



The British Independent Schools Ski Racing Indoor Championships 2016 - Northern

**MONDAY 3rd October 2016
at CHILL FACTORE, Manchester**

Entry Form

This event is open to school teams and a limited number of individuals.
The exact schedule for the day will be decided when all entries have been received.
The Programme for the morning is scheduled to begin at 09.30 and afternoon is scheduled to begin at 13.00. The event should be finished by 5pm.
The number of teams in each category will be strictly limited. All team members who complete at least one run will be given an individual ranking (fastest run of 2 will count for the results).

RULES AND CONDITIONS

1. The event is open to boys and girls in teams from the same school or individuals.
2. It is expected that all teams will be in the charge of a member of school staff or a parent with permission from the school. If it is a parent, **the entry form MUST be signed by the Head or deputy**, giving authority to the parent concerned, e.g. for a parent to bring a team
3. Children must be attending the school they are representing during the Autumn term 2016. Schools that cover all the age groups can enter teams in both the morning and afternoon sessions but no child can race in both events.
4. Competitors must be able to ski under control. Please do not bring children unless you are sure they are capable of riding a button lift and skiing the whole slope.
5. The age groups are: **U8, U10, U12, U14, U16, U18 and U21**.
6. **Age of competitors are based on their Year of Birth** as we will be running with age groups as per the International Ski Federation – A chart on age groups can be found below.

| YOB | AGE GROUP | | YOB | AGE GROUP | | YOB | AGE GROUP |
|--------|-----------|--|------|-----------|--|------|-----------|
| | | | | | | | |
| 2010** | U8 | | 2004 | U14 | | 2000 | U18 |
| 2009** | U8 | | 2003 | U14 | | 1999 | U18 |
| | | | | | | | |
| 2008 | U10 | | 2002 | U16 | | 1998 | U21 |
| 2007 | U10 | | 2001 | U16 | | 1997 | U21 |
| | | | | | | 1996 | U21 |
| 2006 | U12 | | | | | | |
| 2005 | U12 | | | | | | |

**** PLEASE NOTE:** No Under 8 Entry's will be accepted without the child either booking and attending a 2 hour performance session with Impulse / BISS Racing to assess the standard of skiing or submitting video and a coaches report to us before entry.

7. FOUR skiers from a school make up a team with the best placed three to count toward the teams result so schools can enter a team of three, and **can be of mixed age group and gender**. Schools may enter 3 teams initially with further teams being available should we have capacity.

8. Results will be determined as follows:

Teams - This will be done by achieving points per placing in age groups and awards will be given for 1st 2nd and 3rd teams in the following categories in both the morning and the afternoon.

Boys team, Girls team and Mixed team.

| | |
|----------------------|----|
| Points per age group | |
| 1st place | 10 |
| 2nd place | 9 |
| 3rd place | 8 |
| 4th place | 7 |
| 5th place | 6 |
| 6th place | 5 |
| 7th place | 4 |
| 8th place | 3 |
| 9th place | 2 |
| 10th place | 1 |

The winning team will be the one that accrues the most points across the highest scoring three of the four members.

The teams prizes will be awarded in three categories for boys team, girls team and mixed team.

Individuals - The fastest individual time of the two runs

9. Entries must be made on the enclosed form and signed by a member of school staff

Entries open on Tuesday 26th of April 2016 and close on Monday 12th of September 2016 (or before, if the race becomes oversubscribed).

All Forms and names of skiers **must** be submitted by Monday 12th of September 2016 and team changes after this date will not be permitted without supporting medical evidence.

10. Entries not complying with the rules will not be accepted.

11. Any matter arising on the day which is not covered by these rules will be determined by the race jury, whose decision is final.

12. Further information will be sent by email. It is essential that you ensure the email address you supply is accurate and clear.

13. The entry fee will be £25 per individual, £100 per team of 3 or 4 children. If you wish, you may send the entry form initially with no names but the names of skiers **MUST** be provided by Monday 12th of September 2016.

