24 Hours of Stratton Rules & Information

***RULES SUBJECT TO UPDATES through March 8, 2026**

Registration URL: www.stratton24.com

Registration Open: November 15, 2025

Official Event Hours: Saturday March 14 9AM - Sunday March 15, 9AM 2026

Minimum Fundraising Requirement Deadline: Saturday, March 14, 2026 by 11:59PM

All age groupings are based on age as of March 14, 2026

If your agreed fundraising minimum is not met by the date above the remaining balance will be charged to the credit card provided at registration.

Offline donations (checks) received by midnight March 14 will count towards minimum fundraiser requirement. (See Fundraising below.)

Fundraising Points & Award Deadline: Saturday, March 14, 2026 11:59 PM

The Stratton Mountain Resort Responsibility Code (See Below) should be strictly followed by all participants. Safety, security, and respect for other participants, as well as spectators and non-24 Hour guests, are priorities in this event. Good sportsmanship, solidarity, team spirit, integrity, and fun are the fundamental goals of the 24 Hours of Stratton, no exception.

Participation Bib

Bibs should be fully visible at all times - worn appropriately over winter jackets. The bib is your pass to everything 24H and is yours to keep after the event.

Bibs are valid lift passes with access to the mountain, x-country and snowshoe trails, Saturday March 14th and all-day Sunday March 15th.

Bib #'s are assigned and not to be transferred or shared with any other team members or non-registered participants at any time.

Tracking Chip All timing Chips MUST BE RETURNED to the Registration Table (West Wing of Base Lodge) by 9:30 AM on Sunday, March 15th.

Only the official tracking and timing presented by All Sports Events Timing and Events Services is valid.

Tracking chips will record entry onto lifts.

Tracking Chip #'s are assigned and not to be transferred or shared with any other team members or non-registered participants at any time.

Your tracking chip must be worn on the outside of jackets or snow pants. Tracking cannot be changed due to incorrect placement of your chip.

We suggest if you leave the event for an extended period of time that you return your tracking chip to the chip board and pick it up when you return.

Your credit card will be charged $75 if your tracking chip is not returned by 9:30 AM on Sunday March 15th.

TEAM SIZE

A maximum of 15 adults (12 and older) can be on a team for purposes of earning points and winning prizes. If you have more than 15 adults, you must start a second team.

For purposes of earning points, a team can have no more than 25 total members (up to 15 adults with the remainder youth 11 and younger. If you have more than 25 teammates, you must start a second team.

No more than 15 members on a team will be recognized with an award.

WINNING "KINGS & QUEENS OF THE MOUNTAIN"

Winning the 24 Hour crown(s) and title is based on the team that earns the most points for **FUNDRAISING** plus **PERFORMANCE ON THE MOUNTAIN** plus **PERFORMANCE OFF THE MOUNTAIN**.

FUNDRAISING

All fundraising calculations close: Saturday, March 14, 2026 at 11:59PM.

Teams are responsible for making sure that each team member (age 12 or older) reaches the $350 (pp) minimum fundraising requirement through individual fundraising.

Team Cumulative Fundraising is calculated by adding up all fundraising from each individual team member. Team Member 1 + Team Member 2 + Team Member 3, etc. = Team Cumulative Fundraising

Earning Points: Team Cumulative Fundraising that is over the fundraising minimum to cover each team member ($350 pp) earns points for the team.

Every $250 over the minimum Team Cumulative Fundraising earns 200 points.

After $30,000 over the minimum Team Cumulative Fundraising, each additional $500 raised earns 10 points.

Example A: A team of 5 athletes that raises a Team Cumulative of $1,750 = 0 points.
Example B: A team of 5 athletes that raises a Team Cumulative of $2,000 = 200 points.
Example C: A team of 5 athletes that raises a Team Cumulative of $2,250 = 400 points.

Medals will be awarded in the following categories:

Top Individual Fundraiser Individual –1st / 2nd / 3rd Place
Top Team Fundraiser - 1st Place (Cobb Trophy) / 2nd place / 3rd Place

PERFORMANCE ON THE MOUNTAIN - TRACKING AND RIDING LIFTS

Tracking will record each run as riders load the lift.

During the day, riders can ride any trails on the mountain. Weather permitting the gondola will remain open to 24H athletes ONLY wearing a bib until 4:30PM on Saturday, March 14th.

At night, riders must remain on lit trails only – Suntanner and Lower Standard - no exception/subject to change due to weather or conditions.

Earning Lift Points: During the day, 9AM-5PM, on Saturday March 14th, riding different lifts earns team points (see below.) During the evening, after the gondola closes, points are earned by riding American Express ONLY. During the morning, Sunday March 15th , tracking will take place on American Express and Gondola ONLY when it opens at 7:45AM until the event ends at 9AM.

