





RACE	BSSF National Championship Races 3 and 4, and IFSS World Cup Event Saturday 12 <sup>th</sup> and Sunday 13 <sup>th</sup> January 2019 Gate 8 Rendlesham Forest Woodbridge Suffolk IP12 3PF
	England
ORGANISER	The BSSF Race Marshal: Matt Hammersley Chief Judge: Rod Frost Trail Boss: Stuart Malcolmson
ENTRY FEES	BSSF members £28.40 for each class entered (You will need your membership number to hand)  Non - members £37.80 for each class entered  Junior entries £16.50 for members £22 non-members
	Recreational class (Sat only) £1 per dog enter on the day  Please note that if you enter more than one class, whilst we will try to accommodate this in the start lists, we cannot guarantee there will be enough time for you to get round in time. As the second day's starts are seeded based on the results on day one, we cannot alter these to accommodate you so please bear this in mind.
ENTRIES	All entries are via our online system at www. bookitzone.com
CLOSING DATE	Entries close MIDDAY 04/01/2019 – no late entries will be accepted.
DIRECTIONS	Directions, Site is open from 12:00 (mid-day) Friday. From A14: Take the A12 North (signed Lowestoft). After 7 miles, at roundabout, turn right, (signed Bawdsey B1152 and Rendlesham Forest Centre). Keep on this road for approximately 2 miles and then turn left at the roundabout following Orford B1084. Stay on B1084 for approximately 4 miles. Entrance to the forest will be signposted on the right.
TRAIL DESCRIPTION	Rendlesham Forest offers grass and sand trails with short crossover sections of rounded pebbles. The terrain is gently undulating.
TRAIL DISTANCE	All classes (including DR4J) 3.5 miles +/- approx. Juniors (11-14 years) 2 mile +/- approx. 1 Mile +/- for younger junior age groups
AGES – DOGS & DRIVERS	The age of the athlete is taken from the age the athlete will be on the 31st of December at the end of that racing season, this age will be the athlete's age for that full racing season. The age of a dog will be 18 months old for scooter and bikejor and 12 months old for all other classes from the first day of the race. (Please note if you enter DS2 with a rig your dogs MUST be 18 months old)

CLASSES	DR8 / DR8NB - No more than 8 dogs, no less than 5 (4 wheeled rigs, must have all wheels braking) DR6; DR6NB; DR6NB other - No more than 6 dogs, no less than 4 (4 wheeled rigs, must have all wheels braking or 3 wheel rigs may be used at the Race Marshals discretion, all wheel braking) DR4; DR4NB; DR4NB other - No more than 4 dogs, no less than 3 DBM /DBW; DBMNB/DBWNB; DBMNB other/DBWNB other - 1 dog Bikejor, Men / Women (Elite/Veteran) DS2; DS2NB; DS2NB other- 2 dog scooter (A 3 wheel rig may be used BUT all dogs MUST be 18 months old) DS1; DS1NB; DS1NB other - 1 dog scooter DCM/DCW; - 1 dog Canicross Men / Women (Elite/Veteran) DR4J; DR4JNB; DR4JNB other 14 - 18 yrs - No more than 4 dogs, no less than 3 DBMJ Male junior Bikejor 16 -18 DBFJ Female junior Bikejor 16 -18 DCMJ; DCWJ - 1 dog Canicross 14 - 18yrsMale/Female DCJ - 1 dog Canicross 10 - 14 yrs DCJ - 1 dog Canicross 7 - 10 yrs (may be accompanied by an adult) DS1J - 1 dog scooter junior 14 - 18 yrs DR2J; DR2JNB; DR2JNB other - 2 dog rig, 12 - 14 years only DR1J; DR1JNB; DR1JNB other - 1 dog rig, 8 - 12 years only Recreational, non-timed canicross, scooter, bikejor or rig (max 8 dogs per team) Saturday only. Enter on the day
WORLD CUP POINTS	Drivers with DID numbers will be eligible to gain World Cup points at this race. Where necessary results of classes will be combined to give the relevant results. Please note you need to apply for a DID by 20 <sup>th</sup> December at the latest to allow time for the IFSS to issue one in time for this race. (DID numbers are published on the IFSS website when issued.)
COMPETITOR MEETING	08:00 Saturday 12/01/2019
START TIMES	09:00 Saturday, 8:00 Sunday (Subject to change, but will NOT be earlier)
HELPERS DUTIES	COMPULSORY - a list will be available at the musher's meeting. If time allows this will be posted on the BSSF website & Facebook pages
FACILITIES	Camping without electric hook up is available and MUST be pre-booked and paid for in advance through the BSSF. (All details are on our website at www.sleddogsportsgb.com)  There will be toilets and catering on site. Vegetarian options will be available  No open fires or loose dogs are allowed on site.
VET IN ATTENDANCE	To be confirmed
VET ON CALL	Details will be clearly posted and available at the event

Please read the IFSS rules before entering this race. These can be found on the IFSS website. http://www.sleddogsport.net

New antidoping rules may apply from 1st January 2019.

General guidance is available from the IFSS website at:

http://www.sleddogsport.net/anti-doping/anti-doping-rules/

The updated prohibited list can be downloaded from the Wada website: <a href="https://www.wada-ama.org/en/">https://www.wada-ama.org/en/</a>

All competitors MUST be on site prior to the race starting, there will be no admittance once the race is under way. Spectators are welcome.

## **Course inspection:**

Course inspection on foot or bicycle is allowed on Friday evening and Saturday morning before the competitors meeting.

## Stakeout/campsite:

Loose dogs are not allowed on the campsite or stakeout at any time. Please keep all dogs on leads.

#### RNB:

RNB means Siberian Husky, Alaskan Malamute, Canadian Eskimo Dog, Greenland Dog or Samoyed. All RNB dogs must have the appropriate Kennel Club registration paperwork which you must bring to registration as evidence.

# ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

## Vaccinations:

All Dogs must be vaccinated in accordance with IFSS rules and you must bring evidence of this to registration

## **Borrowed Dogs:**

If you are borrowing dogs, you must have written consent from the owner.

### Insurance:

You must hold adequate insurance to race and evidence of this must be brought to registration please.

## **Selection Process:**

Details of the qualification and selection process for the British Team can be found on our website. For qualification and selection purposes where a class doesn't exist amalgamation of results may be applicable.

Please remember to download and complete the additional forms required as part of the entry process and bring these to registration.

## **Competitor Waiver**

## **Guardian consent form (for Juniors)**

Chip List (one for each class entered and for all non-competing dogs.

## **Speakers Notes**

These are all on our website and on the entry page at <a href="http://www.bookitzone.com">http://www.bookitzone.com</a>