

U14 California Challenge at Palisades Tahoe  
(Palisades)

February 3, 2023 Giant Slalom  
February 4, 2023 Giant Slalom  
February 5, 2023 Giant Slalom



<b>ELIGIBILITY</b>	All U14 participants must have a current Alpine Competitor Membership with U.S. Ski and Snowboard. Please <a href="https://my.us skiandsnowboard.org/myussa">https://my.us skiandsnowboard.org/myussa</a> to verify or update memberships.
<b>ENTRIES</b>	\$48.00 per Giant Slalom event. All entries must be done online; for online registration please visit <a href="https://my.us skiandsnowboard.org/myussa">https://my.us skiandsnowboard.org/myussa</a> <b>Registration opens Thursday, December 1, 2022. Any pulls to the entry deadline must go through the race organizer (Palisades Tahoe) jabbott@palisadestahoe.com. Pulls after the Team Captains Meeting, Thursday, February 2, 2023, at 5:00pm will not be refunded.</b>
<b>ENTRY DEADLINE</b>	<b>11:59pm Friday, January 27, 2023 is the deadline for registration. A late fee of \$40.00 will be applied to all late entries.</b>
<b>LIABILITY RELEASE FORM</b>	Release of Liability forms can be filled out online <a href="http://www.ezwaiver.com/PT">www.ezwaiver.com/PT</a> <b>Select ACTIVITIES when filling out the online Liability form.</b> Only one release is required for the season for Palisades Tahoe (Olympic valley) and Alpine Meadows races. Signed Liability Release forms must be received no later than 48 hours after the online registration closes. There will be no opportunity to turn them in at the Team Captain's Zoom Meeting and an athlete without the form will be pulled from the event.
<b>LIVE TIMING/WHATSAPP</b>	<a href="http://Live-timing.com">Live – timing.com</a> will have the competitors list, program, start lists, DSQ and results. We are setting up a WhatsApp for all coaches, this link will be emailed to the registered coaches.
<b>TEAM CAPTAIN'S MEETING</b>	<b>Thursday, February 2nd at 5:00 pm. This will be a Zoom meeting.</b> The Zoom link will be emailed out to the coaches that are registered. All coaches need to register for the event via online registration no later <b>11:59pm Friday, January 27, 2023.</b>
<b>COACHES/ATHLETES TICKETS</b>	Athlete, Parent and Coaches Lift Day Tickets can be picked up Friday, February 3, Saturday, February 4, Sunday, February 5 (each morning) at 7:30am outside up at the Competitions Services Building at Palisades Tahoe (Olympic Valley). <b>All Lift Tickets are to be picked up by Coaches only.</b> Coaches will also pick up their bibs for Athletes racing that day and Coaches Lift Tickets.

<b>SCHEDULE</b>	<p>Friday, February 3, 2023 Giant Slalom, Ladies and Men's  Saturday, February 4, 2023 Giant Slalom, Ladies and Men's  Sunday, February 5, 2023 Giant Slalom, Ladies and Men's  Team areas will be available above the start for athletes and coaches only!</p> <p><b>NEW you can now watch the race on our Palisades Tahoe Exhibition Webcam</b>  <a href="https://www.palisadestahoe.com/mountain-information/webcams">https://www.palisadestahoe.com/mountain-information/webcams</a></p>
<b>LIFT TICKETS</b>	<p>\$59 Youth Athlete (13-18 yrs. of age) We are offering a Spectator ticket (parents &amp; Siblings)  \$99.00 <b>All registered athletes will be emailed a link to purchase the Athlete Lift ticket and parents lift ticket per race day. This link will close on Monday, January 30th, 2023 at 11:59pm. The discounted Lift Ticket can only be purchased online. Parents, please check your email for this link.</b></p>
<b>BIBS</b>	<p><b>Athletes can pick up their bibs from their Coaches each morning before the race. All bibs need to be returned end of day of each race. Any missing bibs will be charged a missing fee of \$50.00 to the Athlete.</b></p>
<b>VOLUNTEER</b>	<p>We are always in need of great Volunteers please contact  <a href="mailto:kshahhovskoi@palisadestahoe.com">kshahhovskoi@palisadestahoe.com</a></p>
<b>LODGING</b>	<p>Go to <a href="http://www.palisadestahoe.com">www.palisadestahoe.com</a> or call the Village at Palisades Tahoe at 1-800-403-0206.</p>
<b>AWARDS</b>	<p>Awards will be given out 1 hour after final racer.</p>
<b>QUESTION</b>	<p>If you have other questions, please email Jo Abbott at <a href="mailto:jabbott@palisadestahoe.com">jabbott@palisadestahoe.com</a></p>

**Helmets are required! Competitors are responsible for all equipment meeting U.S. Ski and Snowboard specifications. Fluorinated wax is not allowed at any US Ski and Snowboard competitions for any age group. Application of wax is not allowed at the U14 and under competition venue, which is defined as the ski resort property. Please, keep in mind that weather and/or snow conditions may cause a change in schedule. Only U.S. Ski and Snowboard officials working the race and registered athletes are allowed in the race venue.**