Far West Masters Ski Racing

Mt. Rose McKinney Cup ~~GS / GS~~ SLx2
March 10 ~~-11~~, 2018

Mt. Rose is a great venue for us and always puts on a big welcome for the Far West Masters. The Silver Dollar GS track is one of the best venues on our schedule, providing competitors with a long and challenging course with multiple terrain features for course setters to exploit.

****** SCHEDULE CHANGE:*** *Mt Rose had decided that is unlikely we can hold the planned Sat-Sun GS races due to limited coverage on the Sliver Dollar GS track. Although we have received considerable new snow with the storm this weekend, the snow is dry and light and the assessment is that it is unlikely to set up well enough to provide us with a good racing surface for GS. With regret then, the decision is that our best prospects for good racing conditions is to change to SL. We will run both SL races on Saturday 3/10 [Sat 3/3] ****

The McKinney Cup is sponsored by Rees Palermo to recognize the racing accomplishments of Tamara McKinney and in memory of members of her family, Steve, McLane, and Frances McKinney. The McKinney family started out skiing in Far West at Mt. Rose and became one of the most memorable ski racing families ever, highlighted by the success of Tamara and her World Cup accomplishments. The McKinney Cup is a perpetual trophy on display over the mantle of the fireplace in the Mt. Rose lodge.

Race Location	Mt. Rose http://www.mtrose.com
Race Dates	Sat- ~~Sun~~ Mar. 10 ~~-11~~, 2018
Entry Fee	$35.00 per race *[*] $5/race late fee after Sun 3/4*
Lift Tickets	$50
Race Entries	Online at http://skiracereg.com/fw (recommended) or by mail to the race organizer (printable entry form available on http://farwestmasters.org) by Wed 3/7.
Race Checkin	**7-8 am** – Winters Creek Lodge at the Slide Mountain base area Complimentary continental breakfast for all racers 7-8 Sky Bar area ***No*** *day-of-race signups - you must be registered by the day prior to the race.*
Schedule	~~*Sat GS, Sun GS*~~ **Sat SLx2** Lift opens for racers at 8am Inspection 8:15-9, Race start 9:15 ***** NOTE EARLY SCHEDULE!! *****
Social	Post-race social event will be 4:30pm in Winters Creek base lodge
Race Organizer	Mt. Rose Race Dept Attn: McKinney Cup 22222 Mt Rose Highway Reno, NV 89511 Phone: (775) 849-0704 x 221

REMINDER*: race day checkin is required!! You* ***must*** *check in on race day to confirm your participation and ensure you receive any updates about the event program.*

Helmets are required for all disciplines!

****** 2018: FIS-certified race helmet is* ***recommended*** *for GS, SG, and DH ******

Competitors must be a current member of US Ski and Snowboard and Far West Masters. New racers are welcome and may purchase an inexpensive short-term US Ski and Snowboard membership license per race day. Membership information is available on our http://farwestmasters.org web site or contact us at membership@farwestmasters.org. Please keep in mind that weather and/or snow conditions may cause a change in the schedule. It's always a good idea to check with the race organizer or review the latest news and schedule information on the Far West Masters web site at http://farwestmasters.org prior to attending a competition.