



ALPINE ONTARIO ALPIN

CLUB CALL

OCTOBER 14, 2026

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ALPINE ONTARIO **WELCOME**

Within these walls where a passionate ski community comes to gather, you are welcomed, accepted, and respected.

Here, no matter who you are or where you are from, you are at home, regardless of your race, national or ethnic origin, colour, religion, age, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity or expression, marital status, family status, genetic characteristics, disability, or conviction.

All we ask is that you be excellent, respectful, accountable, courageous, and a leader.

TOGETHER, WE ARE **ONTARIO UNITED**



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AGENDA

- U16ADP + OCUP Update
- U14 OCUP Update
- U18 U21 National Points Race Series
- Fitness Results
- Skill Up Sessions
- Coach Education
- Club Parent Resources
- Upcoming Grants & Events
- AOA Fees & Insurance
- PCR Updates
- Officials
- Reminders
- Division Updates
- Value in Ski Racing Study - Deloitte
- AOA Strategic Update
- Next Meetings & Questions

U16ADP + OCUP UPDATE

- U16 ADP Camps (3) Dryland, Chile & Langraf. 16 athletes from 6 clubs
- U16 OCUP Quebec Speed Camp and Race - TBD
- [U14,U16 SOD OCUP Calendar complete HERE](#)
- Midwinters – January 19-22 - SOD
- U16 OCUP Finals – March 22-26 - NOD
- U16 Whistler Cup – April 6-11
- U16 Head Coaches Meeting – Oct 25th





U14 OCUP UPDATE

[U14 SOD OCUP Calendar complete HERE](#)

- U14 OCUP Finals – March 15-19 - NCD
- U14 CanAms – April 1 – 4 – Tremblant, QC

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- U14 Mealey Speed week – Feb 1-6
- U14 Whistler Cup - April 8-11





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AN EXCITING ANNOUNCEMENT FROM AOA

U18/U21 NATIONAL POINTS RACE SERIES

Competitive racing beyond U16 — built for high school and post-secondary athletes

Indoor
TOGRAPHER

THE ANNOUNCEMENT

AOA introduces a new U18/U21 National Points Race Series



Racing Beyond U16

A new competitive, non-FIS race series that keeps athletes in the sport after their U16 season ends.

- Graduating U16 OCUP/SCUP racers
- High school racers
- College and university racers
- FIS racers (some point restrictions apply)



Built for Students (and Coaches)

Created for high school and post-secondary athletes who want to keep racing competitively.

Open to coaches who want to continue racing alongside coaching at their clubs.



A Better Balance

Racing, schoolwork, work and other priorities — without the full commitment of the FIS racing.



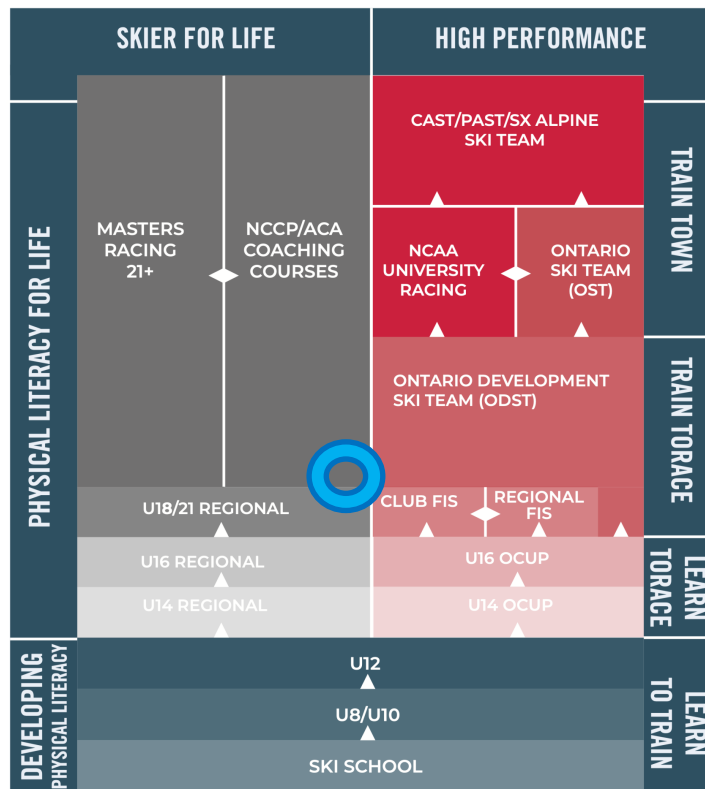
Two Series Per Season

Two weekend Series — one in Mansfield January 30-31, one at Antoine Mt. March 13-15— delivering six individual race days.

Timing to avoid school exams, and focused on weekends.

