



# ALPINE TEAM DISCOVERY 2009/2010 SEASON

*Team Discovery is the first step on the development ladder for young alpine ski racers. This team is for skiers ages 6-18. Training takes place each Saturday. Through the season our skiers benefit from a training progression taught by caring and responsible coaches who spread their knowledge and passion for ski racing. Team Discovery racers will become confident and skilled skiers all over the mountain and will begin to learn how to find speed on the race course. The fundamentals of solid skiing are introduced in the early part of the season usually outside of gates, but as the season progresses these fundamentals are tested in Giant Slalom and Slalom training and race events.. Athletes may be involved with our new local race series, the East Council United States Ski Association Youth Ski League, and if age appropriate, "Age Class" events.*

Where young racers discover the thrill and enjoyment of ski racing

**Program fees (before 10/15):**  
**Ages 6-14 \$975; Ages 15-18 \$1195**  
Includes coaching, Rocky Mt. Super Pass (under age 18), and Competition Center membership. Ages 15-18 train more gate sessions with Team Breakaway.

#### Equipment needs:

- Alpine skis (may include racing and free skiing varieties), poles, and boots (proper flex and fit very important)
- Helmets required for all training
- Speed suit encouraged for racing
- Team Winter Park annual Ski Swap October 9 & 10



Training schedule:  
On-snow training from November 21 through March 27. Training is on Saturdays from 8:30am to 3:30pm.  
Holiday training camp December 27-31 included in price.

#### Membership Requirements

⇒ *USSA /RMD Membership for YSL, Age Class, and Smartwool Races. No USSA membership required for new local series and NASTAR.*

#### Membership Age Classes

- ⇒ Age Group J4, J5 (year of birth 1997 or younger) need a "Youth" membership
- ⇒ Age Group J-3, (year of birth 1995/96 or older) need a "Student" membership
- ⇒ Age Group J1, J2 (year of birth 1994 & older), should sign up as a "Competitor" membership
- ⇒ Contact (435) 647-2666 or go to [www.ussa.org](http://www.ussa.org)  
USSA renewals due October 15, new members register prior to or upon program enrollment

#### Racing Events

Athletes will have opportunities to test their skills at events throughout the season. The "Total Team" of Parents, Coaches, and Athlete will discuss and plan based on the athletes goals, age, and ability, what events will be the highlight events this winter. Such events may include a local race series, Youth Ski League races, Smartwool Series, High School meets, J-5 Festival, NASTAR and others to be announced!

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