Earning points for each run and the maximum number of individual and team points per hour is higher during Night hours (5PM to 8AM). On Sunday morning, even after other lifts open, only runs on the Gondola and American Express lift will be tracked.

Points are awarded for each run (up to hourly and team maximums) as follows

American Express - 10 pts during the Day, 15 pts during Night hours (5PM - 8AM)
Gondola - 30 pts Saturday Day / Saturday Dusk / Sunday Morning [weather permitting]
Ursa - 20 pts Saturday Day
Snow Bowl - 20 pts Saturday Day

Daytime: 8AM-5PM - Lift Point Hourly Maximums:

Individuals can earn a maximum of 70 lift points each day hour
Teams can earn a maximum of 420 lift points each day hour

Nighttime: 5PM- 8AM - Lift Point Hourly Maximums:

Individuals can earn a maximum of 90 lift points each night hour
Teams can earn a maximum of 600 lift points each night hour

The maximum number of individual points per hour = 90
The maximum number of team points per hour = 600

PERFORMANCE ON THE MOUNTAIN – 24H OFFICIAL DOWNHILL FUN RACE ARENA

The official 24 Hour FUN Race will take place on the Suntanner Trail on Saturday from 11:00 AM-1:30 PM. Official timing will take place by SWSC.

- Race participation is limited to the first 250 athletes or anyone who raced as of 12:30PM, whichever comes first.
- Race is limited to 1 run per racer and a maximum 6 racers per team.
- All racers/riders must wear their Stratton24 bib.
- Race time will be matched and recorded to Bib # and registration information (for gender and age).

Earning Points: Points will be awarded for 1st/ 2nd / 3rd best times for skier or snowboarder in the following age groups:: 11 yrs and younger / 12-18 yrs / 19-30 yrs / 31-54 / 55+

Participation - 100 pts 1st Place Win - 300 pts 2nd Place Win - 200 pts 3rd Place Win - 100 pts

Tie Breaker: Should there be a race time tie within an age group, the winner will be determined by the earliest date of 24H Registration by the racer.

PERFORMANCE ON THE MOUNTAIN – Nordic Center Challenge

Individuals who participate in the challenge at the Stratton Nordic Center can earn additional points by snow shoeing or cross country skiing. Athletes must start AND end at the Nordic center during the Stratton24 scheduled NCC hours (9:30a-11:30a and 2p-4p). Athletes will be awarded 50pts for each 1.5m loop completed , with maximums of 200pts per 2-hour time block and 400pts total. Individuals must 1) wear a bib, 2) use snow shoes or nordic skis, 3) check-in with a S24 volunteer when starting and completing each loop, 4) Take a selfie at the designated selfie spot, approximately half-way along the route; 5) use only the designated Stratton 24 Nordic loop.

A map with the designated Nordic Center Challenge loop will be in the Stratton24 App, and printed maps will be available at the Nordic Center.

PERFORMANCE ON THE MOUNTAIN – Volunteer support

Athletes can earn additional points for their team by volunteering during the Stratton24 event. Available volunteer shifts will be posted at: {Link will be added} starting on Mar. 1, 2026. Sign-up is first-come, first-served. Volunteers must be registered for the Stratton 24 and be at least 18 years old. Volunteers will earn their team 100 points for each 1-hour shift. Teams will lose 50 points for any volunteer shift no-shows.

PERFORMANCE ON THE MOUNTAIN – SKINNING / SNOWSHOEING UPHILL

Athletes must follow the Stratton Resort Uphill Travel Policy

Green route - Lower Standard;
Blue route – Lower Wanderer, Lower and Upper West Meadow, Mikes Way;

Earning Points: 24H athletes may leave the base area at any time but must check-in with an official in a Blue Bib to have their bib # recorded at the ski patrol shack by the top of Lower Standard or the Summit by the wooden bear or gondola house (due to weather) on March 14th, between 10AM-11AM and/or 3PM-4PM.

For the mid-mountain 9PM-10PM climb check in will be in the Base Lodge West WIng registration desk. Only one check-in location during the AM and PM times will be recorded for points.

Summit Skin or Snowshoe - 200 pts
Mid Mountain Skinning or Snowshoe - 100 pts

Athletes who reach the summit can ski down or ride the gondola back to the base lodge. Last gondola trip down (weather permitting)) is 4:00PM.

A maximum of six (6) individuals per team can earn uphill points in each of the three time slots

UPHILL TRAVEL POLICY-for complete description please refer to: Stratton Resort Uphill Travel Policy

Uphill travel is only recommended during daytime operating hours, and may close at any time due to snow conditions, weather or other unforeseen circumstances.

Trails marked with a purple dotted line are the only trails where hiking is permitted on the mountain. Depending on your pace and how you plan to descend, a round trip may take 2-4 hours on average. Please plan accordingly with daylight and temperatures.

