

# **EVENT NOTICE / INVITATION SPEED NATION SBX SUN PEAKS, BC, Canada**

North American Cup (NorAm)

Training: January 20, 2026

SBX NorAm #1: January 21, 2026 SBX NorAm #2: January 22, 2026











### SPEED NATION SBX: Sun Peaks

Speed Nation SBX Sun Peaks is the 2nd Snowboard Cross (SBX) stop of the Tour. This Event brings together the top SBX athletes in North American to compete in 2 races over 3 days.

Dustin Heise, Executive Director of Canada Snowboard, is excited to have a World Class Event grace the slopes of Sun Peaks Resort.

"On behalf of Canada Snowboard and our provincial partners, it is my distinct pleasure to extend a warm welcome to all of our Canadian and international athletes participating in this Event.

We know that the organizers have worked hard to prepare the course and ensure that all the details have been taken care of to allow you to enjoy and compete at your highest level. Hoping that this Event will be a memorable part of your competitive career as you strive to realize your personal snowboarding aspirations.

From all of us involved with competitive snowboarding in Canada, we wish each and every one of you the very best.

Have fun, go well and good luck!"

### THE RESORT

Sun Peaks is a resort community located 45 minutes from Kamloops, in BC's interior. Known for its stressfree mountain experience, the charming pedestrian village includes hotels and lodges, and over 40 locallyowned shops and restaurants.

Sun Peaks is Canada's second largest ski area with 4,270 acres of diverse ski terrain. But it is not just for winter enthusiasts. Sun Peaks has activities throughout the year.

Sun Peaks can be accessed by two airport gateways - Kamloops (45 minutes) and Kelowna (2.5 hours) and also by car; only a four-hour drive separates Sun Peaks and Vancouver, B.C.

This past summer Sun Peaks embarked on a major project to build their snow cross course on Sundance Mountain permanently from dirt, in partnership with Powder Ventures Excavations, a local company operating for 25 years and deeply committed to the community. The new Powder Ventures Cross Course will open to guests this winter.

For more information, please visit Sun Peaks Resort website.













#### ATHLETE and COACH REGISTRATION

### **Registration Deadline**

Online registration only - closes at midnight on January 16, 2026.

No onsite registration.

**Registration Links:** 

Athlete Online Registration Link

**Coach Online Registration Link** 

USA and other non-Canadian Athletes/Coaches: Select International Membership from BC Snowboard **Membership List** 

### **Eligibility - NorAm Competitions**

Competitors must be 15 years of age as of December 31, 2025.

Competitors must hold a valid FIS License prior to the first Team Captains Meeting.

Canadian athletes can purchase Provincial/Territorial Advanced Membership, SAIP Insurance and FIS license online under Member Services Here

#### **International Athletes Notice**

To confirm your registration, the Event Organizers MUST receive a written confirmation (FIS Entry Form) from your National Snowboard Association confirming you are in good standing, prior to your arrival at the Event. The entry form completed by your NSA is submitted by email to: bcsnow@telus.net. International Athlete Registration Link (Select International membership from BC Snowboard Membership List to be able to register).

### **Registration Fees**

\$200 for one (1) competition day \$400 for two (2) competition days

### Canadian Coaches – Scope of Practice

This is a NorAm level Event. Refer to Scope of Practice. Canadian coaches, you must be Comp Dev Certified to attend as per the Scope of Practice.

Please reach out to Craig Renwick: coachrenwick@gmail.com to discuss your coaching pathway if you do not meet this requirement

### **Lift Tickets**

Athletes: Lift Tickets for training and competition days will be offered at **50%** discount.

This discount is strictly restricted to SPEED NATION SBX athletes participating in this

**Event at Sun Peaks Resort.** 

All athlete lift tickets will be cross-checked against Event registration.

Tickets issued to non-registered athletes will be cancelled.

Coaches: Lift Tickets will be comped based on 5 athletes to 1 coach pass.

Coaches not qualifying for comp pass will receive 50% discount.

Details on how to purchase lift tickets will be provided to the clubs and coaches of registered athletes.













### RAD CAMP: SBX

SBX Camp is being held after this Event: January 23-27, 2026

For Details see Information Sheet

Camp Registration Link

### **REFUND POLICY**

Event entry fee refunds require approval from the BC Snowboard Executive Director. Request for refund must be submitted by email to: <a href="mailto:bcsnow@telus.net">bcsnow@telus.net</a> Lift Tickets, Membership, SAIP and FIS fees are non-refundable Canada Snowboard Refund Policy

### SANCTION

SPEED NATION SBX Sun Peaks is sanctioned by BC Snowboard Association, Canada Snowboard, and the International Ski and Snowboard Federation (FIS) as a NorAm Cup Event.

