

Race Information

2022 U.S. Paralympics Nordic Skiing Sit Ski Nationals



December 29, 2021 – January 2, 2022

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GENERAL INFORMATION

Sit Skier Competition

These races are for sit skiers. There **will not** be competitions for standing or visually impaired athletes at this event.

Vaccination Requirement

All coaches, athletes, officials, and volunteers will be required to be vaccinated or receive an exemption to be able to participate. Information about this requirement can be found here: www.teamusa.org/Coronavirus/Vaccine-Requirement. More details about how to verify vaccination are in the next step.

Race Registration Information

These races are sanctioned with World Para Nordic Skiing and all competitors are required to have a WPNS license. Race fees are \$25 per person, per race.

Due to the vaccination requirement, there will be a **3 step registration process** for these races. Please note there are different deadlines for each step of this process. We need extra time to complete the vaccination verifications.

Step 1: All participants (athletes, coaches, officials, volunteers) are required to adhere to the USOPC vaccination requirement. To do this, please send an email to Kristina.trygstad-saari@usopc.org indicating intent to participate in this event. If you are sending an email for multiple people, please include NAME and EMAIL address of each participant. We will then send this information to a 3rd party who will send each person an email with a link to upload your verification of vaccination or exemption request. **DEADLINE:** December 1, 2021.

Step 2: All nations need to enter athletes for races on the SDMS system. For USA athletes, we will take care of this if you have completed step 1. **DEADLINE:** December 15, 2021

Step 3: Sit skier competitors need to register at <https://my.raceresult.com/series/4769/>
Any athlete who has registered for the races but has not completed the vaccination requirement will not be permitted to start. Race fees will not be refunded. **DEADLINE:** December 26, 2021, 12PM mountain time

Schedule

Dec 29 – arrival

Dec 30 – unofficial training Crosscut

Dec 31 – unofficial training Crosscut

Jan 1 – Cross country sprint- sit skiers

10AM qualification

10:30AM Heats

Jan 2 – Cross-country short – sit skiers (5k for all)

10AM race start

Passes/Trail Fees

Trail fees for training days will be \$10 and will be included in the registration.

Rules

Races will be run according to WPNS Rules and Regulations:

www.paralympic.org/sites/default/files/2021-10/2021_09_30%20WPNS_Rules%20and%20Regulations_2021-22_0.pdf

Team Captains Meetings

There will be no TCMs during this event. All event information will be sent out via WhatsApp before competition days. Contact Eileen Carey (eileen.carey@usopc.org or 719-244-7648) at any time with questions.