



MID-ATLANTIC MASTERS RACE CAMP

JANUARY 5-8, 2026

WHAT YOU GET:

- 2 days of GS training: Technique, tactics
- GS timed runs
- 2 days of slalom training: Progressions through brushes, stubbies and full gates
- Free-skiing drills
- Daily video analysis
- Door prizes
- Awesome camp shirt!
- Maximum participants: 32 athletes
- Maximum athlete: coach ratio: 8:1
- Top-level coaching to jump start your ski season
- Demos and discounts from camp sponsors
- Apres-ski programs to help you go faster
- Proceeds from the camp support Mid-Atlantic Masters. Thank you!

COST*:

Early Bird Registration (before December 1, 2025): **\$595**
After December 1, add \$100.

Can only come to part of the camp? We'll prorate your camp tuition based on the number of days you can attend: **\$150 per day**. (Add \$25 per day if you register after December 1.)

**Camp tuition does not include lodging, meals, and lift tickets. See below.*

LODGING:

No room block, but there are many options at local hotels and through AirBNB/VRBO.

LIFT TICKETS:

Hunter Mountain honors EPIC pass.

Discounted lift ticket for non-passholders: \$63/day (Ages 65+, \$47/day). Your name will be on a list for the camp at the guest services desk.

Sign up at <https://masters.adminskiracing.com>

SCHEDULE:

Sunday, Jan 4 (evening): Travel to Hunter.

Monday, Jan 5: Free-skiing drills on slalom skis (morning). Slalom progression in brushes and stubbies (afternoon). Welcome reception. Get your camp shirt!

Tuesday, Jan 6: Slalom training, stubbies and full gates (morning, afternoon). SWIX Presentation with Mike Beers, World Cup ski tuning technician: "The Latest in Ski Waxes and Tuning Techniques".

Wednesday, Jan 7: Free-skiing drills on GS skis (morning). GS gate training with line drills (afternoon). Coach's Chalk Talk: "Slalom versus GS Tactics".

Thursday, Jan 8: GS training (morning). GS timed runs (afternoon). Camp wrap-up. Departure.

COACHING STAFF:



Lisa Ballard



John Pierce



Jim Tomassetti



Jack Ballard

Lisa Ballard, Camp Director: 4X FIS Masters SG Champion, FIS Masters GS Champion (2022). Many international masters podiums including multiple World Criterium golds, Canadian Masters Grand Champion titles, South American Champion titles, 100+ US Alpine Masters titles (DH, SG, GS, SL). 6X US Masters Skier-of-the-Year. Former top Nor-Am racer and Dartmouth Ski Team member. 35 years coaching experience, all levels and age groups. Former ski analyst/commentator, ESPN and other networks. Author, *Ski Faster! Guide to Racing & High Performance Skiing*.

Jack Ballard: M.A., M.Ed: 2023 National Speed Series class 7 champion, 4th overall men under age 65. US Ski and Snowboard certified coach. 9 years dedicated masters coaching at Red Lodge Mountain and Big Sky. USSS-certified coach and official. Former university lecturer, including graduate courses in educational psychology and human learning. Chair, USSS Northern Division Masters. Member, US Ski and Snowboard Masters Working Group.

John Pierce: USSS, FIS, NCAA Division I, ASRA, and Masters competitor with multiple titles. Certified U.S. Ski & Snowboard Level 200 Coach with more than 30 years of coaching experience. USSS Alpine Official and Referee. Head Coach for SLGS Alpine Racing Programs. Director and coach at numerous Junior and Masters clinics and camps, specializing in both technical and speed disciplines. Lead coach for U16–U19 (U21+) athletes with the Mount Peter Alpine Race Program. Former Head Coach at Mountain Creek, NJ. NJSRA Masters Representative and Competition Committee Member. Certified Inline Alpine Training Coach (SkateIA). Ski Instructor specializing in race techniques at Killington Snow Sports School.

Jim Tomassetti: Head Masters coach (8 years) and U12 coach at Hunter Mountain. US Ski and Snowboard certified Level 300 coach. Guest coach NYSSRA SL & Fundamentals projects, at Whiteface & Gore Mountains. 30+ years masters racing. Captain, Syracuse University Ski Team. Former junior racer. USSS Alpine Official and Referee.

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CANCELATION POLICY:

If **Mid-Atlantic Masters** cancels the camp for any other reason, your camp fee is refundable, minus the credit card and registration processing fees.

If **you** need to cancel for any reason prior to December 1, your camp fee is refundable, minus the credit card and registration processing fee.

If **you** cancel on December 1 through December 25 *and* if your spot is filled by another racer, your camp fee is refundable minus the registration processing fees. If the spot is not filled, then 50% of your camp fee is refundable.

If **you** cancel on December 26 or later, no refund.

MORE INFO:

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