



2016 Halfpipe & Slopestyle FIS Nor-Am at WinSport

Halfpipe & Slopestyle NORAM
WinSport's Canada Olympic Park
Calgary, AB
February 25 – 28, 2016

Invitation

WinSport Academy and the Canadian Freestyle Ski Association are pleased to invite all *experienced competitive* to attend the **Halfpipe & Slopestyle NORAM February 25-28, 2016**. This FIS Nor-Am is also an AFP Gold level sanctioned event in slopestyle and halfpipe skiing.

Rules

1. The event is sanctioned by the Canadian Ski Association and FIS, and organized by WinSport Academy and in partnership with the Canadian Freestyle Ski Association.
2. The competition is comprised of two events.(Halfpipe and Slopestyle)
3. All athletes participating in the FIS Nor-Am must have valid FIS licence issued under the authority of their national ski association and conform to the rules of FIS ICR Section 203 and 204.
4. Proof of Qualification is required for all inverted maneuvers for Canadian competitors.
5. The competition will proceed as follows and in accordance with the Official Program.

TUES	Feb 23, 2016	Open Training
WED	Feb 24, 2016	Official Training – Halfpipe Open Training - Slopestyle
THURS	Feb 25, 2016	Halfpipe Qualifiers Open Training - Slopestyle
FRI	Feb 26, 2016	Halfpipe Finals (night) Official Training - Slopestyle
SAT	Feb 27, 2016	Slopestyle Qualifiers
SUN	Feb 28, 2016	Slopestyle Finals

Please refer to the attached detailed schedule. The Organizing Committee reserves the right to change the schedule.

General Information

Date and Location – the competition will take place at follows:

Competitions will be on February 26th, 27, and 28th, 2016 at WinSport's Canada Olympic Park in the 22" Halfpipe and the East Terrain Park. Open training will start February 23rd, 2016 and closed event training will start February 24th, 2016.

Canada Olympic Park
88 Canada Olympic Road, S.W.
Calgary, AB T3B 5R5
<http://www.winsport.ca>



Click here for Map and Directions to WinSport's Canada Olympic Park
<http://www.winsport.ca/aboutwinsportcanada/aboutcop/explorethepark.cfm>

Organizing Committee

CHAIR:	Dan Jefferies
CHIEF of ADMIN:	Pat McLeod
VENUE & EVENT MANAGER:	Ian Newcombe
CHIEF OF COMPETITION:	Dan Jefferies
TD:	Andy Hayes
HEAD JUDGE:	Rob Dunlop

Organizing Committee Contact – all registration questions or communication should be sent to:

Pat McLeod
Chief of Admin
WinSport, Academy
Email: Pat.Mcleod@winsport.com
Phone: 403-247-5446

Quota- Field Size

The quotas for the Nor-Am are as follows:

	MO/DM		AE		SX		HP/SS/BA	
	W	M	W	M	W	M	W	M
Canada	20	20	14	14	15	15	15	15
U.S.A.	20	20	14	14	15	15	15	15
Host Nation	5	5	3	3	Up to remain ing total field size	Up to remain ing total field size	Up to remain ing total field size	Up to remain ing total field size
Foreign Nations	40		40		20		20	
Totals	130		102		No maximum field size		No maximum field size	

Registration

Entries must be received no later than February 12, 2016 **at 12PM MST**

Athletes are welcome to register for multiple events. Entry Fees (per participant) are as follows:

1 st Event	\$180 (incl. GST)
2 nd Event	\$120 (incl. GST)

Participants must register as a **Nation** on **ONE** registration form. Please see link below for registration form:

http://www.fis-ski.com/mm/Document/documentlibrary/FreestyleSkiing/04/36/60/Entryformrooming_English.pdf

Registration must be submitted by the National Ski Association to Pat McLeod at pat.mcleod@winsport.com

Lift Tickets

Lift tickets will be available for purchase each day of training and competition at Guest Services with presentation of competitor bib, cost is \$25/day +GST. Each competition is responsible for the purchase of his or her own lift ticket for each day of the event.

Competition office – The race office will be located on the main floor of the east wing of the Frank King daylodge all week. All participants must check in and register on-site at the registration desk to confirm participation in the event and to pick up competition bibs.

Bib Deposit

There will be a **\$20 CASH ONLY** bib deposit. If a bib is lost or forgotten, there will be a \$20 replacement fee. An athlete's bib number must match event registration for judging and scoring. If you need to replace your bib, please ensure the on-site registration staff updates your entry information. Bibs must be worn properly for all on-site training and for the competitions.

Refunds

Once an athlete is participates is confirmed on the start list, refunds will not be issued. In the case of an injury, the coach or parent must notify the registration desk, or email pat.mcleod@winsport.com to inform that the athlete is injured and unable to ski **BEFORE** competition day. Athletes are entitled to partial refunds, \$30 per event. A doctor's note must be presented at time of refund.

If an event is cancelled due to weather or exceptional circumstances, no refund will be issued. The organizing committee has already incurred all the costs of the event.

