

Kootenay Cup



Teck



Race Notice

TECK KOOTENAY CUPS #1 & 2 BCWG Trials (Zone 1) in FERNIE, BC

Saturday, December 30th and Sunday December 31st 2017

RACE EVENTS:

Teck Kootenay Cup #1 - includes BCWG Trials (Zone 1)
Saturday, Dec. 30th, 11:00 AM
Interval start (by age groups)
Classic technique race, distances up to 13 km
The BCWG Trials are for Midget racers born 2004 and for Juvenile racers born 2003

Teck Kootenay Cup #2
Sunday, Dec. 31st, 11:00 AM
Interval start (by age groups)
Free technique race, distances up to 13 km

RACE LOCATION:

ELK VALLEY NORDIC CENTRE
3 km SW from West Fernie bridge on Highway 3
Located on Mount Fernie Provincial Park road
Parking is very limited at the trails. More parking is provided on the streets of the adjacent The Cedars development. Walking trails links parking with the Nordic Centre.

HOST CLUB:

FERNIE NORDIC SOCIETY
<http://www.fernienordic.com/kootenaycupraces>

REGISTERED BY:

CROSS COUNTRY BC (CCBC)

RULES:

CCC RULES AND REGULATIONS

**RACE ORGANIZING
COMMITTEE:****Race committee chairs:**

Chief of Competition	Virginia Robinson
Chief of Course	Clark Weber
Chief of Timing	Matthieu Corriveau
Chief of Stadium	Bruce Lennox
Competition Secretary	Lisa Maille
Chief of Security/FirstAid	Jennifer Heath
Sponsor & Media Liaison	Madeleine Bragg
Awards Coordinator	Scott Dressler

COMPETITION SCHEDULE

**COMPETITION: Teck Kootenay Cup #1 and BCWG Trials Zone 1
Saturday, December 30th, 2017**

This event hosts the BC Winter Games trials in the Midget YOB 2004 and Juvenile YOB 2003 categories

Classic technique race, Interval start by age groups

Start time: 11:00 AM with youngest categories starting first

Category	Sub Categories/ Year of Birth	Distance
Bunnies	Girls and boys, YOB 2013 & 2014	0.3 km
Atoms	Girls and boys, YOB 2010, 2011, 2012	0.7 km
Pee Wee	Girls and boys, YOB 2008 & 2009	2 km
Bantam	Girls and boys, YOB 2006 & 2007	2 km
Midget	Girls and boys, YOB 2004 & 2005	3.4 km
Juvenile boys and girls	Girls and boys, YOB 2002 & 2003	5 km
Junior boys and girls	Girls and boys, YOB 2000 & 2001	7.7 km
Junior men and women	Males and females, YOB 1998 & 1999	10.3 km
Open women	Females, YOB 1978 - 1997	10.3 km
Open men	Males, YOB 1978 - 1997	13 km
Masters 1 women	Females, YOB 1968 - 1977	10.3 km
Masters 1 men	Males, YOB 1968 - 1977	13 km
Masters 2 women	Females, YOB 1967 and earlier	10.3 km
Masters 2 men	Males, YOB 1967 and earlier	13 km
SuperRec men and women	Males and females, YOB 1987 or earlier	5 km

Results from all categories over 4yo will be sorted by gender

COMPETITION: Teck Kootenay Cup #2 Sunday, December 31st, 2017

Free technique race, Interval start by age groups

Start time: 10:00 AM with youngest categories starting first

Category	Sub Categories/ Year of Birth	Distance
Bunnies	Girls and boys, YOB 2013 & 2014	0.3 km
Atoms	Girls and boys, YOB 2010, 2011, 2012	0.7 km
Pee Wee	Girls and boys, YOB 2008 & 2009	2 km
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RACES

REGISTRATION:

Registration and fee payment is ONLINE by Credit Card only at www.zone4.ca until **Wednesday Dec 27th at 11:00 PM** (MST)

Note that the online registration at Zone4.ca will open from November 1st only. If you experience any difficulties registering on-line please contact the Competition Secretary at info@fernienordic.com

Racers and coaches **must** check the confirmation list on Zone4 (www.zone4.ca) as soon as possible after they complete their registration to ensure that they are registered in the correct categories. Please contact the competition secretary (Lisa Maille at info@fernienordic.com) before 12 noon on Friday, Dec. 29th if there are any corrections required.

Through Zone4, you will be able to pay the race fee and purchase lunch tickets.

There are no refunds of any kind once a racer registers and then subsequently withdraws from the race, or does not show up for the race. If the organizers are required to cancel the race, then refunds will be issued with the exception of the \$2 processing fee per racer.

