







SYNC Vermont Cup – Women's GS OFFICIAL RACE ANNOUNCEMENT

*Please review U.S. Ski & Snowboard's COVID-19 Alpine Domestic Competitions Guidance

Dates: 9 February, 2021 Event Host / Site: GMVS / Sugarbush-Mt. Ellen **Events:** 2xGS

Entry Fee: \$100 / Non-IKON passholders must purchase a \$40 Race Ticket @: https://shop.sugarbush.com/s/gmvs/p/race-ticket

Entry Procedure: Online only at: https:/adminskiracing.com/ Coaches MUST Pre-Register! Team Captains Meeting: 1700hrs., 8 February, 2021 via Zoom:

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/7912877204?pwd=WVZYZVBLd2QybXFCV3pPNUtScXl4UT09 COVID-19 Pre-Screen Waiver: https://forms.gle/cpL3mpt2NKzRwTGE7

*Coaches MUST pre-register by Race Close Date to receive a free ticket *Race Communications will be via WhatsApp Group Chat. Team Captains will be added to chat at TCM **Official Documents will be posted to USSA.Livetiming (+ Results to VARA)

Race Day Schedule

- 0630 Parking open to Team Vans in Lot 6 (all others must park in numbered lots)
- **0700** Ticket Office and Kiosk open for lift ticket pick-up / Bib pickup by Team Captains on upper deck of GMVS Clubhouse. Captains must hand-in (or email) Day-of Symptom Check Roster to receive bibs
- 0730 Lift Opens for Coaches / Course Setting
- **0745** Lift Opens for Athletes
- **0800** Inspection by Groups (25 max cohort) Only complete groups will be given go-ahead to inspect See staging doc: https://drive.google.com/file/d/1cFoc5iYW-EDsEGt_pBwogK7lZwWnjkO_/
- 0900 Race 1 / Run 1
- 1000 Course Adjustment (no inspection)
- 1020 Race 1 / Run 2
- 1145 Race 2 Inspection
- **1230** Race 2 / Run 1
- **1345** Race 2 / Run 2
- **1700** TCM via Zoom

Race Organizing Committee

Technical Delegate: TBA Chief of Race: Tracy Keller Referee(s): TBA Covid Coordinator: Lynn Brophy: <u>lbrophy@gmvs.org</u> Race Administrator: Kirsten (Andreae) Savage: <u>Kirsten@gmvs.org</u>









COVID-19 Guidelines & Information

Should any member of your team or staff become symptomatic within 48 hrs of the race, DO NOT BRING THEM. Contact the RA for possible refund. If any member of your team or staff become symptomatic during the day of the race, it must be reported to the COVID Coordinator immediately and the person shall be removed from the venue. Team Captains must have a plan to get this person home or to health care.

Daily Symptom Check: Team Captains ONLY – May use USS&S Roster Format and hand deliver at bib pickup (or email prior to <u>lbrophy@gmvs.org</u> AND <u>Kirsten@gmvs.org</u>) **OR** Google-Doc:<u>https://forms.gle/b7gg21ArMiyR6922A</u>

<u>Vermont COVID-19 Winter Sport Guidelines:</u> <u>https://accd.vermont.gov/news/update-new-work-safe-additions-be-smart-stay-safe-order#sports-a</u> nd-organized-sports

State Travel Restrictions/Requirements: Cross State Travel Information

VT State Mask Policies: Masks are required in all public places.

Sugarbush COVID-19 Guidelines: https://www.sugarbush.com/plan/winter-operations/

Sugarbush Resort Mask Policy: Masks are required in all public places. **Lodge Access Information:** Sugarbush Resort lodges are **not** to be used by coaches or athletes. It is suggested that the athletes return to the vans between runs for warming and food OR rent a base cabin on Sugarbush.com (see below link)

Lift Line/Lift Riding Information: Masks must be worn properly at all times in the lift lines. All Lifts will be loaded at 50% capacity at all times. The safety bar must be down per VT State Law.

Parking/Parking Lot Information: Team van parking will be in **Lot 6**, please follow the direction of the GMVS Greeter when you arrive at Mount Ellen.

Food & Beverages: available via pre-order online:

https://www.sugarbush.com/dining/mt-ellen-cafeteria/

Additional Information

- Per USS&S COVID-19 Protocol, race entries will be limited to 100 athletes. Wait Listed athletes will be added per USS&S/FIS rules.
- USS&S and VARA entry protocol prevail
- No spectators/parents allowed. Only pre-registered Coaches may attend.
- A \$100 Fee will be strictly enforced for failure to return a bib
- All race documentation will be posted on https://livetiming.usskiandsnowboard.org/
- Times will be displayed digitally only (Livetiming & onsite Digital Display Boards)
- In lieu of Awards, Donations (in the name of) will be made to Winter 4 Kids
- HEATED Base Cabins available for rent at Mt. Ellen Base: <u>https://www.sugarbush.com/plan/lodging/base-cabins/</u>
- Please respect all posted Sugarbush rules and regulations. Tickets will be pulled for noncompliance.
- No indoor bag storage or changing areas will be provided (unless renting a warming hut)
- Porta-Loo toilets available behind warming huts. Restrooms also available in Mt.Ellen Lodge. Please follow ALL signage/rules regarding traffic flow and social distancing.