

Monday October 5 - Friday October 9, 2020 Cardrona Alpine Resort

The Cardrona Snowsport NZ Junior Freestyle Nationals is back to wrap up a crazy winter with a full week of competition for up and coming New Zealand freestyle ski and snowboard athletes. All competitors must be current members of Snow Sports NZ prior to registering for any events. For more information, visit snowsports.co.nz and enter online today. Entries for this event may be limited.

EVENT SCHEDULE

Sunday October 4	Teams Captain's meeting 1pm - 6pm at Snow Sports NZ office 78 Andersons Rd, Wanaka
Monday October 5	Smith Skier-cross & K2 Snowboard Freeride
Tuesday October 6	Smith Boarder-cross & K2 Ski Freeride
Wednesday October 7	Salomon Ski & Snowboard Halfpipe
Thursday October 8	Salomon Ski & Snowboard Slopestyle
Friday October 9	Weather postponement day

* Schedule for each day is always TBC, course choice discussion & final decision at Team Captain's meeting

AGE DIVISIONS

	Year of Birth
U8	2014 & 2013
U10	2012 & 2011
U12	2010 & 2009
U14	2008 & 2007
U16	2006 & 2005
U18	2004 & 2003

EVENT REGISTRATION

Entry can only be completed online after SSNZ membership has been completed and paid. Competitors will receive confirmation once entry has been received. Please ensure all contact details are included to enable follow up enquiries. Entries close 5pm Wednesday, September 30, 2020 and late entries may not be accepted.

TEAM CAPTAIN'S MEETING & BIB COLLECTION

Bib collection and ticketing will be available at the team captain's meeting on Sunday, October 4 between 1 - 6pm, at the Snow Sports NZ office, 78 Anderson Rd, Wanaka. There will be 2 rider's briefings: 3pm & 6pm. All competitors should attend one of these briefings or have someone who can collect their bib and represent the competitor there.

BIB RETURN - Please note competitor bibs will be assigned to athletes for the whole week. Any bibs that are not returned will incur a \$40 charge from SSNZ to replace the bib.

DAILY COMMUNICATION

Communication during the event for daily schedules and changes will be through the Cardrona SSNZ Junior Freestyle Nationals Facebook Event page. Let us know if you do not have access to social media.

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EVENT ENTRIES

Individual event entry - \$50

All events entry (4 disciplines) - \$160.

New for 2020 is that all athletes are eligible for the Overall Championship titles.

Each event discipline counts towards 25% of your overall score.

All event registration is through the Snow Sports NZ website snowsports.co.nz

LIFT PASSES

All lift passes are now available at our Spring Pass discount rates found on our website. If you plan to compete for 3 or more days, this is the best option for competitors and spectators. You can purchase these at anytime from any of our ticket office locations. We recommend purchasing your lift passes in advance to save you time at bib collection.

For competitors who are competing for only 1 or 2 days, your lift pass options are:

Child lift pass - \$50/day | Event parent pass - \$100/day

Coaches of other freestyle coaching programs are eligible for a free day pass for each day they have students competing. One FOC day pass is available for up to 8 competitors (1:8 ratio).

DAILY EVENT SCHEDULE

6.30am	Snow reports & event update (cardrona.com or Radio Wanaka)
8.30am	Lifts open for everyone
8.30/9.00am	Courses open for competitor inspection
9.15am	Competitor briefing top of course (Freeride briefings at Captains Café)
9.30am	Start of competition &/or training
3.30pm	Results & Awards Presentation (Cardrona Courtyard / Lake Wanaka Centre)

EVENT FORMATS & RULES

SX/SBX: No race suits. International rules for SX & SBX clothing apply. One run time trial qualifier. Top 25 - 50% of the field progress through to Semis & Finals (dependent on size of fields). All race protests must be made IMMEDIATELY at the race finish line or to the Chief of Course within 30 minutes of the incident.

Freeride: No man-made features allowed on course. One judged run (straight finals).

Halfpipe: Two judged runs best score counts (straight finals).

Slopestyle: Two judged runs best score counts (straight finals).

WEATHER POSTPONEMENTS

Friday, October 9 will be used as a weather day for any postponed events during the week. If a day of competition is cancelled the full event schedule will shift back a day. If multiple days of competition are postponed the program will be rescheduled to accommodate as many disciplines as possible through the week.

AFTER FUNCTION & PRIZE GIVING

Held at the Lake Wanaka Centre Friday, October 9.

The time will be confirmed on Thursday, October 8.