



**NOTIFICATION
OF THE
B.A.R.S.C. CHILDREN'S
CHAMPIONSHIPS 2013**

INCORPORATING

**CHILDREN'S CHAMPIONSHIPS IN
SUPER G, GS AND SLALOM**

**TOGETHER WITH
3 MINIS' EVENTS
&
A CLUB EVENT
TO BE HELD IN**

**LES ARCS 1800, FRANCE
FROM
28 December 2013 - 2nd January 2014**

Further details will be published on www.britski.org, www.barsc.net,
www.racerready.co.uk



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BARSC CHAMPIONSHIPS 2013

28 December 2013 - 2nd January 2014 – les Arcs 1800 France

FORMAT OF THE CHAMPIONSHIPS

The Championships will incorporate competitions for **K1/U14** and **K2/U16** and **Minis U12/U10** and be run according to FIS ICR as amended by British Competition Rules (BCR) see <http://www.gbski.com/>
Age groups YOB will be as per BCR and FIS ICR.

Children U16/U14	(K1)	2001-2000	(K2)	1999-1998
Minis U12/U10	(U10)	2005-2004	(U12)	2003-2002

PROVISIONAL PROGRAMME

SATURDAY	28/12/2013	Children's Team Captains' meeting followed by U12/U10	17.30h
SUNDAY	29/12/2013	Children (U16/U14) SG TRAINING 1 RUN Minis (U12/10) Parcours d'habileté/Kombi Children (U16/U14) Team Captains' meeting FOLLOWED by the minis U12/U10 Team Captains' meeting	17.30h 18.00h
MONDAY	30/12/2013	Children (U16/U14) SG Minis (U12/10) Parcours d'habileté/Kombi Children (U16/U14) Team Captains' meeting	17.30h
TUESDAY	31/12/2013	Children (U16/U14) GS Minis (U12/10) Club organised training day Children (U16/U14) Team Captains' meeting FOLLOWED by the minis U12/U10 Team Captains' meeting	17.30h 18.00h
WEDNESDAY	01/01/2014	Children (U16/U14) Slalom Minis (U16/U14) All mountain test or parcours d'habileté/Kombi Team event team Captains' meeting	17.30h
THURSDAY	02/01/2014	Parallel team slalom 32 teams of 4 Prize-Giving Ceremony for the day's event	

ENTRY & other FORMS for individual and team events are attached to this document.

ENTRIES

INDIVIDUAL EVENT ENTRIES

British Entries.

Children (K1/U14 & K2/U16) Entries will only be accepted from competitors with a valid 2013/14 registration (including BASS) with Snowsport Scotland, England or Wales. **Please note:** Registration/re-registration for 2013/14 with your Home Nation can be done from October 2013 onwards. PLEASE make sure you register/re-register at the latest by mid November 2013 to ensure you are included in the 2013/14-1 BASS list which will be issued at the beginning of December.

Minis (U12/U10) –Competitors in the **Minis'** categories must be registered with their Home Nation Governing Body or submit a signed *Athlete Declaration Form* (can be downloaded from any HNGB website) **and** proof of public liability insurance, which includes cover for racing with the race entry.

Entry Forms All entries must be made on the official race entry form – one per competitor – and be accompanied by the entry fee and sent to the Championship Secretary: Ros Humphrey, Puffins, Lower Station Road. Newick, East Sussex, BN8 4HU. **Closing date for UK entries - Friday, 29 November 2013.**

Entries received - A weekly list of entries received will be published on the BARSC website – www.barsc.net and on www.Britski.org

The acceptance list will be published on www.barsc.net and www.britski.org after the Acceptance Meeting.

Entry Fees Children K1/ U14 & K2 U16: £43.00 per competitor, per race for members of BARSC Clubs and £45.00 per competitor, per race for Non-BARSC Club members.

Minis(U12/U10): £25.00 per competitor, per race for BARSC Club members and £ 28.00 per competitor, per race for Non-BARSC Club members.

Late Entries will be dependent on the race being undersubscribed and incur a surcharge of £20.00 (€25.00) **per race per competitor**. Entries will not be received or processed between 20 December 2013 and 28 December 2013 January 2011. Any late entry made after 20 December 2013 should be handed into the Race Office before 16.00h on Saturday, 28 December 2013 and will be considered by the Organising Committee. Competitors are warned that their presence in the resort will not necessarily gain them entry into the races.

