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MEALEY CLASSIC 2026



Searchmont, ON
Notice of Race



Races:	February 5, 2026 – Super G Training Day February 6, 2026 – Super G (x2) February 7, 2026 – Giant Slalom February 8, 2026 – Slalom
Race Start:	10:00AM (subject to change due to weather & direction from Captain's meeting)
Organization: Sanction:	Searchmont Ski Runners Inc. Alpine Ontario Alpin / Alpine Canada Alpin
Eligibility:	<p>U14; U16; U18; U20. Athletes 12 years of age or older as of Dec 31, 2025 (Born 2013) Specifically the following age categories:</p> <p>Note: <u>Advanced U12</u>(10 & 11 year olds) who participate in the preceding 3-day speed camp are welcome to register to participate in the SG and GS events only.</p> <p>Eligible U12 participation is subject to coaches' discretion and subject to quota restrictions determined by the ROC.</p> <p><u>U12 athletes will not be permitted in SL event.</u></p> <p>All athletes must be registered with AOA/ACA, signed Alpine Canada Waiver and selected by his/her division with a valid National Points Card issued by Alpine Canada.</p>
Quota:	Division and/or club quotas as established by the ROC may apply.
Registration:	Submit your race entries on alpinepoints.ca by January 30, 2026. Questions regarding this race should be submitted to David Fraser , Race Chair – fraserdave@me.com or Pierre-Michel Dufour , Chief of Calculations/Timing - pier_mich470@hotmail.com
Race Entry Fee:	\$200.00 per athlete for the division races, payable by e-transfer or cheque. Fee for eligible U12 will be \$150

	<p>Athlete Lift tickets will be an additional \$55.00/day, or \$50/day if purchased for 5 or more days between the period of February 2-8, 2026 Lift tickets are to be purchased directly from Searchmont Resort</p> <p>We recommend coordinating your clubs bulk ticket purchase in advance by contacting Searchmont resort in advance by emailing Nila at: recservices@searchmont.com and victoria@searchmont.com to arrange your tickets. Multi-day rickets are also recommended.</p>
Coach Lift Tickets:	Coach Lift tickets are 8:1 ratio. Additional passes will be the responsibility of the visiting club, athlete lift ticket prices will apply.
Coach Requirement	<p>Coaches must have:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Have a current coach membership with ACA-CSC (Canada Ski Coaches) in SnowReg - Be a licensed ACA-CSC coach in SnowReg as of Jan 31, 2026 - Be able to show proof of current ACA-CSC membership from SnowReg. Coaches can download their ACA-CSC membership card into their Apple wallet or Google wallet on their phone - Coaches may be asked by AOA or Hosting Club to verify or show accreditation to receive lift tickets or gain access to the training/racing environment at AOA sanctioned events.
Payments:	<p>Payments by E-Transfer, Credit Card or Cheque, 2 hours prior to the first Team Captain's meeting. If not paid, athlete will be removed from the event.</p> <p>Cheques: payable to Searchmont Ski Runners Inc.</p> <p>E-Transfer: Searchmont.Racing.Payments@gmail.com</p> <p>Contact Lerna Kuzuian for advance payment arrangements at lerna.kuzuian@gmail.com</p>
Protests:	Deliver Protest Form in writing with supporting video and with Protest Fee to the Race Admin. Protest Form must be accompanied by \$100.00 cash or ETF according to ICR 644.4.
Bib Deposit:	\$100.00 per team, by cheque, payable to Searchmont Ski Runners Inc. Bib deposits will be returned after all bibs have been returned.
Rules:	FIS rules and Regulations will govern and applicable ACA & AOA guidelines. Local race rules may apply.
Teams Captains Meeting:	<p>Coaches meeting at 8:00AM on Thursday February 5, 2026 at SSR Race HQ before Super G training day</p> <p>Team Captain's meeting will be held at 7:00PM on Thursday February 5, 2026 at via Zoom.</p> <p>All subsequent coaches meeting will be held at Searchmont Resort lodge meeting room immediately following awards.</p>
Seeding:	Per Alpine Ontario (AOA) Guidelines to be confirmed at Team Captain's Meeting - Live-timing.com will be used.

