



**2017/2018 Canada Cup Series  
Canadian Open Tour – Slopestyle and Big Air  
Whitehorse, Yukon  
November 23 – 26, 2017**

**INVITATION**

The Yukon Freestyle Ski Association, Yukon Freestyle Ski Club and Freestyle Canada (FC) are pleased to invite all freestyle skiing athletes to attend the **Canada Cup Slopestyle/Big Air November 23-26, 2017**. This is the first stop in the Canada Cup Series and Sanctioned an AFP Silver Event.

**Rules**

1. The event is sanctioned by the Canadian Freestyle Ski Association and the Association of Freeskiing Professionals and organized by PSO in partnership with Mt. Sima and Freestyle Canada
2. Rules are based on Can Freestyle Competition Guidelines for COT events.
3. The Competition comprises one Slopestyle event
4. All athletes must have a minimum FC certified Air 4 or Supercoach present with Aerial Passports readily available to present to the Event Jury.
5. Qualification is required for all inverted manoeuvres.
6. The Competition will proceed as follows and in accordance with the Official Program.

<b>THURSDAY</b>	<b>November 23, 2016</b>	<b>Slopestyle/Big Air OFFICIAL Training</b>
<b>FRIDAY</b>	<b>November 24, 2016</b>	<b>Slopestyle Qualifiers</b>
<b>SATURDAY</b>	<b>November 25, 2016</b>	<b>Slopestyle Finals / Big Air Training</b>
<b>SUNDAY</b>	<b>November 26, 2016</b>	<b>Big Air Qualifiers/Finals</b>

**Please refer to the attached detailed schedule.  
The Organizing Committee reserves the right to change the schedule.**



## General Information

**Date and Location** - The Competition will take place as follows: November 23-26, 2016 at

Mount Sima Ski Resort  
777 Mount Sima Road  
Whitehorse, YT

**Phone: 1-867-668-4557 X224**

<http://www.mountsima.com/>

Click here for Map and Directions to Mount SIMA

<https://www.mountsima.com/contact/getting-here/>

**Organizing Committee Contact** - all registration questions or communications should be sent to: [yukonfreeski@gmail.com](mailto:yukonfreeski@gmail.com)

### **Registration:**

The Yukon COT follows the Priority registration policy for PSO teams and HPAD athletes as described in the CanFree Comp guidelines.

- OPEN Registration Deadline : **November 10, 2017**
- Any late registration inquiries can be made to [Patrick@freestylecanada.ski](mailto:Patrick@freestylecanada.ski)

### **Registration Link**

<http://freestyleskiyukon.goalline.ca/event-search.php>

**\*\*\*ONLINE REGISTRATION COMING DIRECTLY TO TEAMS Via Email as well .\*\*\***

### **Entry Fees** (per participant)

- **\$200.00.**
- Participants must register on-line. Payments are made online.



### Licences-

Athletes are required to have a **minimum Can Free 3 Licence**

<http://freestyleski.com/member-services/cfsa-member-registration/>

**Lift Tickets:** Lift tickets will be available for purchase each day of training and competition at Guest Relations with presentation of competitor bib, cost is \$25+ GST. Each competitor is responsible for the purchase of his or her own lift ticket for each day of the event. **Coach lift tickets are complimentary.**

**Payment for lift tickets can be made in person at time of registration.**

### Competition office:

The competition office will be located in the Mount Sima Staff Lodge, next to Main Lodge. **ALL Participants must check in** and register on-site at the main desk to confirm participation in the event and to pick up competition bibs.

**Bibs** – There will be a \$20 bib deposit. Cash only please. If a bib is lost or forgotten there will be a \$20.00 replacement fee. If athletes forget a bib and can bring the bib the next day it will be a \$20.00 deposit. Bibs will be available for purchase at the Competition Office. It is important that your bib number matches your event registration for judging and scoring, if you need to replace your bib please ensure the on-site registration staff updates your entry information. Bibs must be worn properly for all on-site training and for the competitions.

