

#### **EVENT NOTICE**

# 2023 SPEED NATION ALPINE NATIONALS Blue Mountain Resort

Monday January 30<sup>th</sup> – NorAm PGS / Senior Nationals Tuesday January 31<sup>st</sup> – NorAm PSL / Senior Nationals Wednesday February 1<sup>st</sup> - FIS PGS / Junior Nationals / Youth Nationals Thursday February 2<sup>nd</sup> – FIS PSL / Junior Nationals / Youth Nationals

### ATHLETE & COACH REGISTRATION & LIFT TICKET PURCHASES

## **SPEED NATION - Ontario**

Speed Nation – Alpine Nationals will feature the top North American athletes competing over four days at Blue Mountain Resort.

## THE RESORT

Blue Mountain Ski Resort, Ontario's largest mountain village resort is nestled on the shores of Southern Georgian Bay and spans across the beautiful Niagara Escarpment. Blue Mountain has evolved into a true four-season destination, and continually ranks among the top family-friendly resorts in Canada.

- 43 Trails
- 11 lifts
- 365 skiable acres
- Elevation 720 feet
- Located 90mins from Pearson International Airport

## Registration Deadline – January 27<sup>th</sup>, 2023 ELIGIBILITY

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

Event	Age	Requirements
NorAm – Sr Nationals PGS	15 YO by Dec. 31st 2022	FIS License / SAIP
NorAm – Sr Nationals PSL	15 YO by Dec. 31st 2022	FIS License / SAIP
FIS – JR Nationals PGS	15-19 YO by Dec. 31st 2022	FIS License / SAIP
FIS – JR Nationals PSL	15-19 YO by Dec. 31st 2022	FIS License / SAIP
Youth U15*	Under 15YO as of Dec. 31st	Compete License
	2022	
Non FIS 15+	15+ YO as of Dec. 31st 2022	Compete License

<sup>\*</sup>Please note that Youth & Non-FIS events may have multiple age categories

Competitors must hold a valid FIS License for FIS 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

#### **REGISTRATION FEES**

Event	Online
NorAm – Sr Nationals PGS	\$150.00 + HST
NorAm – Sr Nationals PSL	\$150.00 + HST
FIS – JR Nationals PGS	\$125.00 + HST
FIS – JR Nationals PSL	\$125.00 + HST
Youth U15	\$85.00 + HST
Non FIS 15+	\$85.00 + HST

#### Lift Ticket

Lift tickets mandatory and not included in registration fee, available for purchase through online registration for \$65.00 daily by January 27<sup>th</sup>, 2023

#### **International Athletes Notice**

Written confirmation from athletes National Snowboard Organization (NSO) confirming entry, prior to arrival at the event is mandatory.

NSO confirmation letter must be submitted to: JanetRichter@ontariosnowboard.ca

#### **Eligibility**

Competitors must meet the following age limit to compete:

NorAm / FIS Events - 15 years+ old by December 31. 2022

Competitors must hold a valid FIS License. Canadian athletes can purchase FIS license, SAIP insurance and Provincial or Territorial Snowboard Association Membership before registering through your Provincial or Territorial Association.

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#### CANADIAN COACHES REGISTRATION - online December 15th, 2022

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

To ensure you fully understand the certification requirements, review the <u>Coach Minimum Standards Policy</u>

NOTE: Only coaches that are registered will be provided with complimentary lift ticket athlete to coach ratio 6:1

#### COVID 19

Canada Snowboard and Provincial and Territorial Snowboard Associations are committed to providing and maintaining a safe and healthy environment for all our stakeholders and safeguarding the broader communities in which they live and play.

All Canada Snowboard Sanctioned Air & Speed Nation Events will follow the Canada Snowboard Vaccination Policy.

You can find the latest information on federal and local health authorities and the current Covid 19 regulations on the <u>Canada Snowboard Covid 19-Page</u>.

