



Snow Valley Nordic Ski Club

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Membership Form 2021/2022

Date: _____

Note! You can now register and pay for a membership online!

Check the website on the membership page for the link: <https://www.snowvalleynordics.com/ski-info>

1. MEMBER INFORMATION

NAME (First ... Last)	Previous Member? (Y/N)	Experience (novice/intermediate/expert)	BIRTH DATE* (d/m/y)	M/F

*This information required to obtain provincial insurance for CCBC.

**Toddlers need a membership to be on the trails, even if they don't ski, for insurance purposes.

Address: _____ City/Province: _____

Postal Code (*required!): _____ Phone: _____

Email: _____

(to receive newsletters and event notices and NOTHING else)

2. VOLUNTEER

The operation of the SVNSC and the programs and services we provide depend upon the volunteer efforts of our members. SVNSC is run entirely by the efforts of our tireless volunteers. Volunteering for our club is a great way to learn new skills, meet new people and have lots of fun! Can you help us out this year?

Club Operations/Maintenance:

- Work parties
- Snow grooming
- Facilities maintenance
- Equipment maintenance
- Donation of heavy equipment
- Ski club executive position
- Fundraising
- Other: _____

Club Programs and Events:

- Trail fee collection, pass checks
- Adult or child ski instruction
- Assist in Open House, races, other events
- Club promotion, advertising
- Lead guided tours, moonlight skis, etc.
- Ski rentals
- Other: _____

Skills:

- Carpentry
- Equipment operation
- Mechanical maintenance of equipment
- Electrical
- Food concession operation
- First Aid or Snow Patrol
- Other: _____

Time Available for the Club:

- A few times per year (work parties, events)
- Moderate amount of time
- Lots of time (eg. snow grooming)
- Prefer helping in winter
- Prefer helping in summer
- Prefer helping in spring or fall

3. INFORMED CONSENT AND ASSUMPTION OF RISK AGREEMENT

By signing this document you will assume certain risks. Please read carefully.

1. This is a binding legal agreement. As a Participant in the sport of cross country skiing and the programs, activities and events of **Cross Country Canada** and **Canadian Snowsports Association** (hereinafter called **CCC/CSA**), **Cross Country BC** (hereinafter called the **Division**) and **Snow Valley Nordic Ski Club** (hereinafter called **Club**) which include without limitation cross-country skiing competitions, camps, clinics, and related activities such as roller-skiing, road cycling, running and hiking (hereinafter called the **Activities**), the Participant and/or the Parent/Guardian of the Participant (hereinafter called the **Parties**), acknowledge and agree to the following terms:
2. **Description of Risks** – The Participant is participating voluntarily in the **Activities**. In consideration of the Participant's participation in the **Activities** sanctioned by one or more of **CCC/CSA**, the **Division** and the **Club**, the **Parties** hereby acknowledge that they are aware of the risks, dangers and hazards associated with or related to the **Activities**, and may be exposed to such risks, dangers and hazards. The risks, dangers and hazards include, but are not limited to, injuries from:
 - a. training whether indoor or outdoor including strength training, running, hiking, and cycling;
 - b. overusing, exerting and stretching various muscle groups and strenuous cardiovascular workouts;
 - c. vigorous physical exertion, rapid movements and quick turns and stops;
 - d. falling to the ground due to slips, trips or uneven, slippery or irregular terrain or surfaces;
 - e. contact, colliding or being struck by skis, ski poles, equipment, trees, other individuals or other fixed objects;
 - f. failing to participate within one's abilities, skill and within designated areas;
 - g. becoming lost or separated from the group or the group becoming split up;
 - h. failure to properly use any piece of equipment or from the mechanical failure of any piece of equipment;
 - i. extreme weather conditions which may result in frostbite, hypothermia, snowstorms, sunstroke or lightning strikes;
 - j. encounters with animals or plants including allergic reactions;
 - k. travel to and from training, competitive events and associated non-competitive events which are an integral part of **Activities**; and
 - l. other risks normally associated with participation in the **Activities**.
3. **Furthermore, the Parties are aware:**
 - a. that injuries sustained may be severe, paralyzing or fatal;
 - b. that the Participant may experience anxiety or embarrassment while challenging themselves during the activities, events and programs of **CCC/CSA**, the **Division** and the **Club**;
 - c. that the risk of injury is reduced if the Participant follows all rules established for participation; and
 - d. that the risk of injury increases as the Participant becomes fatigued.

Disclaimer – In consideration of **CCC/CSA**, the **Division** and the **Club** accepting the Participant's application for membership in the **Club** or allowing the Participant to participate, the **Parties** agree that **CCC/CSA**, the **Division** and the **Club** and its respective directors, officers, committee members, members, employees, volunteers, participants, agents and representatives are not responsible for any injury, personal injury, damage, property damage, expense, loss of income or loss of any kind suffered by the Participant during, or as a result of, any of the **Activities** sanctioned by one or more of **CCC/CSA**, the **Division** and the **Club**, caused by the risks, dangers and hazards associated with the **Activities**.

