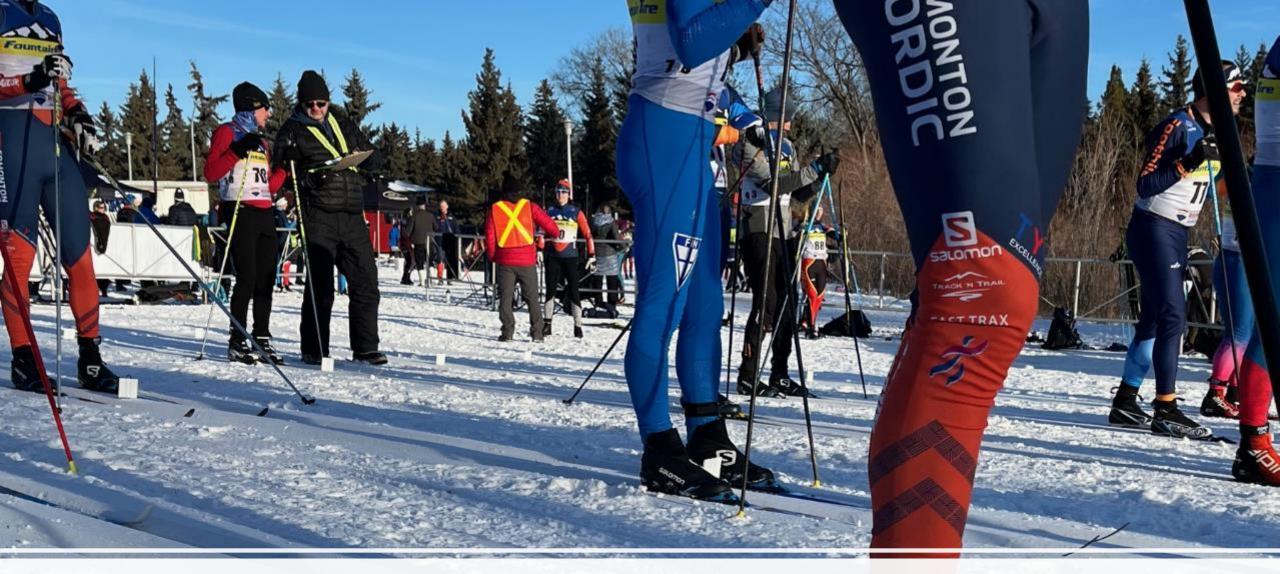
Alberta Cup 5 & 6

TCM – Saturday January 27, 2024





What a great day of racing!

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Jury

Technical Delegate: Lisa Marr-Laing

Asst. Technical Delegate: Kelly Bogle

Nordiq Alberta Race Director: Ivan Babikov

Chief of Competition: Scott Penny

Organizing Committee

Chief of Competition	Scott Penny	
Race Secretary	Lianne Seubert	
Race Secretary	Joe Mann	
Chief of Course	Ulf Kleppe	
Assistant Chief of Course Paul Zimmerman		
Chief of Controllers	rollers Andrew Mackie	
Chief of Stadium	Mark Woodhouse	
Chief of Timing	ing Brent Walsh	
Chief of Start	Brett Buchanan	
Chief of Finish Victoria Lee		
Co-Chief of Medical Rhea Loiselle		
Co-Chief of Medical	Carmen Young	
Volunteer Coordinator	Susan Kankkunen	
Hospitality Coordinator Jacquelyn Vanden Born		
ENSC President / Special Advisor Jim Rickett		

Weather Forecast (Environment Canada)

	Sun 28 Jan	
	8°C	
	A mix of sun and cloud	
<u>Tonight</u>	Night	
1°C	-1°C	
Mainly cloudy	Partly cloudy	

Night	Mainly cloudy. Low plus 1
Sun, 28 Jan	A mix of sun and cloud. High 8. UV index 1 or low.

Seeding and Confirmation of Entries

Deadline for changes for Sunday was 2:00PM today

Seed lists available on Zone4

Bib Pickup

- Bib pickup from the Race Office tomorrow morning starting at 07:45.
- They are picked up according to how they were stated during registration, either by club or team.



