



EVENT NOTICE

[SPEED NATION NATIONALS](#)

April 4th – April 9th, 2017

SPEED NATION NATIONALS - TREMBLANT

[Canada Snowboard](#), in partnership with [Association Quebec Snowboard](#) & Mont Tremblant, is proud to host the **2017 SPORTS EXPERTS SPEED NATION NATIONALS** presented by **MAZDA CANADA** and **FA DESIGN** from **April 4-9**. Canada and the rest of the north American's top riders will grace the slopes of Mont Tremblant to compete in Parallel Giant Slalom, Parallel Slalom, Snowboard cross, and Para-snowboard disciplines. With the Alpine snowboarding disciplines taking place on the south side of the mountain, and a custom Canadian built snowboardcross course on the north, everyone is in for a show!

“On behalf of Canada Snowboard and our provincial partners, it is my distinct pleasure to extend a warm welcome to all of our Canadian and international athletes participating in this event.

We know that the organizers have worked hard to prepare the course and ensure that all the details have been taking care of to allow you to enjoy and compete at your highest level. Hoping that this event will be a memorable part of your competitive career as you strive to realize your personal snowboarding aspirations.

From all of us involved with competitive snowboarding in Canada, we wish each and every one of you the very best.

Have fun, go well and good luck!”

THE RESORT

Mont Tremblant Ski Resort (known as Tremblant) is a year-round resort in the Laurentian Mountains of Quebec, Canada, about 130km (80mi) northwest of Montreal. It is best known as a ski destination, but also features Lake Tremblant suitable for swimming and two golf courses in the summer months. The name of the Mountain, Mont Tremblant, was derived from the local Algonquin natives, who called in the “trembling mountain”.

The summit is at an elevation of 875 metres (2,871 ft), which makes it one of the tallest peaks in the Laurentians.

The mountain and resort are part of the Mont Tremblant National Park and are both located near the village of Mont Tremblant.



2017 SPEED NATION NATIONALS QUALIFICATION PROCESS – Canadian Athletes

In order to be eligible to compete at the **Speed Nation SBX Nationals Championships**, participants must:

- Be members of their Provincial or Territorial Snowboard Associations
- Have an Advanced Competitor License
- Have a valid FIS Licence
- Compete, at least, in two (2) LTAD Train-to-Train - stage 4, LTAD Train-to-Compete – stage 5 and/or LTAD Train-to-Win – stage 6 (Provincial Series and NorAms) events in the 2017 competitive season

Qualification through Provincial Series

Quotas spots for Speed Nation SBX Nation Championships

Province	U15	Junior	Senior	Para
Northwest Ter.	2	2	2	26
British Columbia	12	12	12	
Quebec	12	12	12	
Ontario	12	12	12	
Nova Scotia	9	9	9	
Yukon	9	9	9	
Saskatchewan	2	2	2	
Alberta	12	12	12	
New Brunswick	2	2	2	
Manitoba	2	2	2	
Newfoundland Lab.	2	2	2	
Prince Edwards Island	2	2	2	
SBX National Team	0	0	8	4
International	10	10	20	20
Total	88	88	106	50

** Development Group athletes to be included in Provincial Spots

Note: The quotas spots listed above are for men and women (i.e.: Yukon (Junior SBX) = 9 spots (men + women))

PTSA's - Roles and Responsibilities:

- PTSA's are responsible for their internal qualification process.
- PTSA's shall confirm, before March 25th 2017, which athletes will go to Nationals
- PTSA's without internal qualification process, will need to establish their internal qualification process in collaboration with CS High Performance Department

Note: If a Province or Territory does not allocated all their quotas spots available, another Province or Territory can request to use them.



In order to be eligible to compete at the **Speed Nation Alpine Nationals Championships**, participants must:

- Be members of their Provincial or Territorial Snowboard Associations
- Have an Advanced Competitor License
- Have a valid FIS Licence
- Compete, at least, in two (2) LTAD Train-to-Train - Stage 4, LTAD Train-to-Compete – stage 5 and/or LTAD Train-to-Win – stage 6 (FIS races and NorAms) events in the 2017 competitive season

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ATHLETES REGISTRATION

Registration Deadline

On site registration will close at 12:00PM April 3rd, 2017.

