

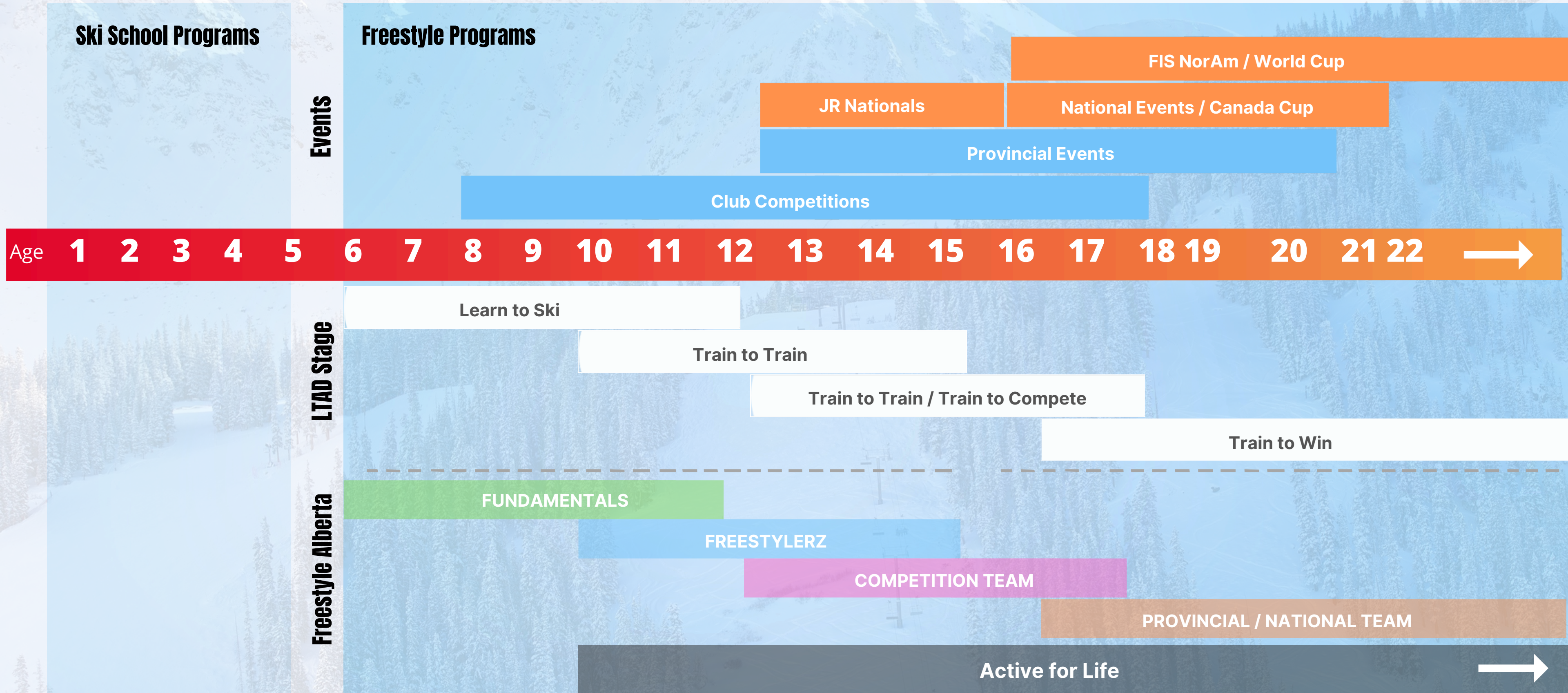
Events Structure

2024-25





Athletic Pathway





Club Competitions

Purpose

- Introduction to the competition environment
- Experience other resorts, venues, and facilities and meet peers
- Strengthen and grow our Freestyle community
- Modified format allows athletes to ski more, develop foundational skills, and have fun
- Opportunity for host, clubs & resorts to gain event experience before hosting a provincial tour event
- Opportunity to train judges, and officials, and provide hands-on experience
- Opportunity for host resort to gain experience w/ facilities before hosting a provincial tour

Athlete Profile

- U8 to U16 (7-15 years old) Sport for Life LTAD
- Fundamentals to Freestylerz
- Learn to Train
- Learn to train phase is characterized by accelerated dev of coordination & fine motor skills
- New athletes of all ages
- No specialization at this stage. Recreational



Provincial Competitions

Purpose

- Expose athletes to the provincial stage of competition and venues
- Introduce athletes to standardized judging formats and scoring
- Opportunity to train higher level judges, and officials
- Opportunity for resorts and clubs to gain experience, hosting higher level events
- Provincial ranking (RPA points) used to qualify athletes for junior nationals, and other national level events (IE. Canada Cup)

Athlete Profile

- U14 to U20 (12-19 years old) Sport for Life LTAD
- Freestylers and Competitive Team. Train to Train
- Prior experience in a club competition setting
- The athlete has shown physical competency and mental readiness for next level
- The athlete has a desire to qualify for junior nationals and other national level events
- Top level likely specializing at this point



National Competitions

Purpose

- Junior Nationals, Canada Cup, Canadian Championships
- FIS Level Events : Apex Classic, Canadian Championships, NorAm, World Cup
- Athletes must qualify through PSO/NSO ranking system
- National / International scoring, judging and formats
- Highest quality of venues governed by National level officials
- Compete against the best in Canada

Athlete Profile

- U14 to U20 (12-19 years old) Sport for Life LTAD
- Competitive Team. Learn to Compete, Train to Compete
- Prior experience in a provincial competition setting
- The athlete has shown physical competency and mental readiness for next level
- The athlete has a desire to qualify for provincial / national teams



Events Calendar

Club Competitions 2024-25

Event	Date	Location	Events
Mogul Fest Club Comp	February 1-2	Canyon Ski Area	MO/DM x 2
Rundle Rumble Club Comp	January 25-26	Banff Mt. Norquay	MO/SS
Castle Mtn. Freestyle Club Comp	March 8-9	Castle Mountain	MO/SS
Edmonton Ski Club Club Comp	March 1-2	Sunridge Ski Resort	MO/DM/SS
Jasper Freeride Club Comp	April 5-6	Marmot Basin	MO/SS



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Event Host	Date	Location	Events
Calgary Freeriders Challenge	January 17-19	WinSport	HP/SS/SS
Mogul Fest Provincials	February 1-2	Canyon Ski Area	MO/DM
TBD	February 8-9	Canyon Ski Area	MO/SS
Alberta Championships	March 27-30	WinSport	MO/DM/HP/SS



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HP Rodeo FIS World Cup	February 14-16	WinSport	HP/HP
WinSport FIS NorAm	March 7-9	WinSport	HP/SS
Canadian Junior Nationals	March 14-16	WinSport	HP/SS/BA



Events Structure

LTAD Stage

Learn to Train

Club Competition Series

- Introduction to competitions Slopestyle and Moguls
- Recreational
- Intermediate Terrain
- Participation based
- Focus on Freestyle learning
- Simplified Judging formats

Train to Train

Alberta Provincial Events

- Standardized Judging formats
- Moguls, Slopestyle, Halfpipe
- Provincial Ranking
- Larger competition venues
- Learning to Compete
- Qualifying Events for Junior Nationals and Canada Cup

Train to Train / Train to Compete

Canada Cup & Junior Nationals

- High Performance Experience
- Steppingstone to FIS level events
- Freestyle Canada National Ranking HPP

Train to Compete

FIS International Events

- FIS ranking
- National/Int'l Ranking
- High Performance Events
- Bigger Venues
- Select Athlete Pool
- Top PSO Athletes
- Freestyle Canada manages athlete selection criteria