Stadium



Race Distances

Saturday, January 27, 2024 Mass Start, Classic Technique

Category	Distance (Course)	
U8 B/G	1.0km (Blue)	
U10 B/G	1.0km (Blue)	
U12 B/G	2.0km (Blue x 2)	
U14 B/G	5.0km (Orange x 2)	
U16 B/G	7.5km (Orange x 3)	
U18 M/W	10.0km (Orange x 4)	
Open (U20 & Sr. M/W)	10.0km (Orange x 4)	
Masters M/W	10.0km (Orange x 4)	
Recreational	5.0km (Orange x 2)	
M/W/non-binary		
Para Nordic Sit Ski	3.5km (PN Sit)	

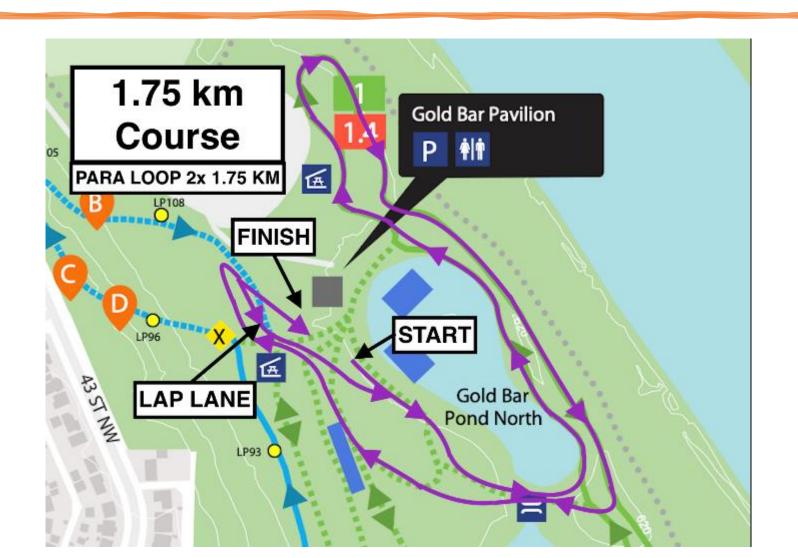
Sunday, January 28, 2024 Individual Start, Free Technique

Category	Distance	
U8 B/G	1.0km (Blue)	
U10 B/G	1.0km (Blue)	
U12 B/G	2.0km (Blue x 2)	
U14 B/G	5.0km (Orange x 2)	
U16 B/G	5.0km (Orange x 2)	
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M/W/non-binary		
Para Nordic Sit Ski	3.5km (PN Sit)	

Notes:

- A Technique Zone will be implemented during the classic race U16 and up.
- The U8 / U10 course will have a skill section for Sunday's race.
- Para Nordic stand skiers will ski with their age categories.
- Course Maps available online. Courses/distances could change prior to the event.

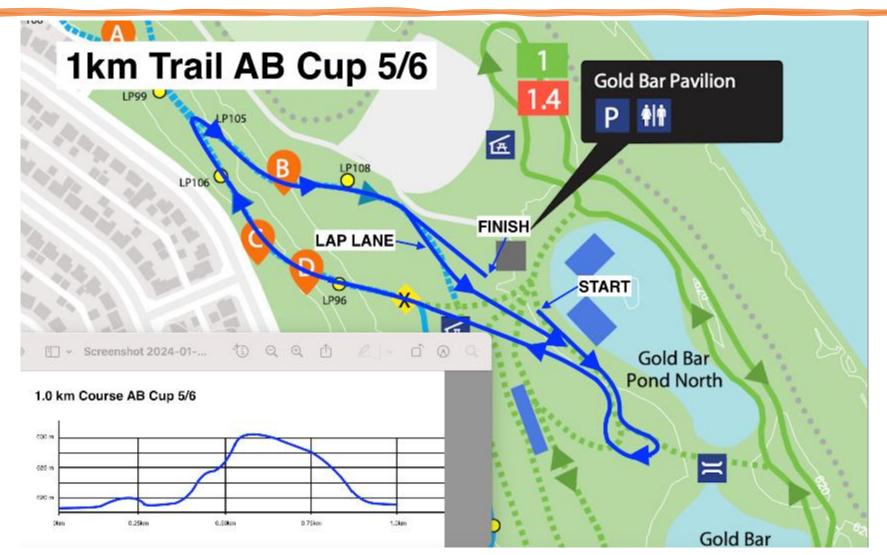
PN Course – 1.75km



Orange Course - 2.5km



Blue Course - 1km (Obstacle Course)



U8 Obstacle Course



Race Schedule – Sunday

		Start Time	Category	Distance	Course
	(F	8:50	Opening Announcements		
		8:55	PN Course Closed, Warm Up Loop Closed, 50 th st loop open		
_	interval)	9:00	PN Sit	3.5km	PN Sit x 2
2024	s in	9:25	Course Closed, Warm Up Loop open		
	t (15s	9:30	U20 & Open M/W	10km	Orange x 4
Sunday, January 28,	Technique, Individual Start	10:00	Masters M / W, Recreational (5km)	10km	Orange x 4
lar)	lual	11:00	Early Morning Awards		
ann	divic	11:10	U18 M/W	7.5km	Orange x 3
y, Ji	, In	11:55	U16 B/G	5km	Orange x 2
da	igue	12:35	U14 B/G	5km	Orange x 2
Sun	chn	13:15	Late Morning Awards		
0,		13:40	U12 B/G	2km	Blue x 2
	Free	14:05	U10 B/G	1km	Blue
		14:15	U8 B/G	1km	Blue
		14:30	Afternoon Awards		

