2017 British U16 and U14 Ski Championships
U12 and U10 Race Events

3rd April – 7th April 2017

In Partnership with

Organised on behalf of
British Ski and Snowboard
By
The Organising Committee

Entry Form and Event Information

Welcome

We look forward to returning to Tignes, France again this year, with five days racing for the U16/U14 and U12/U10's. This year the programme has been stripped back to basics. There will be 1 Super G, 1 GS and 1 Slalom for the U16/U14 British Championships and 1 GS and 1 Combi for the U12/U10's. There will be a parallel slalom in the evening on Wednesday 5th April for teams of 4: 1 member from each of U16, U14, U12 and U10 including at least one member of the opposite gender. Please note, however, that the programme is provisional and dependent on local conditions – the current plan is that this will be run in Tignes La Lac.

We owe a big thank you to Jamie Ritblat and Delancey for once again sponsoring the Championships and special thanks must go to the Chairman of Delancey's Advisory Board, Sir John Ritblat. 2017 will be the 39th year that Sir John has been involved with sponsorship of the sport and without this support of the Championships and the team we would really struggle.

Tignes is a high altitude resort with extensive facilities. We are relieved that there will be no competition for these facilities from other British events in the resort this year, and we have every confidence that Tignes will provide the British Championships with excellent races.

Due to an increase in costs this year, unfortunately we have had to increase the entry fee to £50 per race. Arrangements are still being negotiated with the resort with regard to lift passes being supplied at a discounted rate. As soon as details are confirmed we will update this bulletin with lift pass pricing arrangements

Best wishes for a successful season and I look forward to seeing you all in Tignes.

Andrea Grant & Lloyd Jenkins
Chief of Championships

Organising Committee

Chief of Championships	Andrea Grant
Chief of Race Super-G, GS and Slalom	Lloyd Jenkins
Chief of Race U12/U10	Dermot Flahive
Race Secretary	Leasa Bullock
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BRITISH U16 AND U14 SKI CHAMPIONSHIPS
PERPETUAL TROPHIES AND MEDALS

Medals will be awarded to boys and girls in 1st, 2nd, and 3rd British places in U14 and U16 categories. Trophies are only presented to British Passport holders/British citizens.

NOTE: If you currently hold a perpetual trophy please bring it to the Race Office, Tignespace, Tignes Le Lac. If you are not attending the event you can return it to the Race Secretary before 18th March. See contact details on Page 6.

SLALOM	
U16 Boys' Slalom Champion	Aberdeen Ski Club Quaich
U16 Girls' Slalom Champion	Southampton Ski Club Cup
U14 Boys' Slalom Champion	Pindisport Cup
U14 Girls' Slalom Champion	Midland Ski Club Cup
GIANT SLALOM	
U16 Boys' Giant Slalom Champion	Ski Council Of Wales Trophy
U16 Girls' Giant Slalom Champion	Hillend Salver
U14 Boys' Giant Slalom Champion	Dolphin Ski Club Cup
U14 Girls' Giant Slalom Champion	Kandahar Ski Club Cup
SUPER G	
U16 Boys' Super G Champion	Rolls Royce Trophy
U16 Girls' Super G Champion	British Aerospace Trophy
U14 Boys' Super G Champion	DHO Rosebowl
U14 Girls' Super G Champion	Hautes Alpes Cup
COMBINED	
U16 Boys' Combined Champion	Ski Plan Trophy
U16 Girls' Combined Champion	Coupe de la Municipalité de L'Alpe d'Huez
U14 Boys' Combined Champion	Schools Abroad Cup
U14 Girls' Combined Champion	Lillywhite Cup
TEAM TROPHIES	
BEST NAMED CLUB TEAM	
U16 Boys' Team	Cairngorm Quaich
U16 Girls' Team	Dolphin Ski Club Cup
U14 Boys' Team	Alpbach Visitors Ski Club Cup
U14 Girls' Team	Kandahar Ski Club Cup
BEST CLUB	
U16	Tornes Trophy
U14	Rose and Thistle Cup

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PROVISIONAL PROGRAMME

Prize giving will be in the finish area shortly after each event

Sunday 2 April	Team Captains' meeting for U16 and U14 SG	*1700hrs*
Monday 3 April	U16 and U14 SG Team Captains' meeting for U14 SL Team Captains' meeting for U12/U10 GS	 *1700hrs* *1730hrs*
Tuesday 4 April	U14 Slalom U12/U10 GS Team Captains' meeting for U16 Slalom and Team Parallel Slalom	 *1700hrs*
Wednesday 5 April	U16 Slalom Team Captains' meeting for U14 Giant Slalom Team Captains' meeting for U12/U10 Combi Team Parallel Slalom (evening)	 *1600hrs* *1630hrs*
Thursday 6 April	U14 Giant Slalom U12/U10 Combi Team Captains' meeting for U16 Giant Slalom	 *1700hrs*
Friday 7 April	U16 Giant Slalom	

Please note that the programme is subject to change depending on local conditions.

