



Wednesday March 10, 2010

Correction to Results of the Ontario Winter Games and Provincials Big Air Competition on March 6, 2010

To the Athletes, Coaches and Parents:

Shortly following the Ontario Winter Games/Provincials Big Air competition at Mount St Louis Moonstone on March 6, 2010, an error was detected in the Big Air competition scoring.

Specifically, due to a scoring system issue, the Degree of Difficulty (DD) scores were not correctly reflected in the scores published on Saturday March 6th. The DD measure affects the overall score by a predetermined multiplier that is associated with each manoeuvre. The more difficult and complex the overall manoeuvre the higher the multiplier.

The manoeuvres and DD multipliers were measured accurately by the judges during the competition and recorded on the judge's scoring sheets for each bib number. Therefore, during the past two days, a team of dedicated FSO staff and volunteers were able to pull the score sheets, correct the scoring system and re-enter the judge's data in the corrected system.

The resulting set of final scores impacts the rank order by age group for some athletes and additional medals will be awarded where appropriate.

We want to express our gratitude to all the competitors, coaches and parents who participated in the event, many travelling long distances to join in, and we truly apologize for this systems problem. The final results are now available.

Congratulations to all athletes and good luck through the remainder of the competitive season!

Freestyle Skiing Ontario