

## A few things you need to know for this weekend

**It is colder than a witch's \_\_\_\_\_ in brass bra.**

Dress accordingly! Check each other for frostbite.

[https://www.wunderground.com/forecast/us/mi/boyne-falls?cm\\_ven=localwx\\_10day](https://www.wunderground.com/forecast/us/mi/boyne-falls?cm_ven=localwx_10day)

### **From the “Managing Expectations Department at Boyne Mountain”**

The south hill (Superbowl) may not be ready for prime time due to the generous amount of natural and Boyne-made snow. It may not have had a chance to “settle” into a hard enough surface for safe ski racing. If this is the case, come Saturday, all races will take place on the big hill next to chairlift (FIS).

**2018 race schedule is posted on our website:** <http://maccracing.org/schedule/index.php> You will notice the 3-day weekend, February 9-11 is TBD. Why? Because Boyne Mountain will celebrate 50 years of NASTAR at Midwest Regional Championships scheduled for February 10 & 11. We are trying to schedule our MACC races on Saturday and Sunday so as many MACC racers who would like to participate can do so without missing a MACC race. <https://www.nastar.com/news/boyne-mt-mi-will-host-midwest-regional-championships> As a matter of fact, the Toledo Ski Club was an avid NASTAR group in the 80's. So avid that we had a private NASTAR group race every Sunday from 11:30-noon. We rocked the NASTAR course in costumes and wigs, sometimes fully coated, others not so much. Oh, those were the days, my friends. Day-glo and one-piece ski suits, rear entry boots.... I digress.

**If you have not yet registered, please do so well before 9:30 on Saturday.** Any late registrations will be written in and you will run last in your class because start sheets will already be printed.

**We have 111 registered racers to date.** Numbers will rise with latecomers, we hope. We will have 22 guest High School racers on Course #3. Please welcome these potential MACC racers so we can get our numbers back up.

## **I know you wanna...**

**Want to be a rock star announcer?** Contact Shawn Hughes [sh@shawn.hughes.name](mailto:sh@shawn.hughes.name) We need a couple more to fill in the timing crew.

**Want to be a big man/woman on Boyne campus?** Contact Dennis [Parrottdennisparrott@gmail.com](mailto:Parrottdennisparrott@gmail.com) Looking for two Chiefs of Course to replace two who are unable to chief this season.

**Want to get your job assignment** online if you have not yet done so. <http://maccracing.org/macc-jobs/index.php>

Bill Perlmutter usually closes site on Thursdays. You can sign up early Saturday inside the Othmar as well. We are short on workers for Course #1.

**Want to learn more about being a Gate Judge,** the most important job on the hill?

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=U9nmXKAUQNY>

**Want to be a MACC sponsor? See Jim Geisling** [JimGeisling@yahoo.com](mailto:JimGeisling@yahoo.com)

He has some new ideas to provide sponsorship levels for members who want to promote their business and MACC at the same time.

**Want to train with the Masters?** Boyne Snowsports has confirmed. There will be Friday training.

Check this link for details and updates: <http://www.boyne.com/boynemountain/skiing-riding/ski-racing/boyne-masters>

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