



## NYSSRA Kandahar Championships NYSEF BE East Official Race Announcement

**Date:** 3/20-22/2026 **Competition(s):** Kombi & Giant Slalom

**Entry Procedure:** Online through [Adminskiracing.com](http://Adminskiracing.com)

**Day of entries will NOT be accepted**

**Trail Access:** Lift 8 (Hawk Quad)

**Course:** Dot Nebel

### Race Organizing Committee

**Technical Delegate:** Travis Widger

**Chief of Race:** Jason Barcoff

**Chief of Course:** Jim Catalano

**Chief of Timing:** JJ Pavese

**Race Administrator:** Tara Hulse

**RA Contact Information:** [tarah@nysef.org](mailto:tarah@nysef.org), 845-707-1065

### Schedule of Events

Event Date	Gender	Competition	Tentative Start Time
3/20/26	Women/Men	Training Day	9:00 am
3/21/26	Women/Men	Giant Slalom (3 runs)	9:30 am
3/22/26	Women/Men	Kombi (3 runs)	9:30 am

**\*\*Schedule Subject to Change\*\***

**3/20/26 Friday Training** (Trail=Dot Nebel)

**07:30am Bib/Ticket Pickup** by 1 coach per team at Discovery Lodge Mezzanine

**07:45am** NYSEF Coaches & TD/Ref (ONLY) Load Lift (Gondola)

**08:30am** Athletes & Representing Coaches Load Lift (Gondola)

**08:45am** Slalom Progression inspection (athletes remain with club coaches)

**09:00am** Slalom progression training

**1:00pm Mandatory slip of the hill**

Bib return near the finish on Dot Nebel

**3/21/26 Saturday 3-run Giant Slalom** (Trail=Dot Nebel)

**07:30am Bib/Ticket Pickup** by 1 coach per team at Discovery Lodge Mezzanine

**Athletes will use the same bib for Saturday & Sunday.**

**07:45am** NYSEF Coaches & TD/Ref (ONLY) Load Lift (Gondola)

**08:30am** Athletes & Representing Coaches Load Lift (Gondola)

**08:45am** Run 1 Inspection Open

**09:15am** Run 1 Inspection Closed

**09:30am** Run 1 Start Time



**Run 2 Start Time:** TBD approximately 20 minutes after the conclusion of the 1st run

**Run 3 Inspection:** TBD (Check WhatsApp for announcements)

**Run 3 Start Time:** Approximately 1 hour after the conclusion of the 2nd run

**In the morning, there will be 1 inspection.** Athletes will take 2 consecutive runs on the same course. Run 3 inspection will take place after the course reset.

**Saturday BBQ lunch for racers 11:00-2:00pm** at Discovery Lodge patio (athletes redeem their BBQ voucher)

### **3/22/26 Sunday 3-run Kombi (Trail=Dot Nebel)**

**07:30am Ticket Pickup** by 1 coach per team at Discovery Lodge Mezzanine

**07:45am** NYSEF Coaches & TD/Ref (ONLY) Load Lift (Gondola)

**08:30am** Athletes & Representing Coaches Load Lift (Gondola)

**08:45am** Run 1 Inspection Open

**09:15am** Run 1 Inspection Closed

**09:30am** Run 1 Start Time

**Run 2 Start Time:** Approximately 20 minutes after the conclusion of the 1st run

**Run 3 Inspection:** TBD (Check WhatsApp for announcements)

**Run 3 Start Time:** Approximately 1 hour after the conclusion of the 2nd run

In the morning, there will be 1 inspection. Athletes will take 2 consecutive runs on the same course. Run 3 inspection will take place after the course reset.

Bib return near the finish on Dot Nebel after the 3rd run

**Bib raffle** Discovery Lodge Patio during awards

**Awards:** ±45min after conclusion of Run 3, outside Discovery Lodge

## **Competitor Information**

**Athlete Bib/Ticket Pickup: Friday 7:30 am** at the Discovery Lodge Mezzanine (upper level).

Tickets are good for Friday only. Bibs will be returned near the finish area at the end of the training day.

**Athlete Bib/Ticket Pickup: Saturday 7:30 am** at the Discovery Lodge Mezzanine (upper level). *Bibs will be used on BOTH Saturday and Sunday.* Bibs will be returned near the finish area on Sunday after the last run. *(Don't forget your bib!!!)* Tickets are good for Saturday only.

