

CODE OF CONDUCT?

WHAT IS THE MOUNTAIN

The Mountain Code of Conduct sets out rules that aid in accident prevention and ensure that everyone can enjoy mountain trails. The Code also applies inside snow parks and the word "ski," as used in the Code, encompasses all types of sports practised in ski resorts, including snowboarding and telemark skiing.

In order to ensure the safety of others, each person on the mountain should be considerate and respect the Code and all other resort rules. Patrollers have the authority to intervene and to confiscate the lift ticket of any user who breaks a rule.

THE MOUNTAIN CODE OF CONDUCT RESPECT IT!

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THE RULES

- 1 The golden rule: Keep it under control!
 - 2 On trails, yield to those below!
 - 3 Don't block the trail!
 - 4 At intersections, yield to those above!
 - 5 Give the ski patrol a helping hand!
 - 6 Hold on to your equipment!
 - 7 No alcohol or drugs!
 - 8 Respect signs!
- Be careful when using lifts!





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EXTRA LARGE		LARGE	
MEDIUM		SMALL	

SNOW PARK FEATURES

SNOW PARK

IN THE SNOW PARK, YOU MUST ALSO:

- read the signs and familiarize yourself with your surroundings
- wear a helmet when using snow park features

EXTREME		VERY DIFFICULT	
DIFFICULT		EASY	

SLOPE

You should choose trails and features that correspond to your skill level and experience.

LEVELS OF DIFFICULTY AND SIZE OF FEATURES

FOR A PLEASANT OUTING

Before using the trails, it is essential that you familiarize yourself with the mountain's features so that you can find your way around more easily. Look for the mountain map and lift information on the signboards between the ski lodge and the access to the slopes and lifts is also available at the ticket office.



1 THE GOLDEN RULE: KEEP IT UNDER CONTROL!

Remain in control of your speed and direction. Make sure you can stop and avoid any person or obstacle.

You are responsible for your actions. Choose trails that correspond to your skill level and stay alert in case you need to act quickly to avoid a collision. Excessive speed reduces reaction time and makes it difficult to avoid obstacles or other users.



2 ON TRAILS, YIELD TO THOSE BELOW!

Yield the right of way to persons downhill and choose a course that ensures their safety.

On the slopes, you have a clearer view from above; therefore a person in an uphill position relative to other users is responsible for maneuvering to avoid them.



3 DON'T BLOCK THE TRAIL!

Stop on a trail only if you are visible from above and if you are not obstructing the trail.

To avoid placing yourself needlessly in danger, stop only on the side of a trail, well out of the way of other users.



4 AT INTERSECTIONS, YIELD TO THOSE ABOVE!

Yield the right of way to persons uphill when entering a trail and at intersections.

Just like motorists who must stop at intersections, you must avoid cutting off others who have already begun their descent.



5 GIVE THE SKI PATROL A HELPING HAND!

If you are involved in or witness an accident, remain at the scene and identify yourself to a first aider.

Whether you are involved in an accident or a witness to one, you must assist injured persons and help members of the ski patrol gather accident-related information. You can also help prevent accidents by notifying ski patrollers of behaviour that contravenes the Code.



6 HOLD ON TO YOUR EQUIPMENT!

Use and wear at all times a proper device to prevent runaway equipment.

Use safety mechanisms that, in the event of a fall, would prevent your equipment from getting away from you and possibly injuring another person.



7 NO ALCOHOL OR DRUGS!

Keep off the lifts and trails if your ability is impaired through the use of alcohol or drugs.

These substances impair judgment and affect your ability to react rapidly and maintain effective motor control. Alcohol and drugs don't mix with safety on the slopes!



8 RESPECT SIGNS!

Obey all signs and warnings and never venture off the trails or onto a closed trail.

The resort operator posts signs that provide essential information for finding your way safely around the mountain. Consequently, it is important to read and obey these signs. Use only authorized trails.



BE CAREFUL WHEN USING LIFTS!

If you are not sure how a lift works, ask the lift attendant. Obey the lift rules during the ride up the mountain.