2024 Canadian Snowshoe Championships & Dion Snowshoe Squall By Hammond Hill & Rethink Experience

DATE: Saturday, March 2nd, 2024

LOCATION: Hammond Hill 861 du Golf rd. Hammond ON

PARKING: On site parking is limited. It is recommended to carpool or meet at the Hammond Golf Course (600 du Golf rd.) and take one car to the race start approx. 1K away.

PUBLIC CHANGE ROOMS/BATHROOMS: are located at the Hammond Golf Course pre-race. There are portable bathrooms at Hammond Hill but no running water.

ACCOMMODATIONS: Hammond Hill currently has 9 tiny homes and 2 yurts that can be rented for on site accommodations. For more information, visit the Hammond Hill website <u>www.hammondhill.ca</u> for booking details.

CONTACT: For more information, please contact Race Director, Mel St-Pierre at info@rethinkexperience.ca

RACES:

- 1. 10K National Snowshoe Championship Dion Series scoring event
- 2. Snowsquall 5K Classic
- 3. 1K Youth Challenge

REGISTRATION:

Registration deadline - February 16th, 2024

- 1. 10K National Snowshoe Championship \$65
- 2. Snowsquall 5K Classic \$50
- 3. 1K Youth (U14) Challenge \$15

Late registration deadline Feb 26th, 2024 (additional cost)

SNOWSHOE RENTAL: If you don't own a pair of snowshoes, Dion Snowshoes are available to rent. During the online registration process, please make sure to check the box off if you need rental snowshoes. The rental fee is \$10 per pair. All proceeds will go towards maintaining and increasing the rental fleet.

START TIME:

- 1. 1K Youth Challenge 10:00 AM
- 2. 10K National Snowshoe Championship 11:00 AM
- 3. Snowsquall 5K Classic 11:00 AM

RACE KIT PICK UP: Race day - Saturday March 2nd, from 9:30 - 10:30 am on site.

RACE KIT: A Broken Stick Brewing Company craft beer (or non alcoholic beverage) and voucher for a warm bowl of chili or soup from Hillside BBQ and a surprise Swag item!

COURSE DETAILS: Explore Hammond Hill and the Hammond Golf Course over these scenic, 10K, 5K and 1K courses comprised of groomed and single track trails. The race course features technical elevation changes through undulating terrain. The 2 loop format allows spectators to cheer on their friends and family members.

POST RACE CEREMONIES: Held at Hammond Hill Beer Garden. Redeem your beer (or non-alcoholic beverage) and warm chili or soup - Awards - Draw prizes

AWARDS:

Snowshoe Canada will be providing:

- a total prize purse of \$500 to the top three male and female finishers of the 10k main event
- medals to the top three age groupers in ten year age groups
- a beautiful hand carved annual wooden trophy will be available for presentation at the awards ceremony.

All participants will be eligible for the many draw prizes including a pair of Dion Snowshoes!

WEATHER: In the unlikely event of no snow, the race will take place as a trail run (without snowshoes). If the race is held without snowshoes, we encourage you to wear traction devices on your shoes as the trail may be icy.

RESULTS: Check our results page for all race results.

DION CANADIAN SNOWSHOE SERIES: The 10K Open race will count towards the series points totals.

<u>The top ten finishers of each race - male and female - will receive points towards their</u> <u>series total.</u>

There will be random drawings for amazing prizes ~ You must be at the awards ceremony to win!

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