**Athlete Ticket Pickup: Sunday 7:30 am** at the Discovery Lodge Mezzanine (upper level).

Tickets are good for Saturday only.

**One designated team captain from each mountain will pick up bibs and lift passes for their athletes.** Each mountain is responsible for the distribution of bibs and lift passes to their athletes.

**Coaches Ticket & Swag Pickup: 7:30 am** Due to the nature of the event, coaches will need to pick up their own 1-day lift ticket each morning at the Discovery Lodge Mezzanine.

**There will be no day-of registration or add-ons the day before! Registration will close at 8:00 am on 3/19/26.**

**Bib Return:** Athletes will return their bibs near the finish area at the end of the training day on Friday and again near the finish area after their 3rd run on Sunday.

**Unreturned Bibs:** Each mountain is responsible for ensuring that all bibs are returned to NYSEF Belleayre when the event has concluded. The athlete and their club will be billed a \$50 bib replacement fee for any missing bib.

**Racer Swag Bags:** Pick up your athlete swag bag at the Discovery Lodge Mezzanine (upper level) on Friday, Saturday or Sunday 7:30-3:00. Bag includes BBQ voucher, Kandahar Championship Hat, discount coupon for retail shop & much more!

**Day-of Communication:** NYSEF will be using **WhatsApp** for all day-of communication (schedule changes, DSQs, announcements). Download WhatsApp for your mobile phone and click the following link: <https://chat.whatsapp.com/Dj4wpWjll0RCYZyr7Tu1JV> Also: there will be a posting board near the finish.

**General Information:** US Ski & Snowboard and NYSSRA rules apply

**Protest Fee:** \$50.00 cash only

**Awards Ceremony will take place on Sunday outside the Discovery Lodge on the patio:**

Approximately 45 minutes following the conclusion of the race on Sunday, the top 10 boys and girls from each age class will be recognized, Overall Award - Skimeister for top finisher across all 6 runs, Council Cup for Best Top Finishing Council.

### **Team Captains' Meeting Information**

**TCM #1 Date & Time:** 3/19/26 at 6:00pm on Zoom (At least one Team Captain from each attending mountain must be present & visible with their camera ON.)

**TCM Zoom Link:** <https://us06web.zoom.us/j/89610989317>

**TCM #2:** 3/20/26 at 6:00pm on Zoom (same link)

**TCM #3:** 3/21/26 In Person after the race, Mezzanine Discovery Lodge U12 coaches forum directly afterwards. (Time will be announced via WhatsApp)

### **Additional Information**

[LINK HERE TO: Belleayre Mountain Medical Plan](#)

[LINK HERE TO: Belleayre Map](#)

**Race Parent Tickets:** Regularly priced tickets are available through:

<https://www.belleayre.com/tickets/> It is recommended that tickets be purchased in advance.

Race parents can also pick up vouchers at the Discovery Lodge Mezzanine that can be used to purchase a ticket on Friday, Saturday or Sunday at any ticket window. The industry standard rate will apply.

**Be courteous to EVERYONE at Belleayre mountain.**

**Lodge Access Information:**

- The Longhouse Lodge is closed to the public.
- The Overlook Lodge is closed and under construction.

- The Discovery Lodge is open and has been expanded. Food & beverage options are available only in the Discovery Lodge. **Visiting athletes and coaches should use the Discovery Lodge for bootup.**
- Belleayre Mountain has gone 'CASHLESS'  
<https://www.belleayre.com/mountain/improvements/#tab+what-to-expect-this-winter>
- When using the Discovery Lodge, please do not leave belongings on or under tables. Use lockers or cubbies.

**Lift Line/Lift Riding Information:**

- Please adhere to posted signage at lift areas and the directions of staff.
- **You must have your lift pass on you in order to ride the lift.**
- There is no priority loading for racers.
- Always lower the safety bar.
- Always be considerate of other skiers and riders.

**Parking/Parking Lot Information:**

- Lots E, F, G are closest to the Hawk Quad (lift 8).
- Do not park or block access at Drop off areas.
- The premium parking area is paid parking only. Do not drive under the skier bridge in the premium parking area (lot I).

**Volunteer Opportunities:**

Sign up here: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/9040F45ACA828ABF49-61808006-march>

**Please have a safe and happy experience at Belleayre Mountain.**