**Parallel Giant Slalom and Parallel Slalom registrations on site will be cash only.

** You must register minimum 48 hours before your competition if you register on site.

International Athletes Notice

In order to confirm your registration, the Event Organizers need to receive a written confirmation from your National Snowboard Association confirming that you are in good standing, prior to your arrival at the event. The confirmation letter can be submitted by email to: evenements@quebecsnowboard.ca

Note: A valid FIS License is required to register.

Eligibility

Competitors must meet the following age limit in order to compete:

NORAM	15 years old by December 31, 2016
FIS NJC	15 years to 19 years old by December 31, 2016
U15	13 and 14 years old by December 31, 2016
PARA	15 years old by December 31, 2016
RIDERS	8 years old to 13 years by December 31, 2016

Competitors must also hold a valid FIS License (just those competing at FIS sanctioned events). Canadian athletes can purchase FIS license, SAIP insurance and Provincial or Territorial Snowboard Association Membership before registering through your Provincial or Territorial Association.

For more information visit Canada Snowboard Website [HERE](#)

Registration Fees

Competition	On-line Registration	On-site Registration
SBX NorAm	\$125 – register here	Not available
SBX NJC	\$100 – register here	Not available
SBX NorAm + SBX NJC	\$190 – register here	Not available
U15 SBX	\$75 – register here	Not available
PARA SBX NorAm	\$100 – register here	Not available
PGS NorAm	\$110 – register here	\$135
PSL NorAm	\$110 – register here	\$135
PSL NorAm + PGS NorAm	\$215 – register here	\$240
PGS NJC	\$100 – register here	\$120
U15 PGS	\$65 – register here	\$90
RIDERS	\$20 – register here	\$25

INTERNATIONAL ATHLETES: On Step 2 (registration from) please select International Options **ONLY*



Canadian Coaches Registration

All Canadian coaches at events must register and meet the Canadian Minimum Coach Certification Standards.

Please register for the event by using the Coach Registration Link

To ensure you fully understand the certification requirements, review the [Coach Minimum Standards Policy](#)

Coaches Registration [HERE](#)

Refund Policy

Event Registration Fee refunds require the approval Quebec Snowboard Association Executive Director.

Request for refund must be submitted by email to: evenements@quebecsnowboard.ca

The following are viable reasons for permitting Event Registration Fee refunds:

- Event cancellation or date/location changes
- Injury sustained prior to event training, preventing participation in event – must be confirmed with doctor's note.
- Exceptions: hardship special circumstances require the prior approval of Quebec Snowboard Associations Executive Director

Refunds for cash or cheque transactions must be refunded by cheque.

Credit card refunds must be processed via card transaction credit.

Lift Tickets are not refundable.

Lift Ticket

Discounted price will be available for athletes and coaches at the Mont Tremblant Ticketing.

The north side Ticketing office will be open (main chalet) and the south side ticketing office (main chalet) will be open from 8h00 to 16h00.

IMPORTANT: all athletes and coaches will need to present the registration invoice or the Bib in other to get the discounted lift ticket.

SANCTION & RULES

Quebec Snowboard Association, Canada Snowboard and the International Ski Federation and the World Para Snowboard Federation sanction 2017 SPORTS EXPERTS SPEED NATION NATIONALS presented by MAZDA CANADA & FA DESIGN

[Certified helmets](#) are mandatory for all training and competitions. Competitions are run in accordance with the FIS and NorAm rules. Detailed rules are available [HERE](#)



ACCOMMODATION & TRAVEL INFORMATION

Accommodation

Athletes are eligible for special rates on the accommodation at the following hotels:

- Holiday Inn Express & Suites
- La Place Saint-Bernard
- Hotel La Tour des Voyageurs
- Le Lodge de la Montagne
- Hotel Sommet des Neiges
- Ermitage du Lac

For more information about the Hotels, click [HERE](#)

Phone number for bookings: **1-866-253-0093**
Group number: **2NY92C**
Group name: **NAT (just for the Holiday Inn Hotel)**
LES NATIONAUX DE SNOWBOARD

