

# ALPINE TEAM - SKI RACING

## SUMMARY OF POSSIBLE ATHLETE COSTS AND NEEDED EQUIPMENT

### General out of pocket costs:

Item and Description	Amount
Alpine team fee paid to Waukesha West to attention of Alpine Racing Ski Team	~ \$100
Season pass is recommended from our home hill of Alpine Valley in East Troy, WI	~ \$569
Night lift tickets at any of our "non-home-hill" race venues. Season pass is valid at our home hill on races, practices, and any day or holiday free skiing. Total of 6 races and averages out to 3-4 races at other hill venues. Lift Tickets are estimated at special racer fee of \$50.00(+)/Night Lift Ticket per Ski Racer	\$150-200
Transportation to and from Alpine Valley on practice nights (2 practices per week), to be coordinated on your own or via carpool	\$ tbd
Transportation to and from Race Hill Venues on Race Nights to be coordinated on your own or via carpool	\$ tbd

### Equipment Requirements:

Skis, Boots & Ski Poles -	- Can be purchased or rented from area ski shops or seek out Ski-Swap-Sales
Helmet with "hard sided shell" by ear location	- Purchased item via local ski shops, internet or from Local area used equipment sales of local area ski teams. ...Or rented or borrowed.
Ski Goggles	- Required and can be purchased from ski shops or internet.
Helmet (hard ears type) "chin" guard	- Hard Eared Helmet, not soft eared helmet. -Chin guard is used in Slalom Racing and recommended once skier Learns skills of basic gate pole blocking technique
Ski pole hand-guards	- Optional, but recommended once skier learns skills of SL-gate Pole-blocking technique.
An Alpine Race suite	- Is not a requirement but rather a personal option or preference.
Warm ski clothes	- And of course, required warm clothing for being on the ski hill.
Ski tuning gear, wax, and other tuning supplies	- Optional and personal preference: Local shops or web

Note: all our practices and races are held on winter nights which are usually colder than the day temperatures. So, athletes should dress warm for being out on the hill and skiing....and not sitting in the lodge every 15 minutes.