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BRUNO'S CUP DELIVERS TIGHT RACING AT KAMVIEW

Thunder Bay, ON - Lake Superior Biathlon hosted the 2026 Bruno's Cup Invitational at Kamview Nordic Centre. Forty four athletes competed across multiple categories in a format built for close racing. The modified pursuit race format set fifteen second start intervals and kept athletes within reach from start to finish. Every miss on the range had immediate impact on placement.

Racing opened with the U13 Prone Boys 5.0 km event. Yannik Cameron secured the win in 37:19.3. Oliver McDonald followed 42 seconds back in 38:01.5. Small margins and steady shooting defined the podium battle.

The U11 Mixed 1.8 km race showed the same pressure. Alison Sdao delivered a clean performance to win in 14:53.7. Elliot Bergman and Zacharie Cameron battled through penalties to round out the podium. Misses shaped the final standings.

In the U15 Standing Boys 6.25 km race, Carter Cameron held the lead despite 18 misses and finished in 45:47.7. Micah Roy closed the gap to within three minutes. Forrest Graham stayed in contention to secure third. Each shooting stage shifted positions.

The U15 Standing Girls race saw Maddie Weber control the field with a time of 57:11.9. Kaia Wiebe followed. Penalty laps created separation across the field.

The U17 Standing Boys 7.5 km race featured one of the strongest performances of the day. Ethen Bergman combined speed and control to win in 49:07.2 with five misses. Jack Pye followed, with shooting errors widening the gap.

In the U17 Standing Girls race, Maria José Guarín Lara won in 55:26.4. Abigail Skomoroh stayed in contention but missed opportunities on the range pushed her to second. Nemma Clark secured third through consistent shooting.



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The Mixed Adult 7.5 km race closed the day with the deepest field. Conor McGovern led in 51:57.9, followed by Alexander Randall in 53:06.4 and Werner Schwar in 55:20.2. Time gaps remained tight across the top positions.

Top female performances added depth to the category. Gabby Hoehn placed fourth overall in 57:15.1. Rebecca Puiras finished ninth in 1:04:43.1. Jillian Thompson placed eleventh in 1:06:59.0. Each result reflected the balance between skiing speed and shooting accuracy.

Volunteer officials maintained control across all aspects of the event. Their attention to detail stayed consistent from first start to final finish. Range operations ran efficiently, with safety and flow managed at every stage. Course marshals supported athlete movement and ensured fair competition across all categories.

The day concluded with a BBQ lunch and awards ceremony. Athletes, coaches, and families gathered to recognize performances and connect after a full day of racing. Lake Superior Biathlon thanks all volunteers, officials, and organizing committee members for delivering a well run event. Charitable gaming funds received from the Superior Shores Gaming Association supported the event and ensured a high quality competition environment.

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About Lake Superior Biathlon

Lake Superior Biathlon (LSB) is a premier biathlon club based in Thunder Bay, Ontario, dedicated to developing athletes in the demanding sport of biathlon, which combines cross-country skiing with rifle shooting. The club offers high-quality coaching, training programs, and competition opportunities for athletes of all levels, from grassroots to high-performance racing. LSB athletes compete at provincial, national, and international events, with many representing Ontario at the Canada Winter Games, North American Biathlon Championships, and Biathlon Canada-sanctioned races.

LSB proudly partners with Big Thunder Nordic Ski Club and Lappe Nordic Ski Club, two of Northern Ontario's top cross-country ski programs, providing athletes with world-class training environments and expert coaching. The club operates out of both the Kamview Nordic Centre and the Thunder Bay District Fish and Game Association outdoor ranges, offering access to top-tier facilities for training and competitions. LSB receives charitable gaming funds from Superior Shores Gaming Association, supporting athlete development, coaching programs, and travel to elite competitions

Committed to fostering excellence, community, and youth development, Lake Superior Biathlon continues to grow the next generation of biathlon champions while promoting an active outdoor lifestyle.