Deposit Policies

- Reservations are made on an individual basis and will be made according to availability
- A valid credit card will be required at time of booking to secure it
- A deposit of one night plus taxes is charged at the time of the booking (calculation based on the average nightly room rate for that particular stay)

Cancellation Policies

- There is no cancellation fee if reservation is cancelled 15 days prior to arrival
- All cancellations received 14 days or less before the arrival will result on a cancellation fee equivalent to 1 night's accommodation charged on the credit card.
- Please note that the final payment by invoice and the federal tax exemption may not apply to groups with reservations made on an individual basis.
- No shows are considered as a cancellation and a cancellation fee equivalent to 1 night's accommodation will be charged on the credit card.

Modification Policies

- All date modifications will be considered and treated according to the cancellation policies
- There is no fee for any unit type changes on the same reserved dates.

Check-In, Check-Out Directions

Check-in starting at 16h30
Check-out at 11h00 maximum

Royalty fee and taxes



- All rates are quoted in Canadian dollars and subject the Tremblant Resort Association royalty fee (3.5% as of November 1st, 2016) on lodging and on other products and services. Please note that said Tremblant Resort Association royalty fee may change without notice. All applicable federal and provincial taxes must be added to these rates.



Hotels Rates

 <p>LES SUITES TREMBLANT MONTAGNE DE LA SOURCE</p>	LA PLACE SAINT-BERNARD	Prix/nuit/unité - Rate/night/unit			
		March		April	
		Weekday	Weekend	Weekday	Weekend
	Chambre d'hôtel / Hotel room	97.00\$	114.00\$	84.00\$	84.00\$
	Studio	103.00\$	127.00\$	101.00\$	103.00\$
	Condo 1 chambre / One bedroom Suite 1Q	114.00\$	159.00\$	110.00\$	114.00\$
	Condo 1 chambre / One bedroom Suite 2D	120.00\$	166.00\$	116.00\$	120.00\$
	Condo 1 ch. loft ou den / One bedroom Suite loft or den	168.00\$	253.00\$	162.00\$	168.00\$
	Condo 2 chambres / Two bedroom Suite	179.00\$	263.00\$	172.00\$	179.00\$
	Condo 3 chambres / Three bedroom Suite	218.00\$	302.00\$	194.00\$	218.00\$
Caractéristique de l'établissement / Lodging amenities <p>Grâce à son emplacement privilégié, La Place Saint-Bernard vous offre le meilleur des deux mondes : un hébergement au cœur de l'animation au pied de la montagne, avec accès direct aux pentes et aux sentiers de randonnée. Sans oublier l'accès gratuit aux bains de l'Aquaclub La Source. Cet hôtel au cachet européen abrite deux pavillons, Le Johannsen et Le Deslauriers, dont les unités entièrement équipées avec foyer et cuisine complète pour la plupart vous promettent un séjour inoubliable. Soyez aux premières loges en toutes saisons où concert, animation, restaurants et boutiques sont à votre portée !</p> <p><i>La Plaza Saint-Bernard's spectacular location provides you with the best of both worlds : lodging at the heart of the action plus direct access to the slopes and the hiking trails. Not to mention free access to the pool, hot tubs and sauna of Aquaclub La Source. Both of the hotel's pavilions, Le Johannsen and Le Deslauriers, offer a variety of spacious units, most of them with fireplace and fully-equipped kitchen. Enjoy front row seats all year around to the concerts, the entertainment, the boutiques and the restaurants of the pedestrian village.</i></p>					
 <p>LES SUITES TREMBLANT MONTAGNE DE LA SOURCE</p>	Hôtel LA TOUR DES VOYAGEURS	Prix/nuit/unité - Rate/night/unit			
		March		April	
		Weekday	Weekend	Weekday	Weekend
	Chambre d'hôtel / hotel room	97.00\$	114.00\$	84.00\$	84.00\$
	Studio	103.00\$	127.00\$	101.00\$	103.00\$
	Condo 1 chambre / one bedroom Suite 1Q	110.00\$	155.00\$	107.00\$	110.00\$
	Condo 1 chambre / one bedroom Suite 2D	116.00\$	162.00\$	114.00\$	116.00\$
Condo 2 chambres / two bedroom Suite	175.00\$	259.00\$	168.00\$	175.00\$	
 <p>LES SUITES TREMBLANT MONTAGNE DE LA SOURCE</p>	Hôtel SOMMET DES NEIGES	Prix/nuit/unité - Rate/night/unit			
		March		April	
		Weekday	Weekend	Weekday	Weekend
	Suite 1 chambre / one bedroom Suite	127.00\$	175.00\$	120.00\$	127.00\$
	Suite 2 chambres / 2 bedrooms Suite 1K + 1Q	227.00\$	292.00\$	194.00\$	194.00\$
	Suite 2 chambres / 2 bedrooms Suite 1K + 2Q	259.00\$	305.00\$	201.00\$	214.00\$
Suite 3 chambre / 3 bedrooms Suite	363.00\$	389.00\$	240.00\$	240.00\$	
Caractéristique de l'établissement / Lodging amenities <p>Le Sommet des Neiges offre, à l'intention de toute la famille, de luxueuses suites pour le ski et l'après-ski, à seulement 100 pieds de la télécabine panoramique, en plus d'un accès direct aux sentiers de randonnée en montagne! De la scène grandiose extérieure, faites le pas dans le magnifique hall décoré d'une bibliothèque et d'un grand foyer de pierre. Après avoir été enivrés par la beauté du paysage environnant, faites monter l'adrénaline à la salle d'exercice ou prélasser-vous dans la piscine d'eau salée (été seulement) ou le bain tourbillon d'eau salée pendant que les enfants s'en donnent à cœur joie dans les salles de jeux.</p> <p><i>The luxurious suites of Sommet des Neiges are the height of elegance and location in that they offer every sumptuous amenity plus ski in / ski out proximity - just 100 feet from the gondola. Le Sommet des Neige also provides direct access to the Snow School and the hiking trails. Coming in from a day in the breathtaking countryside, your family and you will be amazed by the beautiful lobby and octagonal fireplace. And you will also appreciate the lofty touches too: full kitchen and fireplace in all units, fitness room, outdoor hot tub and pool, sauna, and super kids and teens game rooms complete with pool table!</i></p>					




