

Snowsport England Artificial Surface Squad 2013

The Snowsport England Artificial Surface Squad embraces racing on both outdoor and indoor surfaces. Selection to the Squad provides the opportunity for athletes to compete in international dual slalom team events and/or attend Squad training sessions.

Squad Selection Application Date

All applications from SSE registered athletes who meet the selection criteria must be submitted to the Squad Manager on or before 22nd August 2013 using the required application form (which will be accessible on the Snowsport England and britski websites).

Squad selection will be announced during the week commencing Monday, 26th August 2013.

Squad Selection Criteria

Males: 50 BARTS points or below scored from at least 3 events (carrying a minimum penalty of 5 or 0 points) within the period 1st July 2012 to 31st July 2013. At least one of these events must have taken place in 2013.

Females: 35 BARTS points or below scored from at least 3 events (carrying a minimum penalty of 5 or 0 points) within the period 1st July 2012 to 31st July 2013. At least one of these events must have taken place in 2013.

This provides all potential Squad members with the opportunity to achieve the required minimum 3 sets of points from 21 events - 8 in 2012 and 14 in 2013 (as per the current summer race calendar).

In addition to the above, all selected athletes must be committed to competing and/or training with the Squad.

Please note that selection to the Squad does not mean that all athletes will automatically be selected to represent England at any of the international dual slalom events (as this will depend on the number of England teams entered at each event and the Squad members available). However, selection priority will be given to Squad members (over and above any other athletes) and all Squad applicants will be put on to a reserves list and will be considered for selection should places become available at any event.

Selection, Competition and Development Timeline

PERFORMANCES (For Selection Purposes)													SELECT	COMPETE		DEVELOPMENT					
Jul	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	April	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	April
2012	2012	2012	2012	2012	2012	2013	2013	2013	2013	2013	2013	2013	2013	2013	2013	2013	2013	2014	2014	2014	2014

Development

It is the intention to run training/fitness days during the period between November 2013 to April 2014. These sessions will be held on both outdoor and indoor surfaces at appropriate geographical locations.

Details of the dates, locations and coaches will be announced in due course.

Squad Kit

All Squad members will be provided with a Squad t-shirt. In addition, other Squad items such as windproof jacket, tracksuit trousers and hoody may be available to be purchased – further details to be communicated in due course.

Squad Manager

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Please send completed forms to the addresses below by **THURSDAY 22nd August**

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