

WAX RECOMMENDATION



Grand Mesa Virtual Race

Skyway Trailhead, Grand Mesa, CO

Self-scheduled event to be completed between

Friday, January 8 and Sunday, January 17

10K Skate or Classic

gmnc.org/races/grand-mesa-virtual-classic-and-skate-race

Forecast/Conditions: Air temperature in the morning and early afternoon are trending in the single digits to upper teens. Looks like most days BP LP Blue or BP Blue is a very safe bet. Kick wax will vary. Feel free to email me for a particular day's wax recommendation.

Glidewax: Apply Base Performance Blue Hot Wax, scrape and brush. Spray on Base Performance Blue Liquid Paraffin, let stand overnight, 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 layers of Nordic GripWax Blue, corking between layers. Adjust to GripWax Red for older warming snow and GripWax X-Cold for earlier in the morning.

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

Racing - Service

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Check the [Wax Tips](#) page at TokoUS.com before all of your races for the latest waxing information. Toko Race Wax Tips offer racers precise waxing advice on how to make skis perform optimally for a given event. If an event allows fluorinated waxes and you choose to use them, use High Performance or Performance (Liquid Paraffin or Hot Wax) of the same color (Yellow, Red or Blue), as the temperature ranges are the same. To see optimal application procedures for both Glidewax and Gripwax, go to the [How To](#) link at TokoUS.com.