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Bulkley Valley Cross Country Ski Club hosts Teck Northern Cup #7 and #8

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The Bulkley Valley Cross Country Ski Club brought together racers from across the north for Teck Northern Cup #7 and #8 and the Chris Dahlie Open. Over 140 skiers took to the trails in an interval start classic race on a cold and snowy Saturday morning. Athletes representing Nechako Nordics (Vanderhoof), Caledonia Nordic Ski Club (Prince George), Morice Mountain Nordic Ski Club (Houston), Snow Valley Nordic Ski Club (Terrace), and Omineca Ski Club (Burns Lake) joined the fun.



Chief of Competition, Robbie Dunbar, was impressed with the volunteer turnout and was glad to see the race organization team make good use of a new timing system.

The action continued day two with mass start free technique races that included several exciting finish line lunges to separate close competitors. The U16 and older athletes had to contend with two laps of a

hilly course that tested both lungs and legs. The grooming was postcard perfect and the bright sun brought smiles to racers and volunteers alike.

"This weekend really showed that the Spirit of North is strong," remarked Nechako Nordics coach Zoe Dhillon.



Indeed, it is.

Race results are posted on Zone 4 <https://zone4.ca/event/2023/0D2FE54A/>

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Cross Country BC (CCBC), the provincial sport governing body for cross country skiing in British Columbia, is a not-for-profit, club-based organization of more than 27,000 members. CCBC offers programs and services to support the continuous development of cross country skiing for all ages and abilities, from introductory experiences to international excellence.

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