



2020-2021

MINNESOTA STATE HIGH SCHOOL LEAGUE

Alpine Ski, Boys and Girls

Section Tournament Information

Dates	Sections should be completed on or before Thursday March 4, 2021
Location/Facility	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sections have local control to schedule host sites – • A one- or two-day Alpine ski meet is recommended.
Tournament Format	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sections must be scheduled in two sessions or more (morning and afternoon) to minimize the number of teams at the facility at one time. • Sections will determine which teams compete in each session. • It is recommended that each Section host a seeding meeting to determine which session teams will compete. All teams must have the opportunity to be represented at the seeding meeting. • A maximum of 4 teams or 24 student athletes may be at a staging area at one time. Staging areas include: Base Stage, Chair Lift Stage, Start Area Stage, Finish Area Stage • Teams not competing on the hill must remain in their Team Camps separated from other teams and spectators.
Changes/ Adjustments in MSHSL Approved Season Sport Guidance	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All MSHSL Approved Season Sport Guidance and Information remain in effect. • The number of teams on a course at one time is increased to 4. • Additional Section Teams must remain in their Team Camps when not competing.

Information on Advancement	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2 teams from each section will qualify for the state meet. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ The winner of the morning session and the winner of the afternoon session.) • 10 individuals not on a qualifying team will advance to state. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ 5 individuals from the morning session and 5 individuals from the afternoon session) • More details will be sent with the Section Managers Guide.
Site Management (Spectators, Concessions, etc.)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See MSHSL Event and Facility Management Guidance and Information

Tournament Personnel	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Team members, game officials and site staff (including ticket takers/sellers, administrative supervision from both schools, certified athletic trainer, announcer, etc.) do NOT count toward the maximum number of occupants. These individuals are considered “essential” to the meet. Winter 2021 Post Season Squad Size and Personnel Information
Seeding	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Dividing large sections into a minimum of 2 subsections is required. A seeding meeting must take place as determined by the Section.
Awards/Certificates	<p>Teams</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Trophies 1st - 2nd Place Medals 1st - 2nd Place <p>Individuals</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Medals 1st – 10th Place
Officials	<p>Sections should work with officials to confirm availability prior to committing to a date.</p> <p>When running multiple sessions at a venue, section managers need to communicate with meet officials ahead of time regarding expectations during the morning and afternoon session.</p>
Streaming	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Streaming is allowed.
Media	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> See MSHSL Event and Facility Management Guidance and Information.
Brackets/Results	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Results will be shared electronically. More information will be communicated via the Section Managers Guide.
Ticketing/Passes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> NA

All aspects of athletics including meetings, practices, competitions, transportation and facility usage must align with the requirements of the Minnesota Department of Education plan for return to learning, must follow the requirements from the Minnesota Department of Health’s Guidance on Youth Sports, and must include the required actions identified in the Governor’s Executive Orders.

Sportsmanship should have a constant presence in all school-based athletics.

- Teams are encouraged to find appropriate methods of demonstrating good sportsmanship and respect towards others within the physical distance guidance.

- Additional care should be taken when addressing contest officials with questions or seeking interpretations. At no time, other than in the natural course of competition, should a coach or player violate the required physical distance with an official. Any coach or player verbally interacts with an official must do so with a mask on and at a safe distance.