

CHAMPIONSHIPS, COMPETITIONS & TROPHIES

CHAMPIONSHIP COMPETITIONS

A.1 **Race Programme.** Those competitions that are normally held at the Army Championships are shown in Table 1. Team events that are not relays will be held concurrently with individual competitions (e.g. the 10km Biathlon Sprint is both a team and an individual competition).

TABLE 1 – ARMY CHAMPIONSHIP COMPETITIONS

DISC	CAT	RACE	Princess Marina Cup (Team)	SAS & Kentish Cups (Team)	Women's Champion Team	Inter Service (Team)	Inter Corps (Team)	GBR National Individual Champs	BBU Club Champion (Individual)	
BIATHLON	MEN	20km Individual						S	S	
		15km Individual						J	J	
		12.5km Individual						Y SN JN	Y SN	
		10km Sprint	X	X		X	X	S J Y	S J Y SN	
		12.5km Mass Start						S J	S J	
		10km Mass Start						Y	Y SN	
		4 x 7.5km Relay	X	X						
	WOMEN	12.5km Individual						F	F FJ FN	
		7.5km Sprint			X			F	F FJ FN	
		10km Mass Start						F	F FJ FN	
		3 x 6km Relay			X					
	XC	MEN	15km Individual (Classic)	X	X		X	X	S J	
			10km Pursuit						S	
7.5km Pursuit								J SN		
4 x 10km (2 x CT, 2 x FT)				X						
Super 16 Sprint								S J		
WOMEN		10km Individual (Classic)			X			F		
		6km Pursuit						F		
		4 x 5km (2 x CT, 2 x FT)			X					
		Super 16 Sprint						F		
PATROL RACE			X	X	X					
ALPINE	MEN	Team Slalom	X							
		Team Giant Slalom	X							
		Team Super G	X							
		Team Downhill	X							

A.2 **Combination Competitions.** The competitions for each major Combination Championship trophy (e.g. Kentish Cup, Princess Marina Cup etc) are shown in Table 1. In relays and the Patrol Race the overall team time (all 4 skiers) is recorded. In team events based on individual competitions, the times of the best 3 skiers from a team of 4 give the team time. If only 3 skiers start the race the time of all 3 is added together.

A.3 **Finishing Place.** Team combination championships are decided by allocating a point score to each competing team equal to its Finishing Place in each competition. The Finishing Place is the position, relative only to those competing in each trophy, as recorded in the official race results. Any team that starts in a competition but fails to finish or is

disqualified will be given the point score of the last team to finish the competition plus one. If a team does not start a competition, for any reason whatsoever, it will be given a point score of the last team to finish plus two.

- A.4 **Deciding Race.** In the event of a tie in a Combination Championship, the final order will be decided on the best place in each competition in the following order:

A.4.1 **Nordic Inter Unit Combination (i.e. Kentish & SAS Cups, Women's Champion Team and Div Champs):**

Patrol Race – Biathlon Relay – XC Individual – Biathlon Sprint – XC Relay

A.4.2 **Nordic Individual Combination:**

Biathlon Individual – XC Individual

A.4.3 **Nordic Inter Corps Championships:**

Biathlon Sprint – XC Individual

A.4.4 **Nordic Inter Service Championships:**

Biathlon Sprint – XC Individual

A.4.5 **Princess Marina Cup:**

Patrol Race – Team Downhill – Biathlon Relay – XC Individual – Team Super G

- If one of the above races is not run the substitutes (for priority) are:

Biathlon Relay for Patrol Race; Super G for Downhill; Biathlon Sprint for Biathlon Relay; XC Relay for XC Individual; Team Slalom for Team Super G.

- A.5 **Inter Corps and Inter Service Championships.** In the Inter Corps and Inter Service Championships (not SAS Cup) points are allocated relative to the finishing places of only those scoring (Rules 1.8 & 1.9) and added together: e.g. if Team A finished 1-3-4-5 and Team B finished 2-6-7-8, the points would be Team A: $1+3+4 = 8$, Team B: $2+5+6 = 13$.

THE BRITISH ARMY CHAMPION SKIING UNIT

- A.6 The Champion Skiing Team of the British Regular Army is the unit whose team finishing places in the following competitions total the least:

A.6.1 **Alpine:** Giant Slalom, Slalom, Super G, Downhill.

A.6.2 **Nordic:** XC Individual, Biathlon Sprint, Biathlon Relay, Military Patrol Race.

A.6.3 The four races in each discipline are the Army Team "Championship Races".

- **The Champion Skiing Team of the British Army is awarded The Princess Marina, Duchess of Kent, Cup (NSK 32).**
- **The runner up to the Champion Skiing Team of the British Army is awarded The Canadian Land Forces' Trophy (NSK 19).**

The first and second units (ten competitors in each) will receive individual trophies.

PRIZES AND TROPHIES

- A.7 **Sponsors' Prizes.** From time to time sponsors generously donate prizes. These may be allocated to competitions as decided by the AWSA and/or Race Committee bearing in mind any particular wishes of the sponsors.
- A.8 **National Prizes.** The AWSA is privileged to be invited to run a number of National competitions on behalf of the BBU and SSGB. See Rule 1.4 for competitors' eligibility.

