



2023 / 2024 Parent Involvement Requirement

Parental support is critical to MRST maintaining a balance between quality programs and tuition costs. 33% of our income comes from tuition. The remaining 66% of our funding comes from sponsors, race hosting, and fundraising. We have three annual fundraisers: our fall Bomber Wing Auction, spring raffle and a summer Kids Triathlon. *Each family participating in fundraising and volunteering is crucial to keeping our tuition as low as possible.* The MRST Board of Directors has outlined the following donation and volunteer requirements.

Fundraising (Ski Stars only families are exempt, but encouraged to participate):

- Bomber Wing Auction: donate (or solicit the donation of) an item valued at \$250 or more. If you would rather not participate, you can opt out for \$350 payable at registration. The same fee will apply for those who do not donate.
- Spring raffle: sell 10 raffle tickets (or more) or donate a prize valued at least \$100.

On-hill volunteering:

Volunteer requirements are based on the program your athlete is in. In the event a family has multiple athletes enrolled in MRST, the program with the greatest number of on-hill days defines the family volunteer requirements. *Please note that parent coaches are not excused from the volunteer commitment.*

Program	Volunteer Days
Ski Stars	Exempt from requirements but are encouraged to participate.
12 Week YSL	2 days
YSL 1 – 3 Days	4 days
YSL full time; U14 part time, U16 part time and FIS part time	4 days – <i>reduced for the 2023/2024 season due to fewer than average race days</i>
U14 full time, U16 full time, FIS full time	4 days – <i>reduced for the 2023/2024 season due to fewer than average race days</i>

*Families who are unable to meet the required volunteer days will be invoiced after the last calendared race day at a rate of \$150.00 per missed day.

**Parents who live out of state can opt out at a daily rate of \$150.00. (For example, a FIS Full Time athlete with 4 Days of Volunteer requirement x \$150.00 per day = \$600.00.)

***Parents may choose to opt out of their volunteer requirement by paying the daily rate of \$150 x days required. Please contact ysl@mrst.us to make arrangements.

2023/2024 On-hill volunteer opportunities – 8 days of racing

- U14 Super G series (4 days) Thursday March 8 – Monday March 11, 2024
- Apple Cup (2 days) Saturday March 16 & Sunday March 17, 2024
- Buddy Werner Champs – Saturday March 31 & Sunday April 1, 2024