RACE INFORMATION

Registration and Seeding

The British U16 and U14 Ski Championships and U12/U10 Race Events are open to competitors in the following age categories

U16	2001 – 2002
U14	2003 – 2004
U12	2005 – 2006
U10	2007 – 2008

All British participants for the U16/U14 races must be correctly registered with BASS through their Home Nation.

Eligibility

The British TD Forum and Alpine Executive have agreed to impose a maximum of 400 BASS points for Children as the acceptance criteria for the British U16 and U14 Championships, using the 2017.5 BASS list valid from 23rd March.

Appeals to the Jury by foreign members of British clubs or by racers of British nationality who have trained outside the club or British system who are able to show race results, will be considered in resort.

Race Entries

Where possible please enter online: https://entries.snowsportengland.org.uk
Please note that by entering online you agree to the contents of the Declaration on P8.

Postal Entries: Please complete page numbers 8, 9 & 10, and return, along with the correct remittance (made payable to Snowsport England) and before the closing date to: Leasa Bullock (Race Secretary) 2 Newbirch House Farm, Cotes, Swynnerton, STONE, Staffs, ST15 0QQ, alanleasabullock@hotmail.co.uk, 07970 597256,

Entries must be received no later **than Saturday 18th March 2017** otherwise a double entry fee will be applicable, and entry is not guaranteed.

Acceptance

The Organising Committee will assess all entries and accept those from racers deemed to be of an appropriate standard. In the event of non-acceptance for any reason, the competitor has the right to appeal in writing to the Organising Committee, prior to the start of the competition. Should more than the maximum number of entries considered appropriate be received, racers will be accepted in seed point order. Every effort will be made to contact those who have not been accepted; however the Organising Committee accepts no responsibility in the event that contact cannot be made for any reason. A provisional list of British Entries will be posted on www.gbski.com by Monday 20th March 2017.

Late Entries

Late entries after Saturday 18th March 2017 within the qualifying standards will be accepted only in very exceptional circumstances and upon payment of double the entry fee. No guarantees can be made regarding the chances of a late acceptance and any hopeful competitor travelling to the resort before acceptance does so at his/her own risk of incurring any expense should he/she not be accepted for the Championships.

Entry Fees

Competitors must be aware that the Organising Committee incurs substantial financial liabilities in organising these events and entry fees are unlikely to be returned if the event is cancelled. The jury will consider possible refunds, or part refunds, if a competitor is ill / injured before the first team captains' meeting of the competition. No refunds will be made in resort. Such requests must be accompanied by a relevant medical certificate.

Club Team Competitions

For the Best Club and Best Named Club competitions, athletes may only compete for their first named club as published on BASS list2017.5. No changes will be allowed in the resort, except in the most exceptional circumstances and with the prior approval of the Organising Committee and clubs involved.

Parallel Slalom

The floodlit Parallel Slalom on Wednesday 5th April will be for teams of four with one racer from each category: U16, U14, U12 and U10. At least one member of the team must be of the opposite gender. Only athletes entered in at least two other events at the U16/U14 or one at the U12/U10 races will be eligible. There is no entry fee for the parallel slalom.

Photographs

If you do not consent to publication of your / your child's image, taken at The British Championships, please complete the opt-out form on Page 11, and return with your application form.

Equipment Regulations

Competitors and coaches are reminded that it is their responsibility to ensure that their equipment, including ski length and radius conforms to discipline specifications. The latest FIS information can be found at http://www.fis-ski.com/inside-fis/document-library/alpine-skiing/#deeplink=rules and select Specifications for Competition Equipment and Commercial Markings.

Please also see the BCR for amendments to the FIS rules: http://www.gbski.com/rules.php#BCR and

http://www.gbski.com/docstore/OTHER/Helmets%20for%20Alpine%20Ski%20Racing%20V4.pdf

Helmets

It is mandatory for all competitors and forerunners in all disciplines to wear a ski helmet that conforms to FIS competition equipment specification. This applies also to U10/U12's.

Child Welfare

A person appointed by the Organising Committee will be responsible for all aspects of Child Welfare.

Anti-doping Regulations

All competitors must comply with FIS anti-doping regulations. Information is available at: http://www.fis-ski.com/inside-fis/medical-antidoping/anti-doping/

The Race Office/Team Captains' Meetings

The race office will be situated at Tignespace in Tignes Le Lac. The office contact number will be communicated, along with provisional entry list, on www.gbski.com on Monday 20th March. The Team Captains' Meetings will also take place in Tignespace.

