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**PSIA-NW  
TRAINER/DCL TRAINING  
FALL SEMINAR  
2016**

# PSIA-NW Info Knowledge

- Pop Quiz!

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# Trainer Session Outline

- PSIA-NW info knowledge
- Season Trainers Series outline
- Alpine Cert 2 & 3 updates
- Student Centered Reflection

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- New Member Joining Process
  - Q&A
    - Season Needs & Goals

# Tech Series Season Outline

## Fall Seminar

- Season overview and changes information

## November Training

- Indoor Session on
  - MA
  - Student Centered Teaching
  - Certification training

## December On-snow

- Skiing/Riding Improvement
- With focus on 5 Fundamentals

## January On-snow

- Skiing/Riding Improvement
- With Focus on MA

## February On-snow

- Skiing/Riding Improvement
- With Focus on Student Centered

## March 3-day

- Certification Training
- Skiing- MA – Student Centered Teaching
- Staff Feedback

## April Symposium

- Skiing/Riding Improvement
- MA & Student Centered

# Alpine Certification Changes

## Alpine Cert Guide

### Zone Skiing

The zone skiing listed below provides a consistent platform to evaluate the candidate's fundamental mechanics of skiing and skill blending. In the zone skiing category, the candidate will be asked to demonstrate a variety of skiing performance outcomes that reflect the ability to successfully show ski / snow interaction and movements utilized in development of a student's fundamental skiing skills. This can also be used to assist in developing lesson plans, defining goals and compliments the movement analysis process. Additionally, the candidates are evaluated using the national standards categories which are Environment, Speed and Accuracy. For more detail, refer to the Alpine Technical Manual

# Certification Changes

## Cert II

- Zone Skiing + Skills and Fundamentals
  - Skate
  - Teaching Assignments (no Beginner Prog)
  - SR Parameters (1/4-1)

## Cert III

- Zone Skiing + Skills and Fundamentals
  - ~~Skate~~
  - RR Tracks
  - SR Parameters (1/4-1)

# Student Centered?

## Reflection

- How Student Centered am I?

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# New Member Joining Process

Kirsten:

The screenshot shows the top navigation bar of the PSIA-AASI website with links for Membership, Education, Certification, NW Snowsports Instructor, Tech Zone, Who We Are, and Store. The main content area is divided into two columns. The left column is titled 'How to Join' and contains two paragraphs of text and a bulleted list. The right column is titled 'More Membership Info' and contains a vertical list of links. At the bottom of the left column, there is a thumbnail image of a 'Paper Membership Application' form.

**Membership »** | **Education »** | **Certification »** | **NW Snowsports Instructor »** | **Tech Zone »** | **Who We Are »** | **Store »**

## How to Join

Determine which snowsports school or resort you would like to be employed by as an instructor. We can help you find a snowsports schools in your geographic area and put you in touch with the snowsports school director or trainer. Typically snowsports schools have a multi-day hiring process where you can learn more about this fun job.

Typically you should go through your local resort area's hiring clinic and become employed as snowsports instructor before you seek PSIA-AASI membership. Once you are employed at a snowsports school, then ...

- **Join the organization as a member** (using the link or the paper application further down)
- Take advantage of events available to you for training and education as a snowsports instructor
- Receive training from your snowsports school
- After joining the organization you will be sent a new member welcome packet

## Paper Membership Application

**More Membership Info**

- Membership
- How to Join
- Reinstatement Policy
- Educational Credits
- New Member Guide
- On-line Dues Renewal
- Member Benefits
- Bookstore
- Softgoods
- Scholarship Application
- Awards Information
- Northwest Awards

# Q & A

- **TRAINING CHALLENGES FOR THIS SEASON?**
- **AREAS YOU MAY NEED HELP?**

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Thank You!

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