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WASHINGTON GAMES

AND

WASHINGTON BIATHLON

PRESENT

SUMMER BIATHLON



Race #1 in the 2011 Summer Biathlon
WASHINGTON CUP SERIES

Individual Format

July 30, 2011

at the

Seattle Rifle & Pistol Association

725 135th Ave SE, Snohomish, WA



Washington Games / Washington Biathlon
Summer Biathlon Race Entry Form
 July 30, 2011

(Please print clearly)

NAME _____ DOB/AGE _____ / _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ E-MAIL _____

Due to insurance coverage and sanctioning regulations membership in the United States Biathlon Association is required for all participants. Annual (\$50) and per day (\$10) memberships will be available at the site. Note: We are not able/equipped to take credit or debit cards.

Entry Fee	\$50.00	\$50.00
WBA Membership (Optional: Nov. 1 - Oct. 31 annually)	25.00	
Per Race WBA Membership Discount	-5.00	
USBA Membership** # _____ (must show card)	See Application	

TOTAL \$

Please Circle: Male Female

Please make checks payable to:

Washington Biathlon Association
 PO Box 1716
 Issaquah, WA 98027-0069

Pre Competition Training: A U.S. Biathlon Association Safety Class is required to compete in this event. The WBA will provide U.S. Biathlon Safety Classes several times prior to this event. In addition the WBA will give a one-day Biathlon Orientation Clinic (which will include the Safety Class) in June, 2011. Visit www.wabiathlon.org for more information.

Season Points:
 For the 2011 Summer Biathlon Season, the International Biathlon Union race points system will be in effect. Points a competitor receives from each of the competitions will be totaled at the end of the September competitions and the male and female biathletes with the most points will be named WASHINGTON CUP 2011 Summer Biathlon Champions. See www.wabiathlon.org for dates and times of the competitions

WASHINGTON GAMES III and WASHINGTON BIATHLON ASSOCIATION
WAIVER AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY
PLEASE READ BEFORE SIGNING

In consideration of being allowed to participate in the Washington Games athletic/sports program, related events and activities, I, _____, the undersigned acknowledge, appreciate and agree that: participants name

1. The risk of injury from the activities involved in this program is significant, including the potential for injury, damage to property, permanent paralysis and death, and while particular rules, equipment, and personal discipline may reduce risk, the risk of serious injury does exist. I recognize that biathlon, running and rifle marksmanship can be extremely hazardous. I acknowledge there are risks and hazards associated with involvement in the Washington Biathlon Association. I state that I am, and those minors that I sign for are in proper physical condition to participate in strenuous activity, and;

2. I knowingly and freely assume all such risks, both known and unknown, EVEN IF ARISING FROM THE NEGLIGENCE OF THE RELEASEES or others, and assume full responsibility for my participation. I acknowledge and accept the risks associated with shooting and running, and;

3. I willingly agree to comply with the stated and customary terms and conditions for participation. If, however, I observe any unusual significant hazard during my presence or participation, I will remove myself from participation and bring such to the attention of the nearest official immediately; and

4. I, for myself and on behalf of my heirs, assigns, personal representative and next of kin, hereby release and hold harmless the Evergreen State Amateur Athletic Council, the Washington Biathlon Association, the Seattle Rifle and Pistol Association and the United States Biathlon Association, their officers, officials, agents and/or employees, other participants, sponsoring agencies, event venues/facilities, advertisers and if applicable, owners and lessors of premises used to conduct the event (releasees) with respect to any and all injury, disability, or loss or damage to person or property, whether arising from the negligence of the releases or otherwise, and;

5. I recognize that Biathlon involves the use of firearms and I certify that I am not disabled or barred from using or possessing firearms by any state or federal law or by ruling of any court or by any order of any court.