Aerial Qualifications

All Canadian athletes must have up-to-date aerial qualifications for jumps they are performing in all disciplines. Verification of qualification will be accepted from any of the following sources:

1. Signed Aerial Passports held by coach/athlete
2. Completed and signed qualification forms
3. CFSA qualification databank

Statement of Liability Accident Insurance

All athletes, officials and other members of the regions who attend and participate in the event shall do so at their own risk. Every competitor is required to have his/her own medical and lift insurance that is adequate and covers and manoeuvres being performance in training and competition, as well as a valid CFSA membership. The Organizing Committee, CFSA, WinSport Academy and WinSport's Canada Olympic Park shall not be responsible for accidents, damaged or lost equipment and belongings and/or second or third party claims during the staging of the event. All participants are to protect and safeguard their personal belongings at all times.

Accident Insurance

Every Competitor must have his/own medical insurance in accordance with the FIS ICR rule 204.2 The Organizing Committee, sponsors, suppliers, WinSport's Canada Olympic Park, Canadian Freestyle Ski Association, Canada Snowsports Association, sponsors, suppliers, their agents, employees and volunteers and FIS decline any responsibility for accidents , damaged equipment and second and third party claims during the staging of the event.

Accommodations

The Four Points by Sheraton Calgary West 8220 Bowridge Drive NW Calgary AB
403 288 4441 Group name Canada Freestyle Ski Association

Standard Double Queen (2 Queen beds) \$129 Room rates are subject to a 5% goods and services tax, 4% room tax and a 3% destination fee. All rooms are equipped with Microwave, fridge, coffeemaker, complimentary wireless internet, voicemail, hairdryer and bathroom amenities.

www.fourpointscalgarywest.com

Other hotels in the area

Sandman Hotel and Suites Calgary West, 125 Bowridge Drive NW Calgary AB
403-288-6033 www.sandmanhotels.com

Centro Motel 4540 16 Avenue NW Calgary AB
403-288-6658 www.centromotel.com

Days Inn Calgary Northwest 4420 16th Avenue NW Calgary AB
403 288 7115 www.daysinn.ca

Slopestyle and Halfpipe Heat Format

Qualifications will be scheduled in heats with the best of two runs counting. The number of heats is dependent on the number of athletes registered for the competition. Top 12 scores will advance to finals. Draw for the Halfpipe heats will be set on Friday at the Team Captains Meeting and heats for Slopestyle will be set on Saturday at the Team Captains Meeting. Ties in qualifications, will be decided by the highest other run score. From qualifications, no more than 12 ladies and 12 men will advance to ski the 2 run final.

Schedule

The Organizing Committee reserves the right to change the schedule of events from those stated in the program.

*Note: Schedule is subject to change and will be posted at the race office each day or emailed out.

HP

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Calgary (CAN)**

SS

Tuesday February 23rd, 2016				HP Official Training/SS OPEN training		
	Start	Finish	Duration	Event	Location	
HP	18:00	- 18:10	0:10	Course Inspection	22ft Halfpipe	
	18:10	- 20:10	2:00	Halfpipe Official Training		

Wednesday February 24th, 2016				HP Official Training/SS OPEN training		
	Start	Finish	Duration	Event	Location	
HP	18:00	- 18:10	0:10	Course Inspection	22ft Halfpipe	
	18:10	- 20:10	2:00	Halfpipe Official Training		
SS	9:00	- 21:00	12:00	OPEN TERRAIN PARK	EAST LINE SS COURSE	
TCM	20:30	- 21:15	0:45	Team Captains Meeting - HP start lists	Theatre	

Thursday February 25th, 2016				HP Qualifications 1/SS OPEN Training		
	Start	Finish	Duration	Event	Location	
HP Qual	10:00	- 10:15	0:15	Course inspection	22ft Halfpipe	
	10:15	- 11:00	0:45	Men's Ski Halfpipe Qualification Training HEAT 1		
	11:00	- 11:05	0:05	Course Preparation		
	11:05	- 11:35	0:30	Men's Ski Halfpipe Qualifications - Run 1 HEAT 1		
	11:35	- 11:45	0:10	Course Preparation		
	11:45	- 12:15	0:30	Men's Ski Halfpipe Qualifications - Run 2 HEAT 1		
	12:15	- 12:25	0:10	Course Preparation		
	12:25	- 13:10	0:45	Men's Ski Halfpipe Qualification Training HEAT 2		
	13:10	- 13:15	0:05	Course Preparation		
	13:10	- 13:40	0:30	Men's Ski Halfpipe Qualifications - Run 1 HEAT 2		
	13:40	- 13:50	0:10	Course Preparation		
	13:50	- 14:20	0:30	Men's Ski Halfpipe Qualifications - Run 2 HEAT 2		
	14:20	- 14:30	0:10	Course Preparation		
	14:30	- 15:15	0:45	Women's Ski Halfpipe Qualification Training HEAT 3		
	15:15	- 15:25	0:10	Course Preparation		
15:25	- 15:45	0:20	Women's Ski Halfpipe Qualifications - Run 1 HEAT 3			
15:45	- 15:55	0:10	Course Preparation			
15:55	- 16:15	0:20	Women's Ski Halfpipe Qualifications - Run 2 HEAT 3			
SS	9:00	- 21:00	2:30	Slopestyle Ski Open Training - Open Terrain park.	EAST LINE SS COURSE	
TCM	16:30	- 17:00	0:30	Team Captains Meeting - Finals Start Lists for HP	Theatre	

