

## **Kyle Taulman - Steamboat Springs, Colorado**

Kyle is 16 years old and lives in Steamboat Springs, CO. When Kyle was two, he was diagnosed with Stage 3 High Risk Neuroblastoma. The tumor wrapped around his spine and caused a spinal cord injury at T10. Kyle defied all the odds and 1 year after he was paralyzed he was on the slopes learning to bi-ski at age 3. Kyle took to the slopes and developed a love of racing after participating in the STARS Development Race Team in 2014. He began training at the NSCD in 2015 and this year is hoping to make World Cup cuts for GS. After that, Kyle hopes to represent his country at the Paralympics in Beijing in 2022. Kyle is determined to live life to the fullest and has never let his disability define him. Kyle's other interests include singing, participating in the high school musicals, swimming, travel, and computer programming.