Site Map



Race Office

- Saturday, January 21 07:45 Finish
- Sunday, January 22 07:45 Finish

Wax tents

- Place as marked on site map.
- Use tent weights or tent pegs to secure tents.
- Do not park in the handicap spaces, you will be towed

Medical

- Pavilion
- Snowmobile on site ready to go

Washrooms

- Inside the Pavilion
- Porta potties

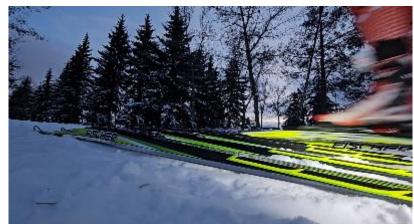
Security

• On site from 9-5. Leave items 100% at your own risk.

Wax Testing and Warm Up

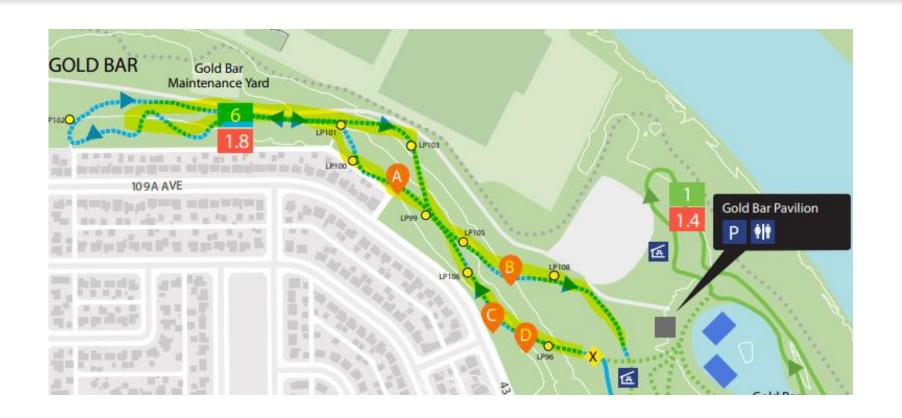
- Small warm up loop from in front of the pavilion heading East.
- Additional warm up tracks available from Capilano Park (natural snow only)
- PN Course closed 5 minutes before race start
- NO skiing backwards on course at any time!
- NO testing on course during races
- Warm up loop closed for the PN sit course from 8:50 to 9:15 (apprx) but the 50th st loop will be open for warm up and wax testing during this time.





50th St. section of course

• From approximately 8:55 to 9:25 both Saturday and Sunday the 50th st section of the course will remain open for warm up and wax testing. See map inset at left.



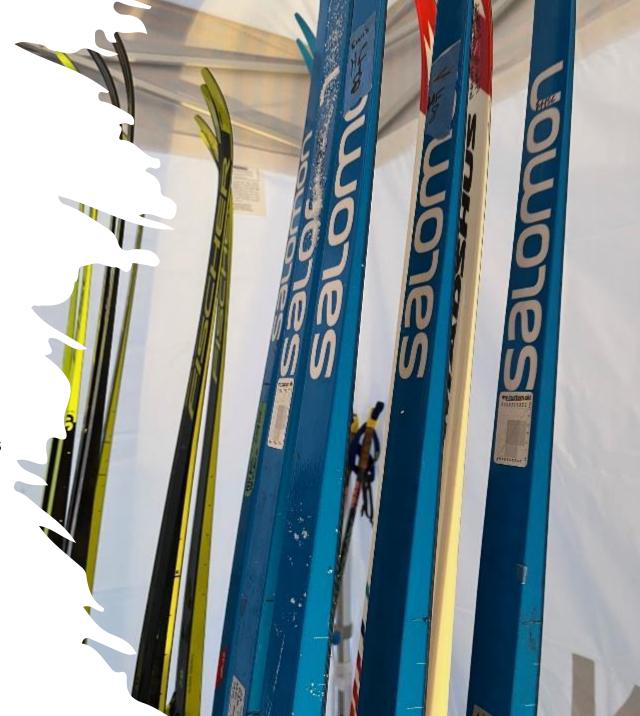
Alberta Cup Wax Protocol

Nordiq Canada's testing philosophy is to employ a community minded trust approach.