**Refunds-** Once an athlete is confirmed on a start list, refunds will not be issued. In the case of an injury the coach or parent must notify the registration desk, or email [yukonfreeski@gmail.com](mailto:yukonfreeski@gmail.com) to inform that an athlete is injured and unable to ski **before the team captains meeting the day before the** competition day. Athletes are entitled to partial refunds of up to 50% per event. Requests for refunds for other extraordinary circumstances shall be considered only at the discretion of the Organizing Committee. If an event is cancelled due to weather or exceptional circumstances no refunds will be provided. (The organizing committee has already incurred all costs for the event) Please see the Can Freestyle Competition Guide for Rules and Procedures.

**Aerial Qualifications** - All athletes must have up-to-date aerial qualifications for jumps they are performing in **all disciplines**. The FC Technical Delegate will verify a random selection of athlete's qualifications during Team Leaders meeting the day before each event with the **coach** of the athlete. Verification of qualification will be accepted from any of the following sources:

- Signed Aerial Passports held by coach/athlete
- Completed and signed qualification forms



- FC qualification databank

**Liability and Accident Insurance** - All athletes, officials and other members of the regions who attend and participate in the event shall do so at their own risk. Every competitor is required to have his/her own medical and life insurance that is adequate and covers the manoeuvres being performed in training and competition. All athletes coaches and officials must have a valid FC Membership. The Organizing Committee, Canadian Freestyle Ski Association, Yukon Freestyle Ski Association, Mount Sima, and the Canadian Snowsports Association shall not be responsible for accidents, damaged or lost equipment and belongings and/or second or third party claims during the staging of the event. All participants are urged to protect and safeguard their personal belongings at all times.

**AFP membership** - All athletes must be a registered as an AFP athlete in order to receive AFP points. [www.afpworldtour.com](http://www.afpworldtour.com)

Trampoline training is available by contacting [yukonfreeski@gmail.com](mailto:yukonfreeski@gmail.com) or call 867-334-8255 to schedule a booking. Maximum 4 athletes per session daily until 4, all day Wednesday, Friday night, Saturday and Sunday. Coaches must accompany athletes and teams must show proof of FC Insurance.

## **Yukon Freestyle BANQUET:**

Everyone is welcome to come enjoy some Whitehorse hospitality. Held at the Beringia Centre at 6:00 PM Saturday November 25<sup>th</sup>. Dinner, prizes, ski movie. If you can help in any way, please RSVP to [yukonfreeski@gmail.com](mailto:yukonfreeski@gmail.com).

Cost: \$10 pp.



**Accommodations:**

Whitehorse offers a variety of options to suit your needs. Our business partner, **Northern Vision Development**, owns and operates 3 leading hotels with modern, comfortable rooms in downtown Whitehorse. They have put together a special price for visiting teams to Mt Sima including single/double occupancy, meal plan option and a complimentary conference room for ski tuning.

Arrangements can be made at these hotels for kitchen facilities should you wish to cook your own meals <http://www.highcountryinn.yk.ca/>

- Coast High Country Inn
- Goldrush Best Western
- Edgewater Hotel

**Rates:**

Single/double occupancy	\$108.00
Optional Breakfast/Dinner Meal Plan	\$55.00
Tuning room	Complimentary

**Additional Lodging Recommendations**

Westmark Whitehorse Hotel & Conference Centre

Located in the heart of downtown Whitehorse one block from the Yukon River and Main Street. The Westmark Hotel has 180 guestrooms with a special offer for teams, meal plan option and a complimentary conference room for ski tuning.

<http://www.westmarkhotels.com/destinations/whitehorse-hotel/>

**Rates:**

Single/double occupancy	\$109.00
Optional Breakfast/Dinner Meal Plan	\$44.90 + gratuity
Tuning room	Complimentary

**Days Inn**

Located a few blocks from downtown Whitehorse and three minutes to the Canada Games Centre.

The Days Inn has many amenities with a special offer for teams including a complimentary meeting room (based on availability). Affordable on-site restaurant and Loblaw Superstore right next door. <http://www.daysinn.ca/hotels/yukon-territory/whitehorse/days-inn-whitehorse-hotel/hotel-overview>

**Rates:**

2x Queen Bed room \$105.00



**Beez Kneez Hostel**

If you are looking for a home away from home, you can rent by the bed or the entire Beez Kneez hostel for your stay. There are 12 beds, full kitchen, shower & laundry facilities, 2 common areas and internet.

