

Kootenay Cup



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Teck Kootenay Cup 1 & 2 Thrills Skiers in Nelson, BC

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Nelson, BC – The Nelson Nordic Ski Club played host to an exhilarating weekend of cross country ski racing as more than a hundred participants gathered for the Teck Kootenay Cup 1 & 2 on February 8-9, 2025. With crisp winter conditions, sunny skies, and spectacular snow, the event provided an unforgettable experience for racers and spectators alike.

Skiers of all ages, from the youngest Bunnies (U6) to seasoned Masters, represented clubs from across the Kootenay - Boundary region, including Nelson Nordic Ski Club (Nelson), Black Jack Cross Country Ski Club (Rosland), Valhalla Hills Nordic Ski Club (New Denver), Castlegar Nordic Ski Club (Castlegar), and Phoenix Cross Country Ski Society (Grand Forks). The two-day event showcased both competitive spirit and community camaraderie.

Saturday's races featured the thrilling King's Court free technique Sprints, where each skier had the opportunity to race three heats. The exciting format created a high-energy atmosphere, with skiers pushing their limits and spectators cheering enthusiastically. On Sunday, the competition shifted to classic technique with an Interval Start. The course was lined with supportive fans, adding to the electric atmosphere as racers glided through the pristine trails.

The Teck Kootenay Cup 1 & 2 proved to be a fantastic first-race experience for young skiers while providing a fun and competitive environment for more seasoned racers. The event underscored the strength and vibrancy of the regional cross country ski community, bringing together athletes and families for a memorable weekend of sport and celebration.

Saturday race results can be found [here](#) and Sunday race results can be found [here](#).

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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 almost 25,000 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. For more information on Cross Country BC, please visit www.crosscountrybc.ca.

Teck is the title sponsor of CCBC's Skier Development Program, thereby supporting excellence in sport and providing youth with experiences that will help them prepare for the future.



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