

General Patrol Meeting

Start: 1900

End: 2020

Those in attendance: Stan Sneath, Meg Eandi, Christine Lustik, Neil Marjerrison, Karl Ulig, AJ Bucher, Bill Bucher, Penny Bucher, Jacob Zimmerman, Sean Snyder, Steve Thompson, Cheri Thompson, Kolby Schrichte, Janette Amrine, Bruce Amrine, Ross Vorhees, Anna Larson, Nick Smith, Casey Drayton, Rob Baldry, Molly West, Tom Kerr, Amberleigh Hammond, Cath Scribbner, Joe Messina, Bynum Jackson, Frank Scariano, Joe Lustik, Jack Matthias, Jacob Butler

Mountain update- Art

This week: Friday, Saturday, Sunday- top of the mountain will be open; second thought vs. paradise
The Mountain will be open Wed-Friday next week, Every day a week after that
Snowpark maybe 12/26?

Secretary- Meg

- Scheduling needs: continue to have empty shifts, please fill.
- Please fill out ICE contacts **by Friday 12/17** as we will print and keep a hard copy in top shacks and patrol room
- Radio cards are coming now that we have a finalized patrol roster, please keep last your cards until we pass these out
- Please review patroller expectations document and video on website- member area
- Ski patrol pack contents
- Molly West winner of Golden Growler for reading the notes. I will continue to put questions in the notes that the first correct person to answer the question and emails me wins some goodie- so far has been the golden growler

Treasurer report- Stan

- We have enough \$
- Money in investment ~ \$80K, Savings \$30K
- Plan to pay dues and insurance by the end of the year

Ombudsman- Cathy

- Nothing new

Candidates- Tom

- 9 candidates

Transfers- Tom

- 4-6 potential transfers
- 2 doing OET

Mentor Program- C+

- Talk/ Email Joe M if interested
- Preference to 1st year patrollers as mentees
- Plan to be pretty informal and based on mentor/ mentee needs

COVID19- Stan

- Please get vaccinated, boosted if you haven't see far
- Daily sign-up indicating vaccinated, booster statuses
- Keep communication open re masking in warming huts
- Utilize a-frame/ bottom shack to reduce congestion in top shacks
- Unsure of mountain policies (lift lines, inside)
- Warming huts will remain closed to the public

OET/lift evac- Neil, C+, Jack

- Course on nsp.org website for toboggan
 - Try to do some toboggan running 1st in the am
- Jack will head up lift evac with Art- Date TBD
 - Questions re: self evac email Jack
- Candidate training start 1/8/22
 - Send schedule out- C+ will contact OET instructors to take the lead

OEC- Cheri

- Patrollers- feel free to come and join to refresh or help
- ICS100 required 1 time only for NSP- send cert to Cheri (Candidates too!)
- Instructors to take Youth Protection Module- send to Vickie Motley
- Cheri sent around schedule for folks to sign up to participate or instruct (OEC instructors)
- Penny encouraged folks testing for Senior this year to be involved

P&P- Stan

- Modified over the last year- about 50% has been re-written
- Read in conjunction with Bylaws (legal)
- P&P- nuts and bolts of patrol
- Daily operations manual- informal instructions for patrol, need to review sweeps with Pros
- **Please read P&P draft sent out by Stan**
- Discussion January meeting
- Vote February meeting
- Karl brought up need to vote for daily ops manual- no, can be implemented by e-board?
- Karl thought that the patrol should approve the document since it is new.

Education Advisor- Christine

- Newsletter went out this week with educational opportunities
- Contact Christine if you didn't receive this email

Senior- Bruce Amrine

- Only for people who signed up 2019 can participate in this round
- Please let Bill B know if you will be testing 2022
- 2023 they will offer testing for a NEW Senior class

Northern Division updates- Karl

- See e-board notes

Thank you!- Stan

- Acknowledge folks who do so much behind the scenes to make the patrol work

Penny motioned to adjourn, Big Joe second, adjourn 757

Radio Training with Bill

- Refer to P&P pg 31: Hand held radio use guide or radio guide on Snowbowl Patrol website
- Radios # 15+ given siren when attaching mic (turn off and on again)
- Unlocking radio- frequency is locked with a “key” on the screen, push and hold P3 to unlock, use up and down area on side to scroll available frequencies, press P3 to lock
 - Channel 1: Snowbowl repeater frequency, if you cannot reach someone on this channel
 - Channel 2: Snowbowl tone- can be used if repeater is down or locations on the mtn, radio to radio
 - Please do not use other frequencies. Refer to Bills informational handout on Patrol Website for details of frequencies.
- When making a call say: Who you’re calling, your name
 - E.g., “Warming hut, 218..”
- Be aware of “hot mic-ing”- shuts down communication
- Please make sure you put the radios in the correct charging station in correct direction.
- Cathy suggested use of chest harness for sale on NSP store
- Cheri reinforced voice use on radio: slow down, speak in normal volume, hold mic about 6 inches from mouth
- If any problems with radio, please speak with TL or other experienced patroller
- If there are problems with radio, put flagging on radio and write problem

- There will be a phone in the Warming Hut
- Can use cell phones when all else fails