

## **Alpine Skiing Rules**

### GENERAL RULES:

USSA (United States Ski Association) rules apply. No ski size requirements.

The best of two runs will be used except in a tie when the two runs will be combined to break the tie.

In the event that there is only a single competitor in an age group...to receive a gold medal, a skier will need to medal according to the NASTAR handicap system.

Wisconsin, Illinois, Minnesota, and Michigan U.P. residents accepted for ALL categories.

### FORMAT:

Slalom: No fewer than 18 gates.

### Giant Slalom:

No fewer than 14 gates.

Winners determined by the best of two runs. Combined times determine the winner in the event of a tie. Course will be reset as needed between classes. Intermediate course set for Citizens. Masters (above 11) courses are set to USSA competition standards. The Giant Slalom will qualify as a NASTAR racing event and times will be submitted to NASTAR.

### DEFINITIONS:

(Competitors may register for 1 race per classification (Citizens or Masters) per race type, only. Commissioners reserve the right to move competitors to an appropriate classification.

Citizens: Limited or no racing experience. Any skier with good directional control. Volunteer members of the National Ski Patrol without racing experience. NASTAR racers consistently achieving bronze medal or below. (We encourage all 2016 Citizens gold medal winners returning within the same age division move to Masters).

Masters: Racers who have participated in any type of organized race program(s) including USSA, WIJARA, High School Ski Team, any local/regional ski competition. Consistent gold or silver winner in NASTAR.

### GOVERNING BODY:

The Badger State Games is not a USSA sanctioned competition. USSA membership is not required.