



# Kandahar Festival



February 28 – March 1, 2009

## West Mountain

The Kandahar Festival is an open 2 day giant slalom race including racers at the J5 level (with birth years 1997 – 2000), and J3 – J4 racers not attending their championship races. All racers must be current members of NYSSRA and USSA prior to race day.

REGISTRATION

**ENTRIES MUST BE RECEIVED BY THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 2009**

This race is limited to the first 250 registered racers

Register online at [www.alpinerreg.com](http://www.alpinerreg.com)

Mail entries to: Cassie West/SWMEF  
59 West Mountain Rd.  
Queensbury, NY 12804

Race fee is \$64 for 2 days of racing, make checks payable to SWMEF

Registration will be in the main lodge both days and will be open at 7:30

Raffle will take place at registration and throughout both days

RACE HILLS

The J5's will be racing on The Face, located just outside the Main Lodge

The J3's and J4's will be racing on the Mach II trail. This can be reached by car – take a left out of the main parking lot, travel ¼ of a mile, left on NorthWest and a right into the parking lot.

VOLUNTEER LIFT TICKETS  
REDUCED RATE LIFT TICKETS

If you would like to volunteer as a gatekeeper, please see Steve Hudson at registration. Receive a ticket to ski that day and a voucher to ski another day.

Parent vouchers are available at registration table. Present this voucher at the ticket window to receive a \$25 lift ticket

SEEDING

There will be random seeding within gender and age groups each day. On The Face trail the J5 girls will run first followed by the J5 boys. On the Mach II train, J4 girls will run first followed by J4 boys, then J3 girls followed by J3 boys. Second run will be reverse order within gender and age groups.

RACE SCHEDULE FOR BOTH DAYS

### **February 28 and March 1**

7:30 Race registration in the main lodge

8:00 Coaches meeting upstairs in the restaurant

8:15 Courses open for inspection

9:30 Start for both race trails

## AWARDS

Awards each day to the 10<sup>th</sup> place in each gender and class for combined results.

Awards will be held in front of the race building at the foot of The Face trail approximately one hour at the end of the race.

Six Skimeister awards will be given by NYSSRA to the top skiers of each age and gender based on all 4 runs combined.

Athletes will be named to the Kandahar Championship Team based on the best 2 of 4 results, ties will be broken by the next best run. Quotas as follows:

J5 boys: 11 qualifiers

J5 girls: 11 qualifiers

J4 boys: 6 qualifiers

J4 girls: 6 qualifiers

J3 boys: 6 qualifiers

J3 girls: 6 qualifiers

Qualifiers must be ready to accept or decline the invitation at the time the team is named. Check for \$34 dollars made out to SWMEF, registration immediately following the naming of the Kandahar Champs Team in the main lodge.

## GENERAL INFORMATION

- Bracelets for tubing on our tubing hill (Saturday) will be distributed at registration. Please keep these in a safe place, **I can not replace lost tubing bracelets!**
- Breakfast buffet will be served in the restaurant beginning at 7:00 am cost is \$ 7.99 per person, no pre-pay necessary – **SERVED BOTH SAT. AND SUN.**
- Wax room in the race building is available for any racers wishing to use it