PERFORMANCE OFF THE MOUNTAIN – OUTDOOR DANCE PARTY

The 24H Team Dance Party will take place on Saturday, March 14th from 7:30-8:30PM. Team members will meet at the outdoor DJ and must check-in and dance for at least 15 minutes. Each member who participates in the dance party can earn 100 points for your team. (One check-in per team member).

Dance participation -100 pts

PERFORMANCE OFF THE MOUNTAIN – 24H TRIVIA

The official Trivia event will take place, Saturday, March 14th at Grizzly's from 9:30PM-11:30PM. A maximum of (6) team members may participate. Each team receives (1) answer sheet per round (12 rounds). Each round consists of 15 questions in a specific category. The winner of each round will be awarded team points.

Team Participation -100 pts
Team Winner Per Round - 100 pts

Base Lodge Rules

Teams are expected to keep any tables used and/or areas in the base lodge free of trash and tidy. Sleeping is only allowed in designated areas, and teams cannot use the Homeowner lounge or other non-designated areas after hours, even if they appear empty.

General Mountain Rules

Honor the Stratton Mountain Resort Responsibility Code throughout the event – [see below.] A Penalty will result for each violation, or disqualification will be applied if rules are not respected – [see below.] Helmets worn correctly are mandatory.

- No speed skis (SG / DH) regardless of length. Maximum ski length is 191 cm.

- Downhill racing position forbidden - “No Tucking”
- Keep off the lifts and trails if your ability is impaired by the use of alcohol/drugs.

Officials – Rules - Violations - Penalties

The Stratton Mountain Resort and 24 Hour Officials will be present on-hill and off, for everyone’s safety. 24 Hour Officials can apply penalties to teams or individuals that do not follow the rules.

All decisions of Penalties are at the sole discretion of 24 Hour Officials and are final.

Each Penalty will result in a reduction of 500 points for the team. Severe or multiple violations may result in disqualification.

Please report all issues to 24 Hour Officials. Officials will take any and all reports under group advisement and have complete authority to act accordingly.

Violation Examples:

- No helmet or helmet that is not attached.
- No bib or bib not visible during event hours.
- Passing or sharing of a bib or tracking chip.
- Failure to maintain Responsibility Code.
- Impairment resulting from excessive alcohol consumption.
- Use of illegal recreational drugs of any kind on premises.
- Speeding or reckless skiing as determined by Stratton Safety & Ski Patrol or 24 Hour Officials.
- Roughness or unsportsmanlike behavior on trail or chairlift .
- Collision caused by excessive speed or lack of control.
- Lack of respect toward a representative of the organization or host resort.
- Any other behavior that violates safety and security measures, respect for others, and the spirit of sportsmanship.

The Stratton Mountain Resort Responsibility Code:

Snowsports can be enjoyed in many ways. You will see people using alpine, snowboard, telemark, cross country and adaptive equipment. Regardless of how you decide to enjoy the slopes, always show courtesy to others and be aware that there are elements of risk in skiing and snowboarding that common sense and personal awareness can help reduce. Observe the code and share with others the responsibility for a great mountain experience.

KNOW THE CODE. IT'S YOUR RESPONSIBILITY

1. Always stay in control. You must be able to stop or avoid people or objects.
2. People ahead or downhill of you have the right-of-way. You must avoid them.
3. Stop only where you are visible from above and do not restrict traffic.
4. Look uphill and avoid others before starting downhill or entering a trail.
5. You must prevent runaway equipment.
6. Read and obey all signs, warnings, and hazard markings.
7. Keep off closed trails and out of closed areas.
8. You must know how and be able to load, ride and unload lifts safely. If you need assistance, ask the lift attendant.
9. Do not use lifts or terrain when impaired by alcohol or drugs.
10. If you are involved in a collision or incident, share your contact information with each other and a ski area employee.

Complementing the Responsibility Code, #RideAnotherDay promotes 3 actions every skier and rider can take to help keep themselves and those around safer on the slopes. These three actions are:

1. BE READY

Be ready to slow down or avoid objects or other people at any time. Ski and ride in such a way that you are always able to control yourself regardless of conditions and avoid others and objects you may encounter on the run, groomed or otherwise.

2. STAY ALERT

Stay alert to what’s going on around you, especially other skiers and riders. Being aware of those around and changing conditions will help you have a fun and safe day on the hill.

3. PLAN AHEAD

Ease up at blind spots, check uphill when merging onto trails, and give other skiers plenty of room when passing. Look out for spots on the run where traffic merges or you can't see what's coming next. If you are unfamiliar with a run, take it easy the first time down it and make note of places where you'll want to slow down, such as cat tracks and rollers. Also, give other skiers and riders lots or room, especially if you are passing them. There's plenty of space out there, so there's no need to crowd each other. By doing these three things every run, you'll be helping keep the slopes safe and enjoyable, for you and everyone else.