



# CANMORE 2021 WORLD PARA NORDIC SKIING WORLD CUP

DEC. 4-12 / DU 4 AU 12 DÉCEMBRE 2021 • CANMORE NORDIC CENTRE PROVINCIAL PARK

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**December 04, 2021**

## Team Captains Meeting

### JURY:

- Len Apedaile (Technical Delegate)
- Dan Brisbin (National Assistant Technical Delegate)
- Tip Ray (International Referee for Biathlon)
- Tom Holland (Director of Competition)

Recorder: Harri Ulmer

### PRESENT:

Canada, France, Great Britain, Germany, Italy, Japan, Korea, Norway, Mongolia, Poland, Russia, Switzerland, Sweden, USA

### Course Preparation and Grooming

- Courses will be groomed to allow for Sit Skiers and two tracks and on combined Sit Ski and Standing/VI courses there will be one track on the right.

### Ski Testing

- No changes from today except that there is no grip testing required.

### Timing and Courses for Official Training

- The sprint courses for Sit Skiers and Standing/VI skiers will be available on Monday December 6. Please note the times for each training session

### General Information from the TD

- Congratulations to the athletes and teams for today's successful races.
- The races were clean with no reported issues or sanctions
- Special thanks to all the volunteers
- There was one mishap that resulted in a broken ski by a sit skier but no one was hurt
- There were several unofficial results that triggered an audit of the results that showed very close finish times. Close finish times triggers a further time check using photocells rather than the transponder times. One result for first and second resulted in a tie.
- Several warnings were issued on course today
  - There was a team that was testing backwards on course
  - Several skiers entered a closed course
  - A couple of skiers skied to a spectating location when they should be walking.

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- Equipment checks found two incidents of goggles that did not meet specifications for the B1 category. These were rectified for the race.
- Please note that due to early season conditions parts of the course had limitations such as on width and these may limit opportunities like passing in certain areas.
- Training bibs should be worn on course at all times unless you are racing
- It was noted that several skiers double poled the complete course as no technical skiing zones were indicated. Ski associations are looking at this carefully for future competitions

## General Information from the OC

- Parking restriction in the Biathlon parking lot were noted. If P1 (Biathlon) parking lot is full then cars must park in P2 just above the Biathlon area. P1 drop off must be kept clear for emergency vehicles.
- Thanks for those that responded to their daily health assessments. These are not optional and must be answered each day.
- Reminder that COVID protocols require that masks be worn at all times unless training or competing.
- Economic Impact reports will be sent out tomorrow.

## Meeting Adjourned at 1715

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