

2-2-26 Patrol Meeting Minutes

Dana

- Terri M update -
 - Friday, Jan. 30th - incident on the hill
 - She has a broken hip, but is doing well. Already up and walking.
 - Please reach out to see if you can help
- Thanks for rostering.
 - Please check roster status often
 - Roster, even if the hill has poor conditions.
- Lift passes handout tonight
 - 15 passes can be picked up tonight - no longer need to go to the window
- Top shack
 - Please rest and hang out in the Top Shack, not the aid room
 - If staged at the Top Shack - more available for quick response
 - Prepare for shift and lunch/dinner in the upstairs of base.
- Radio calls
 - Call out to the entire patrol. "ATTENTION ALL PATROLLERS!! We have an accident on _____?"
Calls do not need to be directed to Hill Captain
 - Please don't add unnecessary chatter to radio, personal messages, and short, to-the-point calls
 - Radios - Push, then wait a few seconds before talking.
- Lift Names
 - Use Lifts 2, 3, and 4. You don't need to use their formal names. Gold Rush, etc.
- Loaner Bin upstairs
 - For patrollers who forget gear - use and then return
 - Add to it if you have gear around to donate.
- Hill Captain Log
 - Make sure you are on the hill captain log
 - If you do 2 shifts, on the same day, make sure your name is on Hill Captain Log twice. This will verify that you get the correct credit
 - Susan commented: make sure the patroller's full name is on the log. We have plenty of replicated first names.
- 10 new patient movers donated by Aaron Smith
 - People movers instead of the backboards.
 - Money comes from the selling of hats, t-shirts, etc.
- New entrance door on the west side of Patrol Building
 - Easier loading of patients from a toboggan to a stretcher and
 - Better ambulance access.
 - Kevin Zufelt will get a bid. Discuss pro/cons, septic tank
 - Run off? Possible overhang

- Quick Splint donation -
 - Patrollers can have a quick splint from the stack of old ones in aid room.

Dean

- Incident reports -
 - Fill in all the blanks - missing data (Date, Time, First Aid Rendered, Location, Snowboard/Alpine)
 - Rendered means given. Make sure to document what first aid was rendered on the hill or in the air room. There is a different spot for the names of the patrollers
- Injury Report Data
 - Jan. 31, 2025 - 118 Incident Reports
 - Jan. 31, 2026 - 106 Incident Reports

Incident Report Information Dec 6, 2025 to February 1, 2026

- Number of Incidents 108
 - Number of Males 76 - 72% are Males
 - Number of Females 29
- Average Age - 18.2 years
 - Number of Beginners 44 - 44%
 - Number of Intermediate 39 - 39%
 - Number of Advanced 17 - 17%
- Type of Equipment
 - Number of Snowboards 68 - 63%
 - Number of Alpine 28 - 26%
 - No Equipment 12 - 11%
- Injuries
 - Fractures 38
 - Sprain/Strain 30
 - Bruise/Contusion 6
 - Abrasion 6
 - Puncture/Laceration 6
- Location
 - Terrain Park 32
 - Skier's Lane 24
 - Bunny Hill 9
 - Pinto 5
 - Lodge 3
 - Parking Lot 3
 - Ticket Office

- Shift Credit
 - Started Jan 9th, but all shifts for the entire season are documented.
 - The shifts prior to the 9th can help as a trump card if short on shifts.
- Toboggan numbering
 - All toboggans will be numbered for toboggan management
- Toboggan staged at Terrain Park
 - Upside down, or on its side.
 - Perpendicular to the slope

Paul

- ***To be a top contributing Patroller - Questions to ask yourself***
 - Do you avoid being involved (helping) with an accident? Or do you avoid the location?
 - When was the last time you packed and took a toboggan back to its assigned location?
 - Have you participated in an opening route or closing sweep?
 - Are you booted and ready to get a route?
 - Do you know how to turn on all of the lights? Have you done it?
 - Have you been the Hill Captain? -
 - Do you know all the route names? - Alice Lane
 - Do you attend patrol meetings without excuse or without letting the director know - always have an excuse?
 - Is the first thing you do when arriving for your shift is have dinner or do you go and ski and get involved, then do dinner later
 - Are you dressed, booted, and ready to go when the shift starts
 - Do you volunteer for the extra things to do? OEC, OET, lift evac.etc. Do you go the extra mile.
- Family Policy -
 - Children cannot be left in the upstairs Patrol Building alone - (Youth Protection Training)
 - Your first responsibility is to be a patroller when you are wearing the jacket. If your own children cannot be left alone on the hill, a non-patroller needs to be present to watch them.

Rick

- Toboggan check-offs
 - Needs to be more streamlined.
 - Toboggan Instructors - Follow the check-off sheet to verify that everyone is able to load and pull a toboggan anywhere on the mountain.
 - Requirements next year will have training for all patrollers. Starting with Training for the Trainers

Baxter

- Hill updates
 - Insurance inspections today. All went well.
 - Area rentals.
 - Put skis together with the name of patient and Incident Number before returning.

- This is so they can be tested.
- Summer activity surprise -
 - Mountain biking is going to return.
 - Memorial to Labor Day.
 - Apply to patrol for bike patrol.

Nate

- School updates
 - 35 schools participating this season.
 - Last week of March is the end of the schools.
 - Lots of students this week and next, then it starts to taper off.

Scott Norr

- OET progress
 - Candidates are doing very well.
 - February 21 is Mach Day.
 - Will be looking for patients and assessors.

Mike Shaw

- Rucksack event
 - Wednesday, February 18th.
 - 80th anniversary of the historic Rava Ridge ascent.
 - You can walk, skin, with a backpack or without
 - Base to top of Lift 2 - 2 laps - Two Times.
- Patrol Discussion
 - No candidate class this year. What does this mean?
 - Focus more on patroller training instead of candidate training
 - Reduction of numbers by attrition
 - Intermountain Division.
 - Kelly's is one of the smaller mountain resorts
 - Kelly's has the most Patrollers in the division

Brian P

OEC Skills Training - KAHOOT