



## REGISTRATION FORM 2007/2008

### *Kinder and Junior Programs*

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#### **K1**

The K1 program is the first category of "carded" alpine ski racing, worldwide. For our kids here at Big White, this means they now have an opportunity to race against children their own age in regular style ski races - the beginning of their journey as a competitive skier! K1 is the primary (youngest) category within the club where a dryland training component is offered as well as the on-snow program. K1 kids begin to adapt to a more competitive atmosphere where each individual is encouraged to begin pushing themselves through light competition and quality skiing environments to continue their skill development as skiers and racers of the future. The primary focus of K1 is learning how to train as a ski racer – and of course to have fun! **Ages 11-12.** \*

#### **K2**

This is the second stage of the Kinder program. Kids in K2 continue on their path of learning to train but gradually mature into talented young ski racers acquiring all the basic skills. K2's begin to focus a little more on racing, while maintaining their development of the basic all-mountain skiing skills. The racing element is slightly more than in K1 to suit the physical and psychological progression for kids of this age. Camaraderie, personal achievement and all-out fun on the slopes describe what K2 is all about. **Ages 13-14.** \*

#### **FIS**

The FIS category is for skiers 15 to 18 years of age and is the next step after K2. Skiers at this level participate at a higher level of competition by applying for a FIS (International Ski Federation) competitor card. A FIS card allows racers to accrue FIS points after each FIS race finish. The FIS racing circuit allows our athletes to compete with athletes from around the province as well as from other provinces at each event. Making the decision to join the BWR FIS Team involves a commitment to additional off-season dryland and on-snow training and the opportunity to train more days on-snow than in the past. Racing on our FIS Team is an awesome experience of athletic excellence that can lead to university scholarships and the Canadian Alpine Ski Team. **Ages 15 to 18.** \*

#### **MASTERS**

Our Masters racing program is the perfect outlet for the vintage weekend warrior who loves skiing gates! Our Masters racers train with the Kinder racers and have the opportunity to race in the Okanagan zone race series. Masters must be at least 19 years of age.

\*All ages as of Dec 31, 2007

#### **REFUND POLICY**

For athletes that are injured during the race season, a pro-rated portion of the coaching fee will be refunded. Medical certificates with a written request for a refund must be submitted directly to the treasurer of the ski club. Refunds will be processed from the date received, not the date of the written request or the medical certificate. BC Alpine fees and money collected through fundraising are non-refundable. Pre-existing medical conditions do not qualify for refunds.

## VOLUNTEER REQUIREMENT

As part of the Big White Racers, a non-profit organization, all parents are required to volunteer in some of our fundraising activities in an effort to maintain our subsidized program costs. No experience or skiing ability is required for many of the activities; on the job training will be provided! Some of the ways you can volunteer are as follows:

### ❖ **BIG WHITE RACER SKI AND SPORT SWAP**

Volunteers set up site, accept and sell used equipment, clean up site

### ❖ **BINGO**

On going dates throughout the year

### ❖ **RACES**

Races for Nancy Greene, Zone Races etc be a gatekeeper, help with timing, make lunches for volunteers, be a course worker, etc.

### ❖ **RAFFLE TICKETS**

Selling raffle tickets at locations throughout the area

### ❖ **SOCIAL EVENTS**

On going events and activities throughout the year

### ❖ **OTHER**

(Executive, Other volunteer positions)

The volunteer time per program is listed below. Families with more than one racer are required to submit a cheque for the oldest racer only. If you have completed your volunteer commitment by May 1, 2007 your cheque will be destroyed. Please post-date your cheque to May 1, 2007.

<b>Program</b>	<b>Time Required</b>	<b>Deposit Required</b>
E1- Half Day	* One event	\$50
E1 - 1 Day	Two events	\$100
E2 - 1 Day	Two events	\$150
E2 - 2 Day	Three events	\$200
K1 / MASTERS	Four events	\$400
K2	Five events	\$500
FIS	Six events	\$600

**\* One event is considered to be a bingo, a barbeque, a race day, clean up day, etc.**

**Because the Ski Swap is our single largest fundraising event, it is considered mandatory for K1 and older and is in addition to the volunteer hours required, as is selling of the BC Alpine Raffle tickets.**

## REGISTRATION FORM SUMMARY

The Big White Racers is an independent volunteer organization dedicated to developing an appreciation of skiing and junior alpine ski racing. Program costs reflect the volunteer basis of our organization. Lift tickets and race entry fees are not included in the prices.

