



## Timber Tour #2 - February 29 – March 3, 2024

### Co-hosted by the Sun Peaks Freestyle Club & Sun Peaks Resort and the Apex Freestyle Club & Apex Mountain Resort

On behalf of Sun Peaks Freestyle Club, Sun Peaks Resort, Apex Freestyle Club Apex Mountain Resort and Freestyle BC, we are pleased to invite you to attend the 2nd Timber Tour event of the 2024 competition season. Due to the unfortunate weather conditions we're experiencing across the province this winter, our plans have changed. This is freestyle, and we're adept at working with whatever Mother Nature can throw at us. It's times like these where the strength of our freestyle ski community shines, where people come together to support each other. We're immensely grateful to these Okanagan Resorts and respective clubs for ensuring our athletes have high-quality, safe, memorable competition experiences.

The following invite contains information on all events at Sun Peaks and Apex.

**Please note, that schedules and plans are subject to change.**

This Timber Tour is separated between Sun Peaks and Apex. Athletes are encouraged to compete in both; however, we understand this may pose challenges for some families. Both Resorts will also host their own Super Youth events. Schedules will be built to allow athletes the opportunity to participate in all disciplines.

#### **Sun Peaks Resort - Thursday, February 29th to Friday, March 1st**

Sun Peaks will host official training plus a Big Air event on Thursday, Feb 29th, followed by a Slopestyle event on Friday, Mar 1st.

- Discounted lift tickets for registered athletes (see below) will also be available for unofficial training on Wednesday, Feb 28th.

#### **Apex Mountain Resort - Friday, March 1st to Sunday, March 3rd.**

Apex will host the Moguls events, with unofficial training on Friday, March 1st, MANDATORY official training on Saturday, March 2nd and Competitions taking place on Sunday, March 3rd.

- Bibs must be worn for ALL training sessions and competitions.

We appreciate your patience, understanding and support with these event changes and look forward to providing an exceptional experience to your athletes.

Sincerely,

**Freestyle BC**



## Organizing Committees

Both events will be supported by a strong local organizing committee (LOC) and a team of officials committed to putting together the best event possible.

### Chief of Competition

Sun Peaks - Brennan Thompson (TT) / Travis Bown (SY)

Apex - Chad Parsons/Theresa Sengl

Chief of Scoring (TT) - Regan Truscott

Chief of Scoring (Sun Peaks SY) - Danielle Calder

Chief of Scoring (Apex SY) - Mihaela Farcau

Head Judge (Apex TT) - Jay Henitiuk

Head Judge (Sun Peaks TT) - Salman Tirmizi

Head Judge (Apex SY) - TBD

Head Judge (Sun Peaks SY) - Gemma Lambourne

Technical Delegate (Sun Peaks and Apex TT) – Carson Dorward

Technical Delegate (Sun Peaks SY) - Trevor Lott

Technical Delegate (Apex SY) - Troy Nixon

FBC Events Manager – Svin

## Event Rules

**Freestyle BC sanctions this competition**

1. This competition is being organized by Sun Peaks Freestyle Club, Sun Peaks Resort, Apex Freestyle Club, Apex Mountain Resort and Freestyle BC.
2. The competition will be held under FBC rules and regulations for Freestyle Skiing.
3. Athlete bibs must be worn during all official training and competitions. **NO EXCEPTIONS.**
4. Athlete bibs must be worn at APEX, during all unofficial and official training and competitions. **NO EXCEPTIONS.**
5. Please ensure your athletes are registered before online registration closes. All Athletes are expected to complete the Bio form included in their online registration.



## Athlete Registration

**General Registration:** Dec 1st, 2023 - Feb 22nd 2024. Late registration may be available ONLY if spots are available.

Athletes who registered for the Mount Washington Timber Tour and Super Youth events and who have not requested a cancellation will be automatically registered for the new Sun Peaks and Apex events. Waitlists are available via the SnowReg registrations, and athletes will be invited in order if/when spots are available.

