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Tawatinaw Valley Freeriders Club Competition – March 2-4, 2018

MOGULS – SLOPESTYLE

The Tawatinaw Valley Freeriders (TVFR) are pleased to host AFSA's third Club Competition at Pine Valley Resort (Tawatinaw Valley Alpine and Nordic Centre) March 2-4, 2018.

This competition is suitable for Learn-to-Train and early Train-to-Train athletes within CFSA LTAD guidelines. To ensure that all athletes get 2 runs in each of the mogul and slopestyle events, **registration will be capped at 90 athletes.**

Competition venues will be as follows:

- A slopestyle course with a variety of features at the top for different skill levels, and two jump tables on the lower section. Younger athletes may opt to hit the knuckle of the bottom set of jumps.
- A modified Aussie Rules format mogul course with a short top section, first jump, long center section, second jump and few or no moguls in the final section. U8 athletes will start at the first jump table.
- Event schedule is currently set with moguls on Saturday, March 3rd and slopestyle on Sunday, March 4th. This schedule is dependent on weather conditions and may be subject to change.
- Coaches should ensure that all athletes registering for the event can safely ski the venues.

Registration:

Registration deadline is **Wednesday, February 21, 2018** with a cap of 90 athletes/event. Please submit one registration form per club along with name(s) of coach(es) to registrar.tvfr@gmail.com



Entry Fees:

\$100 per athlete for two events. \$60 per athlete for a single event. We highly encourage all athletes to participate in both events to develop their freestyle skills.

Payment:

Each club's team representative or coach is required to submit payment, providing ONE team cheque for registration, lift tickets, and banquet on Friday March 2nd. Please register in the race office located in the brown wood building south of the chalet. Look for the registration signs. Registration packages will be distributed upon receipt of payment. If you have any registration questions, please e-mail TVFR registrar D'Arcy Page-Macyk at registrar.tvfr@gmail.com

Schedule:

Friday March 2nd

- 9:00 am – 3:00 pm Registration in race office – Brown wood building south of the main chalet. Look for the registration signs
- 10:00 am – 12:30pm Slopestyle/Mogul Training – must have qualified air coach on jump site – bibs required
- 1:30 pm – 4:00pm Slopestyle/Mogul Training – must have qualified air coach on jump site – bibs required
- 4:30 pm Team leaders' meeting in race office

Saturday March 3rd EVENT: Moguls

- 8:00 am – 9:30 am Registration in race office
- 8:45 am -9:00 am Course Inspection
- 9:00 am – 9:45 am Official Mogul Training
- 10:00 am – 4:00 pm Mogul Competition Runs 1 & 2
- 1:00 pm – 3:30 pm Slopestyle Training – must have a qualified air coach on jump site – bibs required
- 4:00 pm Team Leaders' Meeting in Race Office
- 6:00 pm – 9:00 pm Banquet, Silent Auction & Awards at the Westlock Memorial Hall

Sunday March 4th EVENT: Slopestyle

- 8:00 am – 9:30 am Registration in race office
- 8:45 am -9:00 am Course Inspection
- 9:00 am – 9:45 am Official Slopestyle Training
- 10:00 am – 3:00 pm Slopestyle Competition Runs 1 & 2
- 3:30 pm Awards

Bibs: Must be worn for training. Clubs are asked to provide their own athletes with bibs and indicate each athlete's bib number on the registration form by the February 21st registration deadline. If clubs do not have access to bibs, TVFR have a limited number of extras that can be loaned. A deposit of \$20/bib in the form of a separate cheque or cash is required for all loaned bibs and will be refunded upon bib return.

**Bios:**

Please submit completed athlete bios at time of registration. Bio sheet is included in the invitation email.

Lift Tickets:

Competitors/Coaches (full days for the half day rate)	3-day	2-day	1-day
Adult	\$72	\$48	\$24
Youth (5 – 17 years)	\$54	\$36	\$18

Team Coaches: For every 10 athletes registered from your club, 1 complementary 3-day lift pass is available for a team coach. Additional coaches' lift tickets can be purchased at the rates listed above.

Please pre-order all athlete and coach lift tickets on the team registration form. Tickets will be distributed to the team representative/coach Friday morning in the race office.

A limited number of complementary lift tickets are available for parents/supporters who volunteer for event positions that requiring the individual to be on skis.

Walking passes are required for all spectators and volunteers not on skis. Complementary 3-day walking passes can be picked up from the race office - brown building south of the chalet.

Non-competitor lift tickets can be purchased from the ticket office inside the main chalet.