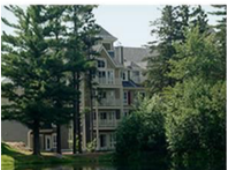
LE LODGE DE LA MONTAGNE

	Prix/nuit/unité - Rate/night/unit			
	March		April	
	Weekday	Weekend	Weekday	Weekend
Chambre d'hôtel / Hotel room	103.00\$	129.00\$	90.00\$	90.00\$
Studio	110.00\$	142.00\$	103.00\$	103.00\$
Condo 1 chambre /One bedroom Suite 1Q	129.00\$	166.00\$	114.00\$	129.00\$
Condo 1 chambre /One bedroom Suite 2D	136.00\$	175.00\$	120.00\$	136.00\$
Condo 2 chambres / Two bedroom Suite	181.00\$	266.00\$	175.00\$	181.00\$

Caractéristique de l'établissement / Lodging amenities

Dès que vous pénétrez dans le hall d'entrée de cet hôtel, vous vous trouvez propulsé à l'ère de la fondation de Tremblant. Bois rond, répliques de canots et de raquettes ajoutent au décor une atmosphère unique et chaleureuse. À proximité de l'action et du village piétonnier, Le Lodge de la Montagne vous offre un accès direct aux pentes. Après une longue journée endiablée sur les pistes, détendez-vous dans le sauna et les bains à remous ou devant un bon feu de foyer dans le confort de votre unité. Le bien-être total est garantie!

Situated in the heart of the pedestrian village, Le Lodge de la Montagne features wonderfully appointed hotel rooms, as well as stylish suites offering a fireplace and a fully-equipped kitchen. Period style combined with modern amenities will make your vacation truly memorable. After a day of fun on the trails, relax in the sauna and whirlpools or in front of a cozy fire in the confort of your room. Total well-being.