- · Non-flouro (NF) waxes ARE permitted.
- Not permitted:
 - Flouro kick wax
 - High fluoro (HF), medium fluoro (MF), or low fluoro (LF) glide wax, including HF, MF, or LF powders, pucks, blocks and liquids
 - Fluoro cold weather powder additives and hardeners
 - Fluoro grip powders

For more information on the Nordiq Canada Fluoro Policy it can be found at

https://nordiqcanada.ca/coaches-and-wax-techs/wax-techs/wax-tech-resources/





Awards

- Awards will take place in front of the pavilion at the following (approximate) times:
 - 13:15 All Morning categories
 - 14:30 All Afternoon categories

General Comments

• Technical Delegate: Lisa Marr-Laing

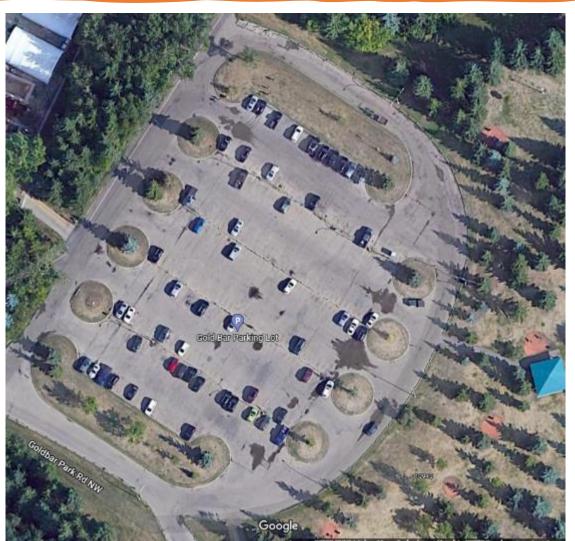
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Parking



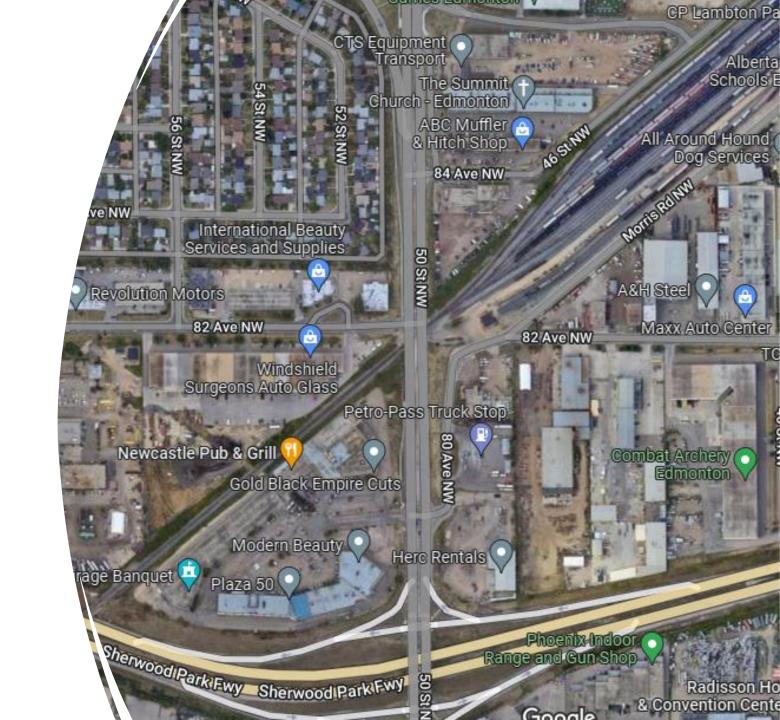
- Parking is limited (~220 stalls).
- Please carpool.
- Please park close to the car beside you. Please take the time to straighten out. If you are early it will look like lots of parking.
- If Gold Bar parking lot is full there is overflow parking at Capilano parking lot but there is NO shuttle this year.
- Do NOT park on Gold Bar park road between 50st and Gold Bar parking lot. This will create a traffic jam for everybody.
- Can drop your skiers off and park if you are in a hurry.

Parking



Local Tip

- Avoid 50th street from Sherwood Park Freeway north to 90th ave.
- Train crossing can cause major delays at anytime plus construction.



Food and Drink

- Gatorade and cookies for racers at finish line
- Food truck on site from 08:00-finish both days see menu online (breakfast and lunch)



Coaching on Course







LIMITED SPACE ON COURSE.

PLEASE BE VERY AWARE OF RACERS WHILE MOVING AROUND THE COURSE.

NO COACH'S ON SKIS ON COURSE DURING THE RACE.

Urban Course



This is an urban course taking place in a city park used by many different groups including dog walkers, mountain bikers and recreational skiers.



We have done advanced signing in the park as well as digital communication to community groups.



There will be marshals at key areas controlling access.

Good Luck!