Volunteers:

Without volunteers, we cannot run a successful event. We always welcome help from parents of other clubs. If you would like to help, please use the link below to sign up.
www.volunteersignup.org/78FC8

Banquet – Saturday March 3rd

The banquet will be held at the Westlock Memorial Hall, located at 106 Street & 99 Avenue, Westlock, Alberta. Banquet ticket prices: \$25 per adult, \$18 for children 5 - 12 years, 4 years and under – free. We will be hosting a **cash bar** with wine, coolers and beer. Doors open at 6:00 with dinner at 6:30 PM. Awards to follow. There will also be a silent auction, with payment accepted by **cash or cheque only**.

Banquet tickets must be paid for at registration, with no refunds. Tickets will be distributed in each team's registration package. Capacity of the hall is 240 people. We will assign tables to teams based on the number of banquet tickets purchased.

Athlete CFSA License/Membership:

All athletes must have a valid CFSA license/membership to compete.



Event Cancellation:

If an event is cancelled on the weekend of the event, each athlete registered will be refunded all but \$20 of the total entry fee. This is because the organizing committee still needs to pay the officials a portion of their compensation.

Injury Refund:

Should an athlete get injured during training for the event and cannot compete, the athlete will be refunded all applicable registration fees except a \$20 administration fee. Injured athletes must be a scratch at previous day's team leaders meeting to be eligible for a refund. An injury refund request must be accompanied by a CFSA accident report from the coach. Requests for refunds for other extraordinary circumstances will be considered at the discretion of the organizing committee.

Liability and Accident Insurance:

All athletes, officials and other members who attend and participate in the event shall do so at their own risk. Competitors are required to have his/her own medical and life insurance and a valid competitor license. The organizing committee, Tawatinaw Valley Freeriders, Pine Valley Resort - Tawatinaw Valley Alpine & Nordic Centre, the Alberta Freestyle Skiing Association, and the Canadian Freestyle Ski Association shall not be responsible for accidents, injuries, damaged equipment and/or second or third party claims during the staging of the event.

General Information:

Chalet: The chalet cafeteria will offer a daily breakfast and lunch menu (7:30am-4:00pm). Please note: there is no microwave available in the chalet. Debit/credit can be used for purchases from the ski hill, but there is no ATM on site. Please have cash or cheque available to pay for any other purchases from TVFR (ie. raffle tickets, swag, and silent auction items).

Accommodations: A block of rooms has been reserved at each of the following locations. Reservations must be made by **February 15, 2018** to receive a preferred rate; tell them you are booking for the Tawatinaw Valley Freestyle Ski Competition.

The Lodge at Pine Valley Resort – located behind the Pine Valley Hall in the Tawatinaw Valley; down the road from the ski hill.

This is a dormitory/hostel-type lodging with shared bathrooms/shower areas. There is one bathroom per floor, so you may have to go up or down a floor to find the right bathroom.

There are two types of rooms for lodging: bunk rooms with 4 single bunk beds (8 beds), and double bunk rooms with 1 double bunk bed (2 beds). Each floor of the lodge has a mix of single bunk rooms and double bunk rooms. Please let them know in advance if you would like your club to be on the same floor - they will do their best to accommodate your request.



The single bunks are \$25/bed without bedding, and \$40/bed with bedding.
The double bunks are \$70/bed without bedding, and \$100/bed with bedding.

Without bedding means you will have to bring your own blankets or sleeping bags, and pillow. **With bedding** includes blankets, flat and fitted sheet, pillow with pillowcase, and towel. Please note that the bedding will be folded and left on the end of the bed.

In the basement, there is a basic kitchen unit available to anyone staying overnight in the lodge. They recommend all guests bring along their own utensils, pots/pans and paper plates. A theatre and classroom area also available, as well as a telephone to make any outgoing calls. This is a shared facility so you are asked to clean up after yourself. Please be respectful in sharing the dorm and kitchen facilities, as other groups will be attending this weekend.

Reservations/questions please contact:

Dom Kriangkum www.pvralberta.com www.skipinevalleyresort.com (780) 698-2212

Westlock Inn, 10411-100 Street, 1-780-349-4483/1-888-768-9959,
www.westlockinn.com

Rates: Double occupancy room with 2 queen beds, \$99.95/night + tax. Includes 2 daily hot breakfasts. Double occupancy rooms can accommodate 2 adults and 2 children at no extra charge; number of breakfasts included remains at 2.

Ramada, 11311-100 Street, 1-780-349-2245/1-800-854-9517,
www.ramada.com/Westlock

2-Queen or 1 standard King occupancy rooms are \$119.99/night + tax, swimming pool with water slide on grounds. Please note the Ramada website usually has better deals than the local hotel is able to offer.

Quality Inn & Suites, 10520-100 Street, 1-780-349-4102/1-800-780-7234.
www.qualityinnwestlock.guestreservations.com

Rates: standard room with 2 double or queen beds \$89.00/night + tax.

Suite rooms \$ 116.00/night + tax

Includes daily hot breakfast