

Racer/Athlete Expense Policy

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In addition to regular training costs, Calgary Westside Alpine Ski Club (CWASC) athletes typically incur Club-managed expenses related to races/events.

a) Race/Event Costs (Race Accounts)

Many clubs require members to prepay anticipated race costs by maintaining funds in separate “race accounts”. Calgary Westside Alpine Ski Club does not use race accounts, but instead uses a simplified process to recover flow-through race/event expenses. The process is designed to make such expense payments transparent, efficient, and low cost.

i) Race/event costs typically include:

- Competitor race entrance fees
- Competitor race lift tickets
- Coach expenses - Coach lift tickets, meal allowance, transportation, and accommodation expenses are divided equally amongst registrants of a race or event.

ii) Race/event registration costs, timing, and payment

- Attendance for a race/event must be marked 21 days ahead of time in Team Snap or an approved Club tool (including email).
- After attendance is marked, race/event costs will be calculated to set the full race/event registration fee (with precalculated coach expenses - lift ticket cost, meal per diem cost, transportation/mileage costs, and booked accommodation costs - divided amongst the number of registrants).
- Athletes must be then registered 14 days prior to the race/event at which time the full race/event payment is due.
- If an athlete cannot attend the event after registering/paying, the coach expenses are non-refundable. CWASC will endeavor to refund competitor race entrance fees and lift ticket fees if such fees are refunded by the race/event organizing club.

b) Optional costs/fees are as follows:

- Van transportation (when available): to be pre-paid
- Christmas/Spring camps: to be pre-paid
- Private/semi private coaching sessions: to be pre-paid
- Team apparel: to be pre-paid

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