<http://www.bzkneez.com/>

**Yutopia Urban Inn B&B**

New, bright, artistic, modern living space with lots of indoor/outdoor spaces to relax, play, work and interact located in a quiet neighbourhood and able to accommodate up to 10 people. Recommended by last year visiting teams.

Rates:

Up to 5 people	\$150/night
6-10 people maximum	\$175/night

<https://www.airbnb.ca/rooms/4956927>

**Northern Sun B&B**

Located in Porter Creek a subdivision just north of downtown Whitehorse within city limits. Can accommodate up to 10 people.

<https://www.airbnb.ca/rooms/10599530?guests=10&s=VlfyRQ-d>

**TRANSPORTATION (5% GST NOT INCLUDED IN LISTINGS)**

Mt Sima is located a short 12km from downtown Whitehorse. Arrangements can be made for car rentals, van or bus shuttles to and from the hill. Staying in downtown Whitehorse you have the advantage of being able to walk everywhere or take public transit within the city. Let us know your preference and we can make the arrangements for you.

Rates

40 passenger school bus	\$300/day
40 passenger coach seating/air ride	\$420/day
40 passenger coach seating/air ride/with trailer	\$520/day
20 passenger school bus	\$244/day



**Sample Vehicle Rental Rates**

15 passenger van	\$153/day
8 passenger van	\$128/day
Minivan	\$85/day
SUV	\$94/day

**FORMAT OF EVENT:**

**QUALIFICATION:**  
best of 2 runs, heats of 20 - 25.

**FINAL:**  
Men & Women: Top 40% of Qualification field move to final with a minimum of 6 and maximum of 24, # of heats and # of athletes to be decided at the first Team Captains meeting - dependent on registration & final field sizes.



## SCHEDULE

The Organizing Committee reserves the right to change the schedule of events from those stated in the program.

\*Note: Schedule is subject to change. Any changes will be posted at the Competition Office each day or emailed out.

### **YUKON COT ORGANIZING COMMITTEE Contacts:**

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**Canadian Open Tour**  
**Mount Sima, YT**  
**Schedule November 23-26, 2017**

\* Schedule subject to change, dependent on registration numbers.

\* Updated schedule will be sent out once registration has closed.

<b>Thursday, November 23 – Official Training Day</b>	<b>Activity</b>	<b>Location</b>
9:45am-2pm	Registration Office Open	Staff Lodge, next to Main Lodge
9:45am-3pm	Lift Tickets for Sale at Guest Relations	Guest Relations Main Lodge
10:00am - 3:00pm	OFFICIAL TRAINING Men/Woman	Terrain Park/Big Air
4:00pm	Team Captains Meeting	Staff Lodge, next to Main Lodge

<b>Friday, November 24 – Official Competition Qualifiers</b>	<b>Activity</b>	<b>Location</b>
9:45am-2pm	Registration Office Open	Staff Lodge, next to Main Lodge
9:45am-3pm	Lift Tickets for Sale at Guest Relations	Guest Relations Main Lodge
10:00am - 3:00pm	Official QUALIFYING ROUNDS Men/Woman Slopestyle Big AIR training	Terrain Park – SIMA Big Air Site
4:00pm	Team Captains Meeting	Staff Lodge, next to Main Lodge



<b>Saturday, November 25 – Official Competition – Semi Finals</b>	<b>Activity</b>	<b>Location</b>
9:45am-2pm	Registration Office Open	Staff Lodge, next to Main Lodge
9:45am-3pm	Lift Tickets for Sale at Guest Relations	Guest Relations Main Lodge
10:00am - 3:00pm	Men/Woman Slopestyle FINALS Big Air Training	Terrain Park Big Air Site
4:00pm	Team Captains Meeting	Staff Lodge, next to Main Lodge

<b>Sunday, November 26 – Official Competition - Finals</b>	<b>Activity</b>	<b>Location</b>
9:45am-2pm	Registration Office Open	Staff Lodge, next to Main Lodge
9:45am-3pm	Lift Tickets for Sale at Guest Relations	Guest Relations Main Lodge
10:00am - 3:00pm	Woman/Mens Big Air Qual and FINALS	Terrain Park
4:00pm	Awards for Big Air	Main Lodge