

# WORLD PRO SKI TOUR



Press Release  
Waterville Valley, NH  
February 8-10, 2019

## **PRO SKI RACING IS BACK IN WATERVILLE THIS WEEKEND FOR THE WHITE MOUNTAIN DUAL CHALLENGE**

Waterville Valley, NH (2019) - From West coast to East coast, Waterville Valley hosts the fastest pro ski racers for the 2nd World Pro Ski Tour race in the 2019 season, February 8-10, 2019.

This is the second year the World Pro Ski Tour will be at Waterville. The racers will compete for prize money and points towards the year-ends overall Pro title.

This is ski racing at its best; duel format head-to-head - not against the clock, with dead-horse start gates, identical race courses, and two (2) pro jumps make the event exciting and fast paced. US Olympian Nolan Kasper (Warren, VT) is returning to defend his 2018 WPST title as former member of the US Ski Team on the 2018 USA Olympic Ski Team.

Other top Pro Racers coming to Waterville will be Nolan Kasper, Michael Ankeny, Phil Brown, Kei Kullberg, Alex Tarberry and Rubie Brennan.

Tucker Marshall of Redneck Racing Team and 3rd year World Pro Ski Tour racer says, "The World Pro Ski Tour is such an awesome experience for anyone passionate about the sport. Whether you are a full time athlete or a weekend warrior, you get the opportunity to race head to head, have a great time, and possibly win some serious cash with the big prize purse."

The excitement from fans is a motivating factor for the athletes. Spectators are encouraged and welcome to participate in the pro tour events. Sponsors such as Tito's Vodka, Raymond James, Michelob Ultra, Greenhead Lobster to name a few. Tito's will host our Apres and After Dark parties where the fans can meet the racers. Come out to Waterville Valley to watch this exciting event.

### **Schedule of Events**

#### **FRIDAY - February 8, 2019**

- 3:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. - **Registration** will be on the second floor of the Base Lodge in the Sun room
- 6:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. - **Racer Meeting** (same room as Racer registration)
- 8:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m. - **Tito's and Meet and Greet Party at La Hacienda**

#### **SATURDAY - February 9, 2019**

- 8:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m. - **VIP Sponsor Check-in** at the Base Lodge
- 10:00 a.m. - **Inspection and Start Testing** begins

(athletes are allowed to test start and go on wrong side of first gate)

- 12:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m. - **Tito's Mountain Activation**
- 12:00 p.m. - **Qualification** start 1<sup>st</sup> run
- 1:00 p.m. - **Qualification** start 2<sup>nd</sup> run
- 2:00 p.m. - 3:30 p.m. - **Skiing with Sponsors** – Meet in finish area.
- 3:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. - **Tito's après ski party at T-Bars** (next to Base Lodge)
- 5:30 p.m. - 10:30 p.m. - **BBTS Fundraiser** - Winter Fiesta La Hacienda Restaurant (purchase tickets to attend)
- 8:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m. - **Tito's After Dark at Mulligan's**

#### **SUNDAY – February 10, 2019**

- 8:00 a.m. -10:00 a.m. - **VIP Sponsor Check-in** at the Base Lodge
- 9:30 a.m. - 10:30 a.m. - **Course Inspection**
- 11:00 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. - **Dual Super Slalom event**
- **Finish Area Race Awards Ceremony Top 4** to follow immediately after the race
- 12:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m. - **Tito's Mountain Activation**

For more information visit <http://www.worldproskitour.com>

#### **2019 WORLD PRO SKI TOUR SCHEDULE**

Beaver Creek, CO – Jan 31 – Feb 2, 2019

Waterville Valley, NH – Feb 7 – 9, 2019

Steamboat Springs, CO – Feb 28 – Mar 2, 2019

Buck Hill, MN – Mar 14 – 16, 2019 (\*tentative)

Sunday River, ME – Mar 28 – 30, 2019