Friday February 26th, 2016				HP - Finals		
	Start	Finish	Duration	Event	Location	
HP Finals	17:00	- 17:45	0:45	Men's & Women's Finals Training	22ft Halfpipe	
	17:45	- 18:05	0:20	Ladies Ski Halfpipe Finals - Run 1 (6)		
	18:05	- 18:10	0:05	Course Preparation		
	18:10	- 18:40	0:30	Men's Ski Halfpipe Finals - Run 1 (12)		
	18:40	- 18:50	0:10	Course Preparation		
	18:50	- 19:10	0:20	Ladies Ski Halfpipe Finals - Run 2 (6)		
	19:10	- 19:15	0:05	Course Preparation		
	19:15	- 19:45	0:30	Men's Ski Halfpipe Finals - Run 2 (12)		
	19:45	- 19:50	0:05	Course Preparation		
	19:50	- 20:10	0:20	Ladies Ski Halfpipe Finals - Run 3 (6)		
20:10	- 20:20	0:10	Course Preparation			
	20:10	- 20:30	0:20	Men's Ski Halfpipe Finals - Run 3 (12)		
AWARDS	21:00	22:00	1:00	Halfpipe AWARDS	Under Armour Locker East Terrain Park	
SS	10:00	12:00	2:00	Official Slopestyle Ski Training	EAST LINE SS COURSE	
	12:00	12:10	0:10	Course Preparation		
	12:10	14:10	2:00	Official Slopestyle Ski Training		
TCM	22:15	22:45	0:30	Team Captains Meeting - Start lists for SS	Theatre	

Saturday February 27th, 2016				SS - Qualifications	
	Start	Finish	Duration	Event	Location
	9:00	- 9:30	0:30	Men's Ski SS Qualification Training HEAT 1	
	9:30	- 9:40	0:10	Course Preparation	
	9:40	- 10:15	0:35	Men's Ski SS Qualifications - Run 1 HEAT 1	
	10:15	- 10:25	0:10	Course Preparation	
	10:25	- 11:00	0:35	Men's Ski SS Qualifications - Run 2 HEAT 1	
	11:00	- 11:20	0:20	Course Preparation	
	12:10	- 12:40	0:30	Men's Ski SS Qualification Training HEAT 2	
	12:40	- 12:50	0:10	Course Preparation	
	12:50	- 13:25	0:35	Men's Ski SS Qualifications - Run 1 HEAT 2	
	13:25	- 13:35	0:10	Course Preparation	
	13:35	- 14:10	0:35	Men's Ski SS Qualifications - Run 2 HEAT 2	
	14:10	- 14:30	0:20	Course Preparation	
	14:30	- 15:00	0:30	Men's Ski SS Qualification Training HEAT 3	
	15:00	- 15:10	0:10	Course Preparation	
	15:10	- 15:45	0:35	Men's Ski SS Qualifications - Run 1 HEAT 3	
	15:45	- 15:55	0:10	Course Preparation	
	15:55	- 16:30	0:35	Men's Ski SS Qualifications - Run 2 HEAT 3	
TCM	17:00	17:30	0:30	Team Captains Meeting - Finals Start Lists for SS	Theatre

Sunday February 28th, 2016				SS - Finals	
	Start	Finish	Duration	Event	Location
	9:00	- 9:30	0:30	Men's & Women's SKI SS Semi-Final Training	East LINE SS COURSE
	9:30	- 9:35	0:05	Course Preparation	
	9:35	- 9:45	0:10	Women's Semi-Final - Run 1 (7)	
	9:45	- 9:55	0:10	Women's Semi-Final - Run 2 (7)	
	9:55	- 10:05	0:10	Course Preparation	
	10:05	- 10:15	0:10	Men's SKI SS Semi-Final Hot Lap	
	10:15	- 10:20	0:05	Course Preparation	
	10:20	- 10:55	0:35	Men's Semi-Final - Run 1 (24)	
	10:55	- 11:00	0:05	Course Preparation	
	11:00	- 11:35	0:35	Men's Semi-Final - Run 2 (24)	
	11:35	- 11:55	0:20	Course Preparation	
	11:55	- 12:15	0:20	Men's & Women's Ski SS Finals Training	
	12:15	- 12:20	0:05	Course Preparation	
	12:20	- 12:30	0:10	Women's Ski SS Finals - Run 1 (7)	
	12:30	- 13:00	0:30	Men's Ski SS Finals - Run 1 (12)	
	13:00	- 13:05	0:05	Course Preparation	
	13:05	- 13:15	0:10	Women's Ski SS Finals - Run 2 (7)	
	13:15	- 13:45	0:30	Men's Ski SS Finals - Run 2 (12)	
AWARDS	14:15	14:45	0:30	Slopestyle AWARDS	Under Armour Locker East Terrain Park