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Benefiting Ski & Snowboard Club Vail

2018 Helly Hansen Town Series Information & Rules

*Helly Hansen and Ski & Snowboard Club Vail (SSCV) welcome you to the 51st Annual Vail Town Race Series!
All proceeds of the Town Race Series benefit the youth programs offered by Ski & Snowboard Club Vail,
the Vail Valley's oldest youth non-profit organizations.*

GENERAL INFORMATION

ENTRY FEES

Individuals: \$20.00/race or \$100.00/series (all 6 race days)

Teams: \$400.00/team for the series – teams may include a **maximum of 8 people**

RACE DATES/LOCATIONS/APRES PARTY LOCATION

Thursday, January 10	BooBoo/Afterthought Giant Slalom - The George
Thursday, January 24	Golden Peak Main Arena Dual Giant Slalom – Pazzo's Vail
Thursday, February 7	Golden Peak Main Arena Dual Giant Slalom – The Red Lion, Vail
Thursday, February 21	Golden Peak Main Arena Dual Giant Slalom – The Fitz, Manor Vail
Thursday, March 21	Golden Peak Main Arena Dual Giant Slalom – Pazzo's Vail
Thursday, March 28	GS & "Super George" Town Championship - The George

RACE LOCATION

All races will be held at Golden Peak.

START TIME

Registration: 11:30am – 12:30pm on race – 2nd floor of Race City (green building at bottom of Golden Peak)

Day of Registration closes at 12:30pm

Race Start: 1:00pm

APRÈS Party: 4:00pm



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ADDITIONAL RACE INFORMATION

BIBS

Race bibs will be provided and must be returned at the end of each race. Bib order is based on a first come first serve basis with racers on teams and season-registered competitors starting first. All racers must race with their assigned bib number.

EQUIPMENT

- Helmets are mandatory for all competitors. **No facemask's allow on helmets.**
- Speed suits will be allowed on race competitors but are not necessary.

TEAM ELIGIBILITY

- Teams may have **A MAXIMUM of eight participants on the roster.**
- Racers may only compete on one team for the entire series.
- Substitutes are not allowed.** All teams must remain consistent throughout the series **i.e. no alternating team members.** The eight people who sign up as a team are the only people who may race for that team all season. Racers can only ski under their name.
- Team Results are calculated based on best 4 racers.
- Overall results are calculated based on best 5 of 8 results.
- Teams have two categories – Pro (all alpine) and Motley Crew (any combination of disciplines).

DISQUALIFICATIONS

- Missing a gate.
- Accepting any assistance while on the course.
- Running the course, or “shadowing” the course prior to the event.
- Taking an unapproved rerun.
- Giving false registration information, or competing in the place of another competitor.
- Wearing the wrong bib, or the bib of another competitor.
- Loss of a ski while on course.
- Unauthorized running of the course after the event
- Racing the same course twice will result in a disqualification of the second run taken.
- At the discretion of the Race Department Manager or Supervisor on Duty.
- Additional rules for disqualification are listed in the FIS ICR and will be enforced in this league as they apply.
- Tele skiers must drop knee a full 90 degrees while turning around each gate.** This rule is based on the honor system, but if a racer is seen running course illegally (i.e. with knee dropping less than 90 degrees,) they are subject to disqualification. Repetitive abuse of rule is subject to seasonal disqualification.



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SCORING

-Each racer will complete two runs; the better of the times will be used for scoring purposes. Each place will be awarded World Cup from their respective categories.

-Team aggregate totals will be calculated from the four racers with the highest awarded individual World Cup points from their respective categories.

-Points will be accumulated for all races in the series and the series overall will be calculated based on the 6 races from the year. The overall team and individual winners will be awarded at the final après race party on March 28. In the event of an overall tie; winner will be determined by the standings of the final race on March 28.

World Cup points will be awarded as follows:

<u>PLACE</u>	<u>MEN'S ALPINE PRO</u>	<u>MEN'S ALPINE SPORT</u>	<u>WOMEN'S ALPINE</u>	<u>SNOWBOARD</u>	<u>TELEMARK</u>
1	20	15	15	10	10
2	17	14	14	9	9
3	14	13	13	8	8
4	12	12	12	7	7
5	11	11	11	6	6
6	10	10	10	5	5
7	9	9	9	4	4
8	8	8	8	3	3
9	7	7	7	2	2
10	6	6	6	1	1
11	5	5	5		
12	4	4	4		
13	3	3	3		
14	2	2	2		
15	1	1	1		

However if you have a DNS, DNF, or DSQ you will not receive world cup points.



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-The Helly Hansen Town Series is meant to be fun and safe for all racers. Although these are competitive events, safety comes first! NO POOR SPORTSMANSHIP OR UNSAFE SKIING/RIDING WILL BE TOLERATED. SSCV reserves the right to disqualify riders on these grounds.

-Racers can register for the entire series or for individual races. Only racers who register for the entire series will receive series points.

-Racers may choose to change categories (Pro or Sport at any time, however, we encourage racers to move up to Pro competitive category after TWO first place finishes.

-If you permanently change categories, you will start accruing points in your new category. If you switch categories for only one race, you will not receive points for the single race.

-Individuals who are not part of a team may race throughout the season whenever they wish. They will also be eligible for the overall individual awards.

2017 Categories

Individual, Alpine Men Pro (Please select at registration)

Individual, Alpine Men Sport (Please select at registration)

Individual, Alpine Women

Individual, Snowboard Men

Individual, Snowboard Women

Individual, Telemark Men

Individual, Telemark Women

Team Competition Motley Crew (mixture of disciplines: Alpine, Snowboard, Telemark)

Team Competition Pro (Alpine only)