

Whistler Nordics: Mar 24 2011 Newsletter

The club's programs may have ended but there is still plenty of snow at both Lost Lake and Whistler Olympic Park to keep skiing! There are also lots of events both local and further a field to participate in : Vancouver Island Loppet, Woppet, Callaghan Valley Open Biathlon, see the details below.

Feedback

The Whistler Nordics Board of Directors will be meeting next week to start planning next season. Our members' feedback is important to ensure that the club offers the right programs and activities. If you have any comments or feedback on the club's programs/events/activities, or perhaps activities you'd like to see added, etc please send them to admin@whistlernordics.com by end of Tuesday 29 March.

Letters of support

The Whistler Nordics will shortly be applying for a Gaming Grant and would like to include some letters of support from club members and event/activity sponsors. If you would be willing to write a brief paragraph supporting the club's activities please email admin@whistlernordics.com.

2011 Haywood Ski Nationals Race Results

Congratulations to the Whistler Nordics Development Team athletes who competed at the Nationals in Canmore for the first time!



Nicki Murdoch, Junior Girls:

25th Free technique 5km, **15th** Classic technique 10 km, **16th** Free technique 7.5km

Jenya Nordin, Juvenile Girls:

21st Free technique 5km, **17th** Classic technique 5km, **15th** Free technique 7.5km

Lauren Doak, Juvenile Girls:

35th Free technique 5km, **23rd** Classic technique 5km, **23rd** Free technique 7.5km

Austin Reith, Juvenile Boys:

50th Free technique 5 km, **33rd** Classic technique 5km

See full race results visit [Zone 4](#).

29th Annual Vancouver Island Loppet - Registration deadline tonight at midnight!

Date: Saturday, March 26, 2011

Mount Washington Nordic Stadium mass start

9:30am classic technique start, 10:00am free technique start

- **30km Loppet** [course map](#) and [map of the start and finish area](#)
- **15 km Loppet** [course map](#) and [map of the start and finish area](#)
- **Youth Loppet (5 km)** [course map](#) and [map of the start and finish area](#)
- **Cookie Loppet (2 km)** [course map](#)

Registration Deadline: Thursday, March 24 at 11:59pm, *absolutely no late entries will be accepted.*

Online registration through [Zone 4](#)

Rules: Cross Country Canada (CCC) rules and regulations
 For full details see <http://strathconanordics.com/loppet/>

2011 NORTH AMERICAN BIATHLON CHAMPIONSHIP AND CALLAGHAN VALLEY OPEN, March 31- April 3 2011, Whistler Olympic Park

Sprint – Friday April 1, 2011

Pursuit – Saturday April 2, 2011

Mass Start – Sunday April 3, 2011

The Callaghan Valley Open would be a great place for kids try some biathlon racing if they are interested.

If anyone is interested please contact Max Saenger, max@saengeroutdoorsports.com

Volunteers please also contact Max.

Class	Age	Sprint Friday, April 1, 2011	Pursuit Saturday, April 2, 2011	Mass Start Sunday, April 3, 2011
Masters Men	31+	6 km PS	7.5 km PPSS	10 km PPSS
Masters Women	31+	6 km PS	7.5 km PPSS	7.5 km PPSS
Men	21+	10 km PS	12.5 km PPSS	15 km PPSS
Women	21+	7.5 km PS	10 km PPSS	12.5 km PPSS
Junior Men	19-20	10 km PS	12.5 km PPSS	12.5 km PPSS
Junior Women	19-20	7.5 km PS	10 km PPSS	10 km PPSS
Youth Men	17-18	7.5 km PS	10 km PPSS	10 km PPSS
Youth Women	17-18	6 km PS	7.5 km PPSS	7.5 km PPSS
Senior Boys	15-16	6 km PS	7.5 km PPSS	7.5km PPSS
Senior Girls	15-16	6km PS	7.5 km PPSS	7.5 km PPSS
Junior Boys	13-14	4.5 km PP	6 km PPP	6 km PPP
Junior Girls	13-14	4.5 km PP	6 km PPP	6 km PPP
Juveniles	11-12	2.1km PP	3.6 km PPP	3.6 km PPP
Midget	<10	2.1 km PP	2.8 km PPP	2.8 km PPP

For full race notice and invitation see: www.whistlernordics.com/Assets/PDF/NACH2011Invitation.pdf

Callaghan Winter Sports Club 3rd Annual WOPPET, April 9, 2011

30K Quest - 15K Classic - 7.5K Cruiser & POLE and PEDAL RACE (Woppet and SORCA Toonie)

Date: April 9, 2011

Location: Whistler Olympic Park, (WOP-pet, get it?)
 Whistler, BC

Start Time: 10:00 - 30k Quest, 10:20 - 15k Classic, 10:30 - 7.5k Cruiser

Technique: Free technique (classic tracks set on Cruiser 7.5k course)

Host Club: Callaghan Winter Sports Club

Entry fee: Registration and payment online at www.zone4.ca until April 6, (11:59pm).
 Race Day registration (7:30- 9:00am cash only).

****Trail Pass required and not included in entry fee.** If you require a trail ticket please purchase discounted trail tickets through the event website at zone 4 (children/youth \$5.00, Adults \$10.00) *Discounted trail tickets not available on race day*

	30k Quest	15k Classic	7.5k Cruiser	BBQ Lunch included with entry
Online	\$40	\$30	\$25	
Race Day (7:30- 9:00am)	\$50	\$40	\$35	

** Callaghan Winter Sports Club (CWSC) members receive a \$5.00 discount from the online registration

Categories As of Dec. 31, 2010:

Open Men	7.5k	15k	30k	30k Pole & Pedal
Open Women	7.5k	15k	30k	30k Pole & Pedal
Masters Men (DOB 1965 or earlier)		15k	30k	30k Pole & Pedal
Masters Women (DOB 1965 or earlier)		15k	30k	30k Pole & Pedal
Boys (DOB 1996 or later)	7.5k			
Girls (DOB 1996 or later)	7.5k			
Junior Men (DOB 1991-95)		15k		
Junior Women (DOB 1991-95)		15k		

Feed Stations: 1 feed station for the 15k course, 2 feed stations for the 30k course

Post Event Meal and Awards: A post event BBQ and awards presentation will be held on site at the day lodge

Pole and Pedal: Combined times of Woppet April 9 and SORCA Toonie April 10. Toonie information available at <http://sorca.ca/>. Must be a SORCA member to enter Toonie.

Course Maps: <http://www.callaghanwintersportsclub.com/>

Toonie info: <http://sorca.ca/>

"Nuts for Nordic" PHOTO CONTEST Weekly Prizes!

Show BC Nordic what inspires you out there on BC's Nordic trails! Start clickin' and get ready to UPLOAD and VOTE for your fave pics to win great prizes (plus weekly giveaways on Facebook) from Tourism Whistler, icebreaker, Halti, Fischer/Swix, Norona Life, MEC, Sigge's and more.

 Like BC Nordic on [Facebook](#) for contest updates and to win weekly prizes!