

## 2018 Banff Mountain Film and Book Festival – Mountain Idol

### 2018 Mountain Idol Winner Wyatt McLaughlin



- 19 years old, Enduro Cycling and Alpine Skiing
- Wyatt was the 2016 Mega Avalanche France - U18 Amateur Champion
- Took 3rd place in U21 in the 2018 Canadian National Enduro in Crowsnest
- Placed 22nd in the U21 category at the 2018 Enduro World Series in Spain
- And Placed 25th in the U21 2018 Enduro World Series in Whistler, Canada
- He's spent 3 seasons coaching youth mountain biking in the Bow Valley
- This is his 2nd season of Ski Patrolling

### 2018 Mountain Idol Finalists Sam Hendry



- 19 years old, Nordic Skier: 2018 Aggregate Canadian National Championship
- Member of Canadian National Junior Team
- Completed Canmore Quad in 13hrs, descents of Aemmer Couloir and Granddaddy Couloir
- Ascents of Mt. Assiniboine, Mt. Victoria.

### Jacob Baggott



- 14 years old, Cyclist and Alpine Skier: In Enduro Cycling
- 7th place finish in the U15 category at the 2018 Enduro at Crankworx Whistler, a 4th place finish in the U15 category and top Western Canadian at the Alberta Cup XCO, and 3rd place in the U15 category at the 2017 Canadian National Enduro Series Championships in Crowsnest, AB.
- Alpine skiing he placed 2nd in Giant Slalom at the 2018 U14 Provincial Race Series Championships in Panorama, BC and 1st place in 2 of 4 races in Giant Slalom at the 2018 U14 Provincial Race Series