14. Please indicate the name(s) of your race volunteer(s) on the entry form. It is a condition of entry that schools should provide one race volunteer per team entered.

15. It is a rule of the Snow Centre that all racers must wear a ski helmet. These can be borrowed, as can boots, skis and sticks.

16. In the case of a protest against disqualification, we will ask that the racers team manager lodges this with the chief of race before the end of the run on which the dsq has occurred. This must be accompanied by a protest fee of £25 which will be returned only if the protest is accepted.

This event is being run by BISS Racing.

Training for the event can be be organised at the Snowcentre with BISS' training partner, Impulse Racing by contacting training@impulse-racing.co.uk

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ENTRY FORM

NAME OF SCHOOL

TEL

We intend to enter teams for The BISS Racing Indoor Championships on 3rd of October 2016 as follows:

Junior- No. of teams.....

Senior - No. of teams.....

No. of Individuals..... (Only if not included in teams above)

Team Gender - BOYS/GIRLS/MIXED

Name of person in charge of skiers on the day(team manager).....

Contact Tel.....

Email address.....

Name of person/s who will act as Race Official/s

(1).....

(2).....

I understand that all participants are subject to the rules governing this event and that the BISS, its Officers and Agents, and Chill Factore, and its Officers and Agents, do not hold themselves responsible for and are under no liability whatsoever in respect of any loss, damage or injury suffered in the course of, or arising out of, the event.

Date..... Signed.....

Position on school staff

NB If teams are in the charge of a person NOT on the school staff the authority of the School is required.

I givethe authority to take charge of my school's teams at the ISA Ski Racing Indoor Championships. My school's Child Protection policies have been followed.

Signed

Headmaster/Headmistress/Teacher in charge of ski team

Entries will close on Monday 12th September 2016, or before should the race become oversubscribed.

Entries will only be considered definite if accompanied by the Schools declaration form and the appropriate fee, made payable to BISS Racing by bank transfer or credit/debit card (contact us for details of how to make these payments)

Please return completed entry forms by scanning and returning by email to

office@bissracing.co.uk

Number of teams/Individuals entered

Entry fee included/paid

For Enquiries please call 01279 444621 or email office@bissracing.co.uk

Photography/Video

Official Photographers will be at the event and pictures of your children will be available to purchase. Photo may also be used in BISS Racing and Impulse Promotional material

If you DO NOT wish photos to be taken of any of your pupils, please tick this box:

Please list the names of any children who are not authorised to have their photo taken at this event below and sign below:

Signed: Date:

Chill Factor^e Race Event Rules

FAILURE TO ADHERE TO THESE RULES COULD RESULT IN DISQUALIFICATION FROM THE RACE. PLEASE COMMUNICATE THESE RULES TO ALL COMPETITORS AND ACOMPANYING GUESTS.

❖**BAGS**; All guest bags must be stored in the Anton/Aspen or the Chill Factore Training Room at all times. Any bags left on top of lockers or under benches in the changing village or any kit blocking exits will be removed by Chill Factor^e staff and placed in the dedicated storage spaces. Once items of kit or clothing are wet, please refrain from carrying these into the Anton/Aspen conference suite and instead store these either in lockers on the ground floor or in the Training Room. £1.00 coin refundable lockers are available for smaller items of clothing or precious belongings in the Changing Village.

❖**TICKETS**; Chill Factor^e will issue a Race Event tickets to each competitor at bib issue. Chillfactore will print the tickets the day before the event and the race club will pass them on to the event organisers. These **tickets MUST be used to gain access to the slope through the airlock doors in the changing village AT ALL TIMES**. Manual checks will be taking place throughout the day. Jumping over, climbing past or ducking under the turnstiles is not allowed under any circumstances. This ticket only gives you access to the slope to compete in the races. It does not qualify you to have practice time on the slope.

