Cairngorm Ski Club Hilton Coylumbridge Open BASS & Bairns Races 24/25 Feb 2018

Bulletin 2 – 23/02/18

UPDATES;

1) BASS Race on Saturday is Slalom, Sunday Slalom.
2) Competitors will receive discounted lift tickets on proof of club/Home Nation membership
3) Race Officials to collect their lunches/passes and folders from bib collection and meet outside the Shieling (Building at Halfway point) for Officials Briefing for 8.50am.

RACE DATE: Sat 24th and Sun 25th February 2018

VENUE: Cairngorm Mountain, Aviemore

RACE SLOPE- BASS- White Lady. Bairns- Coire Cas or Upper Fiacall Ridge

RACE FORMAT: BASS: Saturday- Giant Slalom (if weather and run conditions allow. If conditions don't allow a GS a Slalom will be run)

Sunday: Slalom.

BAIRNS: Saturday and Sunday either GS or Combi dependant on conditions. 2 runs (best 1 or 2 combined) each day

CATEGORIES: U10, U12, U14, U16, U18, U21/SEN/MAS. Male and Female in all age categories.

BASS TIMETABLE:

Saturday & Sunday

Bib Collection	8.30-9.15 am
Course Inspection	9.30-9.50 am
Start 1st Run	10.00 am - Forerunner
	10.10 am - First Racer
2nd Run Inspection	~ 12.30pm
Start 2nd Run	~ 1.10 pm
Prize giving	4.00pm (approx.) Saturday – In the Cairngorm Suite in the Hilton Hotel. Sunday in the Woodshed at Hilton, Coylumbridge

BAIRNS TIMETABLE

Saturday & Sunday

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Course Inspection	9.30-9.50 am
Start 1st Run	10.00 am - Forerunner
	10.10 am - First Racer

2nd Run To run after completion of previous run

RACE OFFICE: The race office/bib collection will be based in the Rangers Base Station at the top of the main Carpark (Cairngorm Ski Club flags will be outside). Once racing starts the race office will move to the Shieling Building at the Midway Station.

OFFICIALS: Race meeting to be held at 8.30am outside the Race Office/Bib Collection. These events do not run without the help of the many volunteers- if you are able to offer your help over the weekend then please email Chief of Champs (James- jap@panda.co.uk)

START LISTS: Will posted in the Race Office building.

COURSE INSPECTION: The method of course inspection will be from the top down. Bibs must be worn with the numbers clearly displayed, anyone inspecting without clearing showing their bib may be disqualified from the race. Competitors must not ski down the prepared course or ski through the gates.

UPLIFT: The cost of uplift is not included in the race entry fee. Competitors using the uplift facilities must clearly display their race numbers when doing so. Racers and Event Crew will get priority on the M1 poma but this is on a 1 to 1 basis with the public. **FIRST AID:** Provided by Cairngorm Mountain Ski Patrol.

EQUIPMENT, HEALTH AND SAFETY: Racers' skis must be fitted with operational ski brakes.

HELMETS: All participants must wear a properly fitted helmet that conforms to FIS ICR 2017 article no. 606.4 Helmet Rules will be applied so please check you know the rules!

UNSPORTSMANLIKE BEHAVIOUR: In the event of unsportsmanlike behaviour following gate faults, including carrying on to cross the Finish Line, swearing and pole abuse, all TD's and Race Organisers have been reminded that sanctions are to be applied if behaviour contravenes competition rules. Please be aware that this could ultimately lead to the sanction of 'Suspension from events' (ICR 223.3.2).

DISQUALIFICATIONS AND PROTESTS: Disqualifications will be posted on the official notice board after each run of the Slalom. Racers will have 15 minutes from the time of posting to protest against disqualification. Each protest (which should be made to the Referee) must be in writing and be accompanied by a deposit of £25 which will be forfeited in the event of such Protest not being upheld by the Jury.

MEDALS: Medals will be awarded to 1st, 2nd & 3rd male and female competitors in each category (listed above). U14 podiums will be based on combined times each day. Seed points for U14 will be awarded on individual runs. All prize-winners are expected to show courtesy to the organisers by attending the prize giving. Those who do not attend without good reason lose their claim to an award.

CATERING:

- On the mountain food can be found at the Storehouse in the Day Lodge or the Ptarmigan top station;
- Scottish Ski Club have also very kindly offered the use of the SSC Hut on the White Lady for race weekend with the availability of Bacon Rolls, Tea/Coffee/Hot Choc. for purchase; this is extended to all Racers/ Families & Event Crew and all are very welcome.
- The Shieling at the Mid-Station is also available for Packed Lunches & Toilet Facilities
- Awards Presentation to be held at Hilton Coylumbridge from 4pm onwards, all Racers, Families & Event Crew welcome.
- On-Mountain Hot-Drinks Team will be providing Teas/Coffee/Hot Choc. on a rolling basis throughout the day for All Event Crew's