ERMITAGE DU LAC

	Prix/nuit/unité - Rate/night/unit			
	March		April	
	Weekday	Weekend	Weekday	Weekend
Chambre traditionnelle/traditional hotel room	114.00\$	136.00\$	107.00\$	114.00\$
Chambre deluxe /Deluxe Room	116.00\$	142.00\$	110.00\$	116.00\$
Suite 1 chambre/ One bedroom suite 1Q	120.00\$	168.00\$	114.00\$	120.00\$
Suite 1 chambre/ One bedroom suite 2Q	133.00\$	181.00\$	127.00\$	133.00\$
Suite 2 chambres/Two bedrooms Suite	263.00\$	309.00\$	205.00\$	218.00\$
Suite 3 chambres/Three bedrooms Suite	367.00\$	393.00\$	244.00\$	244.00\$

Caractéristique de l'établissement / Lodging amenities

Véritable écrin de luxe voué à votre bien-être et à votre tranquillité, l'hôtel-boutique l'Ermitage du Lac se niche entre le lac Tremblant et le lac Miroir. Le plus intime hôtel de Tremblant met à votre disposition ses 69 chambres et suites au confort raffiné, toutes pourvues d'un coin cuisine et équipées, pour la plupart, d'un foyer et d'un balcon. Touchez au confort d'une literie douillette, goûtez la volupté d'un copieux petit-déjeuner offert gracieusement et prélesez-vous dans le bain à remous. Vos sens n'en seront que comblés...

Les Suites Tremblant's latest gem, a boutique-hotel whose sophistication will appeal to your senses. Feel the softness of down-filled bedding. Savour the delights of a generous complimentary breakfast. Enjoy ultimate relaxation in the pool or the hot-tub. Experience a hotel that can be completely devoted to your well-being and peace of mind. Nestled between Lac Tremblant and Lac Miroir, Ermitage du Lac is Tremblant's most intimate hotel. With 69 supremely comfortable rooms and suites, each graced with a corner kitchen and most equipped with a cozy fireplace and open balcony.

Holiday Inn Express & Suites
Déjeuner inclus / breakfast included

	Prix/nuit/unité - Rate/night/unit			
	March		April	
	Weekday	Weekend	Weekday	Weekend
Chambre d'hôtel / hotel room	103.00\$	116.00\$	103.00\$	110.00\$
Suite junior / Junior Suite	116.00\$	129.00\$	116.00\$	123.00\$
Suite 1 chambre / One bedroom Suite 1Q	129.00\$	149.00\$	129.00\$	136.00\$
Suite 1 chambre / One bedroom Suite 2D	136.00\$	162.00\$	136.00\$	142.00\$

Caractéristique de l'établissement / Lodging amenities

Situé en plein cœur du village piétonnier, à quelques pas des pistes et des activités estivales, le Holiday Inn Express & Suites Tremblant accueille familles, amis et groupes qui désirent retrouver le confort et la convivialité de la maison. Petits et grands seront ravis du buffet déjeuner et de l'accès au wi-fi gratuits. Après une journée bien remplie, les invités pourront également profiter de la piscine extérieure saisonnière et du bain à remous ouvert à l'année.

The Holiday Inn Express & Suites Tremblant sits just a stone's throw away from the slopes and summer event venues. Families, friends and groups will enjoy the hotel's comfort and friendliness, which will make them feel right at home. Guests will be delighted to start their day at the complimentary breakfast bar. They will also appreciate the free wi-fi access, seasonal outdoor swimming pool, and whirlpool bath open year round.



Transport Information

Tremblant is 1h30m away from the International Airport of Montreal "Montréal-Trudeau" (130km).