Advance Race Office

All enquiries regarding entries should be made to Leasa Bullock (Race Secretary) alanleasabullock@hotmail.co.uk

Race Programme

All U16/U14 and U12/U10 racing will take place on the Stade at Tignes Val Claret (subject to weather and local conditions at the time). Access is via Tichot and Grattalu chairlifts. The Race Organisation in conjunction with the GBR TD reserves the right to rearrange the race programme if deemed necessary by weather or other local conditions.

Results

In the interests of the environment, all race results will be posted on:
www.gbski.com and http://www.teambss.org/

Lift Passes and Accommodation

Details for supply of lift passes are still being negotiated and this bulletin will be updated with details as soon as they are available.

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DECLARATION

By entering online, you agree to the contents of this declaration.

Postal Entries, should complete and return with entry form and fee.

(if under 18, to be signed by a parent/guardian)

COMPETITOR'S NAME_____

1. I am eligible to enter these Championships

2. I fully understand that a high standard of behaviour is expected of all competitors on and off the snow. I agree to accept the ruling of the Organising Committee on all disciplinary matters to the extent that racers may be sent home, excluded from races or have prizes withheld in cases of a breach of discipline or unacceptable behaviour, and that in the case of such an occurrence no monies will be refunded.

3. I am medically fit to race.

4. I undertake to be fully insured for racing (including accident, illness and third party cover), and will produce proof of such insurance to the Organising Committee, if required.

5. I will attend the prize giving and understand that I will relinquish any claims to prizes, trophies or any other benefits should I fail to do so.

6. I agree that if I am awarded a perpetual trophy, I will have it engraved, safeguard it and return it before the next Championships as requested by the Organising Committee.

7. I hereby free and relieve the Organising Committee, their officers, employees and voluntary assistants of any liability for injury, loss or damage of any kind incurred by me/my child whether due to gross negligence or otherwise.

8. I have signed a copy of the competitor's waiver (Athlete Declaration), and I have a valid BASS start number.

9. I understand that the entry fee is not refundable, even if one or more of the races are cancelled if the Organising Committee has incurred liabilities in setting up the Championships.

10. These Championships are run under BCR Rules, and these will apply at all times.

Declaration

I agree to the terms and conditions listed above.

Signed: **Dated:**

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(Open to racers born 2001 - 2008)

Postal Entry Form Page 1

Competitors Details – Please write clearly in block letters

SURNAME		**FORENAME**		**GENDER**	**M / F**
DATE OF BIRTH					
ADDRESS					
POSTCODE					
TELEPHONE	**(FOR CONTACT BEFORE THE COMPETITION)**				
MOBILE NUMBER	**(FOR CONTACT WHEN IN COMPETITION)**				
CONTACT EMAIL					
NATIONALITY					
SKI CLUB					
BASS NUMBER					
	U14 (YOB 2003-2004)		**U16 (YOB 2001-2002)**		
	U10 (YOB 2007-2008)		**U12 (YOB 2005-2006)**		

If you **do not** wish your details shared with our sponsorship companies, please tick here. □

Postal Entry Form (Page 2)

Please tick which events you wish to enter Entry Fee £ per event

Please note dates are provisional

Super G U16 and U14	3rd April	£50	
Slalom U14	4th April	£50	
Giant Slalom U12/U10	4th April	£50	
Slalom U16	5th April	£50	
Giant Slalom U14	6th April	£50	
Combi U12/U10	6th April	£50	
Giant Slalom U16	7th April	£50	

If sending a Postal Entry, please make cheque payable to "Snowsport England" and return with your entry to: Leasa Bullock, 2 Newbirch House Farm, Cotes, Swynnerton, STONE, Staffs, ST15 0QQ. Please return pages 8, 9 and 10 by Monday 14th March 2017.

If possible please enter online, rather than sending a Postal Entry, go to https://entries.snowsportengland.org.uk

All competitors must:

- **Must be adequately insured for ski racing**
- **Must have agreed the terms by signing the declaration, or agreeing to the declaration by entering online – the declaration is outlined on page 8**

Thank you

British Ski and Snowboard

OPT OUT FORM

EVENT: BRITISH U16 AND U14 CHAMPIONSHIPS AND U12/10 RACE EVENTS

COMPETITOR'S NAME _____

I _____ (insert parent/guardian full name)
DO NOT consent to the publication of an image of

_____ (name of young person) under BSS's Child Protection and Best Practice guidelines and I confirm that I am legally entitled to sign this form.

Signature of Parent/Guardian: _____

Date:

I _____ (name of young person)

DO NOT CONSENT to the publication of my image at this event under BSSs Child Protection Policy and Best Practice guidelines.

Signature of Young Person:_____

Date:

Please return this form to: The Race Secretary with your entry forms.

Event Organiser: British Ski and Snowboard