International Entries

K1/K2 (U14/U16) and minis U12/U10 The organising committee may accept a limited number of international entries; these must be on the official championship entry form, include the race entry fee, signed Athlete's Declaration & proof of valid insurance and arrive by **29 November 2013**.

Refunds Due to the enormous cost in organising these championships, there can be no refund of race entry fees once a race entry has been accepted even if one or more races are cancelled.

TEAM EVENT ENTRIES

Team Parallel Slalom

Entries will be accepted from clubs affiliated to BSS, BARSC or one of the HNGBs, SSE, SSSc, SSW or Ireland, local French clubs may be invited. Teams should consist of 4 members from the age groups K2(U16)/K1(U14)/U12/U10, including at least one female. Entries in principal should be made on the attached entry form and sent with the entry fee of £25 per racer (£100 per team) to the Championship Secretary: Ros Humphrey, Puffins, Lower Station Road, Newick, East Sussex, BN8 4HU. **Closing date entries in principal - Friday, 29 November 2013.** Individual team members and running order should be confirmed in the Race Office in les Arcs by **18.30 hours Saturday, 28 December 2013.** Late entries may be accepted at the same time with an entry fee of £100 + £40 late fee. Substitutes due injury will be accepted up to 16.00 hours on Wednesday, 1 January 2014.

ACCEPTANCE

British competitors

Children K1/U14 & K2/U16 and U12/U10 The organising committee aim to accept the maximum number of entries, however they reserve the right to give priority to members of BARSC clubs and racers with low seed points.

International competitors

Children K1/U14 & K2/U16 and U12/U10 Subject to the races not being over subscribed the organising committee may accept a limited number of international entries, priority will be given to non British members of BARSC clubs and to members of the les Arcs ski clubs. These entries will not be eligible for British prizes.

By making an entry into these Championships, competitors indicate that they are of a suitable ability; the organising committee reserve the right to exclude any competitor who is judged unsafe.

PRIZES Medals and prizes will be awarded in K1/U14 & K2/U16 and U12/U10 categories as determined by BCR. Additional prizes may be awarded.

CHALLENGE TROPHIES Clubs winning a Challenge Trophy may retain the Trophy on condition that it is returned, clean and engraved, to BARSC at the Club's expense in time for the 2014 Championship.

2011 winners who have not already done so should return the Trophies by either Recorded Delivery to the Championship Secretary by 01 December 2013 or inform the Race Secretary and hand the Trophy into the Race Office no later than the 1st Team Captains' Meeting (Saturday, 28 December 2013).

SPONSORSHIP

The organising committee wish to thank for their help and support.

VOLUNTEERS

We can only run this championship with sufficient volunteer helpers; without them entry fees would be substantially higher. We need the help of clubs, parents and others with gate judging, provisional times board, race bib collecting, Start and Finish Marshals, etc. We are asking each racer if possible to nominate a volunteer helper with their entry (Please see race entry form).

RACE and EQUIPMENT RULES

These championships will be run under FIS International Competition Rules (ICR) as amended by BCR. Competitors and coaches should make sure that they are aware of these. The ICR can be downloaded from www.fis-ski.com/uk/disciplines/alpine-skiing-rules/alpine-skiing-rules/icr.html. Amendments (precisions) for the Northern Hemisphere are normally published each year in November - see www.fis-ski.com/uk/disciplines/alpine-skiing-rules/alpine-skiing-rules/precisions.html. These, and any precisions to BCR, will apply to the championship.

Equipment Competitors and coaches are reminded that it is their responsibility to ensure that equipment, including ski length and radius, conform to discipline specifications.

All competitors and forerunners must wear approved **CRASH HELMETS** for all disciplines, **see current rules.**

Skis **Slalom** K1/K2 current minimum length 130cm no rule on radius

GS K1/K2 current minimum length 130; K1 current minimum radius 14 metres, K2 17 metres

Super G – K2 competitors currently minimum length 175cm, minimum radius 27m; K1 may race using GS skis minimum radius 14m.

U12/U10 – are not permitted to wear catsuits or similar competition suits while competing.

INSURANCE All competitors **MUST** have insurance cover for both ski racing **and** helicopter recovery.

RACE OFFICE

Until Friday, 20 December 2013, this will be **Puffins, Lower Station Road, Newick, East Sussex, BN8 4HU.**

(: +44 1825 721195, e-mail: ros.humphrey@btinternet.com

This office will be closed from the evening of 20 December 2013 and the only contact will be e-mail:

ros.humphrey@btinternet.com or barscraces@gmail.com

From Saturday 28 December 2013 the Race Office and the Notice Board will in les Arcs 1800.

