



Far West Masters Ski Racing

Mt. Rose McKinney Cup GS / GS 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 OUTLOOK AS OF THU 3/1:** coming into the end of February, Mt Rose believed it was unlikely that we could hold the planned GS races due to limited coverage with the continuing warm and dry conditions this season. However, the storms arriving this week are bringing much-needed snow and we may still be able to run GS. The fallback plan would be to switch to SL and run both races on Saturday 3/10. Decision is expected by the end of this week. ***

The McKinney Cup is sponsored by Tamara McKinney 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 [<i>*) \$5/race late fee after Sun 3/4</i>]
Lift Tickets	TBA
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	TBA No day-of-race signups - you must be registered by the day prior to the race.
Schedule	Sat GS, Sun GS (start time and location TBA)
Social	Post-race social event time/location TBA
Race Organizer	Mt. Rose Race Dept Attn: McKinney Cup 22222 Mt Rose Highway Reno, NV 89511 Phone: (775) 849-0704 x 221

Additional details will be provided when available

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.