### **RULES & REGULATIONS**

Helmets are mandatory for all training & competition. Canada Snowboard Helmet Policy can be found Helmet Policy Competitions are run in accordance with FIS and NorAm Rules.

### **ACCOMMODATION**

**Sun Peaks Grand Hotel** is offering reduced rates: <u>Link to accommodations</u> \$309/room/night Standard Deluxe | \$349/room/night Upgraded Deluxe | \$409/room/night Suites, Kitchenette Rooms, Junior Suites

Bear Country Vacation Rentals and Nancy Greene's Cahilty Lodge are offering discounted rates. Use promo code **SkiRace** to book for these events, which can be applied on both Bear Country and Cahilty Lodge websites: www.bearcountry.ca and www.cahiltylodge.com

If there is a coach that is booking for a full team they can reach out to calvin@bearcountry.ca directly

### **EVENT OFFICE (Officials and Volunteers Only please)**

Location: Sun Peaks Grand – McGilvary Conference Room

Hours: January 19 (Monday) 2:00pm to 4:00pm

> January 20 (Tuesday) 8:00am to 4:00pm January 21 (Wednesday) 8:00am to 4:00pm January 22 (Thursday) 8:00am to 4:00pm













### **TEAM CAPTAIN MEETINGS**

Team Captain Meetings (TCM) will be held Virtually - Zoom link will be provided to Registered Coaches

5:00pm (for training plan) January 19 (Monday)

January 20 (Tuesday) 5:00pm January 21 (Wednesday) 5:00pm

### **PRIZE MONEY**

\$4,800 in total prize money. Prize money per Event (Male / Female)

1st: \$600 2nd: \$360 3rd: \$240

### **OFFICIALS**

Technical Delegate: Jeffrey Lange Chief of Competition: Tim O'Brien

Chief of Race: TBC Canada Snowboard Rep: TBC

Cathy Astofooroff Administrator:

### **VOLUNTEERS**

If you are interested in being part of the Team as a volunteer, contact the organizing committee at bcsnow@telus.net - provide your experience and choice of position (indoor or outdoor).

NOTE: All Volunteers and Officials on site will need to be members of their Provincial or Territorial Snowboard Association and be, at least, Snowboard Official Level 1.

BC Snowboard will assist you with this training and any official's fees payable and training.

To know more about Canada Snowboard Officials Program, click Here

### **EVENT CONTACT**

### Cathy Astofooroff | BC Snowboard Association

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We look forward to seeing you at SUN PEAKS!













### **EVENT SCHEDULE**

### **TENTATIVE SCHEDULE – TO BE CONFIRMED at TC Meetings**

## **SPEED NATION SBX, Sun Peaks** January 18-22, 2026

NOTE: Daily Schedule will be confirmed at Team Captains Meeting prior to the Event

### Monday, January 19, 2026

5:00pm	Team Captains Meeting	Virtual Zoom Meeting (link will be
		provided to registered coaches)

### Tuesday January 20, 2026 - Tentative Schedule

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9:00am-12:30pm	Coaches pick up Bibs (and	Sun Peaks Grand	
	welcome gift)	- Mcgillary Conference Room	
1:00pm-3:00pm	Inspection and Training	Powder Ventures Cross Course	
3:00pm-4:00pm	Bibs MUST be returned	Bottom of course or Conference Room	
5:00pm	Team Captains Meeting	Virtual Zoom Meeting	

# Wednesday, January 21, 2026 – Tentative Schedule

Tentative contents				
8:00am-9:00am	Coaches pick up Bibs	Sun Peaks Grand		
		- McGilvary Conference Room		
9:00am-10:45am	Inspection and Training	Powder Ventures Cross Course		
10:45am-11:00am	Riders Meeting	Top of Course		
11:00am-3:00pm	SBX NorAm #1	Powder Ventures Cross Course		
3:00pm-4:00pm	Bibs MUST be returned	Bottom of course or Conference Room		
4:00pm	Awards	TBD		
5:00pm	Team Captains Meeting	Virtual Zoom Meeting		

### Thursday, January 22, 2026 - Tentative Schedule

8:00am-9:00am	Coaches pick up Bibs	Sun Peaks Grand
		- McGilvary Conference Room
9:00am-10:45am	Inspection and Training	Powder Ventures Cross Course
10:45am-11:00am	Riders Meeting	Top of Course
11:00am-3:00pm	SBX NorAm #2	Powder Ventures Cross Course
4:00pm	Awards	TBD

<sup>\*</sup>Note the schedule is subject to change due to weather conditions, jury decisions, etc.











