

Shannon Bahrke-Happe

Freestyle Skiing- Moguls

2010 Olympic Bronze Medalist

2002 Olympic Silver Medalist

22-time World Cup Medalist

6-time National Champion





Resides: Park City
Birth date: Nov 7, 1980

A native of Tahoe City, CA, Shannon grew up on the slopes of Lake Tahoe, beginning at age 3. Three decades later she's the only American woman in history to have won two Olympic medals in freestyle skiing.

Known for her pink hair and high-energy style, both on and off the slopes, Shannon broke onto the world stage at the 2002 Olympics winning America's first medal of those Games. She went on to win the World Cup Championship the following year as well as medal, after medal, after medal. But just like her sport, it's been a bumpy ride - a broken jaw, and some serious knee injuries included. At the 2010 Olympic Games she returned to the medals podium, this time winning the bronze to close out her very decorated career on a high note..

Not the only Bahrke who craves adrenalin, Shannon's younger brother Scotty is also a member of the US Ski Team - a prominent aerialist - she claims he's *'the crazy one in the family'*.

Off the slopes, with still more energy to burn, Shannon is the owner/operator of a thriving coffee business based in Park City, UT - **Silver Bean Coffee**. She married her long time sweetheart, Matt Happe, on 10/10/10.

Never one to sit still for long, Shannon is also active in motorsports. She holds a wheel to wheel racing license with NASA and Miller Motor Sports Park and currently races in the Spec Miata Class. She is also an avid off road motorcyclist.

You can find Shannon, her husband and her daughter Zoe on the slopes in Park City.