

ALPINE RESPONSIBILITY CODE



THERE ARE ELEMENTS OF RISK THAT COMMON SENSE AND PERSONAL AWARENESS CAN HELP REDUCE. REGARDLESS OF HOW YOU DECIDE TO USE THE SLOPES, ALWAYS SHOW COURTESY TO OTHERS. PLEASE ADHERE TO THE CODE LISTED BELOW AND SHARE WITH OTHERS THE RESPONSIBILITY FOR A SAFE OUTDOOR EXPERIENCE.

1. Always stay in control. You must be able to stop, or avoid other people or objects.
2. People ahead of you have the right-of-way. It is your responsibility to avoid them.
3. Do not stop where you obstruct a trail or are not visible from above.
4. Before starting downhill or merging onto a trail, look uphill and yield to others.
5. If you are involved in or witness a collision or accident, you must remain at the scene and identify yourself to the Ski Patrol.
6. Always use proper devices to help prevent runaway equipment.
7. Observe and obey all posted signs and warnings.
8. Keep off closed trails and closed areas.
9. You must not use lifts or terrain if you ability is impaired through use of alcohol or drugs.
10. You must have sufficient physical dexterity, ability and knowledge to safely load, ride and unload lifts. If in doubt, ask the lift attendant.

**KNOW THE CODE—BE SAFETY CONSCIOUS
IT'S YOUR RESPONSIBILITY**

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Mountain Rules

Know the Code

Be Safe

Be Responsible



Ability Level Signs



- Main St. Skiway leads back to the Village Centre

Rules for the Lifts



If you aren't sure, ask your instructor for help

If you are in your own time and not with an instructor please ask the lift operator

- **Safety Bar** – Please use the safety bar / restraining device provided on the lifts
- **NO Horseplay** - Lifts are not a place for fooling around. Bouncing or swinging the lift will have serious consequences
- **If the Lift Stops** - Wait patiently for it to start running again. Do not raise the safety bar / restraining device or attempt to get off.



Lift Sign Posts



Other Sign Posts

FOR YOUR PERSONAL SAFETY READ & UNDERSTAND THESE SIGNS



Indicates an area is temporarily closed while avalanche control is underway or while an avalanche hazard exists.



Indicates an area is permanently closed for safety reasons including cliff and cornice danger.



Indicates a trail/area is temporarily closed for safety reasons including lack of snow or hazardous skiing/riding conditions.

**VIOLATIONS OF ANY OF THE ABOVE CLOSURES WILL
RESULT IN SUSPENSION OF SKIING PRIVILEGES**



Indicates the skier has reached the ski area boundary. The area beyond the boundary is not patrolled or controlled.



ANY PERSON REQUIRING EVACUATION FROM A CLOSED AREA OR OUTSIDE THE SKI AREA BOUNDARY WILL BE REQUIRED TO PAY ALL THE RESCUE COSTS.

THIS SIGN INDICATES THAT THE RUN IS CLOSED FOR SKIING/RIDING



RUNS MAY BE CLOSED FOR VARIOUS REASONS
INCLUDING HAZARDOUS SKIING/RIDING CONDITIONS,
AVALANCHE DANGER EXTREME PITCH, ETC.

VIOLATION OF RUN CLOSURE WILL RESULT IN
SUSPENSION OF SKIING/RIDING PRIVILEGES

PLEASE SKI/RIDE CAREFULLY



FREESTYLE TERRAIN PARK

**NO GO AREA FOR SCHOOL
GROUPS**

If Someone Gets Hurt



If someone gets hurt

- 1. Recognise**, The situation and help the injured person
- 2. Stay Safe**, Keep yourself, the injured person and other skiers/riders safe from further injury. Place skis upside down (binding in to the snow) 10 meters up the slope from the accident crossed in an 'X', or a snowboard in a '/'
- 3. Stay Put**, Do not move the injured person unless where they are is VERY dangerous. Stay still so that help can find you. Do not leave the injured person alone
- 4. Get Help**, if the injured person needs assistance. Do not leave them alone, send for help to one of the Mountain Staff such as a Lift Operator, Ski Patrol, or SnowSport Instructor with exact location of the accident

If Someone Gets Hurt

5. While Waiting For Help, keep the area safe and clear, keep the injured person warm, but do not try to move them or remove equipment in case this causes further injury. Never give the injured person anything to eat or drink. Keep anyone who saw the accident there to talk to Ski Patrol

6. Once Ski Patrol Arrives, they are in charge. Do as they ask. If you are not required, leave the ski patrol to get on with their job

If You Get Lost



1. Call out to your Ski Buddy (Or Instructor) – you should always ski in groups of two or more!

2. Figure out Where you Are – look for signs, lifts or familiar features

3. Look at a Map – It's a good idea to pick one up and keep it in your pocket just in case

4. Go to the Village – Main St. Skiway crosses every run on the Front Side and takes you straight back

5. Go to a Lift – If you've already passed Main St. Go to the bottom of a Lift and talk to the Lift Operators



Don't Forget!



1. Watch the time – Don't be late for your lesson OR for the bus home!
2. **Return your rentals** – When you are finished skiing or riding please bring all of your rental equipment back in to the rental shop at the end of your day!



SnowSports is **here to help** your visit to SilverStar Mountain run smoothly.
If you need us please come and find us in the main village

Please

Enjoy your visit to SilverStar Mountain

Always



And have **FUN !**

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