



ACADEMY : MOUNTAIN BIKE

**AT WINSPORT'S CANADA OLYMPIC PARK
CALGARY, ALBERTA**

Present

**RETURN OF THE FAT TIRE SNOW DH
FRIDAY APRIL 5, 2013**

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EVENT INFO

The WinSport Academy: Mountain Bike Club is proud to present the **Return of the Fat Tire Snow DH** on FRIDAY APRIL 5, 2013. This year the course will start at the top of the Ski/ Board X track and make way down the hill and finish at the bottom of the west terrain park.

In order to race this event you must be at least a General Member of a registered Alberta Club. You will need to show your 2013 ABA License in order to race. If you are not licensed and want to race, you will be asked to join the WinSport Academy: Mountain Bike Club. Forms will be available at registration. See the "COST" section below for pricing.

SCHEDULE

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| 4:00pm – 5:00pm | Registration in the Visitor Information Centre (Next to Guest Services) |
| 5:00pm – 5:30pm | On-Course training |
| 5:30pm – 5:45pm | Racer meeting at the top of the course |
| 5:45pm – 8:30pm | Competition runs |
| 9:00pm | Awards in the Lounge |

COST:

Payment for the event at registration on race day.

\$25 for ABA Licensed Athletes**

\$25 + Club Fees (one time annual cost) for NON-ABA Licensed athletes**

For riders that are not registered with a club, you will need to be an ABA General Member of the WinSport Academy: Mountain Bike Club. Below is the cost to join our club as a general member (these prices are set by the Alberta Bicycle association):

\$30 for under 18**

\$40 for 18 and over

As a general member you are NOT registered into a club program nor are you a part of a club group. Your club membership gains you affiliation with the WinSport Mountain Bike Club. It also allows you entry to Club Events held in Alberta. You can upgrade your license at any time with Alberta Bicycle Association in order to be able to race anything higher. You will also be able to join a WinSport Mtn Bike Club Team later in the spring.

****Under 18 will require a parent or Guardian signature at registration**

ATHLETES ENTRY:

This event is open to ABA License holders (General and up) who want to race their bike downhill on snow!

Categories will be Men 18+, Women 18+, U18 Boys, & U18 Girls

ABA General Memberships can be purchased on race day. See "COST" section above

COURSE:

The course will be all on snow. It will start at the top of the terrain park at the SkierX/ BoarderX course and proceed down the hill incorporating various terrain elements including steps and jumps. INVERTS WILL NOT BE ALLOWED on any jump in the park.

LIFT ACCESS:

You will NOT be taking the lift but rather a van will transport athletes to the top of the course. Bikes will be transported safely in a large truck.

VOLUNTEERING:

If you are interested in volunteering, there are a number of positions that will require volunteers. Some of which require an ability to ski.

MEMBERSHIP

All athletes will be required to either hold an active 2013 Alberta Bicycle Association License or purchase an ABA General Membership to the WinSport Academy: Mountain Bike Club.

LIABILITY AND ACCIDENT INSURANCE

All athletes, officials and other members who attend and participate in the event shall do so at their own risk. It is required that all competitors hold a valid competitor license or purchase one on the day of competition. The organizing committee, WinSport Winter Sport Institute, The WinSport Academy and its clubs, WinSport's Canada Olympic Park and/or its employees, Alberta Bicycle Association, and Cycling Canada shall not be responsible for accidents, damaged equipment and/or second or third party claims during the staging of the event.