

WAX RECOMMENDATION



Alley Loop - Updated!

Elk Avenue, Crested Butte, CO

Saturday, February 1

9 A.M.

42K, 21K, 10K, 3K, 1K, Skate or Classic

Mass start by distance

3 laps for 42K

<https://cbnordic.org/event/the-alley-loop/>

Forecast/Conditions: Overnight low of 10F, upper teens by start time with a high down in town in low 30s. Expect cold/dry snow up high and warm, dirty/granular snow down in town.

Glidewax: Apply Performance Blue Hot Wax, scrape and brush, then apply HP Blue Hot Wax/HP Red Hot Wax mixed 1:1, scrape and brush. For HP Liquid Paraffin, apply Performance Blue Hot Wax, scrape and brush, then spray on HP Liquid Blue, let stand for at least one hour (overnight is best), then polish with the Polishing Brush Liquid Paraffin.

Gripwax: Roughen base with 150 grit sandpaper, iron in Nordic Base Wax Green, cork smooth, let cool. Then apply 4-5 layers of Nordic GripWax Red, corking between layers. Cover with one thin layer of GripWax Blue, cork in.

Structure: A fine structure covered by one pass with the Blue Structurite tool after scraping and brushing HP Hot Wax or before spraying HP LP will best suit these conditions.

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Check the [Wax Tips](#) page at TokoUS.com before all of your races for the latest waxing information. The Toko Race Wax Tips offer racers precise waxing advice on how to make your skis perform optimally for a given event. For racers who don't have top end waxes, skip the High Performance (Liquid Paraffin or Hot Wax) and substitute the Performance or Base Performance wax of the same color (Yellow, Red or Blue). To see optimal application procedures for both Glidewax and Gripwax, go to the [How To](#) link at TokoUS.com.

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