2025 Ouray Ice Festival Competition – UIAA Continental Cup – Event Fact Sheet

Divisions:

UIAA Open Men, UIAA Open Women, Youth U18 Top-rope Men, Youth U18 Top-ropeWomen Men Speed, Women Speed, Youth Men Speed, Youth Women Speed

Format:

This year's difficulty adult comp is included in the UIAA Continental Cup. U18 and All Speed categories will be top-rope protected and not UIAA events. Routes will be a combination of ice, natural rock, and artificial structure with artificial tool holds and kick in feet.

Mixed Difficulty:

1 Qualifying Route climbed by all Open Men and Open Women competitors. Between 6 and 12 highest combined scores in Open Men and Open women divisions will advance to the Finals Route. Final determination of number of climbers in each Final will depend on number of climbers in each qualifier and ratio between divisions.

Speed: 2 routes, 2 climbers per heat. Each climber races both routes for combined time. Super Final between tope 2 finishers in each category.

Scoring:

UIAA approved 2024 scoring system will be used. Same scoring as last year even though its not a UIAA event. Judges will be self tabulating results using this format, but not accessing the UIAA online platform. Finals will be video-taped for potential review by judges panel.

Schedule:

Thursday January 23, 2025: 6-7pm

Competitor Meeting. Ouray Adventure Center.

Friday January 24, 2025:

Route Preview 7:15 – 7:45am

Open Men's Qualifier starts at 8:15am

Open Women's Qualifier TBD based on numbers.

Saturday January 25, 2025:

Open Women's Final, 8:30 am – 10:30am. 6-7climbers. 7-9 min climbing time, 4 min changeover margin.

Open Men's Final. 11:00am – 2:00pm 9-10 climbers. 7-9 min climbing time, 4 min changeover margin.

Youth Qualifiers 2:00pm - 4:30pm

Sunday January 21, 2024:

Youth Finals. 8:30am – 10:30am up to 10 climbers total. Speed Comp. 11:00am – 2:00pm.

Prizes:

TBD

Entrance Fee

\$100 for Adult, \$25 for Youth

Application Period:

All application will be submitted online via the <u>www.ourayicepark.com</u> website and also via the <u>UIAA registration system.</u>

Applications will be allowed Dec 1, 2024 through January 15, 2025. Competitors will be notified of acceptance within 5 days of application submission.