PATHWAY

ALPINE PARA SX PATHWAY





NOT A REPLACEMENT FOR FIS

Top alpine racers wishing to pursue opportunities with the Ontario Development Ski Team, the Ontario Ski Team, and competitive university programs in Canada and the NCAA still require the associated investment of time and resources in FIS programs.

For a few athletes, the National point series may offer an opportunity to enter FIS at a later date should they feel compelled.

FIS racers are absolutely welcome to participate in the National Point Series when it fits their schedules — and to race again with their former ski club friends.

THE KEY MESSAGE

- National Point Series do not replace FIS racing
- FIS racers are welcome when it fits their schedule
- Previously offered options for U18 athletes will continue (entry into U16 SCUP, U16 OCUP)



WHAT TO EXPECT

Each Event to include:

- Either GS or SL races (governed by the characteristics of the host ski hill)
- Training opportunities and/or warm up courses (as permitted by host hill)
- Social and cultural events such as a banquet or bbq
- A territorial welcome by the host First Nation
- Expanded awards to include podiums by year of birth, Biggest Mover, and Tokyo Drift

Removing Barriers of participation

- Athletes can participate on a weekend race licenses (details to come)
- Racing done by 2pm on the final day
- Ability for athletes to participate even if club can not send a coach
- Open to high school teams, and coaches

Get your Club Involved:

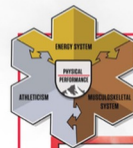
- Communicate offering to your U18s
- Consider promotion of this opportunity with your Club Coaches
- Host – speak with AOA about hosting an event for 2027-28
- Volunteer Support - Expect significant support from parents travelling with skiers
- Grow Participation - Promote the series with a local high school in your area



FITNESS RESULTS UPLOAD

- U14/U16 OCUP athletes testing results to be emailed to AOA prior to Dec 1st. Please use ACA Template
- Contact Suki for assistance:

memberservices@alpineontario.ca



ACA FITNESS COMBINE



U14 FEMALE

Aerobic Capacity	Coordination /Speed	Lower Body Power	Lower Body Power Coordination	Lower Body Power Asymmetry	Upper Body	Upper Body Stability	Upper Body Core /Stability	Core	Anaerobic Capacity	Combine Score	
10.7	49.0	22.15	2.07	10.50	8.38	8	60.00	20	45	70	595
10.5	48.4	22.31	2.03	10.00	8.00	8	42.00	18	40	67	544
10.2	47.4	23.00	1.98	9.80	7.76	7	40.00	18	36	65	492
9.7	45.5	23.15	1.96	9.00	7.80	6	38.00	15	35	60	446
9.1	43.6	23.30	1.93	8.80	7.40	5	31.00	14	33	58	423
8.3	40.8	23.64	1.88	8.00	7.10	4	28.00	13	30	55	400
8.1	40.2	24.33	1.80	7.80	6.88	3	25.00	12	28	50	378
7.8	38.2	24.98	1.87	7.70	6.48	2	23.00	11	27	45	342
7.4	37.8	25.87	1.57	7.50	6.28	1	21.00	10	26	40	305
6.8	35.7	28.88	1.50	7.35	6.18	0	18.00	8	24	35	250
20m Beep Test (Level Shortest)	20m Beep Test Max (Level Highest)	Hex (m)	Standing Long Jump (m)	Double Leg Penta Jump (m)	Single Leg Penta Jump (m)	Push Ups (m)	Armhang (m)	Push Ups (m)	Sit Ups (m)	Box Box Jump (m)	Total Combine Score (Points)

U14 MALE

Aerobic Capacity	Coordination /Speed	Lower Body Power	Lower Body Power Coordination	Lower Body Power Asymmetry	Upper Body	Upper Body Stability	Upper Body Core Stability	Core	Anaerobic Capacity	Combine Score	
12.5	55.1	21.30	2.38	11.80	9.87	14	68.00	20	45	70	801
11.1	53.4	21.44	2.30	10.00	9.30	12	58.00	18	40	67	578
11.6	51.8	22.00	2.20	9.50	8.82	10	54.00	18	36	65	484
10.1	50.4	23.15	2.10	9.30	8.60	8	47.00	15	35	60	432
10.7	49.0	23.30	2.05	9.00	8.40	8	37.00	14	33	58	400
9.4	44.5	24.00	2.00	8.50	8.01	7	35.00	13	30	55	389
9.1	43.3	23.42	1.88	8.30	7.80	4	33.00	12	28	50	358
8.7	42.1	25.31	1.80	8.00	7.33	3	31.00	11	27	45	322
8.2	40.5	25.87	1.70	7.50	7.20	2	30.00	10	26	40	308
7.4	37.8	28.88	1.65	7.35	7.00	1	28.00	8	24	35	250
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EXCEL