Race Office opening hours: daily, after the completion of the races. (Saturday 28 December 2013 opening hours will be confirmed in the acceptance bulletin).

COMMUNICATIONS and UPDATES ON CHAMPIONSHIPS

All race officials are volunteers with limited time and primary communication should be by email, which will be dealt with as received until 20 December 2013 and as available thereafter. Updates will be published as required on www.britski.org & www.barsc.net with notifications on:



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If snow or other conditions cause cancellation of the championships prior to the event, details will be published on www.britski.org & www.barsc.net, Twitter and Facebook as soon as possible and normally no later than 23 December 2013. In the event of late abnormal weather, bulletins will be posted as soon as possible. **The Race Office will be closed and no telephone communication can be accepted in the UK after 20 December 2013.** From 28 December 2013, all communication will be via the race office, details will be confirmed in the acceptance bulletin.

PRIZE-GIVING

Medal Ceremonies will be held in the finish area immediately following each event.

RESULTS

There will be **no** paper results. Results will be posted on www.britski.org & www.barsc.net.

PHOTOGRAPHS

BARSC will not have an official photographer at the Championships, however it is anticipated that Racer Ready Magazine will be in attendance and other photographers may be accredited for coaching or PR purposes.

RESORT

Les Arcs is a fantastic world class ski area in the Tarentaise Valley and is part of Paradiski, offering uninterrupted skiing in between the areas of Les Arcs, Peisey-Vallandry and La Plagne. The area is linked by the Vanoise Express. In total over the three resorts there are 160 lifts and 425 km of pistes, with 152 green/blue (beginner) runs, 79 red (intermediate) runs and 22 black (expert) runs.

The Tarentaise contains the biggest concentration of world-class resorts in the world. The best known neighbouring systems are Espace Killy (Val d'Isère and Tignes) and Les Trois Vallées (Courchevel, Meribel, Val Thorens).

ACCOMMODATION

There is a wide range of catered and self catered accommodation available in the les Arcs stations and in Bourg St Maurice. All accommodation should be booked direct or via British or French agencies see <http://hiver.lesarcs.com/> Details are on the drop down menu In "Herbergements". The resort is likely to be busy over Christmas/New Year so early booking is advised, other packages or individual deals may be available through other agencies or by individual research. BARSC cannot comment on appropriateness or availability of any package.

LIFTPASSES

Arrange your area passes via your accommodation booking or via <http://hiver.lesarcs.com/> Details are on the drop down menu In "Domain skiable".

TRAVEL

See <http://hiver.lesarcs.com/> Details are on the drop down menu in "Informations pratiques" then "Comment venir aux les Arcs"

Drive Calais – Reims – Troyes Geneva – Bourg St Maurice; 980 km 600 miles or 9.00+/- hours NB les Arcs 1800 is a car free resort with specified parking.

CHIEF OF CHAMPIONSHIPS	CHAMPIONSHIP SECRETARY
Derek METTERS	Ros HUMPHREY UK office only until 20 December
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**BARSC CHAMPIONSHIPS 2013 in les Arcs France
RACE ENTRY FORM**

SURNAME:				FORENAME:			
HOME ADDRESS:							
POST CODE:				E-mail address:			
CLUBS (as reg. with Home Nation):			TELEPHONE:				
DATE OF BIRTH			Gender	F/M	Registration Number.		
NATIONALITY							
NAMED HELPER PROVIDED:							
FOR WHICH DAY/s of the Championships:							
Please indicate races to be entered							
K1/K2 CHILDREN'S CHAMPIONSHIPS				U12/U10 MINIS' RACES			Team Parallel Slalom
SG 1	SG 2	GS	SL	Race 1	Race 2	Race 3	See separate entry form

I wish to enter the above races and have attached:

1. Payment (**one cheque per racer please**)
2. Signed Statement
3. Opt out form if you do not want to be photographed
4. Un-registered Minis: copy of racing insurance policy and signed Athletes Declaration.

SIGNATURE:

To be signed by a parent/guardian if racer is under 18 years of age.

