

DURANGO NORDIC SKI CLUB

Parent Responsibilities

1. **Transportation.** Transportation is required to several out of town races and to practices. It is essential that you provide a fair share of transportation throughout the season. The club will help with arrangements but it does not provide transportation. Car pools are encouraged. It is not the responsibility nor the liability of coaches to transport kids, nor is the Nordic Club liable. It is the responsibility of the parents of the participants to know and approve of whoever is transporting their child or children.
2. **Finances.** Be responsible and timely with all payments. Club dues must be paid in full before you are eligible to receive any of the benefits of the club. Please provide your child with enough money to cover their expense while traveling on any ski trips you do not attend.
3. **Committees.** Serve on club parent committees. Duties may include but are not limited to lodging reservations, transportation to out of town races, race entries, fund raising efforts, race organization.
4. **Support.** Facilitate your child's regular participation in all training and racing. Read all training schedules and assist your child in being on time and organized. Assist your child in ski preparation and maintenance and waxing.

Team Members Responsibilities

1. **Training.** Get in shape through the scheduled dryland training sessions organized by the club's coaches.
2. **Participation.** Participate in club fund raising activities, which generate money for the operation of the Durango Nordic Ski Club.
3. **Attitude.** Be on time for all training and ski races. Have all your equipment ready and wear appropriate clothing for your training and races. Demonstrate respect for your team and coaches by actively participating in scheduled training and races in a positive and cooperative spirit.
4. **Entry Fees.** Have appropriate entry fees ready to issue to the designated person at each race at the scheduled time.
5. **Equipment.** Be responsible for the care and maintenance of your equipment. Be responsible for having the appropriate equipment and clothing for all training and racing.
6. **Personal conduct.** Help promote team spirit. Be a role model for the younger members, encourage others, and acknowledge other skiers' success.
7. **Absence from School.** Pre-arrange all absences from school for any and all out of town races. Maintain good grades and a positive relationship with your teachers. The Durango Nordic Ski Club **WILL NOT** support a ski racer missing school if their grades are not passing.
8. **Represent.** Represent the Durango Nordic Ski Club, yourself, your family, and Durango with pride. Responsible behavior is expected and appreciated at home and at out of town races. This does not rule out having fun, but we want to be welcomed back to hotels and condominiums in the towns we travel to for races.
9. **Alcohol, Drugs, and Driving.** Uses of alcohol or drugs or driving irresponsibly are covered in the DNSC Code of Conduct and may be grounds for disciplinary action and could lead to dismissal from the Durango Nordic Ski Club.

I have read, understand, and agree to abide by the responsibilities for parents and team members.

Parent/Guardian Name _____ Signature _____ Date _____

Athlete Name _____ Signature _____ Date _____