SKILL UP SESSIONS

- 1- ALPINE (JAN 14)
- 2- CALEDON (JAN 28)
- 3- BLUE MTN (FEB 25)

"Joining these sessions is a great way for your club members to participate in a day of skill development, fun and meeting new friends. This open environment allows for kids to relax, ski lots and even ski outside their comfort zones"

NEW THIS YEAR:

- **We are going to try and make this available for as many as possible. As long as we have enough staff to provide a safe and fun environment for all**



ALPINE ONTARIO SOD COACH CONFERENCE

SAT OCT 24 '26

Blue Mountain Inn
Weider Ballroom



REGISTER
NOW



AOA FALL COACH CONFERENCE
Sat. Oct 24 - Blue Mountain Inn - Weider Ballroom

HOPE TO SEE YOU THERE!
REGISTER NOW!



WHAT'S NEW FOR COACHES IN 2026-27

LICENSING

- Every coach needs **4 Education credits and 1 Risk Management credit** to be licensed. This now includes Entry Level coaches.
- Background checks go through the **Uplifter renewal only**. Emailed checks won't be accepted.

COURSES

- Development Level is now **4 days on snow plus an online module** in The Locker (\$99). The indoor day is gone.
- Request club-run professional development credits from Sarah Edwards, sedwards@alpineontario.ca.

KEY DATES

Oct 23	Learning Facilitator training, Blue Mountain
Oct 24	AOA/SOD Coaches Conference, Blue Mountain Inn



COACH EDUCATION UPDATE

Registration Link - https://upliftersnow.com/#!/listings/events?page=1&ends_from=2026-10-14T00:25:28.123Z&discipline=10&category=60,61,62,63,64,65,67

- Oct 18 - AOA Coach Course Schedule - uplifter
- Oct 23 - EL Learning Facilitator Training Blue Mountain Resort – All are welcome
 - Fantastic Day of Coach Developer Training including a workshop from Conference Keynote Jenny Rearick
- Oct 24 - AOA Coach Conference Blue Mountain Resort - Spots remaining 18 - Registration closes Oct 17
- Nov 19 - EL Learning Facilitator Training – (Unable to attend Oct 23) – 6-9pm via Zoom
- Nov 26 - EL Coach Evaluator Training - New Evaluators – 6-8pm via Zoom

- ACA Coach Education Website – New ACA Website Launching soon – LTAD Website has limited information
- ACA E Learning module – The Canadian Approach – NCCP locker



COACH EDUCATION UPDATE

THE PURPOSE OF THE PROGRAM

- To promote continuous improvement and life-long learning for coaches
- To help reduce the risk of accidents
- To promote coaching excellence at every level in the Canadian development system
- To help professionalize ski coaching

ONLY COACHES WHO ARE ACTIVELY COACHING ARE REQUIRED TO BE "LICENSED" REGISTERED COACHES IN GOOD STANDING IN THE CURRENT SEASON.

- Active coaches must be registered and be licensed annually by ACA-CSC.
- Obtaining the "licensed" status is the responsibility of the coach.
- The annual license cycle is September 1 - August 31
- Coaches should be "registered" and "licensed" before starting to coach athletes, supervise other coaches or implement programming
- The deadline to be licensed is January 31 annually. This accommodates coaches who are working in all coaching contexts of the ACA LTAD 3.0
- If coaches are not "licensed" by January 31, they lose their registered in good standing designation with ACA-CSC

COACHES ARE CONSIDERED "LICENSED" REGISTERED COACHES IN GOOD STANDING ONCE ALL REQUIREMENTS HAVE BEEN MET INCLUDING:

- Payment of annual coaching dues
- Sign the annual release waiver
- Sign the code of conduct agreement
- Complete or have a current Criminal Record Check on file that is inclusive of the full licensing cycle ending on August 31st of each year
- Sign the Rowan's Law acknowledgement form (Ontario coaches only)
- Complete Safe Sport training (<https://safesport.coach.ca>)
- Complete educational and risk management credits



ONTARIO COACHING EXCELLENCE AWARDS

Celebrating the 2026 stars of coaching



Congratulations, Howie!

Alpine Ontario Alpin is proud to congratulate **Wayne "Howie" Howard** of Stayner, ON, on being recognized by the Coaches Association of Ontario's 2026 and receiving the Ontario Coaching Excellence Award for Alpine Skiing.



COACH UP SESSIONS

EXPERIENCE
"A DAY IN THE LIFE"
OF AN OST COACH

Are YOU looking to?

