

Northstar at Tahoe – GS/GS February 20-21, 2010

We are scheduled to hold our GS races at Northstar on the *Challenger* run and down onto *Follow Me*. This is a very good GS hill(s) and should be fun and challenging. This race venue is FIS homologated and in fact will be hosting FIS University races the day before we arrive, and the day after we depart.

The following information will help our racers have an enjoyable weekend:

PARKING

Parking at Northstar is accomplished in one of three ways;

1) Park in any of the free lots and wait for the frequent shuttle buses (they typically run about every 3 minutes).

2) Park in the paid parking lots. For \$20 you can park in the Currant Drive parking lot, walk about 250 yards through the village to registration and the Gondola. For \$30 you can park in the "paid parking" lot shown on the map, you will have about an 80-100 yard walk to registration and the gondola.

3) You can park as close as you can to the new Highlands gondola. If you park there, you will still have to walk about the same distance as the \$20 parking to access registration, tickets and the gondola, but at the end of the day, you can ski down pretty close to where you have parked. If you arrive early enough you can also park just about as close as the Currant drive parking area without charge.

A map of the Parking areas is provided to assist you in planning your Northstar race day.

REGISTRATION

Registration will be in the Copper Lane Registration Center (same as last year for those who attended our race last year). It is on the lower level of the village, and is just past a Mexican food restaurant named "North of the Boarder." It coincidentally is located on Copper Lane.

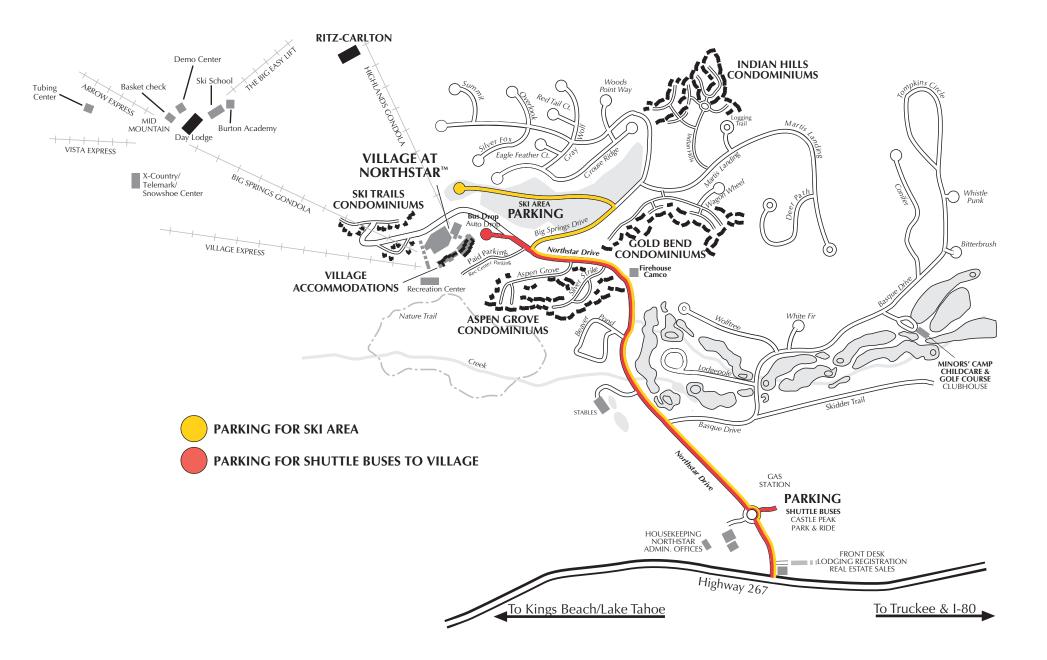
A map of the Northstar Village is provided to help you locate the Northstar race registration and lift access points.

VENUE

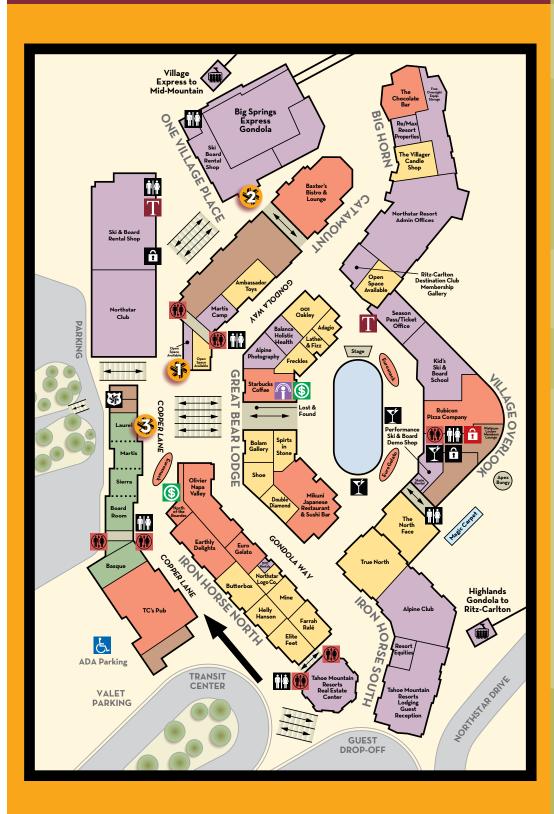
To access the race venue, take the *Big Springs Gondola* up from the Village/Registration area then exit the Gondola to the right. Then take the *Arrow Express Chair*, ski straight off the Arrow Express Chair and get on the *Comstock Express Chair*. The Comstock Express Chair will take you to the top of the Mountain. Skate, and keep skating to your far left, this will take you to the race venue.

The lift used to get back to the top is the **Backside Express**. The Backside Express will be fairly crowded starting about 10:30 so plan accordingly. Fast Track tickets will be available at registration for \$15.

A Northstar Trail map is provided to show you the race location.



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