## Entry Fees

### Timber Tour

- \$215 - includes all Timber Tour events at Sun Peaks and Apex

### BIB POLICY

- **If you competed at the Panorama Timber Tour - REMEMBER TO BRING YOUR BIB!**
- Athletes are required to purchase their competition bib when registering for their first Timber Tour.
- **An athlete's first bib is available for a one-time cost of \$45.**
- Bibs can be picked up at the competition office when the athlete checks in.
- Athletes will continue with the same bib (and bib number) for each BC Timber Tour event during the 2024 season.
- Athletes are responsible for bringing their bibs to each Timber Tour event during the 2024 season and maintaining the quality of their bibs.
- Bibs cannot be modified or altered.
- Lost, misplaced, forgotten, modified, or irreparably damaged bibs must be replaced.
  - A limited quantity of replacement bibs will be available.
  - First bib replacement: \$45
  - Second bib replacement: \$50
  - Additional bib replacements will cost \$55 if supplies are available.
- Athletes are welcome to keep their bibs at the end of the competition season.

### Super Youth

- \$95 - includes all Super Youth events at Sun Peaks and Apex
- Each athlete will be assigned a competitor bib upon check-in at the Sun Peaks and Apex Super Youth events.
- **If you attend both Sun Peaks and Apex, you will need to return your Sun Peaks bib (at Sun Peaks) and collect a new SY bib at Apex.**
- Athlete bibs must be returned at the end of the event! Any bibs NOT RETURNED, will result in a \$20 charge being added to that athlete's Snowreg account.



## Refund Policy

Refunds (less trans. fees) may be provided up to 72 hours before the first Team Leaders meeting.

### **Refunds due to event cancellation:**

1. No refunds will be provided if an event is cancelled due to weather or exceptional circumstances. (The organizing committee has already incurred costs for the event)

### **Refund due to injury:**

1. A registered athlete who withdraws from the entire event after registration closes and before the generation of the start list will receive a refund of 50% of their entry fee.
2. Athletes who appear on the official start list for an event WILL NOT be given a refund.
3. No refunds will be given without a written request received no later than seven days after the completion of the last event day.
4. Snowreg transaction fees are fixed and cannot be refunded under any circumstances.
5. Refunds will be issued electronically and could take up to 30 days to be processed.
6. Refunds will not be issued on-site.
7. Requests for refunds for other extraordinary circumstances shall be considered at the discretion of the Organising Committee.

## Licenses

**Timber Tour athletes** are required to have a minimum Provincial Athlete License.

**Super Youth athletes** are required to have a minimum club license.

**Volunteers** are required to have a Freestyle BC Volunteer Licence (cost of \$10).

[GET YOUR VOLUNTEER LICENCE HERE](#)

## Lift Tickets

### **Sun Peaks**

Registered athletes will receive 50% off regular-priced lift tickets purchased in-person at Guest Services in the Village Day Lodge (operating hours: 8:00am to 4:30pm). Lift tickets for all days can be purchased at once, and it is encouraged to purchase them the day before you will first need them if at all possible. Complimentary lift tickets will be provided to coaches on a 4:1 athlete:coach basis; please contact [president@sunpeaksfreestyleclub.ca](mailto:president@sunpeaksfreestyleclub.ca) with the names of coaches needing passes and all dates needed.

### **Apex**

**Coaches:** All coaches will receive a complimentary lift ticket.

**Athletes:** All athletes will receive reciprocal discounts per their home resort reciprocal programs.

**Volunteers:** Volunteers shall be given a complimentary lift ticket.



## Accommodation

Room availability at Sun Peaks and Apex is based on a first-come, first-serve basis. Please book early to avoid disappointment.