- > UP your COACHING game
- > EXPAND your coaching knowledge
- > BROADEN your coaching skills



DESIGNED FOR DL & PL COACHES

WE WILL BE COMMUNICATING WITH RECENT DL & PL COURSE CANDIDATES
STAY TUNED FOR COMMUNICATION & INFORMATION RE THIS PROGRAM

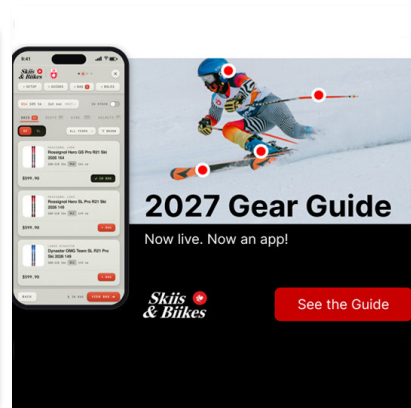
CLUB PARENT RESOURCES



2026-27 AOA MEMBERSHIP REGISTRATION

"How-To" Video is live! 🏂✨
Watch our step-by-step video to learn exactly how to register for the upcoming season - whether you're an athlete, coach, official, or parent.

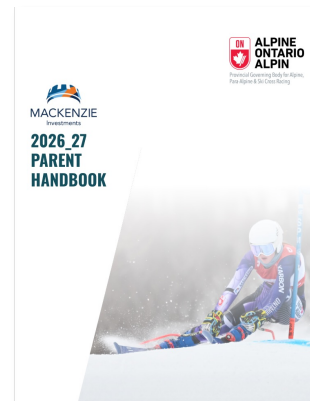
👉 [Check it out now!](#)



2026-27 AOA SKIIS & BIKES Gear Guide APP

The NEW App is a go-to resource for equipment tips, fitting advice, and updated regulations for every age and level.

👉 [Check it out now](#)

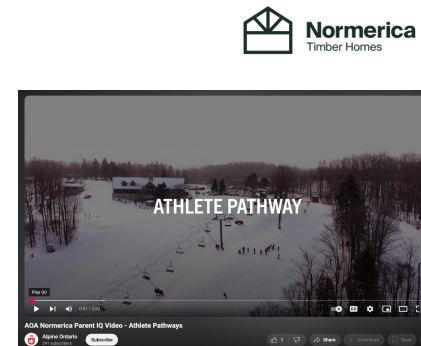


2026-27 AOA PARENT HANDBOOK

This essential guide helps parents navigate the ski racing season with info on:

- Program details & schedules
- Parent expectations & volunteer roles
- Safety policies & athlete behavior

Access the [FULL HANDBOOK HERE](#)



AOA NORMERICA VIDEOS

A series of "parent IQ" for parents of children starting in ski racing.

[WATCH HERE](#)

CARVING THE FUTURE: FUNDING TO GROW PARA AT YOUR CLUB

Alpine Canada grants that cut the cost of starting and growing para-alpine programs

Grant	Amount	What it's for
Try-It Grant	Up to \$2,500	Run intro days that bring new para athletes to your hill
Athlete Integration Grant	Up to \$5,000	Bring developing para athletes into your club or provincial program
Athlete Bursary	Up to \$2,500	Help individual athletes with travel, coaching and adaptive equipment
Para Coach Development	\$5,000 to \$10,000	Pay qualified coaches to work with para athletes and build your program

HOW TO APPLY

- Applications go through your provincial ski organization. In Ontario, that's AOA.
- Reviewed on a rolling basis, so apply early for first-half-of-season projects.
- Contact: mnewton@alpinecanada.org

alpinecanada.org/train/para-alpine/carvingthefuture



James Budrow— CFAST prospect team

 Tickets

 Lodging

Women's Giant Slalom
December 5 & 6, 2026



AUDI FIS SKI WORLD CUP

Women's Giant Slalom



AUDI FIS WORLD CUP

December 5 & 6

[RESERVATIONS HERE](#)

CLUBS FAN ZONE creates excitement and stimulate young athletes to come and attend PwC Tremblant World Cup

[PROGRAM INFO](#)

- Improved greetings on site and adapted to the needs of the clubs
- Redesigned on site experience – next gen zone, souvenirs etc
- Discounted ticket access
- Active Social Media
- Youth Ambassadors
- Club Communications & Support



Canadian Ski Racing Awards 2026

Para Alpine Athlete of the Year



Michaela Gosselin

Provincial Athlete of the Year



Jasper Williams, Ontario

Ski Club of the Year



Mansfield Ski Club, Ontario

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2026 ONTARIO SKI RACING AWARDS
Celebrating Ontario

MACKENZIE Investments

Join Us!
FREE* * Purchase of Toronto Ski Show ticket required

TORONTO SKI & SNOWBOARD SHOW

OCT 23 2026
5:30-8:00 pm
Exhibition Place
The Better Living Centre
Meet Us at the Snow Desk - T Bar

KARBON
OWN TOMORROW

FASKEN
OWN TOMORROW

Normerica
TIMBER HOMES

WHITE RAVEN
ENERGY INC.

