



2016 British U16 and U14 Ski Championships

28 March-1 April 2016, Tignes, France

In partnership with



**Organised on behalf of
British Ski and Snowboard**

by the Organising Committee

Entry Form and Event Information

Welcome to the Delancey 2016 British U16 and U14 Ski Championships

We look forward to returning to Tignes, France again this year, with five days racing for the U16/U14 Championships. The programme includes a Speed Kombi, a race designed to test both the mental and physical ability of the athletes and which will be an integral part of the Championships. There will also be two Super-Gs, a Slalom and Giant Slalom. Races for U12/U10 skiers will be run in conjunction with the U16/U14 Championships and we are again offering the top U12 racers the opportunity to compete in the U14 Giant Slalom. There will be a parallel slalom in the evening on Wednesday 1st April for teams of 4: 1 member from each of U16, U14, U12 and U10 including at least one member of the opposite gender. Please note, however, that the programme is provisional and dependent on local conditions.

We owe a big thank you to Jamie Ritblat and Delancey for once again sponsoring the Championships and special thanks must go to the Chairman of Delancey's Advisory Board, Sir John Ritblat. 2016 will be the 38th year that Sir John has been involved with sponsorship of the sport and without this support of the Championships and the team we would really struggle.

Tignes is a high altitude resort with extensive facilities. We are relieved that there will be no competition for these facilities from other British events in the resort this year, and we have every confidence that Tignes will provide the British Championships with excellent races.

We have kept entry fees the same as last year despite facing an increase of €20,000 in the costs of staging the event. We have also not been provided with lift tickets for athletes and coaches and it will be necessary for competitors and their supporters to purchase tickets for the lifts that provide access to the race pistes. Despite these unfortunate changes, Tignes offered us the best arrangement available and we have been able to secure a deal for one-day tickets (see Page 7 for the only mechanism available to access these tickets). Alternatively you can purchase Tignes or Espace Killy lift passes from STGM.

Best wishes for a successful season and I look forward to seeing you all in Tignes.



Maud Instone
Chief of Championships

Organising Committee

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Chief of Race Super-G and GS
Chief of Race Slalom
Race Secretary
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BRITISH U16 AND U14 SKI CHAMPIONSHIPS **PERPETUAL TROPHIES AND PRIZES**

Prizes will be awarded to boys and girls in 1st, 2nd, and 3rd British places in U14 and U16 categories. Trophies are only presented to British Passport holders/British citizens.

NOTE: If you currently hold a perpetual trophy please bring it to the Race Office, Tignespace, Tignes Le Lac. If you are not attending the event you can return it to the Race Secretary. See contact details on Page 6.

SLALOM

U16 Boys' Slalom Champion:	Aberdeen Ski Club Quaich
U16 Girls' Slalom Champion:	Southampton Ski Club Cup
U14 Boys' Slalom Champion:	Pindisport Cup
U14 Girls' Slalom Champion:	Midland Ski Club Cup

GIANT SLALOM

U16 Boys' Giant Slalom Champion:	Ski Council Of Wales Trophy
U16 Girls' Giant Slalom Champion:	Hillend Salver
U14 Boys' Giant Slalom Champion:	Dolphin Ski Club Cup
U14 Girls' Giant Slalom Champion:	Kandahar Ski Club Cup

SUPER G

U16 Boys' Super G Champion:	Rolls Royce Trophy
U16 Girls' Super G Champion:	British Aerospace Trophy
U14 Boys' Super G Champion:	DHO Rosebowl
U14 Girls' Super G Champion:	Hautes Alpes Cup

COMBINED

U16 Boys' Combined Champion:	Ski Plan Trophy
U16 Girls' Combined Champion:	Coupe de la Municipalité de L'Alpe d'Huez
U14 Boys' Combined Champion:	Schools Abroad Cup
U14 Girls' Combined Champion:	Lillywhite Cup

