



Rules

- Participants may only use a single pair of snow skis or a single snowboard as a means to cross the pond. No additional equipment or aid may be used. (no water skis) Zero points for distance for using any skis wider than 11.5cm at mid ski (waist).
- Only one participant may attempt a crossing at a time.
- No starting above the start line.
- Participants may only attempt a crossing when the pond is clear of all people, equipment, debris, etc.
- The starter will signal when the pond and course are clear and a participant may attempt a crossing. The starter has the final say.
- Absolutely no inverts.
- No poles of any kind may be used.
- Do not try to ski out the side of the pool.
- Please exit only at the end of the pool.
- If a participant crashes before reaching the pond they will be disqualified immediately (no reruns).
- All participants may use the participant hot tub after their run. Once full, as a new person gets in, the first person in gets out. Except the leader, who gets to stay in the hot tub until knocked out.

Judging Criteria

- There is only one division in the World Pond Skimming Championships. You must outdo skiers & snowboarders, men & women, children & the elderly if you are to be crowned the World Alpine Pond Skimming Champion.
- Scores are based on:

Creativity/Costume: 10 point scale

Distance: 0.5 point for every 5 feet crossed & 12 points for all the way
Zero points for distance for using any skis wider than 11.5cm at mid ski (waist).

Overall Impression: 10 point scale (this includes costume, style, distance & showmanship)

Crowd Response: 10 point scale based on the noise meter and overall crowd reaction

Bonus points: 3 points added for going switch on skis (backwards) 2 points for fakie on a snowboard

- The best overall score will be considered the 2007 World Pond Skimming Champion.

***Rules and Judging Criteria are subject to Change.