The process for entering Canada for competition / event, training or other snowboard related activities can be found HERE.

#### REFUND POLICY

Event Registration Fee refunds require the approval of the Snowboard Ontario Executive Director and follow the FIS Noram Cup Refund Rules (Section B, NAC 7).

Request for refund must be submitted by email to: <u>JanetRichter@ontariosnowboard.ca</u>

Credit card refunds must be processed via card transaction credit.

Lift Tickets are not refundable.

#### **SANCTION**

Ontario Snowboard, Canada Snowboard and the International Ski Federation sanction Speed Nation Alpine Ski Club as a FIS North American Cup.

#### **RULES & REGULATIONS**

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**

Our official accommodation partner is Blue Mountain Resorts

#### Call In

Customer's attendees are to quote the group name **PGS Nationals 2023** and/or group reservation number **GB00005193-Rooming List**, **GB00005194-Call Ins** when making the reservation to obtain the negotiated group rate. Reservations can be made online or by calling 833-583-2583.

Westin guests can call the Reservations Department toll free at 1-866-837-4192 (Canada & USA) and must specify the <u>PGS Nationals 2023</u> to access the group rate.

Individual reservations must be guaranteed with a credit card or advance deposit.

A deposit for a 1-night stay including taxes will be processed at the time of making the reservation.

See the Cancellation section of this Agreement for information regarding cancelling reservations.

#### **Cut-off Date**

The "cut-off date" for guests to reserve their room in the Room Block is on or before 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time on <u>Friday</u>, <u>December 23</u>, <u>2022</u>. After this time, BMR may accept additional reservations subject to the prevailing rates and availability.

#### BLUE MOUNTAIN RESORTS LP

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#### **Arriving via Air**

Toronto Pearson international Airport – YYZ Click HERE

#### Shuttle to/From YYZ

Simcoe Country Airport Services Click HERE

#### **EVENT OFFICE**

Located in the Grand Central Lodge Cascade Room Monday January 30<sup>th</sup> – Thursday February 2<sup>nd</sup> 8AM – 4pm

#### **TEAM CAPTAIN'S MEETING**

All athletes must be represented at the TC meeting In Person Meetings will be held in the Event office Online Meeting login details will be sent to all registered coaches

#### Schedule:

SUN. Jan. 29th: ONLINE 17h00 NorAm PGS MON. Jan. 30th: IN PERSON 16h00 NorAm PSL

TUES. Jan. 31st: IN PERSON 16h00 JR FIS/ YOUTH PGS WED. Feb. 1st: IN PERSON 16h00 JR FIS/ YOUTH PSL

#### **PRIZE MONEY**

\$4000 in total will be given to all athletes on NORAM podiums.

#### **OFFICIALS I VOLUNTEERS**

#### **JURY**

Technical Delegate: TBC
Chief of Competition: TBC
Referee: TBC

If you are interested in being part of the team, as a volunteer, contact the organizing committee at <a href="mailto:events@ontariosnowboard.ca">events@ontariosnowboard.ca</a>

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** – *subject to change*

## Monday January 30th - NorAm PGS / Senior Nationals

9h00-9h45 Inspection

10h00 NORAM qualifications 12h30–12h45 Inspection (Finals) 13h00 PAR FINALS

TBC Award

## Tuesday January 31st - NorAm PSL / Senior Nationals

9h00-9h45 Inspection

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TBC Award

## Wednesday February 1st - FIS PGS / Junior Nationals / Youth Nationals

9h00-9h45 Inspection (JR FIS)

10h00 JR FIS

12h30–12h45 Inspection (YOUTH)

13h00 Youth TBC Awards

## Thursday February 2<sup>nd</sup> – FIS PSL / Junior Nationals / Youth Nationals

9h00-9h45 Inspection (JR FIS)

10h00 JR FIS

12h30–12h45 Inspection (YOUTH)

13h00 Youth TBC Awards

## CONTACT

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