



Mt Mansfield Ski Club
NVC U8-U10 DUAL Paneled Slalom
MARCH 18 2018 9:00 a.m.
Please read, there is a lot here!

Registration: 7:00-8:00am Plaza level of Spruce Camp base lodge. \$25 includes a 2018 Stowe Duals Neckie! Cash or check only at registration! Bring waiver to registration. Please do not email waivers.

Parking: Mt Mansfield side of Rt 108. Use Over Easy Gondola for transport from Mansfield base to Spruce base and return

To pay in advance by credit card (until 3/17 @ 4pm) go to:

<https://squareup.com/store/mmscteam/item/nvc-duals-entry>

Bags can be stored in the free bag storage area in the Plaza level of Spruce Camp. **No bag storage or bag lunches in the upper level of Spruce Camp. Thank You!**

Parents may pick up a voucher for \$92 (+5 ESC Card) lift tickets available at registration. These tickets are for racer's parents and friends only. These will only be available at registration.

Team Captains Meeting: 7:30am in the finish area in front of timing building

Course: Competition Hill on Spruce Peak.

(NVC coach ticket rule 4 kids = 2 coaches > 8 Kids = 3 >12 Kids = 4 >16 Kids = 5 >20 kids = 6. Coach's rosters must be sent to race coordinator at ericsmith@teammmsc.org

- **The NO GS Suit Rule applies- racers must wear a sweater, sweatshirt/warm-ups over the GS suit. (Vests are not acceptable)**

- **Protests** must be handled by the HEAD coach only.

MORNING RUNS

- Meadows Quad Lift open for jury-7:30. lift open for racers 7:45am.

- **Start time for the morning runs is at 9:00am.** U8's will start first!!! girls, then boys. U10's will follow, girls then boys.

- Each racer will take one run on the blue course and one on the red course. **The even numbers will ski the red course first, while the odds will start on the blue.** The second run will run in **REVERSE ORDER** within each category. There will be two runs for everyone in the morning, then break for lunch. The qualifiers for the afternoon will be announced ASAP.

AFTERNOON QUALIFYING

The top 16 girls and the top 16 boys from the morning runs (top 4 from each course, run 1 & run 2) will qualify for the afternoon dual elimination competition. The names will be announced after the 2nd run (U12's skiing down may not qualify for the afternoon round.)

The afternoon race is a "Pro Style" elimination dual using differential timing. (2 runs each, when you finish the first run, go right back up the lift for your second run with your competitor.)

Afternoon dual medals will be awarded to the top 4 places in both the girls and the boys.

THANK YOU FOR COMING AND WE HOPE YOU ENJOY YOUR DAY AND DON'T FORGET TO THANK THE VOLUNTEERS!

To volunteer and receive a voucher for a 2018 Stowe lift ticket contact Eric Smith @ ericsmith@teammmsc.org.

The Event-

Dual Paneled Slalom with a pro bump in the middle of the course.

Random Running Order-Odds on Red evens on Blue

The Morning-

Everyone gets 2 runs in the morning-one on red and one on blue

The race runs will be run back to back with reverse running order within gender

Awards will be given to the Top 10- U8 & U10 boys/girls each run.

The Afternoon-You must qualify in the morning to participate in the afternoon round robin

Qualifying-The top 16 Girls and top 16 Boys qualify for the afternoon run offs.

How the top 16 are chosen

The 4 fastest on the Red Course and Blue course Run #1

The 4 Fastest on the Red Course and Blue course Run #2

If a racer qualifies on the 1st run, they are not counted in the 2nd run.

Afternoon Running Order is done in a bracket-Which run you qualify on matters.

RED

1. #1. RUN 1
2. #2. RUN 1
3. #3. RUN 1
4. #4. RUN 1
5. #1. RUN 2

BLUE

- 1 #1. RUN 1
2. #2. RUN 1
3. #3. RUN 1
4. #4. RUN 1
5. #1. RUN 2

6. #2. RUN 2
7. #3. RUN 2
8. #4. RUN 2

6. #2. RUN 2
7. #3. RUN 2
8. #4. RUN 2

How the Shootout works:

-2 racers race their 1st run head to head and they will be released from the start at the same time.

-The clock starts when the 1st racer crosses the finish line and stops when the 2nd racer crosses the finish line. This is called the differential.

-The same 2 racers go back up and switch courses and do the same thing on the 2nd run

-The racer with the largest differential is eliminated and the winner moves on to the next round.

Example: Sue and Kim race the 1st head to head run and Kim crosses the finish line 1st and Sue crosses .50 sec later. Sue is behind by .50 sec going into the 2nd run.

-Sue and Kim go back up and switch courses and do their 2nd head to head run. Sue crosses the finish line 1st and Kim crosses .75 later. Sue has made up the differential by .25 and moves on.

The maximum differential is 1.5 sec.

Another good rule to know is:

If you fall on the first run of a round you are given a 1.5 second penalty. If you fall on the second run you lose the round. So, if Kim and Sue are dueling and Kim DNF's first run she is given a 1.5 second penalty. In the second run if Sue DNF's, Kim moves on.