Results:	<p>www.alpinepoints.ca - www.live-timing.com will be used.</p> <p>Official Results will be posted on WhatsApp. All documents (start lists, DSQ shared via WhatsApp). Please use link below to join: https://chat.whatsapp.com/F6OVcSMqbRwAZORYUtHYzS</p> 														
Awards:	<p>Medals will be awarded to the top three finishes for each event daily following the race. (4th & 5th place will be acknowledged)</p> <p>Note: U18 & U20 categories will be combined for awards purposes.</p>														
Officials/ROC:	<table> <tr> <td>Race Chair:</td> <td>David Fraser fraserdave@me.com</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Chief of Race:</td> <td>Mike Moraca</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Chief of Timing:</td> <td>Pierre-Michel Dufour pier_mich470@hotmail.com</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Chief of Course:</td> <td>Sam Filice</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Race Administrator:</td> <td>Lerna Kuzuian lerna.kuzuian@gmail.com</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Chief of Gates:</td> <td>Mark Orlando</td> </tr> <tr> <td>TD:</td> <td>TBC</td> </tr> </table>	Race Chair:	David Fraser fraserdave@me.com	Chief of Race:	Mike Moraca	Chief of Timing:	Pierre-Michel Dufour pier_mich470@hotmail.com	Chief of Course:	Sam Filice	Race Administrator:	Lerna Kuzuian lerna.kuzuian@gmail.com	Chief of Gates:	Mark Orlando	TD:	TBC
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Responsibility:	<p>The Race Organizing Committee, the Searchmont Ski Runners Inc, the executive of the Searchmont Ski Runners Inc., Searchmont Ski Association Inc., Searchmont Resort, the executive of the Northern Ontario Division Alpine, Northern Ontario Division Alpine, Alpine Ontario Alpin and Alpine Canada Alpin cannot be held responsible for any accident which may occur during the event.</p>														
Hotel Information:	<p>Teams/Participants are responsible for their own accommodation arrangements. Some of the suggested providers include:</p> <p>Searchmont Resort: https://searchmont.com/suites/</p> <p>Water Tower Inn 360 Great Northern Road, Sault Ste. Marie, Ontario P6B 4Z7 Canada Hotel Direct Number: (705) 949-8111</p> <p>Mountain View Lodge 4280 Highway 556, Searchmont, Ontario POS 1J0 1-705-781-3329 or 1-866-399-3329</p> <p>Quattro Hotel and Convention Centre 229 Great Northern Road, Sault Ste. Marie, ON Tel:705-942-2500 (front desk) Web Site: Quattro Hotel & Conference Centre Sault Ste. Marie, ON (quattrossm.com)</p>														
Volunteers:	<p>Volunteers are welcome and are encouraged to contact Lerna Kuzuian, Race Administrator at lerna.kuzuian@gmail.com or 416-616-5571</p>														

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Mealey Speed Camp	<p>The speed camp will take place February 2, 3, and 4 prior to the Mealey Classic. Priority will be given to those signing up for the 3 days and the race weekend. Spaces may be limited. Please see link below to register.</p> <p>Registration:</p> <p>https://forms.gle/3LA9fM72s1vJS9Kx6</p> <p>What's App Speed Camp:</p> <p>https://chat.whatsapp.com/HcF5pcYRP19F67p3e6oYUc</p> 
Mealey Classic Shirt	<p>Mealey Classic shirt will be included for athletes participating in speed camp and race series.</p> <p>Anyone else interested in purchasing can Pre-Order the Mealey Classic Shirt for sale. Please use link below to order before JANUARY 16, 2026. Coaches, please pass on this information to your families as orders can be placed in bulk by Club name indicating number of shirts by size.</p> <p>https://forms.gle/x6m43CjH3aPtAZ2D7</p>