



Kachemak Nordic Ski Marathon

Lookout Trails to Baycrest Trails in Homer, AK Saturday, March 19 9:30 A.M. 42K, Free technique. Also 25K & 11K events Mass start, point-to-point Event website here

Forecast/Conditions: Overnight low near 25, temperature at start still cold and approaching 32 at the finish. Clean groomed snow, light constant wind will dry snow out a little. A 30 percent chance of new snow Friday night. Partly sunny during race.

Glidewax: Apply High Performance Red Hot Wax, scrape and brush. Spray on High Performance Yellow Liquid Paraffin, let stand overnight, then polish with the Polishing Brush Liquid Paraffin. If you do not have LP spray, apply BP Blue Hot Wax, scrape and brush, then apply HP Yellow Hot Wax, scrape and brush.

Gripwax: Roughen base with 150 grit sandpaper, iron in Nordic Base Wax Green, cork smooth, let cool. Then apply 4 layers of Nordic GripWax Yellow, corking between layers.

Structure: A wet/universal structure covered by one pass with the Yellow Structurite tool after scraping and brushing HP Hot Wax or

before spraying HP LP will best suit these conditions. Created by Ira Edwards, Toko Tech Team member since 1995. ira@bluedotdist.com 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 you do not have High Performance wax, substitute Performance or Base Performance wax of the same color (Yellow, Red or Blue), as the temperature ranges are the same. All Race Wax Tips recommend ONLY fluorine-free products. Older HP or P Toko waxes (Liquid or Hot Wax) contain fluorine. New labels look very similar but all say PFC Free. To see optimal application procedures for both Glidewax and Gripwax, go to the How To link at TokoUS.com.

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