Scottish National Championships 2023 (Saturday)
Scottish Open Championships 2023 (Sunday)

RACE BULLETIN 1 – INVITATION BULLETIN

DATE: 2nd - 3rd September 2023

VENUE: MIDLOTHIAN SNOWSPORTS CENTRE, HILLEND

Thank you for registering to compete in Scottish Alpine Dryslope Championships to be held at Midlothian Snowsports Centre on the weekend of Saturday 2nd and Sunday 3rd September 2023.

This event weekend is organised by Snowsport Scotland, and sponsored by Ski Bartlett. We would like to thank the management and staff of the Midlothian Snowsports Centre and all volunteers for their assistance, without whom there would not be a race.

This bulletin is an announcement of the date, location and registration information for the races; more information will be announced over the coming weeks.

ENTRY CRITERIA

Each race is open to racers registered with their respective home nation and within the age group categories eligible for oBARTS seeding for 2023.

There will also be an U10/U12 race on both days. The slalom competition will use stubby gates instead of full sized gates. Competitors will have two runs on the same course with the fastest of the runs counting for prizes. This race is open to registered racers in the Under 10 category (YOB 2014-2015) and Under 12 category (YOB 2012-2013).

ENTRY FEES

The entry fee for each day is £32 per racer. Online entry is available via:
https://forms.gle/sLymiNCXvRQ23Y3f7

Entries close **1700 on Monday 28th August 2023**. Late entries may be accepted at an additional fee of £10.00 per day.

Please arrange payment of £32 per race to Snowsport Scotland by transferring the funds via bank transfer (AC - 06137942, SC - 802260) (please ensure competitor name and competition are in reference).

If the race is cancelled, entries will be refunded.

RACE FORMAT

Both the Slalom and Giant Slalom race will be run to the following format:

The first run will be held in bib order. The second (final) run will be in reverse time order based on the time from the first run and both must be completed to achieve the result. Each run will be on a different course.

PROPOSED TIMETABLE

Timetable for both days below. Every attempt will be made to keep to the event schedule; however, the organisers reserve the right to amend the schedule as appropriate. These times are subject to change.

Saturday 2nd September 2021		**Sunday 3rd September 2021**	
08.30	Racer Registration and bib issue below the Cafe	08.30	Racer Registration and bib issue below the Cafe
09.00-09.15	Practice on tow slope	09.00-09.15	Practice on tow slope
09.20–09.40	Inspection 1st run (ALL)	09.20–09.40	Inspection 1st run (ALL)
10.00	Start of 1st run of seeded race	10.00	Start of 1st run of main race
11.15–11.30	Inspection for U10/U12	11.15–11.30	Inspection U10/U12
11.40	Runs 1 & 2 U10/U12	11.40	Runs 1 & 2 U10/U12
12.30	Course Setting 2nd Run	12.30	Course Setting 2nd Run
13.00 – 13.30	Inspection 2nd run	13.00– 13.30	Inspection 2nd run
13.45	Start of 2nd run of seeded race	13.45	Start of 2nd run of main race
16.00	Inter-club Parallel Slalom	16.00	Prize Giving
17.15	Prize Giving		

ACCEPTANCE LISTS

Acceptance lists will be published on Snowsport Scotland and GBSki. Start lists showing running order will be available on the morning of each event.

RACE RULES
The Championships will be run under the British Artificial Competition Rules (BACR) 2023. These are available on https://gbski.com/rules.php#BACR.

DUAL SLALOM
Inter Club Team Parallel Slalom event will take place straight after the 2nd run of the seeded race, before prize-giving, on Saturday 2nd September.

The event is open to all racers competing in the Championships consisting of teams of 5, all teams must contain a minimum of 1 member of the opposite gender.

The event will be run as a knockout with prizes for the winning team.

Entries can be made here: https://forms.gle/rNR3ifz4rXN4JfrN8

OFFICIALS
Please note that these events can only run successfully if we get sufficient volunteers to help with the various jobs. If you are able to assist, please make us aware on the entry form.

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