Lothian Ski Racing
Midlothian Snowsports Centre
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LSR Twin Peaks
Sunday 5 June 2022

Final Bulletin

The main event is open to registered racers in all age categories from Under 14 to Masters. In order to encourage the development of young racers, we will run an Under 10s and Under 12s race as a separate group outwith seed point categories.

Please note the new age categories apply, ie **RACERS BORN 2010 AND OLDER MUST BE REGISTERED WITH SNOWSPORT SCOTLAND or their Home Nation.** To register: http://www.snowsportscotland.org/registration. All racers outwith Scotland from Under 14 and older must be registered with their Home Nation.
RACERS MUST BE REGISTERED FOR YEAR 2022/23 (For those in Scotland this must be renewed by 31 May 2022)

VENUE
Midlothian Snowsport Centre, Hillend, Near Edinburgh, Midlothian EH10 7DU.

DATE
Sunday 5 June 2022 **– Bib Collection from 13.30**

ACCEPTANCES **112** entries have been received and accepted provided payment and outstanding information has cleared prior to race. Acceptance list is published separately.

The latest oBARTS seed list 2022.2 has been used for acceptances and to determine racers' seed points.

FORMAT **The seeded race is a combined time slalom over two separate courses. Please note the format for Mini race will be a separate Stubbie course set for U10 and U12 with fastest run from two counts. All racers will start from top Start Box.**

RACE OFFICIALS BRIEFING Underneath the Café 360 at **13:45**

Acceptance Lists and Results will be posted on www.gbski.com

START TIME AND PROVISIONAL PROGRAMME

Bib Collection	13.30	
Warm Up	13.45	Warm up will be available on the tow slope only
Course Inspection	14:10	20 minutes (For all racers including minis)
Forerunners	14.35	
Run 1 Start	14:45	

Change over gates to stubbies for Minis Race Approx 15.20

Minis will be allowed to re-inspect the stubbies course for 10 minutes after the Seeded race. This should be used as an additional period of time to complement the main inspection

Protocol for Run 1 will be completed during minis race

Re-Inspection Open	15:30	
Forerunners	15:45	
Start Minis Race	15:50	TWO CONTINUOUS RUNS - FASTEST RUN TO COUNT

Reset course

Run 2	16.45
Finish and protocol	17.30
calcs	18.00+
Prize giving	18:40 at the bottom of the slope (ASAP after race completion)

This timetable is **provisional** and Racers/Coaches/Parents should ensure that they check updates throughout the Race.

RACE NUMBERS

These will be issued below the cafe 360 at Midlothian Snowsports Centre. Bib Collection area will be clearly indicated on race day.

INSURANCE

All U10 and U12 racers MUST be insured for third party liability cover for the competition. Membership of a registered Ski Club affiliated to SSS will provide U10 and U12 racers with insurance cover but, if not, then third party liability insurance at a cost of £4.00 will be payable on race day at bib collection.
ALL U10 and U12 CHILDREN SHOULD BRING PROOF OF CLUB MEMBERSHIP ON RACE DAY;
Alternatively those without such proof of membership **MUST** purchase third party liability insurance at Bib Collection on Race Day – cost £4. **Please note that LSR Club trainees Under 12 yrs are insured.**

MEDALS & TROPHIES

MEDALS will be awarded to 1st, 2nd & 3rd female & male competitors in each of the age categories. Trophies will be awarded to the overall female and overall male winners and to the fastest female and male in the U16/14 category.

START LIST
These will be available at Midlothian Snowsports Centre on the day of the race.

RUNNING ORDER
There will be separate races for U10 and U12s starting from the top. The U10 and U12s will run after the first run of the main race (U14s and Older). The U10s and U12s will immediately follow their First Run with their second run in the **same** running order as first run.
Except for U10s and U12s, racing will be in descending seed point order for each group, with a random top 15. Those with no seed points will be drawn as a random group as will the two age categories of Minis.

COURSE INSPECTION
The method of course inspection will be from the top of the course down. The Racer's Bib Number must be **CLEARLY** visible. Racers **MUST NOT** ski any part of the course.

FIRST AID
A First Aid service will be provided by Midlothian Snowsports Centre.
The First Aid Room is situated on the ground floor of the Café building at the bottom of the main ski slope.

EQUIPMENT & SAFETY
Racers' skis must be fitted with operational ski brakes and artificial slope poles must be used. In the event of skiers using their own poles the points must be suitably protected. In the interests of racers' personal safety "cat suits" will not be permitted and long sleeves, long trousers and gloves must be worn during practice, inspection and racing. **All racers must wear a properly fitted and approved safety helmet appropriate for skiing during training and competitions. (The European standard for ski helmets is BS EN1077:1996 specification for Alpine skiers).**

DISQUALIFICATIONS
It is the Racer's responsibility to check for disqualification notices. These will be posted on the Official Notice Board following the Jury Meeting after each run (cafe window). Racers will have 15 minutes from the time of posting to protest against disqualification. Protests must be made to the Referee, 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.

UNSPORTSMANLIKE BEHAVIOUR
Due to the increasing frequency of unsportsmanlike behaviour at dry slope races following gate faults, including carrying on to cross the Finish line, swearing and pole abuse, all TD's & 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 sanctions of 'suspension from events' (ICR 223.3.2)

VIDEO COVERAGE & PHOTOGRAPHS *It is planned to record and take photo's of some of the day's racing. If you do not want your photo or images to be published, an 'Opt Out' form will be available at bib collection and the race office. A Parent or Guardian, as well as the competitor should sign this. Forms should be returned to the Race secretary no later than the start of Course Inspection.*

RACE RULES
The jury has decided that all courses for this event will be set with single pole gates in accordance with BACR Book 1– 801.2.6. The race will be run according to current BACR rules which can be downloaded from the rules section of www.gbski.com. Current regulations particularly with regard to equipment and course inspection are available for download from www.gbski.com

RACE OFFICE, JURY ROOM & OFFICIAL NOTICE BOARD
These will be situated in the Café building at the bottom of the main ski slope.

PLEASE NOTE BIBS MUST BE RETURNED AT THE END OF THE 2ND RUN FOR ALL COMPETITORS. ANY BIBS NOT RETURNED WILL INCUR A CHARGE OF £35 TO THE RACER OR GUARDIAN ASSOCIATED WITH THAT NUMBER.

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