



FIS NORTH AMERICAN SLOPESTYLE CUP (AFP SILVER EVENT/FIS NOR-AM CUP)

**MOUNT. ST LOUIS MOONSTONE
COLDWATER, ON, CANADA
FEBRUARY 28 – MARCH 4, 2017**

INVITATION OVERVIEW

Freestyle Ontario and the Freestyle Canada are extremely excited to announce the launch of the Canadian Open Slopestyle Championships at Mount. St. Louis Moonstone March 3 & 4, 2017. All experienced competitive skiers are invited to register for the premier Nor-Am Slopestyle event at Mount St. Louis Moonstone, and ski Ontario's best AFP Gold level slopestyle course on the east coast.

This is an AFP Silver event and a stop on the FIS NorAm tour. Canadian athletes below Canadian National Team will have results from both events count towards their Freestyle Canada HPP Ranking, Canada Cup Ranking and Freestyle Ontario RPA ranking. International and Canadian athletes' results from both events will count towards FIS Nor-Am Cup points/ranking and AFP ranking.

Please register by going to: <http://www.ontariofreestyle.com/nor-am/>

For all inquiries please contact:

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Chairperson: Jeffrey Ord - jefford@ontariofreestyle.com
 Chief of Registration & Administration: Jared Linden -jared@ontariofreestyle.com
 Event Manager: Jane Curtis – jane@ontariofreestyle.com
 Technical Delegate: Andrew Boorman
 Head Judge: Colin Sutherland

This invitation includes important information for the event including:

- Date, Location and Schedule
- Rules & Regulations
- Licences, Insurance & event policies
- Entries, Registration & Refunds
- Lift Tickets & Accommodations

RULES & REGULATIONS

1. The event is sanctioned by Freestyle Canada and organized by Freestyle Ontario in partnership with Freestyle Canada.
2. The organizing committee will host the event in accordance with the International Freestyle Ski Competition Rules (I.C.R) of the F.I.S. Continental Cup Rules and operated in accordance with the Nor-AM Standard Operating Procedures.
3. All athletes must have a FIS license.
4. All athletes must have a valid membership with their National Sport Organization.
5. Every competitor must have his/her own medical insurance in accordance with FIS ICR Rule 204.2. The organizing committee, sponsors and suppliers, Freestyle Ontario, Mount. St. Louis Moonstone, Canadian Snowsports Association, the Association of Freeskiing Professionals and the FIS decline any responsibility for accidents, damaged equipment and second and third party claims during the event.
6. The Competition will proceed as follows and in accordance with the Official Program.

SCHEDULE OVERVIEW

Date	Activity
Tuesday Feb 28 th	Official Training
Wednesday March 1 st	Official Training
Thursday March 2 nd	Official Training
Friday March 3 rd	Qualifiers
Saturday March 4 th	Semi-Finals, Finals

Please refer to the attached detailed schedule.

The organizing committee reserves the right to change the schedule



LOCATION & DIRECTIONS

Mount St. Louis Moonstone –
Moonstone Base
24 Mount Saint Louis Road West
Coldwater, ON L0K 1E0
<https://mountstlouis.com>

[Click here for Map and Directions to Mount St. Louis Moonstone](#)

The competition office will be located in the Moonstone Base Lodge (1st entrance once you arrive on Mount St. Louis rd. Please check in each day of the event at the competition office to sign in, pick up your bib, purchase lift tickets and receive updates on event schedule.

REGISTRATION DETAILS

Deadline:

Entries must be received no later than:
February 21st, 2017 at 11:59 pm Eastern Time (EST).

Entry Fee:

Slopestyle \$ 200 (Incl. HST)

Method of Payment: - Please register by February 21st

REGISTER HERE:

<http://www.ontariofreestyle.com/nor-am/>

Licences - Canadian Athletes are required to have a minimum Can Free 3 CFSA Licence along with a FIS Licence. For CFSA Licence Information & registration: [Click HERE](#)

Lift Tickets - Athletes will be eligible for discounted lift tickets at MSLM's Guest services desk in the Moonstone lodge with presentation of competitor bib. Cost will be \$41/day + HST. Each competitor is responsible for the purchase of their own lift tickets. Coaches will receive complimentary lift tickets.

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 participates in official training, refunds will not be issued. In the case of an injury, the coach or parent must notify the registration desk, or email jared@ontariofreestyle.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 should be presented at time of refund.



INVERTED AIR QUALIFICATIONS

Canadian athletes must have up-to-date aerial qualifications for jumps they are performing in all disciplines (National Team Athletes are exempt from this policy). 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. If a Canadian athlete wishes to compete but has not had access to the qualifying system, CFSA may be able to arrange for a risk management evaluation. Contact meredithgardner@freestyleski.com prior to February 10, 2017.

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 maneuvers being performed in training and competition, as well as a valid CFSA membership. The Organizing Committee, CFSA, Freestyle Skiing Ontario and Mount St. Louis Moonstone 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.

