

SECTION 3: PRIZES AND POINT SYSTEM

Weekly Individual Awards

Ribbons shall be awarded for first through last place in each age/sex group. In the case of a tie, duplicate awards may be given.

Place Standings

Through the regular season, place standings will be compiled for each racer for home team races. These place standings (first, second, third, etc.) will be totaled separately for slalom (SL) and giant slalom (GS) races.

- Racers that disqualify (DQ) a specific race will be assigned the place/position of the last place racer in their age/sex category **plus one**. All racers within the same age/sex group in a specific race that are given a DQ will be given the same finish position for point totaling purposes.
- Racers that do not start (NS or DNS) a specific race will be assigned the place/position of the last place racer in their age/sex category **plus two**. All racers within the same age/sex group in a specific race that are given an NS or DNS will be given the same finish position for point totaling purposes.

Invitational Eligibility Point System

Approximately one week prior to another club's invitational race, racer point totals will be compiled, with the top five (5) racers given preference to attend the invitational. These selected racers will be contacted and given the opportunity to accept or decline an offer to attend the invitational. If a racer declines, the next racer by point eligibility will be offered the position until all five (5) slots are filled. Younger racers may race in older age groups. Older racers may not race in younger age groups.

Overall Year-End Awards

Year-end overall age/sex group standings will be determined as indicated above by compiling each racer's total (home races) for the entire season. Racers may drop their worst race score. (This policy can be amended at the Board's discretion only if races are canceled due to weather.)

Year-end awards will be given as follows:

- Trophies/plaques will be given for first through third places (SL and GS).
- Medals will be given for fourth through last place (SL and GS).

To be eligible for an individual season award, a racer must be a member of HRT at the end of the season and have not missed more than two home races. Racers not eligible for an end of the season award will be given participation medals.