LSR Craig Macfie Classic
Sunday 5th October 2025

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

CRAIG MACFIE FOUNDATION (CMF)
Craig was tragically killed in November 2011 by a drunk driver whilst he was cycling in Oregon. The Craig Macfie Foundation serves as a means to honour, celebrate and remember Craig's life while promoting causes close to his and his friends' and family's hearts. In keeping with Craig's passion for skiing the primary focus of the foundation will be to promote and encourage the sport on both a local and national level. Craig gained a great deal from his involvement in ski racing; to reflect this passion the foundation will raise funds to help others experience such joy.

An award will be made to an LSR Trainee at the LSR CMF Classic every year in addition to supporting other local events. Furthermore, the foundation will aim to raise awareness against the dangers of drink driving and raise motorists' awareness of the rights of cyclists on the road.

ENTRY
Entries and payment can only be made online using the form below
https://forms.gle/SMDUg9wzKu8FFzuv7

Entries to the main seeded race are invited from registered racers in all age categories from U14 to Masters. In order to encourage the development of young racers, we will run a separate minis race for U10 and U12 that will be set with stubbies.

CLOSING DATE
The closing date is Friday 26th September 2025 at 5pm – or sooner if the number of entrants reaches our maximum quota of racers (200 total, 70 minis). There is no minimum seed point entry cut-off, acceptance will be on a first-come first-served basis. Please note the online entry form will no longer be active from the time stated above.

Entry to the seeded race will not be accepted unless a valid competitor registration number has been included on the entry form.

RACE FORMAT
The seeded race is a slalom based on combined times from two runs on different courses on the main slope.

The format for the un-seeded minis race will be a slalom on the main slope, with the fastest run of two runs counting. It will be a stubby course running from the top start box.

It is currently intended to run the U10/12 race first, then moving onto the U14+ race. Please note this is subject to change and the provisional programme will be provided in the race bulletin.

ENTRY FEE
The race entry fee is £35.00 (£45.00 late entry)

ACCEPTANCE
The latest oBARTS seed list 2025.6 will be used for acceptances and bib draw. Protests/errors relating to the Acceptance List will be considered at a Jury Meeting on Thursday 2nd October 2025.

PAYMENT
Payment is to be made to LSR by Google form and payment link.

ACCESS TIME
The Centre will open to racers at approximately 08:30 hrs on Sunday 5th October 2025.

DO NOT arrive before 08:30 as the access gates at the bottom of the Hillend road will be closed. Cars must not queue back onto the A702.

AGE CATEGORIES
The age categories applicable are as follows:

- U10 – Born 2016 or 2017
- U12 – Born 2014 or 2015
- U14 – Born 2012 or 2013
- U16 – Born 2010 or 2011
- U18 – Born 2008 or 2009
- U21 – Born 2005 or 2006 or 2007
- Senior – Born 1996 to 2004
- Masters – Born 1995 and before

Racers born 2013 and older must be registered with Snowsport Scotland. All racers out with Scotland from U14 and older must be registered with their Home Nation.

RACE RULES
It was agreed that the FIS rule changes that disallow stepping back (hiking) in Slalom (614.2.3, 661.4.1,804.3) will be applied to all BARTS (artificial slope) seeded calendar races and any accompanying U10/12 races during the 2024 artificial season. If a competitor comes to a complete stop in the course they WILL NOT be permitted to hike back up and complete the course.

Rules and regulations available at **http://gbski.com**

HELPERS
WE NEED YOUR HELP! Without enough helpers the races cannot be run – so please offer to help on the entry form.

INSURANCE
All Racers must be insured for third party liability cover for competition. Membership of a registered Ski Club affiliated to Snowsport Scotland will provide this cover.

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 years are insured.

HELMETS
Helmets for all disciplines are mandatory.

CODE OF CONDUCT
By entering this race you agree to abide by LSRs event code of conduct.

CONTACTS

Chief of Race	Race Secretary	Child Protection Officer
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PROVISIONAL START TIME AND PROGRAMME

Minis Race

08:45 - 09:15	Bib issue
09:00 - 09:20	Warm up (available on the tow slope only)
09:00 - 09:15	Race officials briefing
09:20 - 09:50	Course inspection
09.55 - 11:30	Runs 1 & 2 (continuous runs – fastest run to count)
11.45	Protocol posted
12:15	Prizegiving

U14+ Seeded Race

12:15 - 12:45	Bib issue
12:30 - 13:00	Warm up (available on the tow slope only)
12:30 - 12:45	Race officials briefing
13:00 - 13:30	Course inspection run 1
13.40 - 14:40	Run 1
15.10	Protocol posted run 1
15.30 - 16:00	Course inspection run 2

16.00 - 17:00 Run 2
17.30 Protocol posted run 2
17.50 Prizegiving

IMPORTANT: This programme is PROVISIONAL and Racers/Coaches/Parents should ensure that they check the Whatsapp updates throughout the Race.

EVENT WHATSAPP
An event WhatsApp group will be available to join to receive live updates throughout the event. To join the group, scan the QR code below.

