



# WISCONSIN BIATHLON CUP RACE #5, #6

## Saturday and SUNDAY, March 1 & 2, 2014

Wisconsin Biathlon Cup Race #5 and #6 will be hosted by Blackhawk Ski Club in Middleton, Wisconsin  
10118 Blackhawk Rd, Middleton, WI 53562 **\*ENTER EAST GATE\***

### REGISTRATION AND ENTRY FEES:

Event registration will take place at Blackhawk Ski Club in the Jumping Chalet. Entry fees are Novice Race \$15 plus \$10 USBA race day membership (available at race). Open Race \$15 per day plus \$10 daily USBA membership if needed.

### NOVICE RACE, Saturday March 1:

Novice race will be a three 2K laps with two shooting stations (Prone, Prone) and 150 meter penalty laps. No previous biathlon experience necessary. Novice racers will not carry rifles. Instruction, biathlon rifles and ammunition will be supplied.

**OPEN RACES:** The open races are for biathletes that are USBA safety certified.

### Saturday March 1 Sprint and Relay:

Sprint format with 10 second staggered starts (seeded by ability/speed). Three skiing stages (2.0K each), two shooting rounds (PS), 150 M penalty loop. Youth skiing distances will be reduced.

Relay race for safety certified biathletes will follow the Novice Race. The relay event will consist of 4 members. Each relay member will ski two 1.2 K loops with 1 round of shooting per skier between loops (PPSS). For every round of shooting there will be eight bullets available, although the last three can only be single-loaded manually one at a time from spare round holders or bullets on the mat. If after eight bullets there are still misses, one penalty loop must be taken for each missed target remaining.

### Sunday March 2:

Race format will be mass start by groups of 8 to 10 biathletes (seeded by ability/speed). Five skiing stages (2.5K each), four shooting rounds (PPSS), 150 M penalty loop. Youth skiing distances will be reduced.

### SCHEDULE:

#### **Saturday March 1st**

7:30-9:00AM	Registration and course set up for Open Race
8:15-9:15AM	Zero for Open Race
9:15-9:30AM	Course and Safety Briefing
9:30-11:00AM	Open Sprint Race Cup #5
11:30-12:30PM	Novice Safety briefing and practice shooting
12:30-1:30PM	Novice Race
12:45-2:00 PM	Zero for Relay Race
2:00-3:00PM	Relay Race (follows Novice Race)

#### **Sunday March 1<sup>st</sup>**

8:00-9:30AM	Registration and course set up for Open Race
9:00-10:00AM	Zero for Open Race
10:00-10:15AM	Course and Safety Briefing
10:15-12:00 PM	Open Race Group Mass Start Cup #6

### Hotel Accommodations

Reduced Hotel Fees have been arranged for Blackhawk Ski Club Events at the West Madison Baymont Hotel approximately one mile east of Blackhawk Ski Club. Standard room rates for Blackhawk events are \$57/night, Call 608-831-7711 for reservations and mention you are staying for a Blackhawk event.

### VOLUNTEER HELP:

**Volunteer help is needed for the event. Please plan on assisting or bring someone to assist.** Any questions? [biathlon@blackhawksclub.org](mailto:biathlon@blackhawksclub.org) or call Mark Torresani at 608.334.2846