

Northern Cup



Cross Country BC

Teck



EVENT NOTICE

Teck Northern Cup #2

and

BC Winter Games Northwest Zone 7 Trials

Sunday, December 31, 2017

- Race Format:** Classic Technique, Interval Start
- Date/Time:** Sunday, December 31, 2017 - start at 11:00 am
- Race Location:** Bulkley Valley Nordic Centre (Hudson Bay Mountain Rd.)
Directions and map: <http://www.bvnordic.ca/trails-and-facilities/maps/>
- Hosting Club:** Bulkley Valley Cross Country Ski Club: <http://www.bvnordic.ca/>
- Information:**
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| Chief of Competition | Jennifer Plummer | (250) 847-0314 |
| Race Secretary | Sara Bélanger | (250) 846-9788 |
- Rules:** CCC Rules and Regulations. Also refer to the Teck Northern Cup Series Technical Guidelines for additional details: <http://www.crosscountrybc.ca/technical-guidelines>
- Race Entries:** By ZONE4: Access www.zone4.ca and locate this event in the online registration section to enter your information and pay by credit card.
Any questions please contact: racesecretary@bvnordic.ca
- Licenses:** Licenses are not required for this event and Zone trial skiers are not required to have a CCC licence for the BC Winter Games.
- Entry Deadlines:** Closing deadline for online registration is midnight Thursday, December 28, 2017.
- NO LATE ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED**
- Draw:** Start lists will be posted online at <http://www.bvnordic.ca/events/teck-northern-cup> the Saturday prior to the race and posted at the lodge on race morning.

- Bib Pick-Up:** Race day, 10:00 a.m. to 10:45 a.m., at the ski lodge.
- Awards:** Award presentations will take place immediately following the race. Awards for athletes 15 years and younger will be provided by Teck Resources Ltd.
- Concession:** Soup, bun and a drink will be provided to all racers. Spectators may purchase food.
- Waxing:** The Gary Murdoch Memorial Waxing Hut will be available 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.
- Accommodation:** For accommodations as well as other activities in Smithers please visit:
<http://www.tourismsmithers.com/>
- Trail pass:** Registered racers can use trails for the day of the race. Spectators do not require a trail pass to watch the race. Family and coaches of racers from out of the Smithers-Telkwa area can request complimentary trail passes for the day of the race.
- Cancellation:** There will be no refund for participants who choose to not start their race. If race organizers cancel the race(s) due to unsafe weather conditions. A full refund will be made to participants with the exception of any online processing fees. Races will be cancelled or postponed if temperature conditions are unsuitable at start time.
- With air temperatures below -20°C (temperature measured at the coldest point of the course and without wind factor) and competition distances less than or equal to 15 km, the Jury must postpone or cancel the competition. For skiers born 2005 and later, with air temperatures below -15C (temperature measured at the coldest part of the course and without a wind factor), the Jury must postpone or cancel the competition.
- Race Routes:** Route maps will be posted at the lodge prior to the race.
- BCWG Selection:** BC Winter Games qualifying athletes will be contacted by BC Winter Games (Zone 7, Northwest) representative, Alan Baxter. 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.
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- Please see the BCWG Technical Guidelines for more information:
<http://www.crosscountrybc.ca/sites/default/files/documents/2018BCWinterGamesTechnicalGuidelines.pdf>
- 2018 BC Winter Games Zone 7 Representative: Alan Baxter, Smithers. Ph: 250-847-3994; Email: TurtonBaxter@gmail.com

RACE CATEGORIES & DISTANCES

Categories are based on the racer's age on December 31, 2017

Awards will be based on the categories below. Results will be grouped by category and will identify year-of-birth.

CATEGORIES	AGE	YEAR OF BIRTH	DISTANCE	FEE per race
ATOM BOYS	5, 6, 7	2012,2011,2010	.77 km	\$8.00
ATOM GIRLS	5, 6, 7	2012,2011,2010	.77 km	\$8.00
PEE WEE BOYS	8, 9	2009,2008	1.5 km	\$8.00
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BANTAM BOYS	10, 11	2007,2006	2.5 km	\$8.00
BANTAM GIRLS	10, 11	2007,2006	2.5 km	\$8.00
MIDGET BOYS	12, 13	2005, 2004	3.5 km	\$15.00
MIDGET GIRLS	12, 13	2005, 2004	3.5 km	\$15.00
JUVENILE BOYS	14, 15	2003,2002	5.0 km	\$15.00
JUVENILE GIRLS	14, 15	2003,2002	5.0 km	\$15.00
JUNIOR BOYS	16, 17	2001,2000	5.0 km	\$15.00
JUNIOR GIRLS	16, 17	2001,2000	5.0 km	\$15.00
JUNIOR MEN	18, 19	1999, 1998	7.5 km	\$20.00
JUNIOR WOMEN	18, 19	1999, 1998	7.5 km	\$20.00
OPEN MEN	20-29	1997-1988	7.5 km	\$20.00
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MASTER MEN	30-39	1987 - 1978	7.5 km	\$20.00
MASTER MEN	40-49	1977 - 1968	7.5 km	\$20.00
MASTER MEN	50-59	1967 - 1958	7.5 km	\$20.00
MASTER MEN	60 & older	1957 and earlier	7.5 km	\$20.00
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PARANORDIC STANDING	Open		5.0 km	\$20.00