



Rocky Mountain Ski Race Officials

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Season Update

Last year we were unable to present certification clinics and only presented the TD Workshop and Continuing Education Updates, both in a virtual format. This year following US Ski and Snowboard Covid-19 Guidelines we are going to be back to presenting all clinics, we will have a blend of virtual and in-person clinics.

The TD Workshop and all Continuing Education updates will be available as a virtual presentation presented in Zoom. Certification clinics will be In-Person clinics and will be held at the Elks Lodge in Englewood. We selected the Elks Lodge for two reasons, the Peaks School in Frisco is not allowing anyone to use their facility this year due to their Covid-19 Guidelines and we need additional space for the social distancing and the Elks Lodge has the available space to present all our clinics in a social distance format.

To attend the in-person clinics you will need to show proof of vaccination.

You will need to present either your vaccine card or a photo of your vaccine card to attend any of the in-person clinics. Masks and social distancing are also required. If you're not vaccinated and need a certification, please call Ken to talk through your options.

RMSRO website: [RMSRO.org](https://www.rmsro.org)

The RMSRO Website continues to be the best source for information related to clinics and events in the Rocky Region. Another thanks to John Jett for his continued maintenance and management of the RMSRO website!

SafeSport Training

Just a reminder, SafeSport Training is required for all Coaches, Officials and Club Volunteers. The refresher course is required every year so don't forget your update. The SafeSport system is available to all U.S. Ski & Snowboard members at safesport.org.

Avalanche Training

Again, this year the Avalanche Training program is a requirement for certification. Like SafeSport the Avalanche Training program is available online and is a requirement to be current with your Alpine Officiating certification.

Masbruch Award

This Award is given to an outstanding RMD Alpine Official with a minimum of 10 years of service. This year's recipient will be announced at the fall TD Update. Previous award winners are:

2020 – Peter Daley	2017 – David Verdun
2019 – Greg Johnson	2016 – Cath Jett
2018 – Eldon Martin	2015 – Tom Ptach

Twenty Year Certificates

Robert Feroldi	Ken Gay
Brad Ghent	Eileen Martin

Thirty Year Certificates

Brian Beamer	Roger Perricone
Gary Wright	

Forty Year Certificates

Roy Powell

Register for RMSRO Clinics on line

<https://skiracereg.com>

Again, this year all clinic registrations must be completed at SkiRaceReg.com. "Walk in's" will not be allowed for the virtual clinics, everyone must be pre-registered at SkiRaceReg.com. Fees for this year will be \$10 for half day clinics and \$20 for full day clinics. Registration is setup and ready to go. Also, watch RMSRO.org for updates!

Clinic Updates for the 2021/22 Season

As mentioned in the opening article of the newsletter, all Continuing Education clinics will be available in a Zoom virtual environment. In addition to the CE clinics being presented virtually the annual TD Workshop will also be presented in a Zoom virtual environment.

All Certification clinics will be presented in person and this year will be presented in Lakewood at the Elks Lodge. We're looking forward in getting back on track and having the ability to present the in-person certification clinics.

Clinic Registration Attendance

US Ski and Snowboard Covid Guidelines are requiring all in-person clinic attendees provide proof of vaccination to attend any of the in-person clinics. Please either bring your COVID-19 vaccination card or a photo of your card for admittance into the clinics.

Since all Continuing Education clinics will be conducted online using Zoom, we will be limiting the size of each CE Zoom clinic to 50 participants. The goal is to maintain a reasonable size to encourage a good dialogue during the presentation. As mentioned above, all registration for virtual clinics must be completed through skiracereg.com.

RMSRO Annual Meeting

The 2021 Annual RMSRO Membership Meeting will be held at **9:00am** on Saturday, October 30th and is open to all RMSRO Members. This will be a Zoom virtual meeting and details will be emailed out prior to the call and information and link posted on the RMSRO Website.

TD Workshop

This is the second year the TD Workshop will be presented to all US Ski and Snowboard Technical Delegates. This workshop is only open to Technical Delegates and is by invitation only.

- Nov 7 (Full Day) starting at 9 am

CE - Continuing Education

This is a biannual requirement for all certifications (update for RF, CC, CR, JA, RA, TC). Also, virtual clinic attendance will be capped at 50 attendees per clinic. Additional clinics will be added as needed.

- Oct 31 Morning (1/2 day) starting at 9am
- Nov 11 Evening (1/2 day) starting at 6pm
- Nov 16 Evening (1/2 day) starting at 6pm

CO - Competition Official

Prerequisite for all other clinics. CO Is now available **ONLINE**, download the PDF at this link, complete and bring to your certification clinic. If you're not attending a certification clinic, please email completed PDF to Ken Gay.

RF – Referee and JA

- Nov 6 (Full Day) starting at 9am

CC - Chief of Course – Location to be announced

- Nov 6 (Full Day) starting at 9 am

RA - Race Administration – Race Result Software is now part of the RA clinic

There are 2 separate RRS clinics. Computer required (with software installed)

- Nov 5 RRS: Split Second 6pm
- Nov 6 RA (Full Day) starting at 9am (Must attend RRS clinic first)

TC 1 - Timing & Calculations 1 (calculator required)

- Nov 7 (Full Day) starting 9am

CR - Chief of Race

- Nov 7 (Full Day) starting at 9 am

RMSRO Advancement Procedure

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 USSS. RMSRO does not automatically advance anyone.

Activity Record (Work Cards)

If you wish credit and want to advance, we need a record of the 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, along with the details shown. Do NOT submit the US Ski and Snowboard record, rather copy the information to your work card. You will only receive credit for one position per day.

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