



**Western Region
Topolino Shootout Camp
January 21-24, 2010
Park City, UT**

For 2010, Western Region will hold a Topolino Shootout Camp, January 21-24, 2010 to select the top male and female athlete to represent Western Region at the National Development System (NDS) Topolino project. Selections for the Western Region Topolino Shootout Camp will be made from the 2009 J3 Junior Olympics held in McCall, ID. The top 15 men and top 15 women who raced as J3s and will remain J3s for the 2010 season will be ranked using the "old" 25-1 world cup scoring system. All three events will be scored. In the case of a tie(s) for the 15th position all tied athletes will be included in the invitation. Counting down the list, four alternate athletes will be ranked. In the case of athletes declining the invitation alternates may be included in the camp. All J4 athletes qualifying to the NDS Junior Champions Camp will be included in the invitation to participate in the Western Region Topolino Shootout Camp. The Regional Director will have a quota of up to 4 men and 4 women. All Western Region J3 competitors are eligible for consideration. Intent to compete is due into the Western Region office by December 1, 2009.

The format of the event will be one day of training focused on event preparation in both GS and SL followed by one day of SL time trails (3 runs) and one day of GS time trail (3 runs). Each run (3) will be scored separately using the "old" 25-1 world cup scoring system where the fastest time receives 25 points and the 15th fastest time receives 1 point. This system is described in detail in the USSA Competition Guide. The final ranking list is determined by adding the points of the best two runs of GS and the best two runs of SL together for each racer. The sum of these points from GS and SL are the individual racers score. The highest total number of points scored in each gender is the time trial winner and the Western Region nomination to the NDS for the 2010 NDS Topolino competition project.

In the event of a tie for first place it will be broken in favor of the higher total number of first places in the scored runs, that is the racer with the most wins (25 points) in their best two GS and best two SL finishes is the winner; if still tied the total number of second place finishes (20 points) for the scoring runs highest number wins the tie; if still tied the total number of third place finishes (15 points) and so on continuing until one of the tied racers has a majority of some placing.





Additionally, all Western Region athletes selected as candidates to Topolino will be automatics to the J3 Junior Olympics, provided they attend the NDS Topolino competition project. They will be considered to be the Regional Directors quota and be seeded between the first and second seeds (unless they have also qualified via their divisional route and are seeded as part of the first seed by their division). If used, they count as part of the effected divisions total allowed quota. They are meant to be a guarantee of access in the event that the racers ability to qualify to, or compete in, the J3 Junior Olympics is compromised by attending an NDS opportunity.

To confirm athlete attendance please send an e-mail to Jenn Stielow and Lester Keller by December 1, 2009 at jstielow@ussa.org and lkeller@ussa.org.

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS:

January 21, 2010	Team Captains Meeting 7:00pm @ PCST Team Offices in Resort Center @ Park City Mountain Resort
January 22, 2010	SL and GS Training on hill 8:00am -12:00pm @ Park City Mountain Resort Gym session with athletes @ new USSA Center of Excellence 3:00 – 4:30pm Team Captains Meeting 6:00pm PCST Team Offices
January 23, 2010	SL time trial (3) runs 8:00am -11:00am @ Park City Mountain Resort Educational Session @ new USSA Center of Excellence 3:00 -4:30pm Team Captains Meeting 6:00pm PCST Team Offices
January 24, 2010	GS time trial (3) runs 8:00am -11:00am Topolino athletes announced 1 hour post event in finish arena @ Park City Mountain Resort

Schedule subject to change but will be properly communicated





COST:

Camp Fee payable to Park City Ski Team	60.00
Center of Excellence Fees (15/day) payable WR	30.00
Lift Tickets payable to Park City Mountain Resort (35/day)	105.00

LODGING:

Lodging will be handled by the individual divisions and the teams attending. Please note that the Sundance Film Festival is scheduled for the same time frame as this event. Alternate cities for lodging include Salt Lake City, Midway and Heber, UT.

Best Western Landmark Inn www.bestwesternutah.com 435.649.7300

Yarrow Resort Hotel www.yarrowresort.com 435.649.7000

Park City Chamber of Commerce www.parkcityinfo.com 800.453.1360

DIRECTIONS:

USSA Center of Excellence

1 Victory Lane
Park City, UT

Located at the intersection of US 40 and SR 248, just east of Park City, UT.

Directions from Salt Lake City

- Drive east on I-80 to US 40 exit (last Park City exit)
- Merge right onto US 40 to exit 4 (second exit), SR 248
- Turn right at exit ramp stop light onto SR 248
- Turn right at next stop light
- Follow signage to Center of Excellence, which will be clearly visible

☐ Directions from Park City

- Drive east on SR 248 (Kearns Blvd.)
 - Just prior to US 40, turn left at first stop light
- Follow signage to Center of Excellence, which will be clearly visible in front of you and on left





SELECTED ATHLETES MEN:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Club</u>	<u>DIV</u>
Nicolo Monforte	Squaw Valley	FW
Nigel Elliot	PCST	IMD
Kipling Weisel	Sun Valley	IMD
Peter Papineau Jr	PCST	IMD
Max Hall	Squaw Valley	FW
Joseph Estrella	Spokane	PNSA
Charlie Klein	Sugarbowl	FW
Max Haller	Missoula	ND
Tom Swanson	Missoula	ND
KJ Savaria	Sun Valley	IMD
Ben Kanellitsas	Sun Valley	IMD
Brian Francis	Kirkwood	FW
Colin Boit	SPAC	PNSA
Tyler Wormhoudt	Mammoth	FW
Hughston Norton	Heavenly	FW

2009 J4 NDS Junior Champions Camp Invitees (WR):

<u>Name</u>	<u>Club</u>	<u>DIV</u>
Garrett Driller	Squaw Valley	FW
Addison Dvoracek	Squaw Valley	FW

ALTERNATES:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Club</u>	<u>DIV</u>
Ty Sprock	Sugarbowl	FW
Sean Lyne	Beaver Mountain	IMD
Patrick Vanderwall	CMAC	PNSA
Matt Turner	PCST	IMD





SELECTED ATHLETES WOMEN:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Club</u>	<u>DIV</u>
Anna Mounsey	TAS	PNSA
Linnea Baysinger	TAS	PNSA
Katy Greene	PCST	IMD
Madeline Johnson	Squaw Valley	FW
Anna Jobe	Whitefish	ND
Melissa Eik	Team Lyon	PNSA
Celeste Pomerantz	Squaw Valley	FW
Julia Bjorkman	Diamond Peak	FW
Josephine Hubble	McCall	IMD
Sarah Lundgren	Aleyska	AK
Karina Schwartznau	CMAC	PNSA
Mackenzie Bachmeier	CMAC	PNSA
Erin Tabish	Whitefish	ND
Megan Grassell	JHSC	IMD
Ivy Duncan	Discovery	ND

2009 J4 NDS Junior Champions Camp Invitees (WR):

<u>Name</u>	<u>Club</u>	<u>DIV</u>
Natalie Demuro	Squaw Valley	FW
Marie Johnson	Squaw Valley	FW

ALTERNATES:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Club</u>	<u>DIV</u>
Mackenzie Norwill	Loup Loup	PNSA
Sarah Powell	Alyeska	AK
Hannah Hunsaker	PCST	IMD
Mallory Kelley	Silver Run	ND