TEAM TROPHIES

BEST NAMED CLUB TEAM

U16 Boys' Team:	Cairngorm Quaich
U16 Girls' Team:	Dolphin Ski Club Cup
U14 Boys' Team:	Alpbach Visitors Ski Club Cup
U14 Girls' Team:	Kandahar Ski Club Cup

BEST CLUB

U16:	Tornes Trophy
U14:	Rose and Thistle Cup

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PROVISIONAL PROGRAMME

Prize giving will be in the finish area shortly after each event

Sunday 27 March	Team Captains' meeting for U16 and U14 GS/SG Kombi	1700hrs
Monday 28 March	U16 and U14 GS/SG Kombi Team Captains' meeting for U16/U14 Super-G <i>Team Captains' meeting for U12/U10 SL/GS Kombi AND Giant Slalom</i>	1700hrs 1730hrs
Tuesday 29 March	U16 and U14 Super-G <i>U12/U10 Kombi</i> Team Captains' meeting for U16/U14 Super-G and Team Parallel Slalom	1700hrs
Wednesday 30 March	U16 and U14 Championship Super-G <i>U12/U10 Giant Slalom</i> Team Captains' meeting for U16 Slalom and for U14 Giant Slalom (<i>with top 10 U12 boys and girls from GS</i>) Team Parallel Slalom (evening)	1600hrs
Thursday 31 March	U16 Slalom U14 Giant Slalom (<i>with top 10 U12 boys and girls from GS</i>) Team Captains' meeting for U16 Giant Slalom and U14 Slalom	1700hrs
Friday 1 April	U16 Giant Slalom U14 Slalom	

Please note that the programme is subject to change depending on local conditions.

Entry information regarding the U12 and U10 events can be found at www.britski.org

RACE INFORMATION

Registration and Seeding

The British U16 and U14 Ski Championships are open to competitors in the following age categories

U16	2000 - 2001
U14	2002 - 2003

All British participants must be correctly registered with BASS through their Home Nation.

Eligibility

The British TD Forum and Alpine Executive have agreed to impose a maximum of 400 BASS points for Children as the acceptance criteria for the British U16 and U14 Championships, using the 4th BASS list valid from 28th March.

Appeals to the Jury by foreign members of British clubs or by racers of British nationality who have trained outside the club or British system who are able to show race results, and by BASS registered competitors achieving the necessary points after the closing date, will be considered in the resort.

Race Entries

Where possible **please enter online:** www.britski.org/online.htm

Please note that by entering online you agree to the contents of the Declaration on P8.

Postal Entries: Please complete page numbers 8, 9 & 10, and return, along with the correct remittance and before the closing date to: Ros Humphrey (Race Secretary), Puffins, Lower Station Road, Newick, East Sussex, BN8 4HU.

Entries must be received no later than **Monday 14th March 2016** otherwise a double entry fee will be applicable, and entry is not guaranteed.

NOTE: The online system will not collect additional data, such as your contact details in Tignes. Please complete a paper copy of page 9, entry form, and bring to the race office on arrival in Tignes.

Acceptance

The Organising Committee will assess all entries and accept those from racers deemed to be of an appropriate standard. In the event of non-acceptance for any reason, the competitor has the right to appeal in writing to the Organising Committee, prior to the start of the competition. Should more than the maximum number of entries considered appropriate be received, racers will be accepted in seed point order. Every effort will be made to contact those who have not been accepted; however the Organising Committee accepts no responsibility in the event that contact cannot be made for any reason. A provisional list of British Entries will be posted on www.britski.org by Monday 21st March 2016.

Late Entries

Late entries after Monday 14th March 2016 within the qualifying standards will be accepted only in very exceptional circumstances and upon payment of double the entry fee. No guarantees can be made regarding the chances of a late acceptance and any hopeful competitor travelling to the resort before acceptance does so at his/her own risk of incurring any expense should he/she not be accepted for the Championships.

Entry Fees

Competitors must be aware that the Organising Committee incurs substantial financial liabilities in organising these events and entry fees are unlikely to be returned if the event is cancelled. The jury will consider possible refunds, or part refunds, if a competitor is ill / injured before the first team captains' meeting of the competition. No refunds will be made in resort. Such requests must be accompanied by a relevant medical certificate.

