

<b>Club/Program Name</b>	Black Jack Skier Development Program	<b>Location</b>	Rossland
<b>Coach Name</b>	Dave Wood, Head Coach	<b>Contact Information</b>	250-231-9271 <a href="mailto:dave@blackjackskiteam.com">dave@blackjackskiteam.com</a>
<b>University / College / High School Academy Nearby:</b>	Selkirk College Seven Summits Centre for Learning-Gr. 8-12	<b>Program Level</b>	Junior Racer (12+) up to National Team Senior Racers (20+)
<b>Sport Partnership</b>	Flexibility in test times and class attendance, students are permitted to be absent for greater amounts of school and complete tasks from the road. Coursework is available online in addition to in class making it easy for students to also communicate with their professors online.		
<b>Program Overview</b>	From first strides on snow to international competition, the Black Jack Cross Country Ski Club runs one of the country's top cross country ski development programs. From Active Start to Learning to Train to Training to Compete, the Black Jack Skier Development Program is covers all aspects of skier progression from first steps to feeding athletes to the National Ski Team. In partnership with a local public school we offer flexibility to allow high school students the ability to pursue their academics at the same time as achieving their goals in cross country skiing. Selkirk College offers our post-secondary athletes the ability to do the same without a minimum course load. Head coach, Dave Wood, delivers the programs with over 30 years of experience at the University and National Ski Team levels. Being a small team allows for individual attention and making sure athlete needs are always met.		
<b>Typical Athlete Numbers</b>	10-15	<b>Funding Options</b>	Funding available through sports funds if eligible.
<b>Typical Competitions</b>	BC Cups, NorAms, Nationals, Europe if applicable to athlete.		
<b>Typical Costs</b>	Fee: \$1000-\$3000 depending on level of racer. Camp and race costs: \$1000-7000 depending on attendance.		
<b>Typical Skier Level</b>	Teenagers starting to seriously compete for a podium finish at the National level. BC Development Squad, BC Ski Team and beyond.		
<b>Accommodation Options</b>	House or apartment rentals, billets with families		