

I Wanna Ski with Somebody

Black Mountain, Rumford, ME Saturday, January 30 9:30 A.M. Citizen Racers 10K 10:15 A.M. Middle Schoolers 3K 1 P.M. High Schoolers 5K Classic, interval start, one loop https://www.nonstopnordic.com/

Forecast/Conditions: Overnight low of 3F, staying in single digits all morning with a north wind. Well-groomed powder snow. Sunny.

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. If you do not have LP spray, after scraping and brushing BP Blue Hot Wax, apply another layer of BP Blue Hot Wax, scrape and brush.

Gripwax: Roughen base with 150 grit sandpaper, iron in Nordic Base Wax Green, cork smooth, let cool. Then apply 3 layers of Nordic GripWax Blue, corking between layers.

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.

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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.

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