

COVID -19 PRECAUTIONS for S’Cool Ski Program, 2021/2022

UPDATED: January, 12 2022

In order to run an effective and safe S’Cool Program for the 2021-22 season, SLNC staff and the S’Cool Instructors have created a governing document for daily operations related to the program. SLNC will heed all PHO and School District regulations with regard to the suspension of this program should it become necessary.

Staff Safety:

- All SLNC Staff will wear masks indoors, use available hand sanitizer, gloves, protective coveralls for other appropriate PPE for handling/sanitizing of program equipment.
- Diligent airing, drying and sanitation of boots, skis and poles, snowshoes each day – Instructor duties before departure each day.
- Entire Race Office and other used buildings to be sanitized after each school group.
- Each small group stays with Instructor throughout their visit at Sovereign: Meet lesson group at bus, escort to Race Office, size boots, skis and poles (outside ready).
- Each Instructor enables their group only, from start to finish
- Each instructor will carry a First Aid Kit and Radio in case of accident or injury
- All instructor staff will perform a daily health check-in with the S’Cool Ski Coordinator and follow government guidelines on isolating, if required.

Management of Facilities:

- Mandatory facemasks MUST be worn in ALL SLNC buildings at all times. Social Distancing for all visitors and staff is also required. Staff will not join school groups during food breaks or lunch due to increased exposure risks.
- Waivers are signed for parents in lieu of tickets. Each school group must provide an accurate roll call for the instructor and Coordinator for proper invoicing numbers.
- Participants are advised to use the outdoor washrooms. The lodge bathrooms are available but masks MUST BE WORN.
- All Ski Equipment is handed out at the Race Office, no Lodge rentals for kids are permitted.
- Adults to assist kids with boots, Instructors assist with skis and poles, OUTSIDE.
- 6 kids to 1 table maximum.
- There will be staggered break times to reduce building congestion – kids’ lunch in Race Office or Old Lodge
- Adult Helpers and Teachers are permitted to use lodge adult rentals at \$5 each.

Revised Scheduling

- Full day bookings only OR half day IF schedule allows - no mixed Schools on one day.
- Limited numbers of attendees? 30 kids - 5 x groups of 6 per day
- Stagger start/finish times: Group 1 (most experienced) first off bus... therefore, reduced duration of lesson for last groups? Group 1 first to luncheon the out again, Group 2 next etc.
- Expanded Skill-building Stations, close to home, for less experienced skiers.
- Snow-shoeing is encouraged! – this activity will have smaller groups.