### **Sun Peaks Accommodation:**

Bear Country: A 10% discount is available using the **promo code "Ski Race"**. Online: [www.bearcountry.ca](http://www.bearcountry.ca)  
Phone: 1-800-811-4588 or 250-578-6969

- Visit the Sun Peaks Freestyle Club [EVENTS PAGE](#) for additional information

**Penticton Lakeside Resort** <https://www.pentictonlakesideresort.com/> rates start at \$99 for beach view, \$99 for park view, and \$119 for Lakeview. Prices are subject to applicable tax and are based on double occupancy—reservations are at 250-493-8221 or 1-800-663-9400 ext. one, or email [lakeside@rpbhotels.com](mailto:lakeside@rpbhotels.com) to book. **Quote Apex Freestyle** for these rates.

**Apex Lodge:** <https://apexmountainlodge.ca/accomodations/>

Apex Lodge provides a variety of comfortable accommodations for individuals, families and groups looking for ski-in/ski-out experience. [stay@apexmountainlodge.ca](mailto:stay@apexmountainlodge.ca) (250) 385-6955

## Team Check-in

Whether competing in Sun Peaks, Apex, OR BOTH. Athletes are required to check in before training and/or competing.

**For Sun Peaks Check-in information** visit the Sun Peaks Freestyle Club [EVENTS PAGE](#)

**Apex Competition Office** - Brown Bag Lunch Room, Below the Gun Barrel Saloon.

**Check-in Times** - Thursday 6-8 pm. Friday-Sunday from 8:00 am



## **VOLUNTEERS**

As always, the success of every event depends on hardworking and dedicated volunteers. Please consider helping out at this event!

## **SUN PEAKS**

Visit the Sun Peaks Freestyle Club [EVENTS PAGE](#) for additional information.

## **APEX**

Volunteers at Apex will receive a complimentary lift ticket for each volunteer day.

## **Volunteer sign-up:**

[Apex Timber Tour/Super Youth Volunteer Sign-Up](#)

Please note that ALL volunteers will require a Freestyle BC Volunteer Membership.

[Freestyle BC Memberships](#)



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Finalized event schedule will be determined at the first team leader's meeting.

### SUN PEAKS - Competition and Training Schedule

Schedule Changes will be posted on the Sun Peaks Freestyle Club [EVENTS PAGE](#)

| THURSDAY – FEB 29th |         |             |              |
|---------------------|---------|-------------|--------------|
| Super Youth         | BIG AIR | Training    | 9 am – 11 am |
| Super Youth         | BIG AIR | Competition | 11 am – 3 pm |
| Timber Tour         | BIG AIR | Training    | 9 am – 11 am |
| Timber Tour         | BIG AIR | Competition | 11 am – 3 pm |

| FRIDAY – Mar 1st |            |             |              |
|------------------|------------|-------------|--------------|
| Super Youth      | Slopestyle | Training    | 9 am - 10 am |
| Super Youth      | Slopestyle | Competition | 10 am - 3 pm |
| Timber Tour      | Slopestyle | Training    | 9 am - 10 am |
| Timber Tour      | Slopestyle | Competition | 10 am - 3 pm |

### APEX - Competition and Training Schedule

Finalized event schedule to be determined at the first team leader's meeting.

| FRIDAY – Mar 1st |        |                     |                |
|------------------|--------|---------------------|----------------|
| Timber Tour      | Moguls | Unofficial Training | 9:30 am - 2:30 |
| Super Youth      | Moguls | Unofficial Training | 9:30 am - 2:30 |

| SATURDAY - Mar 2nd |        |                             |             |
|--------------------|--------|-----------------------------|-------------|
| Timber Tour        | Moguls | MANDATORY Official Training | Details TBD |
| Super Youth        | Moguls | MANDATORY Official Training | Details TBD |

| SUNDAY - Mar 3rd |        |             |             |
|------------------|--------|-------------|-------------|
| Timber Tour      | Moguls | Competition | Details TBD |
| Super Youth      | Moguls | Competition | Details TBD |



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