

WAX RECOMMENDATION **TOKO[®]**

Snowshoe Thompson - Classic

Auburn Ski Club Training Center, Soda Springs, CA

Sunday, December 17

11 A.M.

5/10K, Classic only

Interval start, Multiple laps

<http://auburnskiclub.org>

Forecast/Conditions: Overnight low of 29, temperature at start 34, and a balmy high of 37. A mix of old sugar snow, transforming snow, and new rain/snow- a wintry mix. Cloudy with rain/snow possible and light winds.

Glidewax: Apply High Performance Blue Hot Wax, scrape and brush. Spray on High Performance Red Liquid Paraffin, let stand at least 2-4 hours, 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 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 3-5 layers of Nordic GripWax Red and Yellow, alternating and corking between layers. Start and finish with GripWax Red. Skin or Zero skis may also work. If using skin skis, treat skins with Eco Skin Proof. For best performance, apply Eco Skin Proof the day before the event.

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

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Racing - Service

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.