Club Team Competitions

For the Best Club and Best Named Club competitions, athletes may only compete for their first named club as published on the 4th BASS list 2016. No changes will be allowed in the resort, except in the most exceptional circumstances and with the prior approval of the Organising Committee and clubs involved.

Should athletes wish to compete for a different club from that shown on the current BASS list, they must notify their Home Nation in writing no later than Friday 4th March, so that the change can be incorporated in the 4th BASS list.

Parallel Slalom

The floodlit Parallel Slalom on Wednesday 30th March will be for teams of four with one racer from each category: U16, U14, U12 and U10. At least one member of the team must be of the opposite gender. Only athletes entered in at least two other events at the U16/U14 or one at the U12/U10 races will be eligible. There is no entry fee for the parallel slalom.

Photographs

If you do not consent to publication of your / your child's image, taken at The British Championships, please complete the opt-out form on Page 11, and return with your application form.

Equipment Regulations

Competitors and coaches are reminded that it is their responsibility to ensure that their equipment, including ski length and radius conforms to discipline specifications. The latest FIS information can be found at <http://www.fis-ski.com/inside-fis/document-library/alpine-skiing/#deeplink=rules> and select [Specifications for Competition Equipment and Commercial Markings](#). Please also see the BCR for amendments to the FIS rules: <http://www.gbski.com/rules.php#BCR> and <http://www.gbski.com/docstore/OTHER/Helmets%20for%20Alpine%20Ski%20Racing%20V4.pdf>

Helmets

It is mandatory for all competitors and forerunners in all disciplines to wear a crash helmet that conforms to the competition equipment specification. Helmets used in FIS snowsport shall be specifically designed and manufactured for the particular discipline and shall bear a CE mark and conform to recognised and appropriate standards – see FIS and gbski links under Equipment Regulations above.

Child Welfare

A specified member of the Organising Committee will be responsible for all aspects of Child Welfare.

Anti-doping Regulations

All competitors must comply with FIS anti-doping regulations. Information is available at: <http://www.fis-ski.com/inside-fis/medical-antidoping/anti-doping/>

Medical Officer

A specified member of the Organising Committee will be nominated as Medical Officer throughout the duration of the Championships.

The Race Office/Team Captains' Meetings

The race office will be situated at Tignespace in Tignes Le Lac. The office contact number will be communicated, along with provisional entry list, on www.britski.org on Monday 21st March. The Team Captains' Meetings will also take place in Tignespace.

Advance Race Office

All enquiries regarding entries should be made to Ros Humphrey (Race Secretary) ros.humphrey@btinternet.com

Race Programme

All U16/U14 and U12/U10 racing will take place on the Stade at Tignes Val Claret (subject to weather and local conditions at the time). Access is via Tichot and Grattalu chairlifts. The Race Organisation in conjunction with the GBR TD reserves the right to rearrange the race programme if deemed necessary by weather or other local conditions.

Results

In the interests of the environment, all race results will be posted on:

www.britski.org and <http://www.britishalpinechamps.com/>

Paper results will be available to Team Captains only.

Lift Passes and Accommodation

We have negotiated a deal for daily lift passes for racers and their support teams. These passes cover the race slopes and include the lifts Tichot, Grattalu, Col du Palet and Merles. Anyone wishing to take advantage of this offer MUST order their total requirement of daily tickets and pay for them in advance through the BSS web shop at £15 each per person per day.

See <https://shopdesq.imgstg.com/index.cfm?fuseaction=main&OrgID=8260>

These will NOT be available for purchase in resort.

