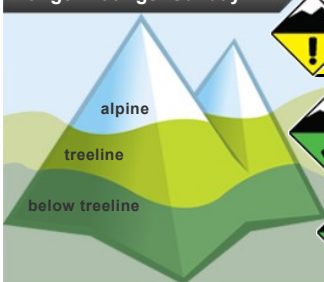








“ Watch for small wind slabs at ridge top and take care to manage your sluff in steeper terrain. Avalanche control will occur on Mt. Bourgeau and Mt. Whympers March 10. No activities on these peaks tomorrow. ” [SH]

Public Avalanche Forecast

Danger Ratings: Sunday



	2 - Moderate Heightened avalanche conditions on specific terrain features. Evaluate snow and terrain carefully; identify features of concern.
	1 - Low Generally safe avalanche conditions. Watch for unstable snow on isolated terrain features. Natural and human-triggered avalanches unlikely.
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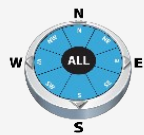
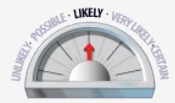

Forecast	Monday	Tuesday
alpine 	2 - Moderate	2 - Moderate
treeline 	2 - Moderate	2 - Moderate
below treeline 	1 - Low	1 - Low

Confidence: Moderate

Past 24 hour weather

Station	Maximum (°C)	Minimum (°C)	Snowfall (cm)	Snow Pack (cm)	Wind speed	Ridgetop wind direction
Simpson 2115/2320m	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available
Bow Summit 2040m	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available
Sunshine 2200m	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available

Problem 1: Dry Loose


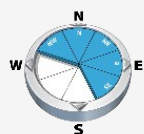


Which Elevation?	Which Slopes?	Chance of Avalanches?	Expected Size?
			

Cold weather created weak, faceted surface snow. In steep terrain, these facets are easily triggered and can gain enough mass to affect skiers and climbers.

Travel and Terrain Advice

- Good group management is essential to manage current conditions safely.
- Use caution above cliffs and terrain traps where small avalanches may have severe consequences.

Problem 2: Wind Slabs

Which Elevation?	Which Slopes?	Chance of Avalanches?	Expected Size?
			

New small slabs can be found in wind loaded areas up to 40cm thick. These slabs will be found sitting on the weak, faceted snow that was previously on the surface .

Travel and Terrain Advice

- The new snow will require several days to settle and stabilize.
- Watch for surface cracking and stiffer surface layers of snow.