

WAX RECOMMENDATION



MICHIGAN HS CHAMPIONSHIP PURSUIT CLASSIC

Michigan Tech Nordic Trails, Houghton, MI – Saturday, March 1

9:30 A.M., 5k, Classic

Interval start on single lap course

<https://www.skitigers.com/2025-mi-state-championships.html>

Forecast/Conditions: Snow showers likely overnight mainly before 1 A.M. Mostly cloudy, with a low around 9F. Saturday partly sunny, with race time air temperature of 11. Expect snow to be combination of fresh powder and transformed mixed by machine work and tilling. Tracks are likely to be firm and mostly glazed.

Glidewax: Top layers such as Jet products are not permitted per the event rules. Apply BP Blue Hot Wax, scrape and brush, then spray on HP Liquid Paraffin Blue, stand overnight, brush and finish polishing with the merino wool roller. If you do not have LP, apply BP Blue Hot Wax, scrape and brush, then apply HP 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 1-2 short layers of Nordic GripWax Red, corking smooth between layers. Cover with 2 full layers of GripWax Blue, corking smooth between layers.

Structure: A fine structure covered by one pass with the Blue Structurite tool after scraping and brushing the final Hot Wax but before applying HP 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 you do not have High Performance wax, substitute Performance or Base Performance wax of the same color (Blue, Red or Yellow), as the temperature ranges are the same. For a more economical option, omit Jet topcoats. All Race Wax Tips recommend ONLY fluorine-free products. To see optimal application procedures for both Glidewax and Gripwax, go to the [How To](#) link at TokoUS.com.