Shuttle to/from the Airport
Montréal-Trudeau
Click [HERE](#)

Bus/ Shuttles to/from Tremblant
Village de Tremblant
Click [HERE](#)

Rent a Car
Montréal-Trudeau
Click [HERE](#)

Road Conditions
Quebec 511
Click [HERE](#)

EVENT OFFICE

General Event Office – Octobar Chalet des Voyageurs (south side)

SBX Event Office - located in the main Chalet (north side) at La Fourchette du Diable

Alpine Event Office – located at the bottom of Alpine Competitions (south side)

Schedule:

April 3 rd :	12h00 – 16h00	Octobar Chalet des Voyageurs (south side)
April 4 th :	8h00 – 16h00	North Side
April 5 th :	8h00 – 16h00	North Side
April 6 th :	8h00 – 16h00	North Side South Side
April 7 th :	8h00 – 16h00	South Side
April 8 th :	8h00 – 16h00	North Side South Side
April 9 th :	8h00 – 16h00	North Side

TEAM CAPTAIN MEETINGS

Located in the Octobar Chalet des Voyageurs (south side)

Schedule:

April 4 th :	17h00 – 19h00	SBX NorAM
April 5 th :	17h00 – 18h00	PSL NorAM
	18h00 – 19h00	SBX NJC
April 6 th :	17h00 – 18h00	PGS NorAM
April 7 th :	17h00 – 17h00	PGS NJC + PGS U15
April 8 th :	17h00 – 17h00	SBX U15 + SBX Para-Snowboard

OFFICIALS | VOLUNTEERS

Jury

Technical Delegate:
Chief of Competition - SBX:
Chief of Competition – Alpine:
Referee:

Van Gilder William
Jean-Frederic Mongrain
François Carpentier
TBC

If you are interested in being part of the team, as a volunteer, contact the organizing committee at evenements@quebecsnowboard.ca

NOTE: All Volunteers and Officials on site will need to be members of their Provincial or Territorial Snowboard Association and be, at least, Snowboard Official Level 1. To know more about Canada Snowboard Officials Program, click [HERE](#)



EVENT SCHEDULE

Tuesday, April 4th: SBX Training – north side

8h00 – 16h00	Event Office open (north side)
11h30 – 15h00	Official SBX Training (Senior + Junior)
18h00	Team captain meeting SBX NORAM

Wednesday, April 5th: SBX NORAM – north side

8h00 – 16h00	Event Office open (north side)
9h30 – 10h00	Inspection
10h00 – 15h00	SBX Qualifications + Finals
18h00	Team Captain meeting SBX NJC
19h00	Team Captain meeting PSL NORAM

Thursday, April 6th: SBX NJC – north side

8h00 – 16h00	Event Office open (north side)
9h30 – 10h00	Inspection
10h00 – 15h00	SBX Qualifications + Finals

Thursday, April 6th: PSL NORAM – south side

8h00 – 16h00	Event Office open (south side)
9h30 – 10h00	Inspection
10h00 – 14h00	PSL Qualifications + Finals
17h30	Team Captain meeting PGS NORAM

SPEED NATION BANQUET – APRIL 6TH

Friday, April 7th: PGS NORAM – south side

8h00 – 16h00	Event Office open (south side)
9h30 – 10h00	Inspection
10h00 – 14h00	PGS Qualifications + Finals
15h00	Awards
18h00	Team Captain meeting PGS NJC + U15

Saturday, April 8th: PGS NORAM – south side

8h00 – 16h00	Event Office open (south side)
9h30 – 10h00	Inspection
10h00 – 14h00	PGS Qualifications + Finals
15h00	Awards

Saturday, April 8th: SBX NJC – north side

8h00 – 16h00	Event Office open (north side)
11h30 – 15h00	Official SBX Training (U15 + PARA)
18h00	Team Captain meeting SBX NORAM

Sunday, April 9th: SBX Training – north side

8h00 – 16h00	Event Office open (north side)
9h30 – 10h00	Inspection
10h00 – 15h00	SBX Qualifications + Finals
16h	Awards

*Note that the schedule is subject to change due to weather conditions, jury decisions, etc.



SPEED NATION BANQUET

The official Speed Nation Banquet will take place at the Chalet des Voyageurs in Tremblant.

When: **April 6th** - 18h30 to 22h30

All the Athletes competing at any Speed Nation Nationals competition will be invited to the Speed Nation Banquet.

IMPORTANT

- Athletes competing at the RIDERS event will need to purchase their Speed Nation Banquet ticket (ticket not included)
- Coaches, parents and friends will need to purchase their Speed Nation Banquet **Ticket 72h before the Banquet online.**

Purchase your **Speed Nation Banquet** Ticket [HERE](#)

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