



WASHINGTON BIATHLON

PRESENTS

SUMMER BIATHLON COMPETITION #3 MOUNTAIN BIKE BIATHLON #3

OF THE

WASHINGTON CUP SERIES

Mass Start Format

(6km Men and 5km Women, M4 Men and Juniors)

FOLLOWED BY

MOUNTAIN BIKE BIATHLON

(9km Men and 6km Women, M4 Men and Juniors)

October 7th, 2018

at the

Seattle Police Athletic Association

11030 E. Marginal Way S, Tukwila, WA

RANGE SET UP AND PRACTICE OCTOBER 6th, 2018 FOR SAFETY CERTIFIED COMPETITORS

COMPETITION PARTICULARS:

Competition Site: The Seattle Police Athletic Association (SPAA) is located at 11030 East Marginal Way S, Seattle, WA. It is south of Boeing Field a few blocks south of the Boeing Access Rd. From I-5 take Exit 158 and go west to East Marginal Way S then south underneath the light rail tracks. Look for the SPAA sign (low) and the WBA banner on the fence at the entry driveway.

Eligibility: WBA races are open to all members of the United States Biathlon Association, age 8* and older, who have completed a USBA Rifle Safety Certification Course. One-day USBA memberships are included in the entry fee.

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

Ammunition: Biathlon rifles use standard velocity .22-caliber ammunition with 40 grain lead bullets. Ammunition, if needed will be sold at the race site for \$6 for a box of 50 rounds with a limit of two boxes per day.

Volunteers: Volunteers are always needed. Please contact Race Director Bob Vallor via e-mail bob.vallor(at)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. Watch the WBA website for additional safety certification classes. Safety Certification by a U.S. Biathlon Official is required prior to participation in a Biathlon competition.

Race Day Format and Schedule

Saturday will be range set up and practice for competitors who have been USBA Safety Certified

Sunday will be a modified Individual format race: men's 7km and women's 6km with four shooting bouts.

- 8:30 to 9:30 am: USBA Safety Class (if needed)
- 8:30 to 9:30 am: Onsite registration at the Range (pre-registering by Web-Scorer is required)
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-in
- 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 if you need to borrow a club rifle: bob.vallor(at)wabiathlon.org

Lodging: The nearest lodging is along International Blvd. near SeaTac International Airport, about five miles south from the race site.

WASHINGTON CUP Series Points: This is the third competition of the 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 season Champions. The IBU International Point System will be used.

**Washington Biathlon Association
Summer Biathlon Race Entry Form**

Date of Race _____

(Please print clearly)

NAME _____ DOB/AGE _____ / _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ E-MAIL _____

Please Circle: Male Female

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		see discounts below
	Juniors & Youth \$30		
WBA Annual Membership	\$25 (not required but triggers discount)		
WBA Member discount	Minus \$5 per day for WBA members		
USBA Membership # _____ (required)	Minus \$10 for USBA annual members		
	TOTAL		

**REGISTRATION BY WESCORER AND PAYMENT VIA PAYPAL IS REQUIRED UNLESS ADVANCED ARRANGEMENTS
ARE MADE TO REGISTER RACE DAY
SEND PAYPAL PAYMENT TO: bryn.black@wabiathlon.org
DAY OF RACE REGISTRATION – CASH OR CHECKS ONLY**

please make checks payable to:

Washington Biathlon Association
PO Box 30138
Seattle, WA 98113

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 on race morning if needed.

visit www.wabiathlon.org for more information.

Season Points:

For the 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 October competitions and the male and female biathletes with the most points will be named WASHINGTON CUP Summer Biathlon Champions in qualifying age categories. See www.wabiathlon.org for dates and times of the competitions

