



## NOMINATION FORM

For

### HONORED MEMBERSHIP

In The

### U.S. SKI & SNOWBOARD HALL OF FAME

Candidate's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date & Place of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Address of Candidate: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Is the candidate still living? If not, provide date and place of death: \_\_\_\_\_

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#### **Nominator information:**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

For what category are you nominating this candidate?

Athlete: \_\_\_\_\_

Snowsports Builder: \_\_\_\_\_

Heritage: \_\_\_\_\_

(See appendix one at the end of this form for category definitions)

**An 8 x 10 photograph of the candidate must be supplied: \_\_\_\_\_**

**State why the candidate merits election to the U.S. National Ski & Snowboard Hall of Fame (limit this statement to 250 words):**

**In chronological order by year, list the candidate's achievements:**

(eg: January 12, 1965: proposed the establishment of the Professional Ski Instructors Alliance)

**On one page provide additional data, anecdotes, etc. that you feel are pertinent to this nomination:**

**Please list the names and addresses of those people who are supporting this nomination (Minimum of three - limit six):**

**Please provide a list of sources for visual material that can be used at the candidate's induction presentation:**

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Signature of nominator

Mail completed nomination form to: U.S. Ski & Snowboard Hall of Fame, P.O. Box 191, Ishpeming, MI 49849 or email to: [administrator@skihall.com](mailto:administrator@skihall.com)

## **Appendix One:**

### **Definitions of Categories.**

Note: These categories have been developed to assist the Selection committee and National Voting Panel in the review and fair election process of Honored Members.

#### 1) Athletes

Candidates are recognized in a wide range of skiing and snowboarding disciplines for their national and international accomplishments. Candidates will be recognized for their specific athletic accomplishments or exploitation of their athleticism. They must have achieved the highest levels possible in their discipline. Consideration must also be given to the candidate's contribution to the promotion and development of their particular discipline. Candidates may be considered from any of the categories listed. Nomination documents must speak directly to the accomplishments in the specific category. Up to six candidates will be accepted for the ballot with at least two and up to four selected, based on the achievement of 50% of the votes cast.

Minimum criteria for consideration as a candidate:

- Olympic or Paralympic medallist
- FIS or IPC World Championship medallist
- X Games medallist in skiing or snowboarding
- Top-three finish in a FIS or IPC World Cup event.
- Athletes who competed prior to modern-day World Cup or comparable tours who distinguished themselves as notable international athletes for their achievements in the most recognized events of their time.
  - Freeride or big mountain athletes who achieved the highest level of national or international notoriety related to their athletic accomplishments
  - Professional skiers in alpine, snowboarding or speed skiing who consistently won events or placed in the top three in season standings on professional tours.

#### 2) Snowsports Builders

Candidates in this category must have been involved at a significant level in ski or snowboard sports. Candidates must have had a clear national impact for their contribution and be widely known for their work. Candidates' qualifying experience must have been achieved as an individual, but may have been in conjunction with work with an organization.

#### 3) Heritage

Candidates in this category must have been retired from their qualifying activity for 25 years or have participated in it for at least 25 years. The category is open to Olympic Athletes, Non-Olympic Athletes or Sport Builders. Candidates must have satisfied the criteria of one of the three categories in order to be considered as a candidate in the heritage category. A member of the Selection Committee or a member of the Board of Directors must sponsor each candidate.

The Heritage category may include candidates whose previous candidacies were unsuccessful. In such cases their previous candidacies may not have come before the Selection Committee for at least five years. A member of the Selection Committee or a member of the Board of Directors must sponsor each candidate.