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# **ROCKY MOUNTAIN SKI RACE OFFICIALS, INC.**

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*Our Mission as Alpine Officials is to insure the highest quality races at all levels of competition.*

## **RMSCO Board of Trustees:**

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## **RMSRO website RMSRO.org**

### **Continuing Education**

#### **Also know as the "Update Clinic"**

If you have not attended a clinic since "2012" you will lose your certifications next June if you do not attend a clinic this year. CO & DM are excluded. That means that you need to have a 'Last Clinic Season' of 2013, 2014, or 2015 (this season). If your last season is 2013 you need a clinic this year to stay current.

#### **Location of Important USSA Resources:**

[Alpine 2014-15 Teaching Review & Update:](#)

[Alpine Competition Guide & Precisions:](#)

[Alpine Officials Study Guides](#)

[Alpine Master Packet of Forms](#)

[Alpine Officials Manual](#)

**Are all available from here:** <https://ussa.org/alpine-programs/officials/resources>

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## **RMD's Home Team and Gold Medal Initiative**

The RMD offers athletic based grants to assist young ski racers through fundraising events like a Sporting Clay Shoot, Epic Bike event, and a Golf Tournament. This Gold Medal Initiative's charter is to place RMD athletes on the top step of the podium at the Olympic level. RMD provides funding assistance for programs that are designed to recruit, retain and develop talented, young Colorado athletes with the potential to advance to the U.S. Ski and Snowboard Teams. We encourage all of our officials to help with this charge through participating in these events or through donation to Home Team and the GMI. Details on these fundraisers and all divisional

information can be found at the RMD website <http://rocky.ussa.org/>

## **Coaches must have a USSA Coach Membership**

Not a competitor or any other membership. We recommend that all coaches print & carry their current membership card as proof of membership. Race Administrators MUST verify the status of a coaches' membership before providing an EVENT lift ticket.

## **Congratulations To The Following**

### **Margo Eaton Memorial Scholarship Award**

The RMSRO Annual Scholarship is \$500 each for the top Junior Non-Collegiate Male & Female Competitors that compete at US Nationals. This year Devon Cardamone & Serina Kidd each received the award.

### **Masbruch Award**

Awarded to an outstanding Alpine Official Volunteer with a minimum of 10 years service

2013 - Lon Allen                      2012 - Harvey Lyon  
2011 - Ken Gay                      2010 - Bill Schmidt  
2009 - Gregory Capillupo      2008 - Tami Maciejko  
2007 - Tim Seeling                2006 - Charlie Burnham

### **Ten Year Certificates**

Blake Ammon	David Baldinger	C B Bechtel
Dan Boncella	Scott Burger	Sean Cassily
John Cleaver	Peter Daley	John Davis
Lynda Fleischer	Rick Foster	Kevin Gawenus
Christian Gibson	Stephen Gordon	Jared Hedges
Jeff Hostetier	Daniel Huston	Ed Johnson
Gerald Karl	Margitt Kennedy	Lisa Kimura
Michael Klysa	Candace Kullas	John Leffler
Laren Lund	Robert Matarese	Dan McCarthy
Jim Montgomery	Jon Nelson	Darlene Nolting
Fred Nolting	Gustav Pernetz	Erik Petersen
Brian Peterson	Tom Ptach	Mark Raymond
Kathie Reece	Richard Rokos	Kevin Roop
Jason Rosener	Charles Roth	Scott Schaffer
Jim Schneider	Kurt Smitz	Sean Thomas
Matt Tomasko	William Volckhausen	John Walters
Carol Wedgwood	Jeff White	Martin Wiesiolek
Michael Wommack		

### **Twenty Year Certificates**

Walter (Larry) Asmus

### **Advance to Level 4 (Required USSA approval)**

Charles Zeiter - JA                      David Verdun - TC

Ken Gay - TD

### **Level 3TD (Required USSA approval)**

Kristina Revello

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## Register for RMSRO Clinics on line

[Skiracereg.com](http://Skiracereg.com).

**There will be an additional \$5.00 fee if you do not register online.** Credit cards will not be accepted at registration.