Tignes will provide accommodation packages for any Competitor or supporter/family member: Deals start at €350 per person per week based on a studio for 4 people fully occupied. This price is available if the booking is made through the Group Department of Tignes Développement Central Booking Office:

groupe@tignes.net

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DECLARATION

By entering online, you agree to the contents of this declaration.
Postal Entries, should complete and return with entry form and fee.
(if under 18, to be signed by a parent/guardian)

COMPETITOR'S NAME _____

1. I am eligible to enter these Championships
2. I fully understand that a high standard of behaviour is expected of all competitors on and off the snow. I agree to accept the ruling of the Organising Committee on all disciplinary matters to the extent that racers may be sent home, excluded from races or have prizes withheld in cases of a breach of discipline or unacceptable behaviour, and that in the case of such an occurrence no monies will be refunded.
3. I am medically fit to race.
4. I undertake to be fully insured for racing (including accident, illness and third party cover), and will produce proof of such insurance to the Organising Committee, if required.
5. I will attend the prize giving and understand that I will relinquish any claims to prizes, trophies or any other benefits should I fail to do so.
6. I agree that if I am awarded a perpetual trophy, I will have it engraved, safeguard it and return it before the next Championships as requested by the Organising Committee.
7. I hereby free and relieve the Organising Committee, their officers, employees and voluntary assistants of any liability for injury, loss or damage of any kind incurred by me/my child whether due to gross negligence or otherwise.
8. I have signed a copy of the competitor's waiver (Athlete Declaration), and I have a valid BASS start number.
9. I understand that the entry fee is not refundable, even if one or more of the races are cancelled if the Organising Committee has incurred liabilities in setting up the Championships.
10. These Championships are run under BCR Rules, and these will apply at all times.

Declaration

I agree to the terms and conditions listed above.

Signed:

Dated:

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Postal Entry Form

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Competitors Details – Please write clearly in block letters

SURNAME		FORENAME		GENDER	M / F
DATE OF BIRTH					
ADDRESS					
POSTCODE					
TELEPHONE	(FOR CONTACT BEFORE THE COMPETITION)				
MOBILE NUMBER	(FOR CONTACT WHEN IN COMPETITION)				
CONTACT EMAIL					
NATIONALITY					
SKI CLUB					
BASS NUMBER		ENTRY REFERENCE NO.			
CHILDEN STATUS (PLEASE CIRCLE)	U14 (YOB 2002-2003)		U16 (YOB 2000-2001)		

If you **do not** wish your details shared with our sponsorship companies please tick here. ☐

Postal Entry Form (Page 2)

Please tick which events you wish to enter
Entry Fee £45 per event

Please note dates are provisional

Kombi U16 and U14	28 th March	☐	£45
Super G U16 and U14	29 th March	☐	£45
Super G U16 and U14 Championships	30 th March	☐	£45
Slalom U16	31 st March	☐	£45
Giant Slalom U14	31 st March	☐	£45
Giant Slalom U16	1 st April	☐	£45
Slalom U14	1 st April	☐	£45

(Double fees will apply after Monday 14th March 2016)

Total payable £

Payment Details

If sending a Postal Entry, please make cheque payable to "BSS" and return with your entry to: Ros Humphrey, Puffins, Lower Station Road, Newick, East Sussex, BN8 4HU. Please return pages 8, 9 and 10 by Monday 14th March 2016.

If possible please enter online, rather than sending a Postal Entry, go to
www.britski.org/online.htm

All competitors must:
Have signed the Athlete Declaration
Must be adequately insured for ski racing
Must comply with World Anti-Doping Agency anti-doping regulations
Must have agreed the terms by signing the declaration, or agreeing to the declaration
by entering online – the declaration is outlined on page 8

Thank you

British Ski and Snowboard

OPT OUT FORM

EVENT: BRITISH U16 AND U14 CHAMPIONSHIPS

COMPETITOR'S NAME _____

I _____ (insert parent/guardian full name)

DO NOT consent to the publication of an image of

_____ (name of young person)
under BSS's Child Protection and Best Practice guidelines and I confirm that I am legally entitled to sign this form.

Signature of Parent/Guardian: _____

Date:

I _____ (name of young person)

DO NOT CONSENT to the publication of my image at this event under BSSs Child Protection Policy and Best Practice guidelines.

Signature of Young Person: _____

Date:

Please return this form to: The Race Secretary with your entry forms.

Event Organiser: British Ski and Snowboard