The British Schools Open Alpine Ski Championships 2020 with The Ski Club of Great Britain

Feb 5-7 – 2020
In Pila, Italy

Event Information

This event is open to school teams and individuals from *ALL* schools.

The provisional programme for the races is below but may be tweaked due to weather.

The number of teams per school in Junior or Senior may be restricted, should we receive large entries but is initially open to 4 per school. All team members who complete at least one run will be given an individual ranking (fastest run will count for the results).

Wednesday Feb 5th – Giant slalom for all competitors
Thursday Feb 6th – Slalom for senior school competitors
Thursday Feb 6th – Kombi for Junior school competitors
Friday Feb 7th – Parallel – Team event

RULES AND CONDITIONS

1. The event is open to boys and girls in teams from the same school or to individuals.
2. It is expected that all teams will be in the charge of a member of school staff or a parent with permission from the school. If it is a parent, **the Declaration form MUST be signed by A member of School Staff**, giving authority to the parent concerned, e.g. for a parent to bring a team
3. Children must be attending the school they are representing during the term in which the race takes place. Schools that cover all the age groups can enter up to 4 teams each in both the morning and afternoon sessions but no child can race in both events.
4. Competitors must be able to ski under control. Please do not bring children unless you are sure they are capable of riding a button lift and skiing a blue slope in FULL control.
5. The age groups are: **U10, U12, U14, U16, U18 and U21**. If needed, a child or two from the younger age groups can represent the older school, but will be skiing 'up' into the U14 age group. If this is the case, those children cannot race in the mornings event as well.
6. **Age of competitors are based on their Year of Birth** as we will be running with age groups as per the International Ski Federation - Chart on age groups is below.
7. FOUR skiers from a school make up a team (three will do), and **can be of mixed age group and gender**.
8. Results will be determined as follows:

Teams - This will be done by achieving points per placing in age groups and awards will be given for 1st 2nd and 3rd teams in the following categories in all individual events.

Boys team, Girls team and Mixed team.

Points per age group	
1st place	10
2nd place	9
3rd place	8
4th place	7
5th place	6
6th place	5
7th place	4
8th place	3
9th place	2
10th place	1

Age Groups by year of birth:

YOB	AGE GROUP		YOB	AGE GROUP		YOB	AGE GROUP
2011	**U10**		**2007**	**U14**		**2003**	**U18**
2010	**U10**		**2006**	**U14**		**2002**	**U18**
2009	**U12**		**2005**	**U16**		**2001**	**U21**
2008	**U12**		**2004**	**U16**		**2000**	**U21**
						1999	**U21**

The winning team will be the one that accrues the most points across the highest scoring three of the four members.

Individuals - The fastest individual time of the two runs
9. Entries must be made online and the enclosed declaration form must be completed and signed by the member of school staff Responsible.
Entries close on January 21st 2020 (or before, if the race becomes oversubscribed).
10. Team changes after January 21st will not be permitted without supporting medical evidence.
11. Entries not complying with the rules will not be accepted.
12. Any matter arising at the event which is not covered by these rules will be determined by the race jury, whose decision is final.
13. Further information will be sent by email using mailchimp and posted on the facebook page of the NSSA. **It is essential that you ensure the email address you supply is correct and accurate and that your server will accept these mails.** We cannot be responsible for issues with your mail system.
14. The entry fee will be - **£95 per individual for all three races**. Entry MUST be made online.
15. Please indicate the name(s) of your race volunteer(s) on the entry form. It is a condition of entry that schools should provide one race volunteer per school.
16. All racers must wear a ski helmet. Helmets must not have camera mounts or covers.

This event is being run by Impulse Racing on behalf of the NSSA.

Pre event training will be run in resort and this can be booked by contacting
office@schoolssnowsports.co.uk
We expect this training to fill quickly so advise early booking
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We will be running training on the days preceding the events specifically for this race and this can be booked or bespoke training organised with Impulse Racing by contacting phil@impulse-racing.co.uk

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