

Northern Cup



Cross Country BC

Teck



Event Notice

Teck Northern Cup #1 and #2 Chris Dahlie Open

February 8-9, 2025

[Event Web Page](#)

Date/ Time/ Event:

Saturday, February 8

1.Interval Start — Free Technique **Start time 11:00am**

2.Exhibition Event—Team Free Sprint **Start time 2:00 pm**

- *Details at bottom of notice*

Sunday, February 9

Mass Start — Classic Technique **Start time 11:00 am**

*all times are subject to change.

Race Location:

Bulkley Valley Nordic Centre (Hudson Bay Mountain Road, Smithers, BC)

Directions and map:

<http://bvnordic.ca/trails-and-facilities/directions>

<http://www.bvnordic.ca/trails-and-facilities/maps/>

Host Club:

Bulkley Valley Cross Country Ski Club: <http://www.bvnordic.ca/>

Title Sponsor:

Teck Resources Limited

Information:

Chief of Competition: Robbie Dunbar
Competition Secretary: Laura Hols-Wimbush
Chief of Results: Mark Gillis
Chief of Timing: Liza Hart
race@bvnordic.ca

Rules:

[Nordiq Canada Rules and Regulations](#)

Technical Guidelines:

[Teck Northern Cup Technical Guidelines](#)

Race Registration

Zone4 Online Registration only: <https://zone4.ca/event/2025/RYqlpj/>
(Click on link or copy link into browser as required.) Credit card payment is required. E-mail confirmation after registration will be sent if registered correctly. Any questions please contact: race@bvnordic.ca

Race Fees:

U8	\$12 per individual race
U10-U20	\$15 per individual race
U23 and up	\$23 per individual race

Licenses:

ALL participants must purchase a \$3.00 Nordiq Canada daily event licence. The event licence fee will be automatically added to all race registrations on Zone 4 and the revenues sent directly to Nordiq Canada.

Entry Deadlines:

Deadline for online registration is: **11:59 pm Tuesday, February 4, 2025**
NO LATE ENTRIES

Start Lists:

Start lists will be posted on Zone4 by noon, Friday February 7, 2025.

Bib Pick-Up:

Pick up bibs on race days, 9:30am to 10:30am, at the main lodge race office. Bibs for Team Sprint will be provided at the start area.

Awards: Awards will be presented daily after final results are complete.
Awards for U16 athletes and younger are provided by Teck Resources Ltd.
Awards for U18 and older athletes will be provided by BVCCSC.

<u>U8 and younger:</u>	Teck participant ribbons for all
<u>U10 to U16:</u>	Teck medals for top 3 finishers, and Teck ribbons for 4th and 5th place, by year of birth;
<u>U18:</u>	BVCCSC Awards for top 3 finishers
<u>Senior:</u>	BVCCSC Awards for top 3 finishers
<u>Master:</u>	BVCCSC Awards for top 3 finishers by age category

*Exhibition team sprint event awards: TBD provided by BVCCSC

Food & Drinks: Saturday and Sunday finish line snacks and drinks provided for all racers
Generously sponsored by McBike & Sport

Saturday lunch is included for participants registered in the Interval Start Event. Additional Saturday meal tickets will be available through the Zone4 registration page.

Waxing: Indoor wax space is available in the Gary Murdoch Memorial Waxing Hut. Space is limited. Outdoor power is available for waxing. Bring your own equipment.

CCBC Rule Regarding the Use of Fluorinated Waxes

Cross Country BC continues to follow the national (Nordiq Canada) and global ski community (FIS) in the strategy to eliminate fluorinated waxes. Please see the complete rule [here](#).

Accommodation: For accommodations as well as other activities in Smithers please visit:
<http://www.tourismsmithers.com/>

Trail pass: Participants that are not members of the BVCCSC are required to purchase a \$3 event trail pass for using the trails and facility. Spectators in the stadium do not require a trail pass to watch the race. If you are not a racer or a coach, you will require a day pass to use the BV Nordic trails system

Refunds/Cancellation: There will be no refund for participants who choose to not start their race.

If race organizers cancel the race(s) due to unsafe weather conditions, a full refund will be made to participants except for any online processing fees. Races will be cancelled or postponed if temperature or weather conditions are unsuitable at start time.

Per Nordiq Canada regulation 315.9:

“With air temperatures below -20°C (temperature measured at the coldest point of the course and without wind factor) and competition distances less than or equal to 15 km, the Jury must postpone or cancel the competition. For athletes under 12 years of age, with air temperatures below -15C (temperature measured at the coldest part of the course and without a wind factor), the Jury must postpone or cancel the competition.”

Race Routes: Maps will be posted at the venue and on the event website

RACE CATEGORIES & DISTANCES

		Saturday, Feb 8 2025		Sunday, Feb 9 2025	
		Interval Start, Free		Mass Start, Classic	
		11:00 am Start		11:00 am Start	
Category	YOB	Males	Females	Males	Females
U8	2019, 2018, 2017	0.77km		0.77km	
U10	2016, 2015	1.0km		1.0km	
U12	2014, 2013	2.5km		2.5km	
U14	2012, 2011	3.0km		5.0km	
U16	2010, 2009	6.0 km		7.5km	
U18	2008, 2007				
U20	2006, 2005				
U23	2004, 2003, 2002				
Senior	2001-1995				
Masters	1994-1985				
	1984-1975				
	1974-1965				
	1964+				
Para Nordic	Open	TBD		TBD	

[2024-25 Teck BC Cup Series / Regional Cup Series – YOB, Ages & Categories](#)

Exhibition Event Details:

The exhibition Team Sprint-FREE technique event will be held Saturday Feb 8 at 2pm. This event is intended to be a fun challenge for participants and an opportunity for our race organizers to practice hosting a new race format.

- Course maps and distances will be posted on the event webpage.
- Distances will be appropriate sprint distances for age as per Teck Northern cup technical guidelines.
- Teams of 2, with 2-3 alternating laps per competitor.
- Single heat per distance, mass start format
- **All skiers register individually on Zone 4, including Rabbits.**
- Participants will be put into teams following the Tuesday registration deadline by coaches and the Race Secretary.