

LEVEL I SKI AND TOBOGGAN TRAINING SCHEDULE 2007-2008 SKI COOPER SKI PATROL

Date Specific Training Information

Actual content subject to change depending on how the group advances.
Additional training days can be added if necessary.

- **10 November:** 0800 **Annual On the Hill Refresher** at Ski Cooper and candidate orientation.
- **24 November:** tentative opening day for Ski Cooper

- **15 December:** Level I instructors and evaluators standardization clinic for **instructors/evaluators only**. This will be registered with National as a ski and toboggan enhancement seminar and will count as a recertification for S&T instructors.
- **16 December:** Ski/board Skills Screening at Cooper—**first day** on skis for candidates. See the daily schedule above for details. **Screening must be passed** in order to proceed with the S&T training season. After passing screening, a \$40 deposit is required for the blue uniform vest as well as \$80 for NSP dues. It is to be paid to Ski Cooper Ski Patrol and sent to Marty Mercer, Treasurer. The vest is your lift ticket during the training season.

- **5 January:** ski/board skills only
- **6 January:** intro to toboggans: locations, inspection, packing, route selection, communication, running the toboggan solo and unloaded on green and blue runs, lift loading procedures.
- **12 January:** **no training**. Instructors away for level II clinic at Sunlight.
- **13 January:** route selection, communication, running the toboggan solo and unloaded on black runs, lift loading procedures, introduction to tail rope, changeover procedures.
- **26/27 January:** toboggan loaded with and without a tail roper on green and blue runs—black runs, changeover procedures.

- **3 February:** Super Bowl Sunday, **no training planned**.
- **9/10 February:** solo, loaded, black runs, platform building, incident site management, anchor breakdown, 45 degree departure?
- **23/24 February:** solo, loaded, black runs, platform building, incident site management, anchor breakdown, 45 degree departure?

- **1 March:** National Day. No training!
- **2 March:** Evaluation prep
- **15 March:** Level I S&T Evaluation and **END** of S&T training for 2008!

Please note, you must be recommended by your instructors to attend the evaluation. If you are not sufficiently prepared, it will be recommended that you attend more training in the following season before attending the evaluation.