

## **ENGLISH INDOOR SKI/SNOWBOARD CROSS CHAMPIONSHIPS 2015**

# Saturday 27th June, 2015

## **Chill Factore, Manchester**

The 2015 English Indoor Ski/Snowboard Cross Championships will take place on Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> of June, 2015 at Chill Factore, Manchester.

## **Eligibility Criteria**

The event is open to all athletes who are registered as a performer with a Home Nation (Snowsport England/Snowsport Scotland/Snowsport Wales) and to all members of clubs who are affiliated with a Home Nation.

Athletes who wish to compete who are not registered with a Home Nation or a member of an affiliated club can pay an additional fee of £5 for a daily registration which needs to be paid on the day at the time of registration.

The maximum field size is 120 athletes.

## **Entry fee**

The entry fee for the event - £35

Bib deposit - £10

Online Entry Form - <a href="https://secure.jotformpro.com/form/31575745766972">https://secure.jotformpro.com/form/31575745766972</a>

#### **Programme**

8am - 9.20am - Registration and bib issue

9.30am – 10.30am - Course Practice (in bib order and maximum of 2 runs per competitor)

10.30am - 10.40am - Officials Meeting/Course Prep

10.45am - 12.45pm - Timed individual seeding runs

12.45pm - 1.15pm - Course Prep and race brackets published

1.30pm - Finals

5.30pm - Prize Giving (or earlier)

#### (ALL TIMES SUBJECT TO CHANGE)

### **Timed Individual Seeding Runs**

All athletes will complete two timed seeding runs to determine who progresses to the knock-out rounds and the seeding for the knock-out round.

The timed individual runs will take place in bib order and category order starting with the youngest age group through to the Masters. It will run as follows;

- 1. Female Snowboard
- 2. Male Snowboard
- 3. Female Ski
- 4. Male Ski

All riders will have 2 timed runs with the best time to be used for seeding. If an athlete fails or is disqualified on both runs then they will be seeded at the end of the group. The fastest 16 athletes in each age category will progress to the knock-out rounds.

#### **Knock-Out Rounds**

The fastest 16 in each category will progress into the knock-out rounds. If an athlete finishes outside of the top 16 in their category **they will not progress to the knock-out rounds.** 

Riders will compete two at a time in the knock-out rounds based on seeding from the timed runs. The first rider to cross the line will progress to the next round. Athletes who are knocked out in the semi-finals will compete in a small final to determine positions  $3^{rd}$  and  $4^{th}$ .

Riders who are knocked out in the quarter finals (round of 8) will be ranked on time for positions 5-8 and riders who are knocked out in the round of 16 will be ranked on time for positions 9-16. Riders who don't progress to the finals (round of 16) will be ranked according to time from the qualification runs.

## **Overall English Champion title**

The winner of the overall title will be awarded to the winner of the Open/Senior age category (male ski/female ski, male snowboard/female snowboard). Riders who wish to compete in the open category instead of their age group are welcome to do so and must inform organisers at the time of registration. Any athlete who chooses to do this will not be ranked in their age groups, only the open category. Please let the organisers know if you wish to compete in the Open at the time of making the online registration. Changes to age categories will not be accepted on the day of competition.

## Age Categories (YEAR OF BIRTH)

2006 U12/KIDS 2005 U12/KIDS 2004 U12/KIDS 2004 U12/KIDS

2003 U14/YOUTH

2002 U14/YOUTH 2001 U16/YOUTH 2000 U16/YOUTH

1999 U18/YOUTH 1998 U18/JUNIOR

1997 U20/JUNIOR

1996 U20/JUNIOR

1995 OPEN

1994 OPEN

1993 OPEN

1992 OPEN

1991 OPEN

1990 OPEN

1989 OPEN

1988 OPEN

1987 OPEN

1986 OPEN

1985 > MASTERS

The organiser reserves the right to merge age categories if fields are small in certain categories.

## **Contact**

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