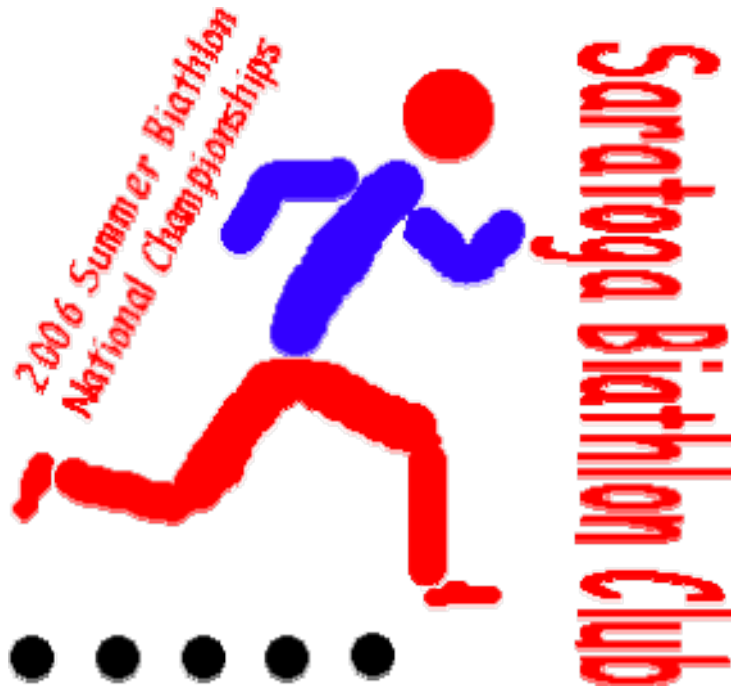


2006 Summer Biathlon National Championships and World Championship Selection Trials

Hosted by the Saratoga Biathlon Club, Day, NY



July 12-16, 2006

**Saratoga Biathlon Club
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Eligibility: The 2006 Summer Biathlon National Championships is an open event, no pre-qualification is required. Athletes who are competing for a selection to the World Championship Team must have competed in at least one prior summer biathlon competition in 2006. All athletes must own their own equipment. All athletes will run the same course regardless of class. Novice athletes may compete in the novice sprint race on July 15th, rifles and instruction will be provided.

Schedule

* Wednesday July 12	Official Training	10:00 AM – 2:00 PM
	Captains Meeting	6:00 PM – Jim and Betty's
* Thursday July 13	Bib Pick Up	8:00 AM
	Zero	9:00 AM
	Men's Mass Start	10:00 AM
	Women's Mass Start	11:00 AM
* Friday July 14	Bib Pick Up	8:00 AM
	Accuracy Match Zero	9:00 AM
	Preliminary Round	10:00 AM
	Elimination Rounds	11:00 AM
	Captains Meeting	6:00 PM – Jim and Betty's
* Saturday July 15	Bib Pick Up	8:00 AM
	Zero	9:00 AM
	Women's Sprint	10:00 AM
	Men's Sprint	11:00 AM
	Novice Sprint	12:30 PM
	Banquet	6:00 PM – Bend of the River Golf Club
* Sunday July 16	Bib Pick Up	8:00 AM
	Zero	9:00 AM
	Men's Pursuit	10:00 AM
	Women's Pursuit	11:00 AM

Website: www.saratogabiathlon.20m.com

Registration Deadline: July 10, 2006 Entries received after this date must include an additional \$10 late fee. Athletes entering the Novice Sprint race, may do so at any time without penalty.

Additional Information: Additional information is available at the club's website.

Each competitor must complete the waiver below.

WAIVER AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY

I acknowledge and agree to be bound by the following:

1. Identification of Risks. I understand that participation in any athletic activity, including but not limited to, preparation for, participation in, and coaching of activities in summer biathlon competitions and clinics, involve risk of serious injury, including permanent disability, death, and other losses, due to inactions or negligence of myself or others.

2. Assumption of the Risk. I agree that I am responsible for my safety while participating in activities associated with Saratoga Biathlon Club and the United States Biathlon Association, and that such responsibility includes participation only; a) when I am both physically and psychologically prepared to participate safely, b) after fully familiarizing myself with the venue before beginning the activity, and c) while using the equipment of a type and condition reasonably necessary to safely participate. I assume all risk connected with responsibility for any injury or loss connected with my participation.

3. Waiver, Aware of the risks and willing to assume them, I hereby waive, release and agree to hold harmless the Saratoga Biathlon Club, and the United States Biathlon Association, its affiliates, subsidiaries, officers, directors, employees, agents, coaches, trainers, doctors, officials, event organizers or sponsors (Released Parties) from any and all claims by me for any liability, injury, loss or damage in any way connected with my participation in activities associated with the Saratoga Biathlon Club and the United States Biathlon Association., except where caused by the gross negligence or willful or wanton misconduct of any of the Released Parties. I intend for this waiver and release to also apply to any relatives, personal representatives, heirs, beneficiaries, next of kin, or assigns who may pursue any legal action or claim on my behalf.

4. Insurance I currently have, and agree to maintain throughout the time that I train and compete, valid and sufficient medical and accident insurance. I understand that this is my sole responsibility and release all persons and entitles from providing this coverage for me.

Signature _____ Date _____

Printed Name _____

For competitors of Minor Age

This is to certify that, as parent/legal guardian of this above named minor. I do hereby acknowledge and consent to his/her agreement to be bound by each of the terms and conditions identified above.

Signature _____ Date _____

Printed Name _____