

1. Avon Old Farms Skiers Plan for 2020 East Regionals

- a. We will conduct the 2020 East Regionals in Avon CT
- b. The Regional Tournament and the Pre-Regional Tournament will be Class C Tournaments
- c. We will use the Appointed Officials (as per the winter meeting) who are willing to attend and will supplement that group with volunteer officials (Appointed Officials have all been surveyed for their willingness to attend and participate)
- d. We will NOT pay for Officials' Hotel Rooms (sponsorship money will be absent and attendance will likely be low)
- e. Tournament Entry Fees will be covered for Officials who commit to work the entire event
- f. We will survey last year's Regional Skiers to measure interest in attending this year; ***NOTE*** survey results will be used to determine event schedule & number of days needed for the event
- g. We will feed Officials lunch who commit to work the event
- h. We will schedule times for each event and ask skiers to come for their event
- i. We will be able to maintain the required number of people on site at all times
- j. We will communicate a July 1st Entry Deadline with a \$40 late fee
- k. We will start on Thursday and finish in 2, 3, or 4 days depending on the number of entries
- l. We will have boats on site from all 3 major boat companies
- m. We will allow RV parking (no hook-ups) limited to 10 or 11 units, first reserved, first served (officials get first chance to reserve)
- n. We will operate with one skier and one rope handler on the dock at a time
- o. Skiers and other attendees will attend at their own risk
- p. We will have a Food Truck on site during the event
- q. We will use Prop Awards (sanitized before / after each photo op) for the event and mail actual awards after the event concludes
- r. There will be no large Junior Event at Lake Compounce or anywhere else
- s. There will be no Regional Meeting
- t. There will be no Regional Banquet

- u. We will have practice on a scheduled basis with minimal overlap
- v. Pre-Regionals will be held and will be conducted on the same basis as Regionals
- w. Scoring will be done outdoors under an open-air tent
- x. Entry Fees will be \$90, \$100, \$110 for 1, 2, 3 Events
- y. Practice will NOT be included in Entry Fees
- z. Practice will be \$20 for 2 passes (up and back)
- aa. Practice will be scheduled and paid for in advance (PayPal)
 - bb. Entry Fees and Practice will be the same for Pre-Regionals (2 Rounds, Class C)
- bb. We will use our new 8-buoy (overlapping) Slalom Course
- cc. The Judges' Tower has been relocated; it is in the proper position for the 8-buoy Slalom Course in both directions
- dd. A brand new Beman Surface has been professionally installed on the Jump
- ee. The Trick Event will include Video – either from Shore or from the Boat (to be determined)
- ff. There will be NO Waiver of Regional participation to compete at Nationals (skiers who want to ski at Nationals must ski at Regionals)

2. Safety Provisions

- a. The space at the Pond allows for Social Distancing as needed
- b. We will have Hand Sanitizer stations on site
- c. Scoring and Trick Video Viewing (Judging) will be done outside under a tent
- d. Radios will be wiped down when being handed off.
- e. Masks will be encouraged as per state guidelines, and will be in use during specific situations that do not allow for social distancing; for example: during trick with videographer, driver and pin person
- f. If any attendees (officials / skiers / family members / spectators) are sick they should not be on site (entry will be refunded for skiers)