

U12 Weekly Update

Hello U12 team!

We finally received the long-awaited snowfall! The Mountain has transformed into a dream, and this snowfall ensures a season's end with improved conditions, perfect for the upcoming races and future training sessions.

However, this past Sunday, we encountered an unusual situation of extreme winds. This led to our U12 and U14 athletes and coaches, who were in rotation from Cat Skinner to the training area, being stranded on chairlifts due to the sudden closure. Fortunately, we were able to relocate the group to alternative chairlifts and gondolas. Despite the delay, everyone reached the meeting point on the lightboard to regroup.

I want to express my gratitude to all athletes for handling the situation admirably and for supporting their fellow teammates to ensure everyone reached the meeting point successfully.

Schedule:

Program	Day	Hour	Meeting Point	Equipment	Drop Off
Core Plus	Friday 1 st	9am	Chic Pea - Whistler	All mountain skis	Whistler lightboard
Core and Core Plus	Saturday 2 nd	9am	Blackcomb Lightboard	GS	Blackcomb lightboard
Core and Core Plus	Sunday 3rd	9am	Blackcomb Lightboard	SL	Blackcomb lightboard

Notes:

- Saturday and Sunday we will be training course in Gandy, Blackcomb Mountain again.

-Please on Sunday, athletes need to bring SL protections if they have.

Dryland:

This **Saturday 2nd**, we have another gym/dryland session scheduled at the **Myrtle Philip Gym from 4 pm to 5 pm.** Please remember to bring water, a snack bar, and sports shoes for entry into the gym.

Enchanted Fores Race:

Unfortunately Whistler Blackcomb has canceled this race.

Tyee Cup Race:

The weekend of **March 9th** and **10th**, we have the **Tyee Cup race**. To register your kids, please follow this link:

https://campscui.active.com/orgs/WhistlerMountainSkiClub?season=3279146&session=61607244

I have already submitted the list of our athletes to BC Alpine. However, they still need to be individually registered through this link.

Schedule for the race:

Saturday, March 9 th , 2024	AM	GIANT SLALOM – Women + Men
	PM	KOMBI (SL/GS format) – Women + Men
Sunday, March 10 th , 2024	AM	SLALOM (stubbies) – Women + Men
	PM	SLALOM (tall gates) – Women + Men

Awards:

Presented outside the Garbo Hut, following teardown on Sunday. Medals for top 3, ribbons for 4-10, and Tyee Cup awarded to top Woman and Man using World Cup points from the best 3 of the 4 races.

Social:

Saturday 5:00pm / after awards, at the Whistler Mountain Ski Club Cabin

I kindly request all parents to sharpen and wax the athletes' skis, please.

On Friday, the 8th, I will be in the race coaches meeting in the afternoon. Following that meeting, I will send out all the necessary information about the race, including time, meeting points, inspection times, etc., via WhatsApp.

Also, if you already know that your kid is not going to participate in the Tyee Cup, please let me know as soon as possible.

That's all for now. See you this weekend!!

Best regards!

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