



Alpine Championships 2007

Piste conditions

As indicated in the acceptance bulletin the organisers will post the most up to date information on the event on the www.britski.org by 23rd December 2006. Circumstances in the Alps mean that this may not be sufficient and this note is to make athletes, coaches, parents and clubs aware of the current situation.

BARSC will do everything they can to ensure that the event takes place.

As of today, 20th December, BARSC intend to run the championship as programmed however there is limited snow cover in the Three Valleys. It has been warm, there was virtually no snow in November and very little had been made. The temperature has now dropped, some limited snow has fallen and it should be possible to make snow.

We are negotiating with the resort to ensure that the race stade is included in the programme of snow making prior to the start of the races. Representatives of BARSC clubs are in the Three Valleys and the race organisers are in contact with both them and with the resort.

We are also investigating other alternatives in the Three Valleys and accessible from Les Menuires for the FIS, Children and minis races in the event that it is impossible to make sufficient snow and the forecast dump (27th/28th) does not arrive.

We will continue to publish additional information as soon as we have it and any decision about the races or the programme will be promulgated as soon as possible.

Photography, Publications and Press Coverage

As indicated in the acceptance bulletin, Racer Ready magazine will be in attendance at this event. The representatives of Race Ready will be accredited to the event in line with normal processes.

Racer Ready personnel will be taking photographs for the following purposes:

- Printing and onward sale to athletes, coaches and parents
- Publication in Racer Ready Magazine
- Publication in British media

not all images will be used all purposes.

In addition, Racer Ready will contact British media with press releases about the event, prizewinners or exceptional performances in all categories. In order to interest the media, the only information released to the press in advance of the event will consist of name and home town, no other personal information will be given. In the event of a newspaper or other media wanting additional information about a prizewinner or other athlete, this will be dealt with in line with Snowsports policies.

Athletes who have completed and returned the photography opt out form will be excluded automatically from this process. Other athletes who do not wish for publicity should indicate this to the race secretary.

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