

AGE GROUP

U14 (12-13 years of age as of December 31, 2025)
Year of Birth: 2012-2013



ZONE TEAM COMPOSITION

The maximum team size shall be:

<u>10</u>	athletes per Zone	(# of females <u>5</u>)	# of males <u>5</u>)
<u>2</u>	coaches per Zone	(# of females <u>1</u>)	# of males <u>1</u>)
<u>2</u>	chaperones per Zone	(# of females <u>1</u>)	# of males <u>1</u>)

FILL POLICY

1. The results from the time trials will determine a Zone team list and a Zone alternates list ranked in the finish order of the time trials.
2. Should there be a need to fill; the first opportunity will be provided from the Zone alternates list.
3. If there is a need to fill in from outside the Zone, the fills shall come from the respective northern and southern time trials and award the fastest athlete not already selected in the time trial to fill the quota.
4. Zones 1-4 (Southern time trial) and 5-8 (Northern Time Trial) will be grouped together for the purpose of determining fills.

*Fills must be submitted for approval to the Multisport Games Unit by **January 13, 2026**.*

ELIGIBILITY

Athletes

- Athletes must be registered with Alpine Canada Alpine as a national card U14 Competitor and be a member in good standing with Alberta Alpine
- Members of an Alberta Alpine club must compete for the Zone where the club has been assigned to by Alberta Alpine.
- Must be a member of an Alberta Alpine Club or have their principal residence in Alberta
 - Members who meet the eligibility requirements that are not a member of an Alberta alpine club must compete for the Zone of his/her principal residence.

For Alberta Games Eligibility Policy information please visit www.albertawintergames.ca.

Coaches/Chaperones

- **NCCP Certification** – Head Coaches must be minimally Certified at the National Coaching Certification Program (NCCP) Development Level. Assistant Coaches must be minimally Trained at the NCCP Development Level. All Coaches must be a current paid up member as an Alpine Skiing Coach and licensed for the 2025/2026 season.
- **Safe Sport** - SafeSport Requirements for all coaches and chaperones by the registration deadline:
 - Must have a clear criminal records and vulnerable sector check from within the last three (3) years, or less if required by your organization's policies with ACA or AASA.
 - Must have completed the CAC Safe Sport Training.

Note: Where a coach or chaperone has been substituted after the registration deadline leading into the Games, they must have the above completed and verified with Mission Staff no later than 48 hours prior to the start of the Alberta Games.

All coaches and chaperones must be at least eighteen (18) years old by the start of the Alberta Games.

AFFILIATION

All athletes and coaches must be registered with an Alpine Canada Alpin member club and hold a 2025-2026 U14 national competitor card. The athlete must be registered with their club prior to the Zone playoff entry deadline.

Club registration is ongoing throughout the year. For more information regarding affiliation visit www.albertaalpine.ca

ENTRY AND ZONE PLAYOFF PROCEDURES

- AASA will organize the northern and southern time trial in accordance with the Alberta Alpine Ski Association’s technical format. In order to qualify for the Alberta Winter Games team, an athlete must attend the time trials. Athletes will be selected for Alberta Winter Games on the basis of time trial results.
- In addition, an “alternates” list will be established.
- Each Zone team must be selected by **January 12, 2026**.

To determine the date and location of Zone playoff s/selection please visit www.albertaalpine.ca or <https://albertawintergames.ca>

ALBERTA GAMES REGISTRATION FEE AND DEADLINE

All Zone team athletes, who qualify to compete at the 2024 Alberta Winter Games (excluding coaches and chaperones), are required to pay an individual registration fee of \$80.00. This fee will offset the costs related to transportation, accommodation, meals, Zone identification, medals, athlete entertainment and sport competitions. Information on the collection of this fee(s) will be available in the final technical package.

*Please note the registration deadline for Alpine Skiing is **January 12, 2026**.*

EVENTS

- Giant Slalom U14 Male/Female
- Slalom U14 Male/Female
- TBD- Parallel U14 Male/Female

PROTEST PROCEDURES

Written protests accompanied by **\$100.00** fee to be submitted to the referee or race administrator within 15 minutes of the posting of the referee’s report.

EQUIPMENT SPECIFICATIONS

As outlined in the 2025-26 ACA and AASA equipment policy available at www.albertaalpine.ca.

PROVINCIAL SPORT COORDINATOR

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ZONE SPORT REPRESENTATIVE

The Provincial Sport Coordinator, indicated above, has been appointed by Alberta Alpine to serve as the primary contact and leader of the Association's participation in the Alberta Games. For any questions about Alpine Skiing in the Alberta Games, contact your Provincial Sport Coordinator or visit www.albertaalpine.ca