



ALBERTA SKI JUMPING
& NORDIC COMBINED



Update – February 9, 2010

Ski Jumping & Nordic Combined Events on TV

- Last Olympics it was tough to catch a ski jumping or nordic combined event on TV.
- This year it looks like, if you have a few cable channels, you can watch all our events LIVE!!!
- **Ski Jumping** events:
 - Normal Hill Qualification – Friday Feb 12 – 10 AM on Sportsnet and OLN
 - Normal Hill Final – Saturday Feb 13 – 9:45 on TSN
 - Large Hill Qualification – Friday Feb 19 – 10 AM – TSN
 - Large Hill Final – Saturday Feb 20 – 11:45 – CTV and TSN
 - Team Final – Monday Feb 22 – 10 AM – TSN
- **Nordic Combined** events:
 - Normal Hill – Sunday Feb 14 – 10 AM on Sportsnet and OLN
 - 10k cc – Sunday Feb 14 – 1:45 on OLN
 - Team jumping – Tuesday Feb 23 – 10 AM on OLN
 - 4x5km Relay – Tuesday Feb 23 – 1:00 on OLN
 - Large Hill – Thursday Feb 25 – 10 AM on TSN and OLN
 - 10k cc – Thursday Feb 25 – 1:00 on Sportsnet and OLN

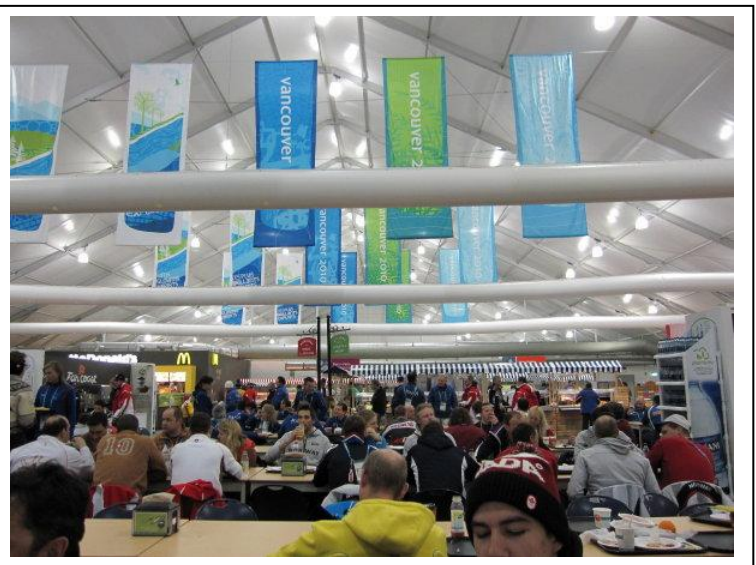
- For the full CTV Viewer's Guide (including the ability to have reminders sent to you), go to: <http://www.ctvolympics.ca/tv-online-listings/index.html>

Winter Olympics - Canadian jumpers are poor relations:

<http://uk.eurosport.yahoo.com/08022010/58/winter-olympics-canadian-jumpers-poor-relations.html>

Canada's hobo grateful for help:

<http://www.edmontonjournal.com/opinion/Canada+hobo+grateful+help/2516781/story.html>



There is that Aussie flag – check out the Canadian flags! The cafeteria at the Athlete's village In Whistler.
Photos by Gregor Linsig.

Updates at the Olympics

- To all of you who are working, playing or competing at the Olympics: Send me your observations, your stories, your 'amazing moments', photos, etc – anything you would like to share with the rest of the ski jumping/nordic combined community.

Tickets Still Available for Competitions

- Thinking about heading to the Olympics after all? The good news is that tickets are again available at the official website. Though all the original tickets were sold out long ago, the ticket resale auction is selling tickets for most events. Check them out at <https://tickets.vancouver2010.com/buy/TicketSales> - on the right side you will either register for the first time or sign in with the user name and password you used previously to purchase tickets.

- If you are thinking of going to watch ski jumping events, the tickets prices are much higher for the Large Hill and Team events but there are some very good prices available for the normal hill qualification and final – Feb 12 & 13 - face value prices are being offered by many vendors.
- Nordic combined tickets do not seem to be available for resale at this time.
- 2 tickets are available for the Ski Jumping Normal Hill Qualification and 2 for the Large Hill Qualification = email to boyd-chris@shaw.ca

Cheerios

- Since September, a dotted line has appeared around the word “Cheer” on some boxes of Cheerios. When cut out of the box, this’ postcard’ can be addressed to the Olympic Village, with postage covered by Canada Post.
- “It’s an opportunity for Canadians to send their best wishes to the Canadian athletes,” says a Cheerios representative.
- The cards will be collected for a “Cheer” wall within the Olympic Village.
- Go to <http://www.cheerios.ca/en/SendYourCheer.aspx> for details and info on how to turn any Cheerios box into a postage-paid postcard to our athletes or for those of you who already have enough Cheerios, there is info on how they will send an email Cheer message for you.

Olympic Cell-phone list

- Though many of you have already added your numbers to the list, it is not too late. If you wish to be included, please send me your cell phone number including area code and whether you would like to be on a list for general distribution or only on a master list.