2025_26 ONTARIO SKI RACING AWARDS WINNERS	Club
SKIIS & BIKES ATHLETE OF THE YEAR AWARD	
SKI CROSS	
Felix Lepipas	Beaver Valley Ski Club
ALPINE FEMALE	
Marie-Penelope Robinson	TBFast
ALPINE MALE	
Jasper Williams	Georgian Peaks Ski Club
PARA ALPINE	
Michaela Gosselin	Osler Bluff Ski Club
ANTHONY PACIONE COACH OF THE YEAR AWARD	
Brian McGregor U14+	Joze Weider Ski Club
Ken Priest U12	Mansfield Ski Club
FASKEN VOLUNTEER OF THE YEAR	
Neil Coats	NAC/PASC/TBFast/LSDA
ROBERT SHORE OFFICIAL OF THE YEAR AWARD	
Gary Munro	Mansfield Ski Club
KARBON EVENT OF THE YEAR AWARD	
Ski Meister	Beaver Valley Ski Club
SPIRIT OF SANDY PROCTOR AWARD	
Kevin Gosselin	Osler Bluff Ski Club
NORMERICA BUILDER OF THE YEAR AWARD	
Mario Guertin	All
MACKENZIE INVESTMENTS RACE CLUB OF THE YEAR AWARD	
Mansfield Ski Club	Mansfield Ski Club

Exclusive Dinner Event

Supporting Escarpment Excellence on the World Cup!

This year's goals are to enhance programing for our athletes at the world cup and provincial level and to continue development of Ontario athletes to be their very best.



You are invited to be among an exclusive group of guests for a special dinner event, presentation and conversation with some of Canada's most accomplished ski team alumni. What role can our Escarpment community play in supporting our athletes with World Cup ambition?

This year's All-star panel will be moderated by (TBD):

Jan Hudec: World Championships & Olympic Medalist, World Cup winner

Ed Podivinsky: Olympic Medalist, World Cup winner

Katie Twible: NCAA Champion, World Cup coach, Ski Racing Media

Johnny Kucera: World Champion, World Cup winner, Canadian Men's Head Coach

100% of the proceeds from the event will go directly to support programming gaps to help make a difference in the upcoming season for our athletes as they prepare to compete against the best in world. We will also support Alpine Ontario with funds towards key funding priorities to enhance the development of Ontario athletes to find their path to the World Cup.

Dinner is limited to 200 participants who want to make a difference by supporting these objectives directly.
(Dinner gala tickets are \$500 per person, \$5,000 per table of 10)

LOCATION: Georgian Peaks Ski Club
DATE: Saturday, November 21st at 6pm
RSVP & QUESTIONS: 705-444-4777
or nick.hamilton@rbc.com

In support of:

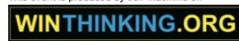


This event is hosted by Nick Hamilton of:



Wealth Management
Dominion Securities

This event is produced by Jeff MacInnis of:



PATH TO THE PODIUM

Path to the Podium is a community-led event raising vital funds to support Alpine ski racing in Canada and inspire the next generation of champions.

Join us **Saturday, November 21st, at The Georgian Peaks Club** for an unforgettable evening.

February will be a highlight of the 2026-2027 season, with the FIS Alpine World Championships taking place in Crans-Montana, Switzerland, from February 1st to 14th, 2027.

It is equally important to support Ontario's next generation of champions as they pursue opportunities to compete at the 2027 Stifel FIS Alpine Junior Ski Championships in Lake Placid, New York, from March 2nd to 12th, 2027.

[Click HERE](#) to host a table, purchase tickets, or make a donation in support of Canada's ski racing future.

AOA FEES UPDATE

https://alpineontario.ca/wp-content/uploads/2026/06/2627_Fees_AOA-Membership-Fees_v1.pdf

OCUP Race Entry Fees - Maximums
SL/GS 65\$+HST // SG \$75+HST // FIS \$80+HST

AOA Invitationals – 150\$ Flat Calendaring Fee

Calendar Listing, Posted Results

Bibs available with deposit \$100

*SOD invitationals require calendaring with SOD committee

REGISTRATION PLATFORM UPDATE

AOA Registration

OPEN



Now the platform for Alpine & Ski Cross registration.
Log in with your SnowReg username & password.



INSURANCE

ACA offering the same 3 programs

CGL – covers all registrants (Athletes, coaches, and officials)

Directors and Operators – Clubs and Divisions – 2M coverage

Sport Accident Insurance Program (SAIP) - Special Risk
Accident and Out of Country Emergency medical.

SAIP required for all out of country (OOC) sanctioning camps

All FIS athletes* (including masters) require Special Risk
Accident and Emergency Medical insurance

*International programs (US Academies, US universities, etc.) +
FIS Masters may use alternative insurance by having policies
approved by ACA

Global Certificate of Insurances (COIs)

For camps at common CAN training
centers: [ACA Global COI](#).