Send to:

*Ros Humphrey
Puffins
Lower Station Road
Newick
East Sussex
BN8 4HU*

Race Entry Fee of £_____ is enclosed

*(Race entry fee: £ 43.00 per competitor per race for BARSC Club members or £45.00 per competitor per race for NON-BARSC Club members,
Minis' Race = £ 25.00 per competitor per race for BARSC Club members or £ 28.00 per competitor per race for NON-BARSC Club members).*

All cheques should be made payable to **BARSC**.

PLEASE NOTE:

A £15.00 penalty will apply **per race and competitor** on all entries received after Friday, 26 November 2010

FOR THE USE AND PUBLICATION OF PHOTOGRAPHS AND
RECORDED IMAGES:

EVENT: BARSC CHAMPIONSHIPS 2013

I _____
(insert parent/guardian full name – *please print*)

DO NOT consent to the publication of an image of

_____ (name of young
person/racer)

_____ (name of young
person/racer)

_____ (name of young
person/racer)

under SNOWSPORTGB's Child Protection and Best Practice guidelines and I confirm
that I am legally entitled to sign this form.

Signature of Parent/Guardian: _____

Date: _____

**Please only complete and forward to the race secretary if you
DO NOT want your child being photographed. Add additional
names if necessary.**

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les ARC 1800, France

STATEMENT

Name of racer: _____

To be signed by the racer (or parent/guardian if the racer is under 18 years of age*)

1. I am eligible to enter these Championships.
2. I fully understand that a high standard of behaviour is expected of all competitors on and off the snow. I agree to accept the ruling of the Organising Committee on all disciplinary matters to the extent that racers may be excluded from races or have prizes withheld in cases of a breach of discipline or unacceptable behaviour, and that in the case of such an occurrence no monies will be refunded.
3. I am medically fit to race.
4. I undertake to be fully insured for racing (including accident, illness and third party cover and helicopter recovery), and will produce proof of such insurance to the Organising Committee when so required.
5. I will attend the Prize-Giving Ceremonies and understand I will relinquish any claims to prizes, trophies or any other benefits should I fail to do so.
6. I agree that if I am awarded a perpetual trophy, I will have it engraved, safeguard it and return it before the next Championships as requested by BARSC.
7. I hereby accept that BARSC, their Officers, Employees and Voluntary Assistants shall not be liable for any loss, damage, death or personal injury however caused to competitors or others whether spectators or involved in running the races.
8. I have signed a copy of the (*Children K1/K2 and Minis U10/U12*), and lodged it with my Governing Body.*
9. I will wear an approved crash helmet at all times while racing and training.
10. I understand that the entry fee is not refundable, even if one or more of the races are cancelled as BARSC has incurred liabilities in setting up the Championships.
11. These Championships are run under FIS ICR modified by British Competition Rules (BCR), and these will apply at all times.

SIGNATURE: DATE:

Name:
please print

*DELETE AS APPROPRIATE

Please sign and return this form to the Race Secretary with your race entry form.

BARSC CHAMPIONSHIPS 2013 in les Arcs France CLUB TEAM PARALLEL SLALOM RACE ENTRY FORM

Additional teams may be entered, just use a separate form

CLUB CONTACT:	Name:	
	Club Role:	
CONTACT ADDRESS:		

POST CODE:	E-mail:
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CLUB:	Affiliated to: BSS/BARSC/SSE/SSSc/SSW/SAI*
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* Delete as appropriate

Team 1 (team and members' names can be added in resort)		
Team 2 (team and members' names can be added in resort)		
Team 3 (team and members' names can be added in resort)		

The above Club wishes to enter ____ teams in the BARSC team parallel slalom event and I confirm that I am authorised to make this entry

SIGNATURE:

Send to:
Ros Humphrey
Puffins, Lower Station Road
Newick
East Sussex, BN8 4HU
 to arrive by Friday, 29 November 2013

This section to be completed in resort.

- I confirm that:
1. All nominated racers may be photographed *(if not please complete and attach individual opt out form)*
 2. All nominated racers are bone fide members of the _____ Club and have insurance that covers ski racing & evacuation by helicopter
 3. All nominated racers have signed the Athletes Declaration and lodged it with their governing body *(if not please complete and attach individual opt out form)*
 4. I am authorised to make this entry

SIGNATURE:

Race Entry Fee of £_____ is enclosed
(Race entry fee: £100 per team ie £25 per racer)

All cheques should be made payable to **BARSC.**

PLEASE NOTE:
 Team names and nominated members need not be declared until 28 December 2013.
 Substitutes will be allowed due to injury or illness.