5. **Acknowledgement** – The **Parties** confirm that:
 - a) the Participant's physical condition is sufficient to allow participation in the sport of cross-country skiing and the activities, events and programs of **CCC/CSA**, the **Division** and the **Club**;
 - b) they have been provided sufficient information about **Activities** and the associated risks and hazards so that they are aware of the effect of this agreement;
 - c) the Participant agrees to abide by the Rules and Regulations imposed by **CCC/CSA**, the **Division** and the **Club**, in association with the **Activities**, and to follow the instructions of the officials during the **Activities**; and
 - d) they have read this agreement understand it, have executed this agreement voluntarily, and that this agreement is to be binding upon the **Parties**, their heirs, executors, administrators and representatives.
6. In addition, the **Parties**:
 - a) authorize **CCC/CSA**, the **Division** and the **Club** to collect and use personal information about the **Parties** which relates in any way to the **Activities**, including without limitation the publication of photographs in newsletters and promotional materials, and the posting of photographs, videos, articles, rosters, statistics, images and results on the **CCC/CSA**, the **Division** and the **Club** websites;
 - b) grant permission to **CCC/CSA**, the **Division** and the **Club** to photograph and/or record the **Parties** image and/or voice, and to use this material to promote **CCC/CSA**, the **Division** and the **Club** through any form of and agree that the audio/visual material and copyright will remain the sole property of **CCC/CSA**, the **Division** and the **Club** and waive any claim to remuneration for use of audio/visual materials used for these purposes; and
 - c) understand that they may withdraw such consent at any time by contacting Cross Country Canada at 403-678-6791. Cross Country Canada will advise the implications of such withdrawal.

***We do not sell or distribute your personal information to any other third party not listed herein.**

I, the Participant and/or Parent/Guardian, have read and agree to be bound by this agreement.

Adult Members:

Adult Member #1 Name: _____ Signature: _____ Date: _____

Adult Member #2 Name: _____ Signature: _____ Date: _____

Minor's Parent or Guardian Signature: *(must be signed for all child/youth members under 19 years of age)*

Parent/Guardian Name: _____ Signature: _____ Date: _____

4. SKI PASSES AND FEES

Enjoy unlimited skiing at Onion Lake Ski Trails!

	Until December 1 st	After December 1 st	After February 14 th , 2021	Number of Passes	Total Fees
Adult (19 years or over)	\$120	\$140	\$80	X =	\$
Toddler ** (2 years and under)	\$20	\$25	\$15	X =	\$
Child (3-12 years)	\$40	\$50	\$30	X =	\$
Youth (13-18 years)	\$60	\$70	\$40	X =	\$
Student (19-24 years with proof of student ID)	\$80	\$90	\$55	X =	\$
Senior (65 years or over)	\$80	\$90	\$55	X =	\$
Maximum family payment	\$325	\$375	\$225	X =	\$
Optional donation to the Snow Valley Nordic Ski Club—general maintenance, programs, etc.	<input type="checkbox"/> \$10 <input type="checkbox"/> \$20 <input type="checkbox"/> \$50 <input type="checkbox"/> \$_____				
TOTAL PAYABLE:					\$

5. MAIL-IN FORM & PAYMENT

Please mail your membership form and payment to: **"SVNSC"**

Please mail your membership form and payment to:

P. Moulard
37 Duncan Street
Kitimat, BC V8C 2N6

If you have applied for a student membership with the student rate, please enclose a photocopy of your current student ID with your payment.

Any questions about this form or membership?
Contact Pat at: email: SVNSCmembership@gmail.com
Phone: 250-639-6466

The Snow Valley Nordic Ski Club would like to acknowledge the following sponsors who have assisted in the development, maintenance and operation of the Onion Lake Ski Trails:

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Remember to wear your pass(es) while skiing and enjoy the trails!

SVNSC and COVID 19

The health and safety of our members, visitors, and community is our highest priority. In light of COVID-19, we understand that this coming season will continue to be somewhat different, and our Club executive and all volunteers, with Cross Country BC (CCBC), are working hard to create solutions that will continue keep our skiers safe during this time.

The Club is committed to operating our trails, facilities and programs this winter following the guidelines set out by the government and health authorities. We are currently finalizing our Return to Sport plan for our youth programs and other activities. We will keep everyone posted (email, website updates) as programs become available.

Thank you for your cooperation as we prepare for the Nordic ski season in these challenging times. We all look forward to experiencing the trails at Onion Lake, and enjoying the active, outdoor pursuits that winter brings.

Participation Agreement

All club members, volunteers, and participants of club programs must agree to the following protocols:

- Complete a COVID Self Assessment on a daily basis before participating in any ski activity at Onion Lake (<https://bc.thrive.health/covid19/en>)
- Wear a mask in any indoor spaces
- Use hand sanitizer (provided by the club, inside and outside the lodge) upon arrival and departure at the facility/activity
- Comply with physical distancing measures at all times
- Avoid physical contact with others, including shaking hands, high fives, etc.
- Do not share equipment with others

There are risks associated with entering club facilities and/or participating in club activities; the measures taken by the club and participants, including those set out above and under the Return to Sport Plan, will not entirely eliminate those risks.

I have read the above and will comply with these protocols as laid out by SVNSC and CCBC.

Signature(s) of participant(s): _____

Signature of parent/guardian if participants are minors: _____

Date: _____