PCR UPDATE

No Live timing at U12 and below

No Equipment on the podium

New U18/21 National Point Series Rules

Updated FIS Quotas

Specifics around new rules will be published in the new **provincial competition rules** available in the coming weeks.





OFFICIALS

- Updates & Course dates TBA
November Club Call



REMINDERS

- Ensuring your Club activities and contacts is current on SnowReg for 2026-2027 season.
- AOA Event sanction Invitational application due Nov 30 for NCD, NOD, LSDA. Application will be forwarded to clubs who have requested.
- U14/U16 OCUP Fitness Testing results to be submitted by Dec 1st
- Separate categories for U12, U14, U16, U18 Ski cross only. Can only participate in Ski Cross events. Ie. No OCUP or SCUP series
- FIS registration deadline Dec 25 – late registration additional fee \$145.00





✓ REMINDERS - ELIGIBILITY

- If registered as SCUP U18/U21 can also compete in U16 OCUP races under U18/U21 OCUP
- If registered as FIS U18/21 can compete in U16 OCUP races under U18/U21 OCUP. Racing with your National number and points (not FIS number and points).
- All U14, U16, U18/21 OCUP athletes must register on base list through alpinepoints.com



DIVISION UPDATES

Southern Ontario Division

– Shawn Letton, Jennifer Gillard & Jason Manning

Lake Superior Division Alpine

– Dave Bradley

National Capital Division

– Tonya Hughes

Northern Ontario Division

– Bill Goulding

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DIVISIONS AND SKI CLUBS

AOA is made up of **four divisions, 35 ski clubs** and **over 5,000 registered members**, representing approximately 30,000 extended family members including parents, coaches, volunteers, officials and corporate partners.

FOUR AOA DIVISIONS

National Capital Division (NCD)
Northern Ontario Division (NOD)

Lake Superior Division Alpine (LSDA)
Southern Ontario Division (SOD)

ONTARIO DIVISIONS



SOD - SKI CLUBS

- Alpine Ski Club
- Batawa Ski Club
- Beaver Valley Ski Club
- Blue Mountain Racing Jozo Weider
- Brimacombe Ski Club
- Caledon Ski Club
- Chicopee Ski Club
- Craigleith Ski Club
- Devil's Glen Country Club
- Georgian Peaks Ski Club
- Glacier Ski Club
- Hockley Valley Resort
- London Ski Club
- Mansfield Ski Club
- Milton Heights Racing Club
- Muskoka Ski Club
- National Ski Academy
- North York Alpine Race Club
- Osler Bluff Ski Club
- Radius Ski Club
- Snow Valley Ski Club
- The Heights Ski & Country Club
- Toronto Ski Club

NOD - SKI CLUBS

- Adanac Ski Club
- Elliot Lake Ski Racers
- Elite Alpine Ski Cross North Bay
- North Bay Antoine Ski Racers Inc
- Searchmont Ski Runners
- Timmins Ski Club

NCD - SKI CLUBS

- Calabogie Ski Racing
- Camp Fortune Ski Club
- Ottawa Alpine Ski Sports

LSDA - SKI CLUB

- Nor'westers Alpine Ski Club
- Port Arthur Ski Club
- TBFast

Southern Ontario Division Updates

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Bill Goulding



National Capital Division
Tonya Hughes



THE VALUE OF SKI RACING STUDY

Objective: build a national evidence base to strengthen partnerships with ski areas and support the balanced growth of ski racing.

PURPOSE

- Quantify how racing drives ski area demand: **skier-days, spending, engagement and season participation**
- Give Alpine Ontario **shared measures** for evidence-based resort conversations

WHY WE DID THIS

- Resorts face **congestion, affordability perceptions and peak-period demand**
- Racing is seen as reliable demand, but **its size and drivers were never quantified**

JOIN THE FULL PRESENTATION

Wednesday, October 21st 4PM

By zoom:

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/81379367482?pwd=aRcCHKOnrYDab02QmrhXOVliKTQvgC.1>



PTSO ROLES AND RESPONSIBILITIES



Ontario's Sport Recognition Policy sets out the mandatory requirements provincial sport organizations and multi-sport organizations must meet to be recognized by the province.

