

Skadi's Chase

Elm Creek Park Reserve, Maple Grove, MN Saturday, December 9 8 A.M. 8K/4K, Freestyle Mass start on this 2K lap course www.threeriversparks.org/page/minnesota-nordic-ski-opener

Forecast/Conditions: Overnight low of 30 will be the first period of below-freezing temperatures since Wednesday evening. Partly sunny and breezy. Fifty percent chance of snow beginning at 6 AM and continuing throughout the races. Temperature at start forecast to be 31. Expect a moist, soft racing platform.

Glidewax: Apply High Performance Red Hot Wax, scrape and brush. Spray on HP LP Yellow, let stand up to 2 hours, then polish with the Liquid Paraffin Polishing Brush. If you do not have LP spray, apply Performance Red Hot Wax, scrape and brush, then apply HP Yellow Hot Wax, scrape and brush.

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

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