



**U.S. PARALYMPICS NORDIC SKIING NATIONALS & IPC NORAM INVITATION  
January 2-7, 2015**

October 1, 2014

Dear Competitors,

The Soldier Hollow Organizing Committee would like to invite the International Adaptive Ski Community to participate in the 2015 U.S. Paralympics Nordic Skiing Nationals & IPC NorAm, January 2-7, 2015, at Soldier Hollow in Midway, Utah.

The invitation contains the proposed schedule for competition and general event information. On-line registration will be available at <http://www.soldierhollow.com> beginning December 1, 2014. Paper registration will be available at that time as well.

We look forward to welcoming you to Soldier Hollow in January - best of luck to all!

Sincerely,

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Event Details:

- This event is held in collaboration with Soldier Hollow Ski Resort (home of the 2002 Paralympic Winter Games), U.S. Biathlon Association, and U.S. Paralympics Nordic Skiing.
- It will serve as a National Championship event for the sitting class (LW10-12) athletes, and as an IPC Nordic Skiing Continental Cup (NorAm) event for Sitting, Standing and VI classes who hold an IPC Nordic Skiing License.
- The National Championship events for the Standing & VI Classes will be held at the U.S. Cross Country Championships (able-bodied) FIS events in Houghton, MI Jan 2-10, 2015. At that event, Standing & VI skiers (LW2-9 & B1-3) will be integrated into the field, will use the same FIS homologated courses, and must have a USSA, FIS, or IPC license to compete. *\*No National Championship event will be associated with Jan 10th Classic Sprint, though skiers (LW2-9 & B1-3) are welcome to compete.*
- Sit skiers (LW 10-12) will be racing on sit-ski specific courses at Soldier Hollow, and must have USSA, USBA, or IPC license to compete in the Nationals or NorAm events.
- Standing & VI Class skiers (LW2-9 & B1-B3) who attend the Utah races will be on challenging FIS level race courses & must have a USSA, USBA, or IPC license to compete in the Nationals or NorAm events.
- All races will be scored to the IPCNS points list, but only skiers who have a valid IPC license by January 1, 2015 will have chance to score IPC points, and may need to be IPC Classified in addition.

- Classification – January 2-4, 2015:  
International classification (IPC) will be offered at this event for LW Classes (no VI) for those who have an IPC license & register with their NPC by Dec 20. Visually impaired athletes from the USA who have not been classified should contact in advance and provide medical records to Erin Popovich ([Erin.Popovich@usoc.org](mailto:Erin.Popovich@usoc.org))  
**Please advise your interest in IPC & National classification by Dec. 10, 2014.**
- Accommodation:  
Heber Valley is home to a variety of lodging and dining options for teams, athletes, families and friends. Information can be found at [www.gohebervalley.com](http://www.gohebervalley.com)  
In addition, the Zermatt Resort is offering a discount rate, contact [John.Kennedy@zermattresort.com](mailto:John.Kennedy@zermattresort.com) or +1.435.657.0180
- Airport Transports and Daily Shuttle Service:  
Please contact Aspen Transportation of Midway, Utah directly for information and reservations at 435-657-1223 or [kroydon@qwest.net](mailto:kroydon@qwest.net)
- Registration:  
All Nations must submit entries for IPC athletes at [www.paralympic.org/entries](http://www.paralympic.org/entries)  
Entry for each competitor to the OC must be on-line or post marked no later than 5pm, December 26, 2014
- Cost for 1 race \$35 & for all 4 races is \$100.00
- Late Registration deadline (paper only):  
Due to Race Secretary by noon the day before each race. Cost of races plus \$25.00 late fee per race.
- Venue and Course maps will be available at the first Team Captains Meeting.
- IPC TD: Eileen Carey [Eileen.carey@usoc.org](mailto:Eileen.carey@usoc.org) +1.719.244.7648
- Other Contact information:  

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Tel: +1.435.654.2002 Fax: +1.435.654.9166	
- Competition schedule:

Thu Jan 1	Unofficial BIA training – <b>9am-Noon</b>
Fri Jan 2	Official Adaptive BIA & Unofficial XC training - <b>9am-Noon</b> IPC Classification <b>1-5pm</b> at National Ability Center in Park City Team Captains Meeting (TCM) at <b>1:00pm</b> - Soldier Hollow Lodge
<b>Sat Jan 3</b>	<b>Biathlon Sprint 6/7.5km – 9am Zero, 10am Start</b> Official XC Sprint training – <b>1-3pm</b>
<b>Sun Jan 4</b>	<b>XC 1km Sprint Race CL –10am Qualifiers, 11am Heats</b>
<b>Mon Jan 5</b>	<b>XC Short Distance Race 2.5/5/5/10km FR – 10am Start</b>
Tues Jan 6	Official Training XC Long Distance – <b>8-11am</b>
<b>Wed Jan 7</b>	<b>XC Long Distance 10/12/15/20km CL – 9am Start</b>

Official information/schedules/registration (available by Dec. 1, 2014) at [www.teamusa.org](http://www.teamusa.org) and at <http://soldierhollow.com/>

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**Registration Form** *(updated 12/1/14)*

Prospective racers may have a USSA, USBA, IPC or other license to compete in the Nationals or NorAm events and must sign and return a Soldier Hollow Waiver prior to training or competing in this event at Soldier Hollow.

First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Middle Name \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Gender: Male \_\_\_\_\_ Female \_\_\_\_\_

Birthdate (mm/dd/yyyy): \_\_\_ / \_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_

Day Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ ext. \_\_\_\_\_ Evening Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ ext. \_\_\_\_\_

Address Line 1: \_\_\_\_\_

Address Line 2: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State/Province: \_\_\_\_\_

Country: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip/Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please select class:** \_\_ Stand-Up \_\_ Sitski \_\_ VI

Additional class/licensing information as it applies: (ex: LW12) \_\_\_\_\_

**Valid Numbers Please:** IPC #: \_\_\_\_\_ **USSA membership #:** \_\_\_\_\_

**USBA license #:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Other #:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Please select Affiliation** (shown on results): \_\_ Team \_\_ Club \_\_ School \_\_ Other

Team: \_\_\_\_\_ Club: \_\_\_\_\_ School \_\_\_\_\_ Other \_\_\_\_\_

Where will you be lodging locally? \_\_\_\_\_

U.S. PARALYMPICS NORDIC SKIING NATIONALS & IPC NORAM cost for 4 races: \$100.00

Cost for individual races: \$35.00 each

**Payment Information:** Payment by check, cashier's check (payable to Soldier Hollow) or credit card (completed form to Race Secretary with registration please). Signed waiver and payment must be received prior to use of the venue.

**Entry Deadline:** Emailed to [judy.klutt@soldierhollow.com](mailto:judy.klutt@soldierhollow.com) no later than 5pm, December 26, 2014. Checks may be mailed to Soldier Hollow, ATTN: US Paralympics/IPC Noram, Soldier Hollow, PO Box 2002, Midway, UT 84049.

**Late Registration Fee:** Cost of race plus \$25.00 fee per race. Applies to entry deadline and during event add-on races.

**During Event Late Registration Deadline (paper registration form and full payment only):** By noon the day before each race to Race Secretary. No exceptions please.

**SELECT RACES**

___ Sat, Jan 3, Biathlon Sprint 6/7.5km	___ Mon, Jan 5, XC Short FR Distance Race 2.5/5/10km
___ Sun, Jan 4, XC 1km CL Sprint Race – Qualifier & Heats	___ Wed, Jan 7, XC Long CL Distance 10/12/15/20km

**PAYMENT INFORMATION:**

\_\_\_\_\_ \$100.00 four races, \$35.00 for individual race.

\_\_\_\_\_ Late Registration Fees

*NOTE: \$25.00 per race in addition to race cost if received by email later than 5pm 12/26/14*

\_\_\_\_\_ TOTAL AMOUNT OWED. \_\_\_\_\_ Check \_\_\_\_\_ Credit Card

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**CREDIT CARD INFORMATION**

**Please complete all information – thank you!**

Name on credit card: \_\_\_\_\_

Address on credit card: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Best Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

Credit Card #: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Expiration: \_\_\_\_\_

Authorization code: \_\_\_\_\_ Amount approved to charge: \_\_\_\_\_