall receive a maximum refund of \$45.00 CAN per competition, even if she or he is registered in more than one event that is cancelled. If an event is rescheduled at another venue a \$45.00 CAN event entry fee will be charged to the participating athletes.

Athlete Injury Refund Policy: A registered athlete who withdraws from an event, before the generation of the official start list, will receive a refund of 50% of their entry fee. Athletes that appear on the official start list for an event will not be given a refund. No refunds will be given without a written request. All refund requests should be submitted in writing to the organizing committee no later than 7 days after the completion of the last event day.





NOR-AM FREESTYLE FRENZY



CANADA POST NORAM FREESTYLE FRENZY EVENT SCHEDULE

Note: Schedule changes will be posted at www.apexfreestyle.com

DATE	ACTIVITY	Location
Friday December 17		
8 a.m. - 3 p.m.	Competition Office Open*	Brown Bag Lunch Room*
8 a.m. - 4 p.m.	Resort Ticket Office Open	Lift Ticket Office
8 a.m. - 10 a.m.	Registration	Brown Bag Lunch Room
10 a.m. - 2 p.m.	Official Training	Air Site
Saturday December 18		
8 a.m. - 3 p.m.	Competition Office Open*	Brown Bag Lunch Room*
8 a.m. - 4 p.m.	Resort Ticket Office Open	Lift Ticket Office
9:30 a.m. - 9:45 a.m.	Course Inspection (Combined)	Air Site
10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.	Official Training (Combined)	Air Site
11:15 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.	Qualification Round	Air Site
12:30 p.m. - 1 p.m.	Finals Training	Air Site
1:15 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.	Finals (Ladies & Men)	Air Site
4 p.m.	Team Leaders Meeting	Judge's Stand
5 p.m.	Aerial Awards	Gunbarrel Podium
Sunday December 19		
8 a.m. - 3 p.m.	Competition Office Open*	Brown Bag Lunch Room*
8 a.m. - 4 p.m.	Resort Ticket Office Open	Lift Ticket Office
9:30 a.m. - 9:45 a.m.	Course Inspection (Combined)	Air Site
10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.	Official Training (Combined)	Air Site
11:15 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.	Qualification Round	Air Site
12:30 p.m. - 1 p.m.	Finals Training	Air Site
1:15 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.	Finals (Ladies & Men)	Air Site
4 p.m.	Team Leaders Meeting	Judge's Stand
5 p.m.	Aerial Awards	Gunbarrel Podium



SPONSOR Logos and Levels



**NOR-AM
FREESTYLE FRENZY**

