

WIJARA Finale 2024

Feb 24- Giant Slalom Feb 25- Slalom

Saturday Giant Slalom Start Order:

1-2 run race in AM 1-1 run race in PM

Bumpbuster: Girls U14, U16, U18, U20 followed by Boys U14, U16, U18, U20

Twister: Girls U12, U10, U8 followed by Boys U12, U10, U8

Sunday Slalom Start Order:

1-1 run race in AM 1-1 run race in PM

Bumpbuster: Girls U14, U16, U18, U20 followed by Boys U14, U16, U18, U20

Twister: Girls U12, U10, U8 followed by Boys U12, U10, U8

Daily Race Schedule

6:30 am Lift B will open for Course Setters and Race Officials Only 6:30 am Outside Lift Ticket Windows open 7:50 am Course inspection by the officials 7:45 am Lifts A & B open for Racers Gatekeepers meeting in race building at the bottom of Chair B 8:00 am 8:00 am Course inspection for racers by team 8:00-8:10 Hidden Valley & Snowstar 8:10-8:20 Cascade 8:20-8:30 Tyrol & Blackhawk 8:30-8:40 Wilmot & Chestnut 8:40-8:50 Sundown & Four Lakes

8:50 am Course inspection Closes

8:50 am Forerunners/ Gatekeepers in place on respective race hills

9:00 am Races begin!

Fun run for seniors! A post-run (fun run) will begin after final U20 athlete formal racing concludes on **Sunday**. Close out your WIJARA career in style! If athletes want to send narratives or stories for announcers to read off they can email Lori Sturm (Igsturm@icloud.com) from Blackhawk to help coordinate.

Notes:

- Classes U8 and U10 may slip the course if required. All others must inspect from outside the course.
- Scoreboards with unofficial results will be posted at the bottom of each hill. <u>Contact your coach</u> if you have a concern regarding a DQ, DNF or time. Your coach will discuss the infraction with the Jury (Referee, TD and/or Chief of Race).

Lift Tickets:

Lift Tickets can be pre-purchased online: https://shop.tyrolbasin.com/racetickets.

Online and in person tickets can be picked up on Friday (2/23) from 8:00-10:00pm and Saturday & Sunday starting at 6:30am at the ticket office windows.

Please email tickets@tyrolbasin.com with any questions regarding lift tickets.

Ticket prices are as follows:

Adults (13+): 1-day pass \$50; 2-day pass \$90 Youth (6-12): 1 day pass \$40; 2-day pass \$70

Gatekeepers:

- All gatekeepers must be in place and ready at 8:50 am. We will not begin racing until all gatekeepers are in position.
- <u>Gatekeepers meeting</u> will be held in the new race building (at the bottom of Lift B) at 8:00 am each morning. Gatekeeper tickets will be distributed at the meeting each day. Head Gatekeeper: Steve Cohan & Jacob Hanson

Coaches' packets:

- Lift Tickets will be provided by the host venue for coaches (one ticket per 10 racers up to a maximum of four tickets).
- Team packets may be picked up in the new race building (bottom of Chair B), starting at 7am.
- WIJARA radios will be located in the race building as well for all officials. All teams should have at least one coach with a WIJARA radio for race communications.

Rules of the Hill for Racers:

A & B lift will open for racers and coaches at 7:45 am. It is important that all persons on the mountain follow the "slow ski zones", specifically on Nisse Sti. Any person found skiing too fast in these zones will have their ticket pulled and will not be able to ski or race any further. Coaches please make this information very clear to your racers and their families.

Skis must be kept behind the spectator fencing. We need to make sure there is a clear path at the bottom of lift B to ensure that ski patrol and other skiers have a path at the bottom of the run to the lifts. Please use the ski racks located outside of the race building.

Spectators

All spectators need to remain in the designated areas *behind the fencing* at the bottom of the race courses.

Tents:

Tents will not be allowed anywhere in the base area (in the case of inclement weather they may be used for shelter only).

Food and Beverage:

Food and Beverage service will be available for purchase at the race building located at the bottom of Chair B (cash only).

No carry-in alcohol of any kind is permitted on the premises at Tyrol Basin, this includes the parking lot. There will be zero tolerance for this. If caught, you will be asked to leave immediately, will not be issued a refund and will be reported to the WIJARA board. No carry-in food of any kind is permitted in the chalet or base area.

Parking:

The 1st upper lot will be closed until 8:45am each morning. Upon arriving, pull into the main driveway where you will be directed by a staff member to go onto the service road. There will be two drop off locations where staff will direct cars to *pull off the driveway* to allow other vehicles to continue to the 2nd upper lot for parking. Please be respectful of employees and follow directions given by parking attendants. *Do not block off parking spots for tables, tents, etc.*

When leaving, be mindful of picking up racers and loading equipment. There is no parking along the driveway or the end of upper lot 1 in order to alleviate congestion and allow emergency vehicle access.

Awards, Announcements:

- We ask that parents, coaches, and older athletes please help clear courses and break down finish areas immediately following the race conclusion. Please help us start awards promptly by assisting with breakdown of the race arenas. THANK YOU in advance.
- Awards will follow each day's racing events on the Tyrol Basin Sundeck, above the ticket office.
 - Saturday's awards include daily age classes, team, 2023 Move-Up Champions as well as new WIJARA Leadership Awards.
 - Sunday's awards include season points trophies and the Final TEAM Trophies for the
 2023 Season and Fastest Female and Male individual athlete across the weekend.

Text Message Updates (Remind App)

Bump Buster (U14 and up): Text @racebump to 81010 http://www.remind.com/join/racebump

Twister (U12 and under): Text @racetwist to 81010 http://www.remind.com/join/racetwist

Race Officials:

*Indicates Jury for each Venue. Note these should be six distinct individuals (three per venue); officials should hold WIJARA radios at all times.

Venue A. Bumpbuster (U14 and up athletes)

*TD: Taylor Pinero (Chestnut)

*Chief of Race: Bryan Feltz (Tyrol Basin)

*Referee: Steve Cohan (Blackhawk)

Chief of Course: Jim Lease (Tyrol Basin)

Assistant Referee: Jordan VonBehren (Blackhawk)

Chief of timing: Mark Pinero (WIJARA) Start Referees: Peter Fuhrken (Tyrol Basin) Finish Referee: Chad Oistad (Blackhawk)

Venue B. Twister (U12 and below athletes)

*TD: Tara Hunt (Tyrol Basin)

*Chief of Race: Jenny Dahlberg (Blackhawk)

*Referee: David Gabrielse (Four Lakes)

Chief of Course: Sara Burke (Tryol Basin)

Assistant Referee: Sarah Breckenridge O'Connor (Blackhawk)

Chief of timing: Brooke Hanson (Tyrol Basin) Start Referees: Taylor VonBehren (Blackhawk)

Finish Referee: TBD (Blackhawk)