In 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.

Statement of Medical Plan – Copies of the Event Medical Plan are available at the Race Office or upon request.

TEAM CAPTAINS MEETING

All coaches must attend the first Team Captains meeting on Tuesday Feb 28th, 2017 at the aforementioned location which will be confirmed upon registration.



ACCOMMODATIONS

Accommodations will be available for all MSLM Nor-Am athletes at Horseshoe Resort, just 15 minutes from the competition location.

Preferred rates are given to individuals with this event. Please call 1-800-461-5627 and let them know and Freestyle Ontario's Mount St Louis Nor-Am – the **discount code** for accommodations is “**Freestyle Ontario**”.

COMPETITION FORMAT – SLOPESTYLE

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. Heats for Slopestyle will be set on Thursday at the Team Captains Meeting. Ties in qualifications, will be decided by the highest other run score. Finals Quotas

FIS MEN

- -45 skiers = 10 in finals Best of 3
- 46 -60 skiers = 12 in finals best of 3
- +60 skiers = 16 in finals best of 2

FIS FEMALE

- -30 skiers = 6 in finals best of 3
- o OR 6 but best of 2 if men finals have 16.
- 31+ skiers = 8 in finals best of 2
- o OR best of 3 if men have 10 in finals

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WE ARE ALWAYS LOOKING FOR VOLUNTEERS!

If you are interested in volunteering on one of the event days, please email Jane Curtis (jane@ontariofreestyle.com). Please see our website for details on all volunteer positions. www.ontariofreestyle.com/volunteers

FULL EVENT SCHEDULE:

FIS Nor-Am Cup Slopestyle - MSLM
February 28 to March 5, 2017

*Note: Schedule is subject to change. Any changes will be posted at the Competition Office each day or put on the website. Schedule is subject to athlete registration numbers.



TRAINING DAY: Tuesday, Feb 28th	Activity	Location
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9:45am - 3pm	Registration Office Open	Moonstone Lodge
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9:45am - 3pm	Lift Tickets for sale at Guest Relations	Moonstone Lodge
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10am - 3:00pm	Official Training	NorAm Slopestyle Course
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4:00pm	Team Leaders Meeting	Moonstone Lodge
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TRAINING DAY: Wednesday, March 1 st	Activity	Location
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9:45am - 3pm	Registration Office Open	Moonstone Lodge
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9:45am - 3pm	Lift Tickets for sale at Guest Relations	Moonstone Lodge
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10am - 3:00pm	Official Training	NorAm Slopestyle Course
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4:00pm	Team Leaders Meeting	Moonstone Lodge
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TRAINING DAY: Thursday, March 2 nd	Activity	Location
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9:45am - 3pm	Registration Office Open	Moonstone Lodge
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9:45am - 3pm	Lift Tickets for sale at Guest Relations	Moonstone Lodge
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10am - 3:00pm	Official Training	NorAm Slopestyle Course
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4:00pm	Team Leaders Meeting	Moonstone Lodge
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QUALIFIERS: Friday March 3 rd , 2017		
	Activity	Location
8:45 am - Noon	Competition office Open	Moonstone Lodge
9:10 -10:10am	Official Training	NorAm Slopestyle Course
10:20 am – 11:00am	Heat 1 (2 runs)	NorAm Slopestyle Course
11:00 am – 11:10am	Athlete Legwarmer	NorAm Slopestyle Course
11:10am – 11:20am	Maintenance	NorAm Slopestyle Course
11:20am – 12:20pm	Heat 2 (2 runs)	NorAm Slopestyle Course
12:20pm – 1:10pm	Training – Lunch	NorAm Slopestyle Course
1:10pm -1:20pm	Maintenance	NorAm Slopestyle Course
1:20pm – 2:25pm	Heat 3 (2 Runs)	NorAm Slopestyle Course
4:00pm	Team Leaders Meeting	Moonstone Lodge

SEMI's & FINALS: Saturday March 4 th , 2017		
	Activity	Location
8:45 am - Noon	Competition office Open	Moonstone Lodge
9:10 -10:10am	Official Training	NorAm Slopestyle Course
10:20 am – 11:00am	Semi's Heat 1 (2 runs)	NorAm Slopestyle Course
11:00 am – 11:10am	Athlete Legwarmer	NorAm Slopestyle Course
11:10am – 11:20am	Maintenance	NorAm Slopestyle Course



11:20am – 12:20pm	Semi's Heat 2 (2 runs)	NorAm Slopestyle Course
12:20pm – 1:10pm	Training – Lunch	NorAm Slopestyle Course
1:10pm -1:20pm	Maintenance	NorAm Slopestyle Course
1:20pm – 2:25pm	Finals (2 Runs)	NorAm Slopestyle Course
3:25pm * An hour after last run is done awards will start	Awards Ceremony	Outside Lodge

