### The NORGE SKI CLUB Invites You To Our

# 116th Annual Winter Ski Jump Tournament and Junior National Qualifier

January 30-31, 2021

### Norge Ski Club

100 Ski Hill Road Fox River Grove, IL 60021

www.norgeskiclub.org

### **Ouestions:**

Coach Scott Smith 847-815-2117 Coach Scott Immens 847-863-4877 Coach Mike Glasder 847-401-9297

### **Competition Format**

<u>Registration</u> for all events is electronic/ non-contact, by Monday, Jan. 25. No onsite/ day-of registration.

A Covid-19 waiver/self-certification form will be required of each athlete each day.

### Saturday - friends and family only:

Small Hills Saturday - Non-sanctioned **K5** – U6/8: Boys & Girls, Open Classes **K10** – U10: Boys & Girls, Open Classes **K25** – U12: M & F, Open Classes **K40** – U14/16 M & F Classes

#### **Sunday - spectator/public event:**

**K70** 

**U16 Sanctioned JNQ:** M & F **U20 Sanctioned JNQ:** M & F

**Open**: M/F (Combined) **Master**: M/F (Combined)

> Classes of less than three men or women will be combined

**Longest Standing competition** 

Awards for all podium finishers, all hills.

Cash prizes will be presented to K70 award winners on Sunday.

Important!
Read this information.

We are all living in a different environment than ever before. With that in mind, the Norge coaching team continues to monitor guidelines and guidance from <u>CDC</u>, <u>State of IL</u> and <u>USA Nordic</u>. Everyone needs to abide by new rules and processes to help protect athletes, coaches, families and friends:

- RESPECTING SOCIAL DISTANCING is the absolute standard for everyone.
- WEAR A MASK when social distancing cannot be maintained.

### Please:

- Be aware
- Be flexible
- Be patient

We may need to make changes as we plan for the tournament or during the weekend.

- Wash your hands regularly. Bring and use hand sanitizer.
- Do not share items with people you don't live with.
- If you or your athlete doesn't feel good in the slightest, don't come.
- If you or your athlete had any signs of sickness within the last 10 days of coming to Norge, or had contact with someone testing positive for Covid-19 within 10 days of coming to Norge, don't come.
- All weekend, the Clubhouse will be closed; there will be limited concessions.

Portable toilets and hand washing stations will be on-site.

 On Sunday, an Athlete Village with warming stations will keep jumpers separate from attendees. The Locker Room will be closed. Tables for waxing will be outside with electricity, so bring your clamps and gear to prep skis.

Let's keep everyone safe and healthy.

### Schedule

### Thursday, January 28\*

6:00 - 8:00 PM Open jump training on all hills

### \*Subject to change

### Friday, January 29\*

2:00 - 5:00 PM Open jump training on all hills

### Saturday, January 30\* friends and family invited only

10:00 AM Tentative: Officials & Coaches Meeting on Clubhouse deck.

More to come from Chief of Comp, Mike Glasder.

9:00 AM - 11:00 AM Open jump training on all hills including K70

12:00 PM Opening Ceremonies

12:15 PM Small hills competition: K5, K10, K25, K40

3:30 PM Small hills podium awards

### Sunday, January 31\* spectators invited

9:00 AM - 11:00 AM Open jump training on K70

12:00 PM Opening Ceremonies

12:30 PM K70 Tournament

3:30 PM K70 Awards

For jump training earlier in the week, call Coach Scott Smith 847-815-2117.

### Registration K5, K10, K25, K40

Registering on <u>TeamSnap</u> AND the <u>Biography Form</u> must be completed by the athlete in order to fulfill registration requirements. Questions? Call or text Meg Larson: 847-804-6189

### Please carefully read USSA Age Class and *Mandatory* Helmet Regulations posted on this invitation.

Athletes <u>must</u> be pre-registered by Monday, January 25th in order to participate.

There is no late registration. Complete registration online via <u>TeamSnap < link</u>>,

AND the <u>athlete biography form < link</u>> by Monday, January 25th.

A Covid-19 waiver/self-certification form will be required of all athletes.

K5 registration fees are Free.

K10 registration fees are \$25 per athlete. Additional hill (K25) is \$15 per athlete. K25 registration fees are \$25 per athlete. Additional hill (K40) is \$15 per athlete. K40 registration fees are \$25 per athlete.

All fees must be paid online in advance in order to receive a Competition Bib. The Registration Tent will be located outside the Norge Clubhouse.

