# BSA GBR Events 2019

## Race 4. Snozone, Castleford. Sunday 23rd June

## Race Bulletin No: 1 - Invitation

We invite registered racers to compete in the BSA GBR Event to be held at Snozone, Castleford on Sunday 23rd June 2019. This event is organised by Snowsport England. We would like to thank the management and staff of Snozone and all volunteers for their assistance, without whom there would not be a race.

The BSA GBR Race Series brings together national domestic races across the UK with race weekends being organised by the Home Nations in England, Scotland and Wales both on indoor and outdoor artificial slopes. For details on the GBR race weekends, events and race rules please visit www.gbski.com The organisers wish to thank the British Ski Academy for their sponsorship of the GBR race series.

**Entry Criteria and Acceptance**
There will be 1 GBR race held on Sunday 23rd June 2019. The race is open to racers registered with their respective home nation and meeting the age group categories eligible for seeding for 2019 (born 2007 or earlier). There will also be 2 GBR races for U10/U12.

The number of entrants is limited to a maximum of 180. In the event of the race being oversubscribed, acceptance will be determined by seed points using the iBARTS list current as at the closing date for entries. Racers with lower seed points will be given preference.

**Entry Fees**
The entry fee for the GBR Indoor races is **£32 per day**. On line entry is available via https://entries.snowsportengland.org.uk/

**IF YOU ARE UNABLE TO SUBMIT AN ONLINE ENTRY, PLEASE CONTACT THE RACE SECRETARY BY THE CLOSING DATE**

**Entries close at 1900 on Friday 14th June 2019** Late entries may be accepted at an additional fee of £10.00 per day.

**Withdrawals**
Following entry into the race, a partial refund (£10) will only be given to racers on production of a medical certificate.

**Start Order**
The start order will be drawn at the Jury meeting using the iBARTS Seed List relevant at the time of the draw. This seed list can be found on the web site www.gbski.com The start lists will be published on www.gbski.com and on the official notice board on the morning of the race.

**Refreshments**
Food and drinks will be available from on site catering.

**First Aid**
First aid cover will be provided by Snozone Staff.

**Directions**
Snozone Yorkshire is situated just off Junction 32 of M62 motorway. For Sat Nav users the post code is WF10 4TA. The **Nearest Accommodation is** Premier Inn, Castleford Xscape, Colorado Way, Castleford WF10 4TA

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**Programme for Sunday 23rd June 2019. GBR Indoor Race 4 (Slalom)**

The race will be run as a special slalom consisting of 2 runs down two different courses. The first run will be in bib order. The second run will be start with the top 30 in reverse time order from the first run.

For U10/U12 the format for the event will be 2 runs through a stubbies course, of which the fastest of the run will count for prizes. This race is open to registered racers in the Under 10 category (YOB 2010-2011) and Under 12 (2008-2009) and will not be seeded.

**Provisional Timetable**

The times given below are provisional and may alter on the day. **Please ensure you are ready to start on time and listen carefully for any announcements**

| **Sunday 23rd June 2019. BSA GBR INDOOR RACE 4 WITH U10/U12 RACE** | |
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| 0730 | Officials Access |
| 0800 | Race office opens for registration, lift pass and Bib Issue |
| 0845~0930 | Open Practice |
| 0900 | Race Officials Meeting |
| 0930~1000 | Course setting |
| 1000~1025 | GBR Race Course Inspection Run 1 |
| 1030~1120 | GBR Race Run 1 |
| 1120~1130 | U10/U12 Course Set |
| 1130~1150 | U10/U12 Course Inspection |
| 1150~1240 | U10/U12 Run 1&2 |
| 1240~1250 | GBR Race Course Set Run 2 |
| 1250~1310 | GBR Race Course Inspection Run 2 |
| 1315~1400 | GBR Race Run 2 |
| 1430 | Prize Giving |

Every attempt will be made to keep to the event schedule; however the organisers reserve the right to amend the schedule as appropriate.

**Awards**

Overall Awards will be made to 1st, 2nd & 3rd Male & Female racers.
Age Group awards will be made to 1st, 2nd & 3rd Male & Female racers in each age group.
Age Group awards will be made to 1st, 2nd & 3rd Male & Female racers in the U10/U12 race.

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| Masters | 1989 and before | Under 16 | 2005, 2004 |
| Seniors | 1990 – 1998 | Under 14 | 2007, 2006 |
| Under 21 | 2001, 2000, 1999 | Under 12 | 2009, 2008 |
| Under 18 | 2003, 2002 | Under 10 | 2011, 2010 |

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Points are awarded in each of the GBR races which count towards a series prize which will be presented following the last races of the Series. Rules for the GBR series can be found in BACR Book IV.
http://www.gbski.com/docstore/BACR/BACR%20IV.pdf

**Race Office**

The Race Office will be the Race Secretary's address until Friday 21st June. It will then be located at Snozone from Saturday 22nd June.

**Race Secretary**

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**Race Rules and Snozone Rules**

The race will be run in accordance with FIS rules as published in the BACR. Please see www.gbski.com for BACR rules.
For further information on series rules and British race rules see www.gbski.com
During open practice and inspection racers need to wear their bib so that it is visible front and back. This is to show that you are entitled to be in the course area. Racers without a bib will be asked to leave the slope.
Inspection on foot by racers is not permissible
Helmets, gloves and long-sleeved garments which cover the midriff must been worn by racers at all times whilst on the slope. Please also note the helmet rules for competitors can be found at www.gbski.com
The U10/U12 course will be run using stubbies and will not be seeded.
Access to the race area is for officials and racers only. Coaches may accompany their racers during course inspection only but must be on skis or blades. Inspection on foot by either racers or coaches is not permissible
Race trainers/coaches who accompany their racers must be qualified and carry the relevant accreditation issued by the race office on the day.
Ski preparation is not allowed anywhere inside Snozone
Bags must not be abandoned in the changing area. Lockers are available and the £1 is returned!
No food to be brought in but Snozone have excellent on-site catering
Race skis may be left neatly at the top of the slope providing they do not obstruct the exits or the lift
Ski racks will be provided just before the doors to the slope, please use these and do not leave skis elsewhere
Ski boots may be worn upstairs in The Alpine Kitchen (Café) and Race Office area!