2023 New Jersey Ski Council Junior Race

Dear: Club Race Chairperson Date: December 20, 2022

Greetings all, my name is Patrick Brennan and I am a member of the Craigmeur Ski Club. It is that time of year again to get ready for this year's NJSC Junior State Race to be held in conjunction with the NJSSC adult race, Saturday February 11, 2023 at Pico Ski Resort, Vermont. I am be the Chairperson for the Junior event.

The Junior race is open to all Juniors 18 years or younger who are children of NJSC members. The format of the race will be a Giant Slalom. Each racer will run the course twice, and the fastest time of the two runs for each racer will be utilized to determine the winners. I plan on having categories for both male and female and will group the racers into appropriate age groups depending on the number and ages of participants registered. Preliminary age categories for both male and female will be as follows:

Under 12 13-15 16-18

These categories are subject to change and will be finalized prior to the race depending on participation.

Registration:

Registration fees are as follows:

Racer (including RFID Card, Two Runs, and the Party)	\$97.00
Racer (No RFID Card, Two Runs, and the Party)	\$55.00
Junior Party Guest Only (No Lift ticket)	\$30.00

The post race party will be a combined adult/junior event where all those participating in the day's events will meet for pizza and soda and junior awards. Please note, the snack foods served at the party are not intended to replace dinner. For Juniors not racing, but who plan on attending the post race party the fee is \$30.0 p.p. . If you have paid the fee in conjunction with the adult race, you are not required to pay again.

Attached, is the Junior registration form for your club. I ask that one form be completed for all the Junior racers who will be participating from your club, Pico Release Liability Form as well as the NJSSC Release Liability Form and returned to me. Please e-mail me a copy of the registration form for your club by <u>January 24, 2023</u>. I need to get a headcount to the Council for the discounted lift tickets. Additionally, I will need a copy of your club's registration form with the appropriate payment made payable to "New Jersey Ski & Snowboard Council, Inc." for all Junior racers participating from your club sent to me <u>no later than January 24</u>. If we do not get the racer headcount number by January 24, I cannot guarantee that you will get a discount RFID Card from the Council and you will have to purchase a lift ticket on your own.

My mailing information is as follows:

Patrick Brennan 50 Crescent Dr Lake Hopatcong, NJ 07849

Race Day

Racers are to meet at the Sunshine Café (the lower part of the Pico base lodge) at 8:00 am in order to pick up their bibs. The plan is to have the Junior race commence after the 1st run of the Adult Race prior to the course reset for the second Adult run. Race time will be approximately 10:30 am but is subject to change depending on timing of the Adult Race. The second Junior run will start immediately after the completion of the first run.

Prior to being allowed to compete, each Racer must complete the following forms signed by a parent /guardian.

- a) Killington/Pico Ski Resort Partners, LLC and Pico Ski Club, Inc Release Form
- b) NJSSC Junior State Race Release of Liability Form

Killington Pico Release

NJSSC Liability Release

Additionally, Helmets are Mandatory for all racers.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at the following:

craigmeurvouchers@gmail.com or 201-924-6709

I am looking forward to another great day and good luck to all racers!!

Think Snow!!!

Regards,