I HAVE READ THIS RELEASE OF LIABILITY AND ASSUMPTION OF RISK AGREEMENT AND FULLY UNDERSTAND ITS TERMS. I UNDERSTAND THAT I HAVE GIVEN UP SUBSTANTIAL RIGHTS BY SIGNING IT, AND, I SIGN IT FREELY AND VOLUNTARILY WITHOUT INDUCEMENT.

_____ Age: _____ Date Signed: _____
Participant Signature

FOR PARTICIPANTS OF MINORITY AGE (Under the age of 18 at the time of registration)

This is to certify that I, as parent/guardian with legal responsibility for this participant, do consent and agree to his/her release as provided above of all the Releasees, and, for myself, my heirs, assigns, and next of kin. I release and agree to indemnify the Releasees from any and all liabilities incident to my minor child's involvement or participation in these programs as provided above, EVEN IF ARISING FROM THE NEGLIGENCE OF THE RELEASEES, to the fullest extent permitted by law.

_____ Date Signed: _____
Parent/Guardian Signature

COMPETITION PARTICULARS:

Competition Site: The Seattle Rifle and Pistol Association (SRPA) is located at 725 135th Ave SE, Snohomish, WA. It is in unincorporated Snohomish, north of Hwy 2. Using MapQuest or similar direction finders are suggested. If you need directions e-mail bob.vallor@wabiathlon.org.

Eligibility: WBA races are open to all members of the United States Biathlon Association, age 7* and older, who have completed a USBA Rifle Safety Certification Course. One-day USBA memberships (\$10) are available at the site.

*Youth competitors under 14 must have the safety clinic and additional marksmanship training

Ammunition: Biathlon rifles use low or standard velocity .22-caliber ammunition with soft lead bullets. The WBA will supply 50 rounds to each competitor (if they request it). Additional ammunition, if needed will be sold at the race site for \$5 or \$7 for 50 rounds.

Volunteers: Volunteers are always needed. Please contact Race Director Bob Vallor at (206) 255-7588 or e-mail bob.vallor@wabiathlon.org if you can help. Volunteering is not difficult and is a great way to get to see the competition up close and to get to know the sport.

Safety Certification: There will be a safety certification course given at 8:30 am at the race site as well as at the WBA Newcomer Clinic on June 19th. Watch the WBA website for additional safety certification classes. Safety Certification by a U.S. Biathlon Certifier / Official is required prior to participation in and Biathlon competition.

Race Day Format and Schedule

Saturday will be a modified Individual format race: men's 7km and women's 4km with four shooting bouts.

- 8:30 to 9:30 am: USBA Safety Class
- 8:30 to 9:30 am: Onsite registration at the Range (pre-registering by mail is also available and encouraged) Sorry we cannot accept credit or debit cards. Make checks out to Washington Biathlon Association
- 10:00 to 10:15 am: Equipment Check – all competitors must go through equipment check
- 10:15 to 11:00 am: Zero - Rifle sight
- 11:15 am: Race time – Individual Start (Several heat start times may be posted, depending on numbers)

When to Arrive at the Range: Early arrival at the range is encouraged as help with range and course set-up that will be needed prior to zero. Please do your part and help with set-up before the race and breakdown after the race. Awards and prize raffles take place at the race site after breakdown is completed. We generally do not get done until 2:30 to 3:00 pm.

Rifles: Pool rifles will be available for novices and those without their own. These are Izhmash biathlon rifles. We only have a limited number of rifles to loan. Contact the race director well in advance of the event if you need to borrow a club rifle: bob.vallor@wabiathlon.org

Lodging: The official sponsor lodging for the Washington Game IV is the Marriott Hotels. The closest lodging is in Everett and Monroe.

WASHINGTON CUP Series Points: This is the second competition of the 2011 Summer Biathlon Series. Biathlon Competition Series Points are awarded based on finish position. After the September Competition, points will be totaled and the senior male, senior female, junior male, junior female, youth boys and youth girls biathletes with the most points will be named Washington Cup 2011 Champions. The IBU International Point System will be used.