- BC Winter Games SELECTION** Qualifying athletes will be contacted by BC Winter Games (Zone 1, Kootenay) Rep, Fred Bushell. Athletes that qualify at the Zone Trials to attend the BC Winter Games *must* pay a Games Registration Fee (\$175.00) prior to January 16, 2018. Registration and payment will be done through Zone4. More information on how/when to register will be made available to qualifiers after the trials, through their Zone Representative. Please see the BC Winter Games Technical Guidelines for more information:
<http://www.crosscountrybc.ca/sites/default/files/documents/2018BCWinterGamesTechnicalGuidelines.pdf>
- 2018 BC Winter Games Zone 1 Representative:**
Fred Bushell, Rossland, BC Ph: (250) 362-7134 email: kootenayfred@hotmail.com
- ELIGIBILITY and LICENSES:** This race is designed to appeal to racers of all levels. Races licenses are not required for this event.
- RACE ENTRY DEADLINE:** The entry deadline for all races is:
Wednesday, Dec. 27th at 11:00 PM (MST)
Please note that late entries will **not** be accepted
- RACE FEES:** \$5 per race for Bunnies
\$10 per race for Atoms
\$15 per race for Pee Wees, Bantams and Midget
\$20 per race for Juvenile and Junior
\$25 per race for all other categories
Note that the Zone4 online fee will be added to this amount.
Payment **must** be made online. Credit cards only.
- WAIVER FORMS:** Waivers must be accepted online at the time of registration.
- START LISTS:** Start times (by category) for each race will be posted at both the race office and online by 10:00 AM on Friday, Dec. 29th.
- BIB PICKUP:** Saturday Race: 9:00 AM – 10:00 AM, Sunday Race: 8:30 AM – 9:30 AM adjacent to the Warming Hut at the Elk Valley Nordic Centre. All bibs must be picked up by 10 AM on each day.
- AWARDS:** Awards will be presented on site at intervals after a few race categories have been completed.
- WARM UP/ WAX TESTING** The course will be open until 10:15 (9:15 on Sunday) at which time all skiers need to be off the course.
- FACILITIES:** There will be portapotties located near the parking and stadium areas. First Aid attendants will be present on site. There are no dogs allowed anywhere at the Elk Valley Nordic Centre. There will be **no access** to the hut (race office) during the race.

FOOD & DRINKS: Post-race complimentary hot drinks and lunch will be offered to racers and volunteers. Family members, spectators and coaches may purchase lunch tickets [online](#) or at the site for \$10

WAXING: An area is available near the hut for waxing but without any facilities. The area is in the open with no cover. Note that **NO** power outlets will be available at the site. Teams are welcome to set up their own tents for waxing.

The **CCBC Glide Waxing Protocol** will apply to all categories:

Cross Country BC respectfully requests all coaches, wax technicians, and parents abide by a self-governed protocol while waxing skis for athletes racing in the Midget age categories and younger. This request applies to all local, regional and provincial events taking place in British Columbia (e.g. Championships and the BC Winter Games). This request also applies to athletes traveling to BC from out-of-province or out-of-country.

The recommended glide waxing protocol is as follows:

- Non-Fluoro (NF) or Low Fluoro (LF) glide waxes ARE permitted
- Medium Fluoro (MF) or High Fluoro (HF) glide waxes are NOT permitted
- Pure Fluoro glide waxes (powders, pucks, blocks and liquid) are NOT permitted
- Cold weather powder additives and hardeners are NOT permitted

The adherence to this protocol is self-governed and is the responsibility of the coaches, parents and wax technicians.

SNOW AND TRAIL CONDITIONS: Visit www.fernienordic.com/grooming

COURSE MAPS: Course maps are available at the club website <http://www.fernienordic.com/kootenaycupraces>

TRAIL PASSES: Race entry fees include full use of trails for the race day only. Trail passes for all other skiers must be purchased at the trailhead kiosk or online for skiing on the trails.

ACCOMMODATION: Hotel accommodation is available in nearby Fernie.
IMPORTANT NOTE: The race weekend is scheduled during the Christmas-New Year week which is an extremely busy tourist period in Fernie. Early booking is highly recommended.

The following hotel/motels are all located along highway 3 in Fernie. Most have an online reservation service as well:

Snow Valley Motel 1-877-696-7669 (3 nights minimum)

East Kootenay Motel 250-423-9266

Travelodge Three Sisters 250-423-4438

Fernie Stanford Resort 1-877-423-5600

Red Tree Lodge 250-423-4622

Fernie Super 8 250-423-6788

Park Place Lodge 1-888-381-7275

Best Western Plus Mountain Lodge 1-866-423-5566

Fernie RV Resort 1-844-343-2233

LOCAL ACTIVITIES: Check out www.tourismfernie.com

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