PSO RESPONSIBILITIES

- ✓ developing their sports
- ✓ providing a competitive pathway for athlete development
- ✓ selecting provincial teams
- ✓ recruiting and training coaches, officials and volunteers
- ✓ conducting provincial championships
- ✓ ensuring they operate within their National Sport Organization (NSO) rules

FOR THE PUBLIC, A PROVINCIALLY RECOGNIZED PSO/MSO PROVIDES

- Assurance the organization operates in a safe and effective manner
- follows national standards when developing and offering a sport
 - offers high quality programs to their members
 - has certified coaches and officials
 - has established risk management policies (discipline, harassment, anti-doping, screening for volunteers etc.)
 - is working to promote participation from under-represented populations in Ontario

STRATEGIC PLAN INTERVAL REPORT



As an organization we must drive forward with resolve and agility, understanding that our tactics and progress will be continuously assessed, adjusted and improved. A good plan is simply just the beginning.

The AOA strategic plan interval report is aimed to help showcase progress against the priorities set forth in our 2023-2028 strategic plan.

AREAS OF FOCUS



PRIMARY OBJECTIVES

- I. A growing ski racing community that embraces inclusiveness and belonging
- II. A trusted growth and development pathway that delivers value and performance success
- III. AOA supporting coach and officials development across the province
- IV. Commitment to excellence in governance, financials and operations

STRAT PLAN ADVISORY GROUP



29 KEY ACTIONS

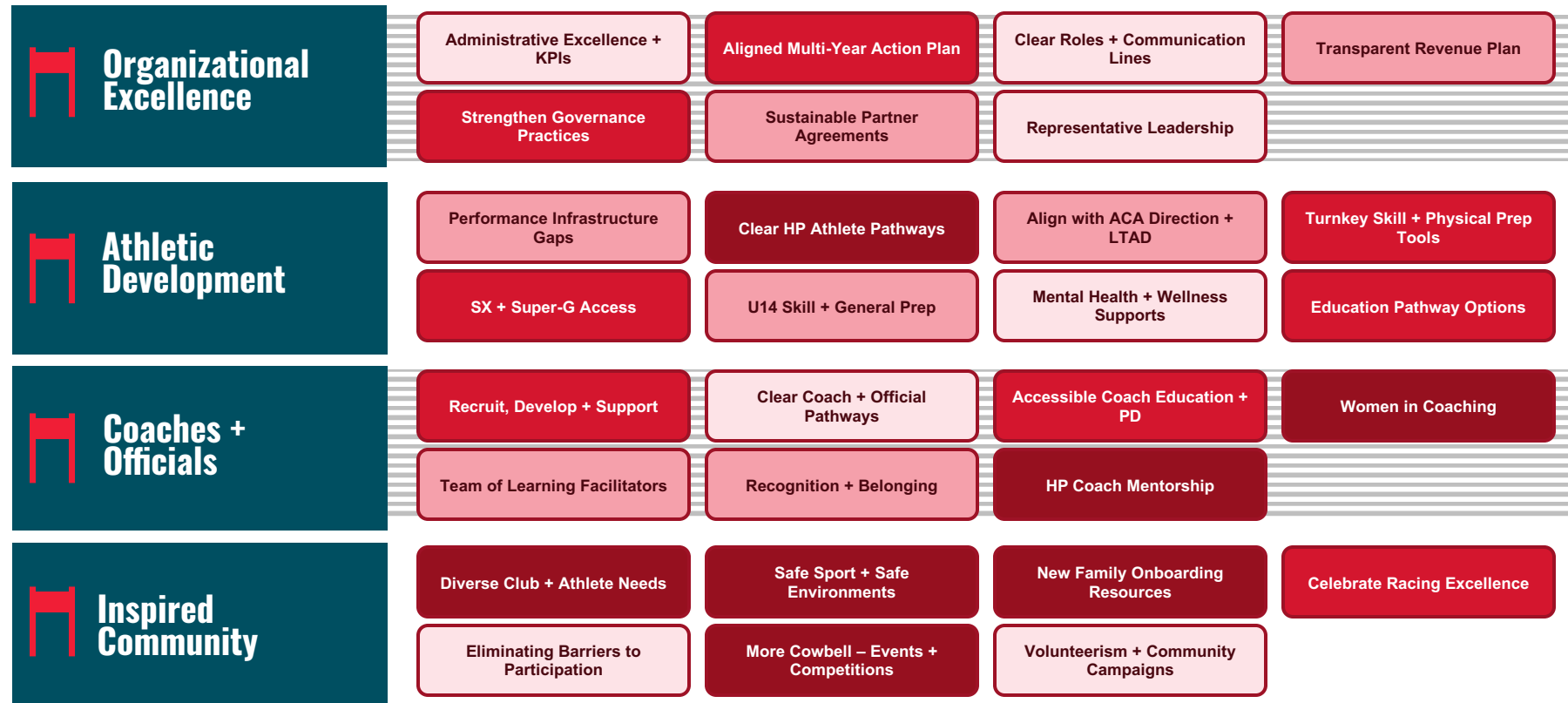
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MOST TACTICS  FEWEST