### Registration K70

Registering on <u>TeamSnap</u> AND the <u>Biography Form</u> must be completed by the athlete in order to fulfill registration requirements. Questions? Call or text Meg Larson: 847-804-6189

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Athletes <u>must</u> be pre-registered by Monday, January 25th in order to participate. There is no late registration. Complete registration online via <u>TeamSnap <link></u>, AND the <u>athlete biography form <link></u> by Monday, January 25th. A Covid-19 waiver/self-certification form will be required of all athletes.

K70 registration fees are \$50 per day per athlete. K70 registrants must have a current USSA number to participate.

At least 3 Men or Women must comprise a Class or Classes (M & F) will be combined or eliminated. Be sure to indicate the class for each day on the online *TeamSnap* Skier Registration Form.

All fees must be paid online in advance in order to receive a Competition Bib. The Registration Tent will be located outside the Norge Clubhouse.

### Hill Fees

Hill Fees are \$20 per day for each athlete jumping Friday. Payment is due to online via *TeamSnap* at time of registration.

# Central Division Coaching Fees

The Central Division now pays for coaching on behalf of traveling athletes.

Visiting jumpers should seek guidance from their home club coach.

**Coaches assigned to the Norge Winter Tournament:** 

**K5** – John Glasder

**K10** – Scott Immens

**K25** – Mike Glasder

**K40** – Nick Mattoon

**K70** – Albert Gasienica and Brian Wallace

### Tournament Buttons

Tournament buttons will be for Sunday only, pre-purchase only at norgeskiclub.org. Norge Ski Club grounds are closed to the public on Saturday, and open Sunday to a <u>limited number of attendees</u>. Jumper family and friends are welcome to come and watch Saturday or Sunday. Please protect one another - wear a mask when social distancing cannot be maintained.

### Gates

On Saturday, Norge Ski Club grounds are not open to the public- only open to Norge families and friends, and visiting athletes with their family/friends.

Our Clubhouse will be closed and there will be limited concessions.

### **Parking**

All athletes, families, friends, coaches and officials are required to park in Norge lots and fields. No parking inside the gates.

### Lodging

Room block available: Comfort Inn Crystal Lake-Algonquin 595 Tracy Trail Crystal Lake, IL 60014

815-261-1682

A block of rooms have been booked at the Comfort Inn Crystal Lake - Algonquin, Crystal Lake, IL for \$74 per night. Please note rooms need to be booked by the cutoff date of Monday, January 25 or they'll be released to the general public. Reserve your room **online** or call the hotel directly.

Below is the information you need to make your reservation.

**Group Name:** Norge Winter Tournament **Check In:** Friday, January 29, 2021 (3:00 PM) **Check Out:** Sunday, January 31, 2021 (11:00 AM)

**Group Billing Options:** Guest is responsible for all charges

## Other questions?

Coach Scott Smith: <a href="mailto:sds63@sbcglobal.net">sds63@sbcglobal.net</a> or 847-815-2117 Coach Scott Immens: <a href="mailto:scottimmens@gmail.com">scottimmens@gmail.com</a> or 847-863-4877

### USSA Age Classes\* based on the athlete's year of birth

<u>Category</u>	<u>Age</u>	Year of Birth
Master	30 and older	1990 and earlier
Senior	20-29	1991 through 2000
U20	18-19	2001 and 2002
U18	16-17	2003 and 2004
U16	14-15	2005 and 2006
U14	12-13	2007 and 2008
U12	10- 11	2009 and 2010
UIO	8-9	2011 and 2012
U8	6-7	2013 and 2014
U6	5 and younger	2015 and later

NOTE: Age is based upon the year an athlete was born regardless of the date of birth.

The competition season is from July 1, 2020 to June 30, 2021. \*Source: USSA Nordic Competition Guide

### Mandatory USSA/FIS Helmet Requirements for all Sanctioned Competitions\*

#### Crash helmets

The use of crash helmets is compulsory for all events. The shape of the helmet must conform to the shape of the head. The distance measured at any point between the outside surface of the helmet and the head shall not exceed 7 cm. Helmets with visors or integrated face shields, detachable or not are not permitted.

The crash helmets used for international FIS competitions shall comply with the standards applicable for crash helmets for alpine ski competition (crash helmets to be used in GS/SG/DH).

Compliance with the standards is to be attested by the corresponding specific standardised conformity label affixed in a non removable way at the back of the helmet in a location which is and shall remain visible. The label shall in particular not be covered by the goggle strap. The conformity label (Label "RH2013") confirming compliance with the standard applicable to helmets to be used for international FIS competitions is shown in attachment. The labels affixed by manufacturers shall comply with the specifications set forth in the enclosure below:

Label attesting conformity with FIS specifications for Alpine racing helmets (GS/SG/DH):



<sup>\*</sup> FIS - Specifications for Competition Equipment Edition 2018/19