WSTIMS FOR WINDOWS USERS NEWSLETTER

This newsletter is for you, the user, to inform you of problems that have been sent in from scorers across the nation and the solutions for those problems. We will be sending this out from time to time to keep you informed and assist you in usage of the program. If you have a problem or issue that needs to be addressed send an email to the editor and we will get your problem addressed immediately and keep all of the users informed of the problems/solutions involved.

Update 6.0.1.11 is Available for Downloading
The updated version 6.0.1.11 is now available for download. This update fixes bugs that were discovered in the Pick and Choose format tournament processing.

Updated the Registration Template Page
Change the column label "Ready to Ski" to "Elig to Part" meaning the individual is Eligible to Participate in the tournament. This means they have a properly completed and active AWSA membership. This includes a properly completed annual waiver.

Importing Tournament Registrations
The > Administration >Import >List of tournament template options has grown in the past year as new features are added to WSTIMS and some of the scorers have not carefully read the list and have chosen the wrong option and it has caused them problems. Please take a minute and read the list each time you are ready to do an import, because as the program is updated, the list will change and the fickle finger of fate will cause you to have heartburn and say bad things!

Pick and Choose Running Orders
When imports for pick and choose are processed, skiers are added to the appropriate round running order according to their selections when entering in the OLR system. This will assign the original default group to the round running order. Dave has enhanced Running Order and Registration windows to update each event group in the round running order when it matches the primary running order value.

Pick and Choose Round Running Orders
The Running Order window used for selecting Pick & Choose shows all skiers and they are properly identified as the skiers that are already selected for the round and

the skiers that have not been selected so that you can accurately edit the running orders as necessary.

Specific Running Orders By Round Process Has Been Revised
The procedures that were outlined in Newsletter Issue 04 Vol 20 did confuse many of you and needed to be revised. The revised procedures are outlined below for the programs assistance in pre-building the running orders from the OLR entry system. This affects Head to Head, Elimination and Pick and Choose format tournaments. This assistance will be automatically available in the program to assist the Chief Scorer in preparing the running orders. You will be reminded of this option when you open an event scoring screen with this Popup alert:

WARNING:
This running order is specific for this round.

The specific order will be established from the time honored standards that we use in Head to Head and Elimination tournaments and in the Pick and Choose format that you receive in the OLR download for your tournament setup.

The Pick and Choose format will be where you might need to override this option. In some areas the skier picks their 4th event ride in the OLR entry form and are bound by this choice. If you are in Florida, we allow the skier to choose their 4th event during the tournament so they can attempt to improve a particular event score for the ranking list. So, we add them to the event manually and would not use this feature.

To modify the event running order for a particular round use the > Order by Round icon in the Event Running Order window. Select the round you want to modify and you will see the existing running order for this round. If no skiers appear, then there is no specific running order for this round. To create or modify the selected rounds running order use the >Pick and Choose button. Click on the >Refresh button. This will populate the full running order with check marks selected for the skiers currently in this round's running order. To remove someone simply >uncheck the box. To add someone >check the box. Then click on the >Select button and it will close this window and return to the previous dialog and refresh the running order list for the round.

The 2021 NOPS values have been updated and also the records list has been updated for all of the eligible rules sets.

Stay safe, Jeff and Dave