### To register by mail, please include:

1. **Personal Information form;**
2. **Waivers and Releases form** - must be completed and signed by parent/guardian of participant(s);
3. **Program Fees** - fees are due prior to participation in dryland and payable to Kelowna Ski Club.
4. **Racer Account Cheques** (applicable to K1 and older racers) - Six cheques with the following dates: Nov 1/07, Dec 1/07, Jan 1/08, Feb 1/08, Mar 1/08, and Apr 1/08. All unused monies in race accounts will be refunded on May 1, 2008.
5. Volunteer deposit cheque - dated May 1, 2008 and payable to Kelowna Ski Club;
6. Alpine Canada Alpine (ACA) Registration Form – This separate single page form has the Alpine Canada Logo in the top left hand corner (it is not part of the BWR membership form). Fill in one of these ACA forms for each program participant (K1 or older only) in your family. Both the participant and the parent/guardian must sign this form.

### Forms and payments should be mailed to our registrar:

Gwyn Prokop  
206-3160 Casorso Road  
Kelowna, BC V1W 3L7

For all FIS participants, please note the following payment schedule; please have all post dated cheques, ACA forms, Medical waivers etc mailed in before August 1, 2007.

Registration deposit:	dated August 1, 2007	\$500.00
Registration:	dated September 1, 2007	\$750.00
Registration:	dated October 1, 2007	\$750.00
All Area Pass:	dated October 15, 2007	\$500.00
Racer Account cheques:	November 1, 2007, December 1, 2007, January 1, 2008 February 1, 2008, March 1, 2008 & April 1, 2008 in the amount of \$600.00 each	
Volunteer deposit:	dated May 1, 2008	\$600.00

**PERSONAL INFORMATION**

<b>Family Name</b>	
<b>Father's Name</b>	
<b>Mother's Name</b>	
<b>Mailing Address</b>	
<b>City</b>	
<b>Province</b>	
<b>Postal Code</b>	
<b>Home Phone</b>	
<b>Father's Work Phone</b>	
<b>Mother's Work Phone</b>	
<b>Fax No.</b>	
<b>E-mail Address</b>	
<b>Emergency contact name</b>	
<b>Emergency contact phone</b>	

Please fill in the following info for all family members participating in BWR K+ programs.

<b>First &amp; Last Name</b>	<b>Birthdate (dd/mm/yy)</b>	<b>M/F</b>	<b>Program</b>	<b>Level</b>	<b>BC Medical Number (Carecard)</b>	<b>Allergies and medical problems coach should know about</b>

**Can we use your child's picture?** \_\_\_\_\_ (yes/no)    **Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_

Occasionally, participants' names and photographs are used in the newspaper, in advertising, or posted on our website.

## WAIVERS AND RELEASES

(An adult of each member family of the Big White Racers must complete this form)

### Minor Competitor Release (fill in for children)

I, \_\_\_\_\_, request that my son(s)/daughter(s),

\_\_\_\_\_ be allowed to participate in the events, activities and games sponsored by the BC Alpine Ski Association and the Big White Racers.

In consideration of my child(ren) being registered in the BC Alpine Ski Association and allowed to participate as a competitor, volunteer or any other capacity, I and my heirs and assigns hereby forever release, discharge and hold harmless the BC Alpine Ski Association and the Big White Racers and their directors, officers, employees, representatives and agents from any liability for any injury, loss or damage sustained by my child(ren), howsoever caused, arising out of or in connection with the said child(ren)'s participation in the said events or activities.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I sign this Release on this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_

Signature : \_\_\_\_\_

Witness: \_\_\_\_\_

Name : \_\_\_\_\_

Name : \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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## MEMBERSHIP FEES, FUNDRAISING GOALS, RACER ACCOUNT, and VOLUNTEER DEPOSIT

Program	Membership	Racer Accounts
K1 (born 1995-96)	\$1200	6 post-dated cheques of \$200 each
K2 (born 1993-94)	\$ 1450	6 post-dated cheques of \$300 each
FIS (born 1989-1992)	\$ 2000	6 post-dated cheques of \$600 each
Masters (born 1987 or earlier)	\$ 1200	6 post-dated cheques of \$100 each
Non-Participating Member	\$ 75	N/A
Master on NPL only	\$ 150	
Master on NPL including Dryland	\$ 200	

Participant and Program (e.g. Sam – E2)	FEE
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• 2 <sup>nd</sup> Participant Discount (-\$15)	
• 3 <sup>rd</sup> Participant Discount (-\$85)	
• 4 <sup>th</sup> Participant Discount (-\$85)	
<b>TOTAL</b>	

**Volunteer Deposit - Separate cheque dated May 1<sup>st</sup>, 2008 - See above for amount**