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## Celebrate Team USA at the Downtown Winter Fest Saturday, February 5

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Colorado Springs, Colo. - Cheer on Team USA and celebrate at the **Downtown Winter Fest** on **Saturday, February 5** from **11:00 AM to 5:00 PM** in the plaza of the U.S. Olympic & Paralympic Museum!

Hosted by the **Colorado Springs Sports Corporation** and **U.S. Olympic &**

**Paralympic Museum**, Downtown Winter Fest is the continuation of a biennial celebration that began in 2012 with the London Games. This event is **free and open to the public** and showcases the community's support of the U.S. Olympic & Paralympic Committee, National Governing Bodies, "Olympic City USA", Team USA, and the Olympic and Paralympic values.

### **FEATURED ACTIVITIES**

- Olympic and Paralympic athlete Q&A & autograph signings from:
  - **Peggy Fleming** - Figure skating gold medalist in the 1968 Grenoble Olympic Winter Games and 5 consecutive U.S. championships, 3 world titles from 1966-68, and Female Athlete of the Year by the Associated Press in 1968
  - **Vonetta Flowers** - Bobsled gold medalist in the 2022 Salt Lake City Olympic Winter Games, two-time Olympian, and first African American athlete to win a gold medal in the Winter Olympics
  - **John Register** - Paralympic track and field silver medalist in the 2000 Sydney Paralympic Games, two-time, two-sport Paralympian (Swimming and Track and Field), two-time Olympic trails qualifier, combat Army veteran and amputee
- Beijing Olympic Games highlights broadcast on the big screen
- Special **FREE/PUBLIC** access to select areas of the U.S. Olympic & Paralympic Museum with curated artifact demonstrations and extended paid tours available
- **Victory on Ice**, a winter sport guided tour at the U.S. Olympic & Paralympic Museum at 11:00am and 2:00pm
- Cultural performances from **Christina Yeh Chinese Dance Studio** & **Center for Aikido and Tang Soo Do Studios** (Tai Chi Sword Fighting)
- Live music from **Soul School**
- The **Xfinity Xperience** featuring an athlete photo op & s'mores area
- Interactive sport demonstrations & public US Figure Skating Association



"Learn to Skate" opportunities on synthetic ice (provided by Apex Sports Center)

- Torch Relay with Olympic and Paralympic athletes and community leaders
- Beer garden, food vendors, and much more!

Full schedule of events and more details available at:

[DowntownWinterFest.org](http://DowntownWinterFest.org)



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### **ADDITIONAL EVENT DETAILS**



#### **Parking**

Special thanks to Norwood Development Group, limited FREE parking is available at the event can be accessed off [W. Costilla St. & Sahwatch St.](#) (parking lot in front of the museum). *For complete public parking options, visit [DowntownWinterFest.org](http://DowntownWinterFest.org).*



#### **Olympic City USA**

Follow @OlympicCityUSA on Facebook and Instagram for stories featuring athletes as they strive for gold.

Olympic City USA gear is available for purchase at the U.S Olympic & Paralympic Museum, Colorado Springs Airport, or [ShopCOS.org](http://ShopCOS.org).

### **BEIJING WINTER FEST**

Following the Downtown Winter Fest celebration on February 5, the spirit and

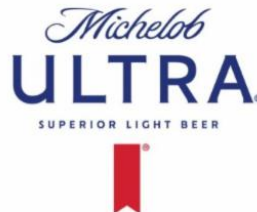
excitement continues throughout the following weeks as the U.S. Olympic & Paralympic Museum will host the Beijing Winter Fest celebration, which runs the entirety of the Beijing Games, February 5 through March 13. Team USA fans will enjoy athlete meet & greets, sport demonstrations and so much more. For additional details, please visit [usopm.org/winterfest](http://usopm.org/winterfest).



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**FOR MORE INFORMATION**

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**2022 SPORTS CORP CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

- [Downtown Winter Fest](#) | **February 5**
- [Sports Corp Golf Tournament](#) | **May 18**
- [The Broadmoor Pikes Peak International Hill Climb](#) | **June 26**
- [4th of July Symphony on Your Porch](#) | **July 4**
- [Rocky Mountain State Games](#) | **July 22-24 & 29-31**
- [College Football Kickoff Luncheon](#) | **July TBD**
- [The Broadmoor Pikes Peak Cycling Hill Climb](#) | **August 13**
- [Colorado Springs Labor Day Lift Off](#) | **September 3-5**
- [Hockey Face-Off Luncheon](#) | **September TBD**
- [Colorado Springs Sports Hall of Fame](#) | **October TBD**

*\*Calendar of events subject to change*

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