

The England Alpine Ski Team

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It is with great pleasure that Snowsport England announces the selection for the 2012-13 season for the England Alpine Ski Team. This season athletes were selected based on both FIS points and fitness level. Athletes who have been selected have worked hard to attain their place and we are proud to announce each one as a national team member.

The aim of the England Alpine Team is to support elite athletes on the alpine skiing pathway. To this end, a tiered team consisting of an A and B structure has been put in place for the upcoming season. As published on the website previously, Snowsport England has been undergoing a review to understand how the national governing body can support the nation's athletes. The structure that has been put in place for the upcoming year is, therefore, a short term plan and Snowsport England is still looking at the long term strategy and how best to implement plans for the future.

During the summer alpine team athletes have been provided with a number of sessions at Loughborough University aimed at complementing their existing training provision. Athletes have been able to attend question and answers with a former British team athlete, two sport psychology sessions, a publicity and sponsorship workshop as well as completing two fitness assessments with a world-class trainer.

In addition to the A and B team, we also have a number of athletes who are/have been injured and are currently still injured/recovering from injury. We wish all these athletes a speedy recovery and when each individual is fully fit and able to complete a final fitness assessment, these athletes will be eligible for selection for full national team status.

Athletes have been required to attend at least three sessions and we have 3 athletes who still need to complete a final fitness assessment before they are selected. These athletes are listed below and will be eligible for final selection as soon as this final test has been completed. Until this time their status is pending.

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England Alpine Team Selection 2012/13

A Team

Max Baggio

Ashley Breese

B Team

Ollie Eaton

Laetitia Hawkins-Hooker

Tarn Fynn

Darcie Mead

Oliver Krahelski

Violet Miller

Barney Lewis

Kieran Norris

Sam Todd-Saunders

Injury status

Tom Doyle

Charlotte Jesse

James Petrie

Alice MacAulay

Robbie Willis

Bethany Widdup

Pending

Abbie Macey

Charles Richardson

Tom White