❖**SKIS**; Ski's must be stored on the slope, at all times. Race competitors will be given a specific area on the slope to store their skis behind the Poma lifts. Skis, must not, at any time, be left blocking any other snow side activity, any entrances and doorways or fire equipment. Any skis not left in the dedicated spaces for race competitor, will be removed by Chill Factor^e staff or event organisers.

❖**CHANGING VILLAGE**; The left hand side of the changing village has been the assigned areas for race competitors to get kitted up and ready for the race. Therefore please note the grey benches on the right hand side of the changing village (airlock side) are assigned for other Chill Factor^e guests to wait for their activity start time and to be collected by their instructor and cannot be used to wait on. **Racers must only use the left hand side of the changing village.** Racers can also wait snow side, or in Sports Bar/ Balcony and Anton/Aspen Suite upstairs. 3 changing cubicles will be turned into short term storage for ski's. Please refrain from leaning your ski's against lockers and walls, on the floor or blocking any walkways. Signage will give guidance on the day about where to place your ski's whilst getting kitted up.

❖**BIBS**; Race bibs issued to each racer must be worn at all times when in the changing village or snow side to ensure they are easily visible. Bib issue will take place in the Anton/Aspen on the upper level.

❖**BOOTS AND EQUIPMENT**; **No wet Ski/ Snowboard boots or Ski's/Boards are allowed upstairs at any time.** The Chill Factore Training Room on the ground floor will be your dedicated space for the day in storing wet kit and boots. Please use the lockers on the ground floor to store dry shoes and precious belongings. Any other belongings such as coats and kit bags can be stored in the Anton/Aspen Suite on the upper floor, however this space is just for dry clothing or items sealed in waterproof bags. Bags for wet items will be handed out at Bib Issue. It is very important that no wet items or boots are worn into the upstairs floor and into the conference facilities.

❖**SPECTATORS**; Competitors when not competing and all event spectators, can wait and view the race from Sports Bar, Balconies and sit in the Anton/Aspen space. Please refrain from watching or waiting in any other areas of the business. It is important no fire doors, walkways or shop facades are blocked by spectators watching the race.

❖ **NO SKATEBOARDS, SCOOTERS OR ROLLERBLADES ON SITE.** These are not permitted on the premises or car parks for safety reasons.

❖ **NO SMOKING (INCLUDING E-CIGARETTES) WITHIN THE BUILDING.** There are designated smoking shelters outside the building.

PLEASE RETURN THIS FORM TO US VIA EMAIL. PLEASE SCAN AS PDF OR JPG AS WE WILL NOT ACCEPT PHOTGRAPHS OF THE FORMS.

**British Independent Schools Ski Racing Indoor Ski Champs
2016 - Northern**

Monday 3rd October 2016
Racer Declaration Form

TO BE RETURNED BY 12th September 2016

School

Address

We confirm the school contact name for this event is

Tel Number (Daytime)

Evening

Email Address

The following are the racers we wish to enter

Please note that skiers race in this order number order i.e no 1 in your team will race first

TEAM A

| | Surname | Forename | M/F | Age Group | DOB |
|---|---------|----------|-----|-----------|-----|
| 1 | | | | | |
| 2 | | | | | |
| 3 | | | | | |
| 4 | | | | | |

TEAM B

| | Surname | Forename | M/F | Age Group | DOB |
|---|---------|----------|-----|-----------|-----|
| 1 | | | | | |
| 2 | | | | | |
| 3 | | | | | |
| 4 | | | | | |

TEAM C (Reserve)

| | Surname | Forename | M/F | Age Group | DOB |
|---|---------|----------|-----|-----------|-----|
| 1 | | | | | |
| 2 | | | | | |
| 3 | | | | | |
| 4 | | | | | |

Disclaimer

Ski racing is a hazardous activity. You are advised that all persons using any of the slope facilities or equipment do so at their own risk and no claim for personal injury or damages will be accepted by Chill Factore or the organisers of the race. Please ensure all individuals in your charge are aware of this together with the regulations in the race bulletin

Name of Head Teacher

Signature