### Clinic Location

La Quinta Inn & Suites, Silverthorne  
Phone #: 1-970-468-6200

### Clinic Registration Deadline:

The registration deadline is the **Monday** before the clinic (Oct 29 for Nov 1 & Nov 5 for all others)

### Clinic check in

Begins at 8:15 a.m. each morning. Classes start at 9:00am to late afternoon for those taking exams.

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### What to Bring to Clinics:

Please bring a current copy of the Comp Guide (ACR), or ICR (FIS book). You will need one or the other to take a test. Also bring the appropriate Study Guides. They are all available online. See individual clinics for additional requirements. We will have current ICR's for sale. \$10.00

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### RMSRO Annual Meeting

The 2014 Annual RMSRO Membership Meeting will be held at **9:00am** on Saturday, Nov. 1st. This is at the beginning of the TD Clinic.

### 2014 - 2015 CLINIC SCHEDULE

Clinics will be cancelled if 6 people are not registered

**TD Update** - Open to all Level 3 officials & areas hosting USA or FIS events

- \_\_\_\_\_ Nov 1 (All Day)

**CC - Chief of Course** (Test)

- \_\_\_\_\_ Nov 9 (Full Day)

**CE - Continuing Education** for all officials - RF, CC, CR, JA, RA, TC

- \_\_\_\_\_ Nov 1 - Evening (1/2 day) starting 6 pm
- \_\_\_\_\_ Nov 8 - AM (1/2 day) starting at 9 am
- \_\_\_\_\_ Nov 8 - Evening (1/2 day) starting 6 pm

**CO - Competition Official** - Prerequisite for all other clinics & most beneficial to those new to officiating

- \_\_\_\_\_ Nov 8 AM (1/2 day) starting at 9 am
- \_\_\_\_\_ Nov 8 Evening (1/2 day) starting at 6pm

**CO/RF - Coaches Only** may attend (Test) If you are on snow during the day this is the clinic for you

- \_\_\_\_\_ Nov 7 & 8 (2 evenings required) at 6 pm

**CR -Chief of Race** - Covers race organization and protocol (Test)

- \_\_\_\_\_ Nov 8 (Full Day)

### **DM/RA-Data Management/Race Administration**

Covers the duties of the Race Secretary and reporting requirements (Preregistration required) (RA Test)

- \_\_\_\_\_ Nov 8 DM 6 pm (Computer required)
- \_\_\_\_\_ Nov 9 RA (Full Day)(must have DM)

**RF - Referee or JA - Jury Advisor** (Test) - Covers the basic rules of ski racing. Required for Referees, Course Setters, Start/Finish Referee

- \_\_\_\_\_ Nov 9(Full Day)

**TC1-Timing & Calculations 1**(calculator required) (Test) Covers rules pertaining to timing.

- \_\_\_\_\_ Nov 9 (Full Day)

**Timing Workshop** - A hands on working clinic (No certification/no test - Cost - \$10.00)

- \_\_\_\_\_ Nov 8 (Full Day) If you sign up please go to <http://rmsro.org/timingws.pdf> for more information.

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### Additional Clinics

Satellite clinic rules are posted on the web site. RMSRO needs a minimum of 2 weeks to find teachers and post the clinic on the web. RMSRO charges \$10/clinic participant and the host club is responsible for all expenses including those of the Instructors.

### RMSRO Advancement Procedure

In order to advance in level you are responsible for supplying the RMSRO Board with two completed recommendation forms. We update the database in the spring and again in early winter after the fall clinics have been completed and send lists of upgrades to USA. RMSRO does not automatically advance anyone.

### Activity Record (Work Cards)

If you wish credit and want to advance, we need a record of what races you have worked. To do this you need to send in your [Work Card](#). Download [HERE](#) or from RMSRO website and complete it by listing the race days (not race codes) you have worked, the name of the race, number of days, and your position. USA keeps track of events worked, but please do NOT submit the USA record, rather copy the information to your work card. If you miss one or more years, you can still send in your work history for credit. You may not, however, submit work history for a year or years prior to a year for which you have already submitted your work history. You will only receive credit for one position per day.

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