A.9 **Medals and other prizes.** In addition to the prizes listed in Tables 2 and 3 below, Gold, Silver and Bronze medals will be presented to all AWSA, Inter Corps, Inter Service and National prize winners. Salvers, tankards, glassware etc may also be awarded at the discretion of the Race Committee, occasionally in lieu of a medal. Medals etc may also be awarded to the best novice, best junior etc at the discretion of the Race Committee. A full prize matrix will be issued on arrival at the Army Championships and will be regularly updated by the Race Secretary.

TABLE 2 – AWSA, Inter Service & National Championship Trophies and Prizes – MEN

Race	Trophy	NSK No¹	Winner
15km Cross Country Individual	The Ski Club of Great Britain Challenge Cup	NSK 02	British National
	The India Sports Board Cup	NSK 01	Army Individual
	The Taylor Trophy	NSK 16	British Civilian
	The Alan Blackshaw Trophy	NSK 29	National Junior
	The Swedish Trophy	NSK 05	Army Veteran
	The Spencer Challenge Trophy	NSK 06	Army Novice
	The Winter Games Challenge Cup	NSK 04	RE Individual
	The Spencer Team Trophy	NSK 45	Service Team
	The Dayrell Browning Cup	NSK 03	Army Team
Cross Country Pursuit	The BAOR Sports Board Cup	NSK 48	Army Individual
	The Celle Cup	NSK 21	Army Junior Individual
Cross Country Relay	The Beresford Challenge Cup	NSK 37	Service Team
	The Younger Team Cup	NSK 07	Army Team
(30km Cross Country) – in abeyance	The Collin's Quaich	NSK 33	British National
	The Aylwin Foster Trophy	NSK 28	Army Individual
20km Biathlon Individual	The Army Ski Association Salver	NSK 10	British National
	The Keightley Trophy	NSK 09	Army Individual
	The Army Ski Association Cup	NSK 43	Army Individual Runner Up
	The Whittock Trophy	NSK 11	RA Individual
15km Biathlon Junior Individual	Clerical, Medical and General Salver	NSK 30	Army Junior
10km Sprint Biathlon	The Colonel's Cup	NSK 51	Army Team
12.5km Biathlon Mass Start			
4 x 7.5km Biathlon Relay	The Ostend Cup/Burge Trophy	NSK 38	Service Team
	The Duke of Wellington's Regiment Trophy	NSK 12	Army Team
The Military Patrol Race	The Colombo Cup	NSK 36	Service Team
	The Royal Engineers Trophy	NSK 08	Army Team
	The BAOR Trophy	NSK 39	Army Team Runner Up
	The Mark Goodson Cup	NSK 49	HCav and RAC Team
	The Strong Challenge Cup	NSK 17	RA Team
The Military Combination (see Table 1)	The SAS Cup	NSK 40	Service Team
	The Kentish Cup	NSK 13	Army Team
	The Army Group Royal Artillery Cup	NSK 14	Army Team Runner Up
	The RAC Military Combination Cup	NSK 25	HCav and RAC Team
	The Davidson Bowl	NSK 18	RE Team

¹ NSK No is the BA(G) Sport Board Trophy Serial No.

Race	Trophy	NSK No ¹	Winner
The Princess Marina, Duchess of Kent Cup (see Table 1)	The PRINCESS MARINA, DUCHESS OF KENT, CUP	NSK 32	Champion Skiing Unit of the British Army
	The Canadian Land Forces Trophy	NSK 19	Army Unit Runner Up
	The RAC Team Championship Cup	NSK 31	H Cav and RAC Unit
	The Isbell Trophy	NSK 47	RE Unit
	The Grosvenor Trophy	NSK 15	Infantry Unit
Special Awards	The Inter Service Nordic Trophy	NSK 22	Inter Service Team Champions
	The Royal Norfolk Cup	NSK 23	Inter Corps Nordic Champions
	BBU Team Challenge Cup	NSK 54	In abeyance
	The India Sports Board Cup	NSK 41	Army Nordic Champion (20km Individual Biathlon and 15km Individual XC)
	The Bailey Memorial Trophy	NSK 52 (Missing)	Best Male Performance in XC or Biathlon
	HRH The Duke of Kent's Trophy	NSK 46	Army Junior Nordic Champion (15km Individual Biathlon and 15km Individual XC)
	The 50 Missile Regiment (Administrative Battery) Cup	NSK 20 (Missing)	Army Novice Nordic Champion (12.5km Individual Biathlon and 15km Individual XC)
	The Lake Trophy	NSK 44 (Missing)	Best RLC Skier (20km Individual Biathlon and 15km Individual XC)

TABLE 3 – AWSA, Inter Service & National Championship Trophies and Prizes – WOMEN

Race	Trophy	NSK No ¹	Awarded For
	WRAC Glass Vase	NSK 34	Champion Army Team
	The Berlin Cup	NSK 50	Army Nordic Champion (12.5 km Individual Biathlon and 10 km Individual XC)
	The Bob Anderson Trophy	NSK 53	BBU Female Champion