HEATMAPS OF ACTIONED AREAS OF FOCUS (2023 to AUG '26)

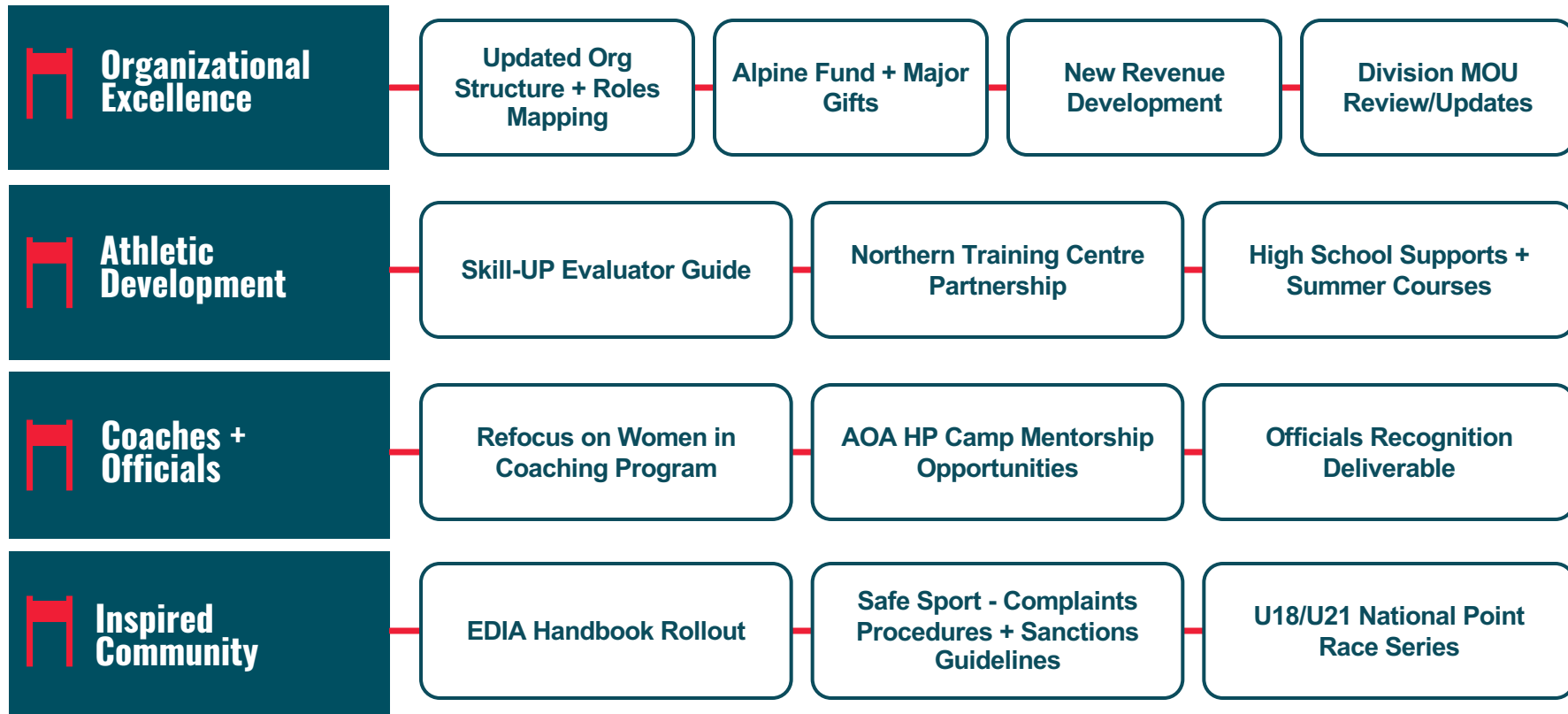


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2026-27 PRIORITY ACTIONS + TACTICS





ACCESS TAX RECEIPTING FOR CLUB INITIATIVES OR INFRASTRUCTURE

Did you know that you can access **tax receipting** as a club member of Alpine Ontario through the **National Sport Trust Fund**?

HOW IT WORKS

- Ontario Sport Network, the Provincial Sport Organizations Council, is a **partner of the National Sport Trust Fund (NSTF)**
- PSOs and their members can set up **revenue generation programs**
- Qualifying donations receive a **charitable tax receipt**

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clubs currently run NSTF projects for ski hill lighting

KEVIN DRURY — Val Thorens, France Winner

Program details: ontariosportnetwork.ca/nstf/about

NEXT MEETINGS

Zoom 3:30 – 4:30 p.m

#2 Nov 11 2026 3:30

#3 Dec 9 2026 3:30

#4 Jan 13 2026 3:30

#5 Feb 10 2026 3:30

#6 Mar 10 2026 3:30

#7 Apr 14 2026 3:30





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