



2016 VARA U14 Championships

Race Headquarters Mt. Mansfield Ski Club (MMSC)
403 Spruce Peak Rd
Stowe, VT 05672
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Hours: 7 am - 4 pm
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Schedule

Thursday 3/10/16	5 pm - 8 pm	Registration @ Stoweflake Resort
Friday 3/11/16	7 am - 8 am	Registration @ Mt. Mansfield Ski Club
	7:30 am	Team Captains Meeting @ MMSC Office
		Lift open for course setters, jury
	8:15 am	Lift open for athletes
	9:30 am	SL Run 1
	12:30 pm	SL Run 2
		Barbeque for athletes and coaches after the race
Saturday 3/12/16	7:00 am	Team Captains Meeting @ MMSC Office
	7:30 am	Lift for course setters, jury
	7:45 am	Lift open for athletes
	9:00 am	GS Run 1
	12:00 pm	GS Run 2
Sunday 3/13/16	7:00 am	Team Captains Meeting @ MMSC Office
	7:30 am	Lift for course setters, jury, and athletes
	9:00 am	SG Training Run
	12:00 pm	SG Race Run
		Awards for all events following



Courses (60" gates for SL, 72" gates for GS and SG)

SG	GS	SL
Main St. 320 m.	Main St. 268 m.	Competition Hill 110 m.



Registration Mt. Mansfield Ski Club will receive a list of qualified athletes from VARA. Qualified athletes must fill out the [registration form by clicking this link](#). After filling out the form, follow the link for payment. Registration fee \$185 must be prepaid online by 5pm on Wednesday 3/09/15 (additional processing fee applies).

Start Order Start order is determined by council qualification. The top 15 for each gender (5 from each council) will be randomized each day. Beginning with bib #16, racers will start in order of council qualification, alternating between councils in the following order as determined by random draw @ VARA. Boys: NVC, SVC, MVC. Girls: SVC, MVC, NVC. This portion of the list will be the same each day. Shootout qualifiers will start in the order in which they qualified. Second run start order will be bibbo (flip top 30), then finish order, DSQ and DNF run at the end.

Directions to MMSC From the village of Stowe take the Mountain Rd. (VT 108) 7.5 miles to Stowe Mountain Resort. Turn right at the entrance to Spruce Peak, follow Big Spruce Rd to the top of the hill, some parking is available in the lot directly below Mt. Mansfield Ski Club. All other parking is located in the main resort lot at the Mansfield Base Area with shuttle service to MMSC.

Hospitality call for details

Stoweflake Mountain Resort and Spa 1746 Mountain Rd Stowe, VT 05672 (800) 253-2232 www.stoweflake.com	Stowe Motel 2043 Mountain Rd Stowe, VT 05672 (802) 829-7629 www.StoweMotel.com
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Training Day We regret to inform you that we cannot offer training before U14 State Championships on Monday the 7th due to the forecast of extremely warm temperatures. In order to preserve the surface that we have, Monday will be last day of any work we can do on the Main St. Race trail. We need to do this in order to provide the best possible surface for this Championship Event. We will be refunding anyone who has already paid.

Athletes and coaches BBQ Friday following the completion of the SG, a barbeque is provided for all athletes and coaches. A limited number of family/friend meal tickets are available for \$15 in advance through the athlete's online registration system.

Awards Awards ceremony for all events and naming of VARA team to Eastern Championships and the VT/NY Invitational Project will be held at MMSC after the conclusion of the SL race on Sunday.

Coach Registration All coaches must register in advance through our online system by [clicking this link](#). Per VARA guidelines, each club with a participating athlete will receive one complimentary coach lift ticket for competition days. A second ticket will be given to programs with four participating athletes, three tickets for programs with eight athletes. Additional tickets will be available for \$35/day to USSA licensed coaches whose names are submitted in advance.

Volunteers Volunteer for a day and earn a voucher for a future day of skiing at Stowe Mountain Resort, plus a delicious lunch on your volunteer day. We are looking for volunteers to assist with all aspects of this three day event. To volunteer please contact EricSmith@TeamMMSC.org

VARA Open House Saturday 3/12 afternoon VARA will host an open house at the Vermont Ski Museum in Stowe village from 4 to 6pm to celebrate VARA's 45th anniversary. Stop by to enjoy refreshments, meet US Ski Team members, Olympians, and current and former VARA stars. [Click here to see the VARA announcement for the event.](#)

