

Art Tokle, Jr

1952 Began ski jumping, Trondheim, Norway.

1954 First Jr Competition, skied for Norge Ski Club, Fox River Grove, IL.

1955 Sports Illustrated magazine, article on Jr Ski Jumping

1956 (Nov). Joined United States Eastern Amateur Ski Association (USEASA) which became USSA and is now US Ski and Snowboard, membership assigned #123380. [I still hold same #, among lowest in US]

1956 Joined the Odin Ski Club, Lake Telemark, NJ,

1956-1967 Numerous junior competitions throughout the East. Almost always in the first five places.

1966 Wrote article for Scholastics Illustrated & READ, magazine on Ski Jumping

1967 (Feb) LIFE magazine did a 3 page spread on Art Tokle Jr.

1968-1972 Competed in NCAA Ski Jumping, As well as numerous US Nationals and Divisional competitions.

1969 North American Championships, Ottawa, Canada. (2nd place)

1972 Nominated to Outstanding College Athletes of America, (Ski Jumping, Soccer)

1972 (Nov – Dec) Trained and competed with US Ski Team in Bischoffshofen, Austria, coached by "Snowball" Severude .

1972 – 1987 Continued jumping Class "A" and "Masters"

1973 - Present Began officiating as a US Judge and eventually a Technical Delegate. **45 continuous years as a Ski Jumping / Nordic Combined Official.**

1997 Became an FIS Judge, Ski Jumping and Nordic Combined. Assignments included Continental Cup competitions, World Cup B (N/C), World Cup jumping.

2014 Mandatory Retirement from FIS, issued Diploma from FIS Ski Jumping Committee.

Past Chairman, Officials Sub-Committee, Ski Jumping / Nordic Combined. USSA

Past Chairman, Eastern Ski Jumping and Nordic Combined Foundation

Past President Eastern Ski Jumping Officials Association

*** Participated at both 1980 and 2002 Winter Olympic Games in Lake Placid and Salt Lake City.

1980 Lake Placid: Hill Crew, Ski Jumping. Escort for Medal Winners.

2002 Park City, Utah Olympic Park: Chief of Timing and Calculations Ski Jumping / Nordic Combined/ Chief Distance measuring.

Following credentials with US Ski and Snowboard:

Ski Jumping / Nordic Combined: Technical Delegate, Judge, Ski Jumping Coach

Alpine: Technical Delegate (Level 3), Referee, Timing and Calculations, Chief of Race, Chief of Course,
Jury Advisor, Race Administrator, Competition Official, Alpine Coach.

FIS, Ski Jumping / Nordic Combined judging assignments:

USA: Lake Placid, Brattleboro, Iron Mountain, Ishpeming, Steamboat Springs, Park City.

CAN: Calgary, Vancouver

Japan: Sapporo

Poland: Zakopane

Czech Republic: Liebric

Austria: Bischoffshofen

Norway: Holmenkollen, Vikersund (Ski Flying)

TD several National Championship assignments:

Lake Placid, Park City, Norge,

Only Official in USA to hold both TD credentials for Nordic and Alpine.

PODIUMS:

Several Eastern Competitions 1st Place, usually within top 5 at larger events.. Ranked within the top 15 nationally.

