

# WAX RECOMMENDATION **TOKO**<sup>®</sup>

## The Great Ski Race

Tahoe XC, Tahoe City, CA

Sunday, March 5

9 A.M.

26K, freestyle

Wave starts

1 Big Loop

<http://thegreatskirace.com>

**Forecast/Conditions:** Overnight low 18, temperature at start 19, with a high of 23. New snow on Saturday and snow likely on race day. Cloudy and windy with a 90 percent chance of snow during the race.

**Glidewax:** All participants: apply Base Performance Blue Hot Wax as a base, scrape and brush. Early finishers: then apply High Performance Blue Hot Wax/HP Red Hot Wax mixed 1:1; scrape and brush. Later finishers: then apply HP Red Hot Wax, scrape and brush.

**Gripwax:** Roughen base with 150 grit sandpaper, iron in Nordic Base Wax Green, cork smooth, let cool. Then apply 2-3 layers of Nordic GripWax Red, and finish with 1 layer of GripWax Blue, corking between layers.

**Structure:** A fine structure covered by one pass with the Blue Structurite tool after scraping and brushing the final Hot Wax will best suit these conditions.

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Check the [Wax Tips](#) page at [TokoUS.com](http://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](http://TokoUS.com).

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