

WAX RECOMMENDATION



Steamboat Stampede

Touring Center, Steamboat Springs, CO

Sunday, January 15

9:25 A.M. 42K/23K Classic

9:45 A.M. 42K/23K Skate

10 A.M. 10K/5K/3K distances

Wave starts on a 23K loop

<http://tinyurl.com/7eu8o7a>

Forecast/Conditions: Overnight low of 12 with an air temperature of 17 at start rising to 32 by noon. Mostly sunny skies making for cold dry snow on the Fish Creek climb and warmer snow in the lower flats later in the race.

Glidewax: Apply LF Moly, scrape and brush, then apply HF Blue, scrape and brush. Finish by rotocorking JetStream Blue, brush with a dedicated nylon polishing brush and polish with a thermopad.

Gripwax: Roughen base with 150 grit sandpaper, iron in a thick layer of Nordic Base Wax Green, cork smooth, let cool. Then apply 4-5 thin layers of Nordic GripWax blue, corking between layers. The thick layer of base green will come in handy for the 2nd lap climb up to the finish line.

Structure: A fine linear structure covered by one pass with the Blue Structurite tool (before JetStream application) will best suit these conditions.

Racing - Service

Check the WaxTip page at www.TokoUS.com before all of your races for the latest waxing information. The Toko Race Wax Tips offer racers precise waxing advice on how to make your skis perform optimally for a given event. For racers who don't have top end waxes, skip the Fluorocarbon (JetStream) and substitute the LF or System 3 wax of the same color (Yellow, Red or Blue). For those who do not have a rotocork for applying JetStream, the next best thing is to iron it in. To see optimal application procedures for both Glidewax and Gripwax, go to www.TokoVideos.com.