Keltie Hansen, Ski Half Pipe, World Championship Medalist

Targeting: Pyeongchang 2018

Event: Ski Half Pipe

Hometown: Edmonton, Alberta

Travels from: Calgary, Alberta

Topics: Motivational, Olympics

Athletic Highlights:

- 2013 Sochi World Cup Bronze Medalist
- 2013 X-Games – 4th
- 2011 AFP Championship – 1st
- 2011 FIS World Championship – 3rd

Background:

Keltie Hansen's half pipe skiing career almost never started. Mistaken for a boy in the first event she entered, she just missed the final.

Then, some serendipity.

A skier in the women's event pointed out that *Keltie was actually a girl* and that her runs had been scored against the male counterparts.

Awarded an exemption to the finals, she made the most of her second chance, and won.

Later that year, she traded mogul skiing for the half pipe and has quickly become a solid part of Canada's national team with growing Olympic ambitions.

In Sochi 2014, she competed against the world's best *women* in the sport's Olympic debut.

Sponsorship Inquiries:
Olympic hopefuls are powerful role models, charitable volunteers, corporate culture builders, committed citizens, compelling storytellers and authentic brand ambassadors.

Whether you're looking to build your corporate culture or develop enduring relationships with consumers, flexible corporate sponsorship opportunities are available that directly connect aspiring Olympians with your marketing objectives.

Promotional Appearances:
Keltie welcomes the opportunity to get together with corporate and community audiences to share the everyday challenges and successes of competing for Canada.

For booking information or sponsorship inquiries, please contact **russell@manifestosport.com**

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