



Volunteer Torch



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Up Coming Events!

- ◆ **16th Annual Oktoberfest** - Whiteface - September 29th & 30th
- ◆ **Flaming Leaves Festival** - Olympic Ski Jumping Complex - October 6th & 7th
- ◆ **International Luge Training Week** - Olympic Sports Complex - November 5th-11th
- ◆ **FIL World Cup Luge** - Olympic Sports Complex - November 12th-17th
- ◆ **Smucker's Stars on Ice** - Olympic Center - November 24th
- ◆ **FIBT World Cup Bobsled & Skeleton** - Olympic Sports Complex - December 9th-16th
- ◆ **Bobsled and Skeleton International Training Week** - Olympic Sports Complex - December 16th-22nd
- ◆ **53rd Annual New Year's Masters Ski Jump** - Olympic Ski Jumping Complex - December 29th
- ◆ **World Cup Freestyle** - Whiteface & Olympic Ski Jumping Complex - January 14th-20th
- ◆ **Continental Cup Skeleton** - Olympic Sports Complex - January 22nd-28th
- ◆ **Junior Luge International Training Week** - Olympic Sports Complex - January 28th-February 3rd
- ◆ **Junior Luge World Championships** - Olympic Sports Complex - February 4th-8th
- ◆ **26th Annual Lake Placid Loppet** - Olympic Sports Complex X-Country Center - February 9th
- ◆ **World Cup Snowboard** - Whiteface - February 25th-March 3rd
- ◆ **Nor Am Alpine Championships** - Whiteface - March 12th-16th
- ◆ **NCAA Div. III Men's Hockey Championships** - Olympic Center - March 13th-16th
- ◆ **America's Cup Bobsled & Skeleton** - Olympic Sports Complex - March 31st-April 4th

**Check out www.orda.org for more details & times!



The calendar says its fall and all of the leaves are changing here in the Adirondacks. It feels like we just were on the 90M ski jumping hill and it was summer. Well it's time again to volunteer at the ski jumps on October 6th and 7th. The Flaming Leaves Festival Ski Jump arrives with great jumping and beautiful scenery!!! As always, we are looking for volunteers to assist with marking on both days!

Jumping starts at 11am each day and goes to around 2pm. Along with the volunteer voucher, we are also treating our volunteers to our BBQ on Saturday after the ski jump. There are bands playing the blues and vendors there, too. So bring your dancing shoes for after volunteering. If you are interested in volunteering, contact our volunteer coordinator at the ski jumps Lee-Ann Freire at lfreire@orda.org or call 518-523-8824.



Yes it's back!!! World Cup Luge at the Olympic Sports Complex from November 12th to the 17th. We are looking for

volunteers as stewards. So what do stewards do? Stewards are located outside at different key spectator areas around the track answering questions, keeping spectators out of restricted areas and helping with crowds. We are looking for volunteers on competition days: 15th from 10:30am to 3pm, 16th 9:30am to 3pm, and 17th 9:30am to 3:30pm. To participate, please email at volunteers@orda.org or call the volunteer hotline. This is the first event of the World Cup circuit for the 2007-2008 season. We will have teams from all over the world competing. It will be very exciting and very fast!!!





World Cup

Bobsled & Skeleton

World Cup Bobsled and Skeleton is back from December 10th to 17th. Lake Placid's Olympic Sports Complex will host Men's & Women's Skeleton, 2 & 4 Man Bobsled, and Women's Bobsled. We are looking for stewards for the event on the competition days (Friday-Sunday).

Friday, December 14th 8:30am to 4pm
 Saturday, December 15th 8:30am to 4pm
 Sunday, December 16th 9:30am to 3:30pm

Volunteers will be given box lunches and cold and hot beverages. In appreciation for each day of volunteering each person will receive a volunteer voucher, which is good for a day of skiing at Gore or Whiteface or the X-Country Ski area at the Olympic Sports Complex or a Passport to the Olympic Venues. With the weather always changing here in the Adirondacks, times may be adjusted on the schedule. There are plenty of opportunities to take breaks and watch the awesome sliding. So please contact us if you are interested either via email volunteers@orda.org or our volunteer hotline!

Bobsled & Skeleton



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Oktoberfest is September 29th and 30th, don't miss out




on all the fun activities. This year they have Bavarian music, dancing, food and beer, as well as complimentary rides and activities for both kids and adults, including some amazing craft vendors! Authentic German fare and a variety of beer at the beer garden will be a staple once again in this years festival.



2007 FIS Continental Cup
 LADIES SKI JUMP LAKE PLACID, NY

The 2007 FIS Continental Cup Ladies Ski Jump was a great success. We appreciate all of the volunteers patience and accuracy with marking the hill! We had the most beautiful and HOT days of the summer. Our volunteers did an awesome job!!! Thank you so much!



ORDA STORE

Attention Volunteers! The ORDA Store is now offering to all volunteers 10% off all ORDA Merchandise. Anything that has the ORDA or Whiteface logo on it gets 10% off if you identify yourself as a volunteer and bring this portion of the flyer. And remember if you have any guests in town the ORDA Store is the place to start their day, they have information about all the ORDA venues and events going on at the different Olympic venues.



Jr. Grand Prix here in Lake Placid was quite the site to see, there were some excellent skaters and all of the volunteers did an awesome job! The copy center was the epicenter of the event with all the copying and delivering to multiple areas. Our volunteers did an excellent job at being efficient and quick!! All of the volunteers were able to get glimpses of our future Olympians that were skating. A big thank you goes out to the Lake Placid Figure Skating Club, they helped out huge with all aspects of the event.

