

Junior High Nordic Ski Championships February 17th 2018

Lander Middle School
755 Jefferson
Lander, WY 82520

Saturday February 17th 3.2km Classic Race Beaver Creek

Race Entries:

The registration form is available [HERE](#) or by emailing Matt Herr at matt.herr@gmail.com

REGISTRATION DEADLINE: ***Wednesday February 14th 6PM***

There is no penalty for scratches. No additions will be accepted on race day, so please include ALL of your skiers when you email your race orders on Friday.

Description of Race: All races will be classic, 15 second interval start. The course will be groomed with double tracks on most of it, not best line. There will be no set track on fast downhill or tight turns and will reduce to one set track on moderate downhill. My aim is to have no track to interfere with skiers lines, or snow plowing.

Location & Directions: **Beaver Creek Nordic Ski Area** - Located south on Wyoming Highway 28 at milepost 51.5, where the highway crosses Beaver Creek. An experienced parking crew will direct buses for parking. **Beaver Creek is a remote location with no shelter available to the public so be sure to dress/bring appropriate clothing!** Please consider carpooling as there is limited parking available at the venue.

Beaver Creek Trail Access:

Please DO NOT CROSS THE HIGHWAY, but use the trail that leads under the bridge. Once you reach the groomed trails, you can leave ski bags just off the trail and continue to the start area on skis. Follow the signs for about 1km to

reach the stadium area. There will be snowmachine shuttles available for team gear.

Schedule of Events:

11:00 AM: Course Open for Inspection - ALL skiers and spectators MUST ski the direction of the race at all times.

11:50 AM: Course Closed

12:00 PM: 8th Grade Boys Start

12:15 PM: 7th Grade Boys Start

12:30 PM 6th Grade Boys Start

1PM 8th Grade Girls Start

1:15 PM 7th Grade Girls Start

1:30 PM 6th Grade Girls Start

Approximately 2 PM Awards Ceremony in the Stadium

Race Warnings:

Racers must ski the course in the direction of the race. Anyone skiing the course backwards will be considered for disqualification and warned. Skiers late for their start will be allowed to start late if they choose.

Timing:

The Lander Timing Crew will use the Summit Timing System created by Ernie Page during the races. Digital wireless timers and transceivers are used, along with 2 bib recorders, 1 bib caller, 1 bib entry person, 1 bib entry person on transceiver at the start, 1 starter, and 2 people lining up the skiers. There are 7 people at the finish and 3 at the start. Two battery back-up systems are also used. There are multiple, orange generators that will provide power. The starter will use a whistle to start each wave.

Awards:

Top 3 racers will receive medals, 4th-10th place racers will receive ribbons for each gender for each grade (6th, 7th and 8th). Awards will be presented as soon as possible after the completion of the races.

Results:

Unofficial results will be posted as soon as possible. Thirty minutes after unofficial results are posted, official results will be posted. Please do not disturb the timers or people in the clubhouse for any results.

Protests:

Protests must be made in writing within 15 minutes of the posting of the unofficial results. Protests will be filed in writing with the race secretary, who will notify the jury. The appointed jury will deal with all protests.

Parking:

There will be an experienced parking crew to direct you to park in an organized way.

Bathrooms:

Porta-potties will be available for racer and spectator use in the parking lot and near the stadium.

Refreshments & Hospitality:

We will have water, lemonade and hot chocolate available for racers, but racers are advised to BRING YOUR OWN SNACKS!

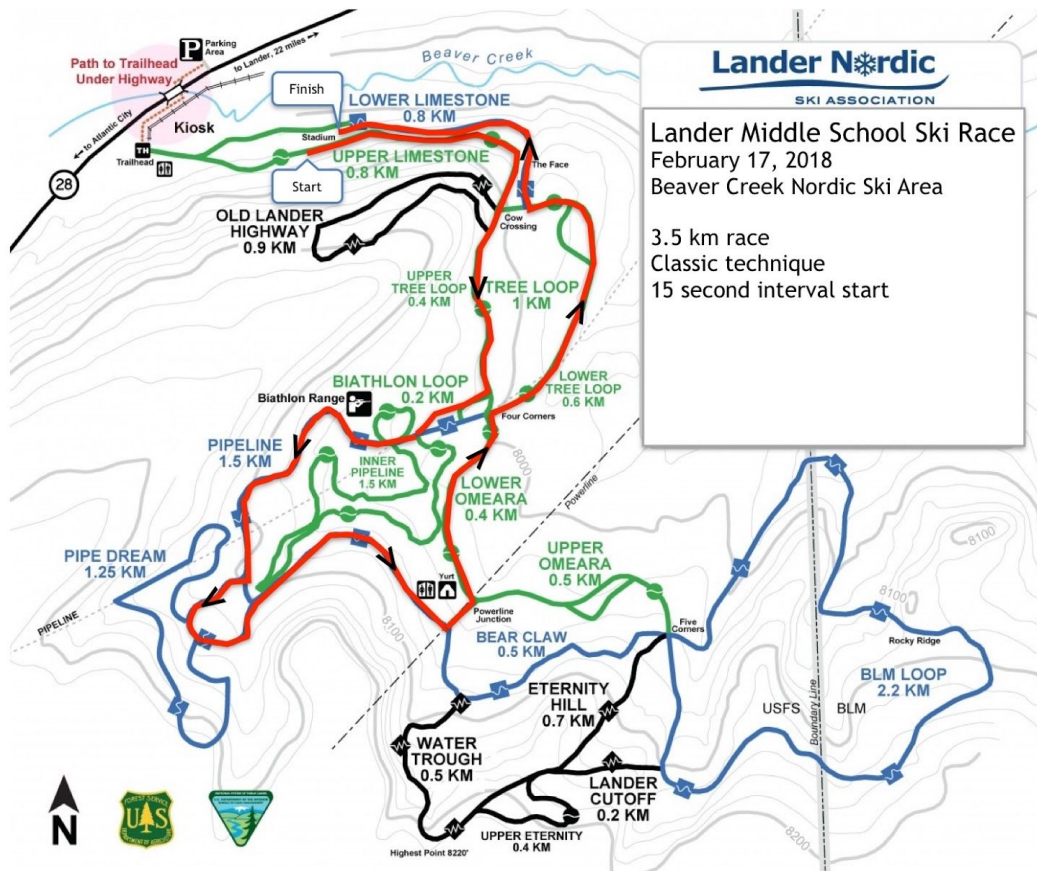
Medical:

An emergency medical team will be on-site. Assessment, stabilization, and evacuation will be available on both race days.

Weather:

The weather at Beaver Creek may be different than Lander. The closest weather sensors and webcam are approximately 4 miles from Beaver Creek. The following website may provide helpful information: www.landernordic.org
If there is a delay due to road conditions or cold weather, coaches will be contacted at their hotels or by cell phones to update them on the plans for the races.

There are no dogs allowed on the trails at Beaver Creek. Sorry, PLEASE leave fido at home!



Race Officials:

- Principal: Julie Shanley
- Athletic Director: Serol Stauffenberg
- Chief of Transportation/Parking: Bill Lee
- Chief of Timing: Don Webber
- Asst. Chief of Timing/ Secretary: Matt Herr
- Asst. Chief of Timing: Craig Bromley
- Chief of Race Marshalls: Joe Austin
- Chief of Stadium: Matt Jacobsen
- Chief of Course: Steve Matson
- Chief of Hospitality: TBA
- Chief of Announcing: James Whiting
- Chief of Competition: Emily Tilden
- Chief of Medical: Judd Strom
- Official Starter: Bruce Campbell