

Canterbury Primary and Intermediate School Ski Races

Registration Information 2018

When: SUNDAY 19st August 2018
Entries Close: Friday 10th August 2018

Practice Day: Sunday 5th August 2018
(timed runs from 11 am – 1pm)

Race Postponement Date: SUNDAY 26th August 2018

We are pleased to again be the venue for the Canterbury Primary and Intermediate Ski races, an event where teams representing their schools participate for both individual and team awards.

For the first time, the 2018 Races will include a separate boardercross course for snowboarders. The boardercross is an individual only event and will not contribute to the Teams competition.

This **fun** skiing event consists of dual slalom course for boys and girls of all age groups from Year 1 to Year 8. **No previous ski-racing experience is necessary, merely sufficient skill to ride a T-bar Ski Lift and ski groomed, easy slopes.**

There will be medals for individual performance, plus an overall team trophy for both primary and intermediate school teams.

The emphasis is on **fun**, and introducing children to the excitement of ski-racing. Most of the children's time will be spent just skiing freely and enjoying other activities on the day.

How to get to Mt Cheeseman:

Mt Cheeseman Ski Area is situated in the Craigieburn Range, 112 kms from Christchurch, on Highway 73 to Arthur's Pass and the West Coast, approximately 90 minutes from Christchurch. Click [HERE](#) to go Google Maps.

The field's access road is a kilometre or so west of Castle Hill Village. For more information on the Ski Area, access and its facilities click [HERE](#) to visit our website.

Race Timetable

Time	Activity	Comment
8:00am – 9:45am	Race Registration	
9:00am – 9:30am	Course Inspection	<ul style="list-style-type: none">At the discretion of Mt Cheeseman as stated in the Race Policy.
9:45am	Competition Commences	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Race order will be set on the day.
3:30pm	Prize Giving	



Cancellations or Postponements and Road Information

- Internet Snow Report can be found on our website: www.mtcheeseman.co.nz
- On race day from 6am on the ski area telephone: (03)318-8794

Lift Passes and Entry Fees

Lift Passes

- Participating children receive a lift pass with their race registration
- One discount voucher will be provided per child, for a parent or supervising adult.
- Each team will receive one complimentary adult lift pass for the Race Day Team Supervisor.

Entry Fees

- Primary School Student (Year 1 to 6) \$40.00 per racer
- Intermediate School Student (Year 7 to 8) \$40.00 per racer

Vouchers will be supplied so **one parent per child** can obtain a discounted Lift Pass from the ticket office.

Mt Cheeseman: Race Policy

Please read the below and ensure that you are conversant with our policy.

- It is compulsory for ALL racers to wear helmets
- Race uniforms i.e. racing suits/jackets are NOT to be worn
- All competitors compete as individuals. For the team event, a point system allocated to the top 5 (five) place getters to determine team results.
- Teams are:
 - * **Primary** – Years 1 to 6
 - * **Intermediate** – Years 7 & 8
- Ski teams must have a **minimum of 4 members**. There is no fixed format for a team entry, schools may enter any combination of age and gender
- The ski race will be a **dual slalom ski course** against the clock on 2 (two) parallel courses, a red and a blue course, over a short distance marked by light flexible racing poles. Everyone has one (1) run on each course, and results are calculated from both runs.
- The snowboard race will be a single boardercross course with several riders racing together in heats. Top placed riders from each heat will advance to semi-finals and top placed riders from each semi-final will advance to the final.
- **Course inspections** shall be solely at the discretion of the Chef De Course determined on the day. There will be no pre-runs except by the pre-designated forerunners. Any abuse of this rule may result in the disqualification of the offending racers.
- The overall winning ski teams (primary and intermediate) will be awarded a trophy each. Medals will be awarded to individual 1st, 2nd and 3rd placed boys and girls. The age group categories are
 - * **Group 1:** Year 1 & 2
 - * **Group 2:** Year 3 & 4
 - * **Group 3:** Year 5 & 6
 - * **Intermediate:** Year 7 & 8.
- **Risk Management Plan** – available on request
- Race Day Supervisors

On arrival on race day, please report to REGISTRATION DESK located in the day lodge, to pick up the team envelope containing bibs, lift tickets and vouchers. Team Supervisor Information will be distributed once entries have been received.



HOW TO REGISTER

Registration Forms

Two Registration Forms are available on the Cheeseman website to download [here](#). They are:

- **Canterbury Primary & Intermediate, School Students Ski Race - Student Registration**
 - * The **parent / guardian** of each student entering the race **MUST** complete this form, it is google docs format, and is automatically returned straight to Cheeseman.
- **Canterbury and Primary SCHOOL TEAM Registration Form**
 - * This form is for use by the School for registering their team. It is made up of two sheets.
 - * **Sheet A: Racer Info**
 - * **Sheet B: Authorisation.**

Registration Details

- **2018 ENTRIES CLOSE** on, and payment must be received before **Friday 10th August 2018**.
- Payments are to be made by internet banking to the Mt Cheeseman bank account as one full amount using the School name as a reference.
 - * BNZ Account Number: 02 0800 0916375 000
- Email entries to events@mtcheeseman.co.nz or post to P O Box 22178 Christchurch.
- **NO ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED ON RACE DAY.**
- No replacements of participants permitted on race day except at the discretion of the Race Organiser.
- All substitutes must be phoned through to the race organiser on the mountain by 2pm Saturday 18th August, 2018.
- Late entries (after 10th August 2018) may be accepted at the discretion of the organisers, a late entry fee of \$20 per entry may apply.
- Entry fees will be refunded on cancellation of the event, or if a child is withdrawn before 5 p.m. on Friday 17th August 2018.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION PLEASE CONTACT THE RACE ORGANISER:

Race Organiser	Email	Phone
Alan Hinman	events@mtcheeseman.co.nz	022 604 0894
Messages may be left at the Cheeseman Christchurch Office (03) 344 3247		

