



SKIJAMMERS COVID-19 PREPAREDNESS PLAN

Skijammers Ski and Snowboard School has implemented guidelines to help reduce the spread of COVID-19. These guidelines are taken from strategies set forth by the Minnesota Department of Health (“MDH”) and its Guidance for Social Distancing in youth sports, the Center for Disease Control (“CDC”), and other local governing bodies. Skijammers Ski and Snowboard School will continue to update its COVID-19 Tryout Preparedness Plan as new guidelines are announced. Skijammers Ski and Snowboard School requires each of its members to follow these guidelines. The information in this Skijammers Covid-19 Preparedness Plan is not intended to be a substitute for any diagnosis, treatment or other professional medical advice.

The information surrounding COVID-19 is constantly changing and Skijammers Ski and Snowboard School makes no representation and assumes no responsibility for the accuracy and completeness of the information contained in this Preparedness Plan. However, Skijammers Ski and Snowboard School will do its best to continue updating the Preparedness Plan and its members as to any changes mandated by the MDH, CDC, and other governing bodies. Skijammers Ski and Snowboard School continues to work closely with the local ski and snowboard destinations. These facilities are committed to providing a safe and clean environment for those who enter and use their hills, lifts and chalets. In the event Skijammers Ski and Snowboard School updates this Plan, members will be notified immediately.

AT-HOME PREPARATION BEFORE ARRIVAL AT A SKIJAMMERS SKI AND SNOWBOARD SCHOOL EVENT

- Skijammers Ski and Snowboard School staff Members and participants with any risk factors or illnesses should not participate in any Skijammers Ski and Snowboard School activity. Any student, coach, instructor, chaperone or staff member exhibiting any symptoms or signs of an illness should NOT participate until cleared by a doctor.
- A self-check should be performed by each member prior to attending or participating in any Skijammers Ski and Snowboard School activity. Considerations include:
 - Recent contact with infected person(s)
 - Recent travel outside of Minnesota
 - Symptoms of Illness
- All staff members and participants must be registered with Skijammers Ski and Snowboard School for the 2020- 21 season and complete the appropriate Skijammers Ski and Snowboard School waivers as well as ski area association waivers before

participating in any Skijammers Ski and Snowboard School sanctioned activity. All waivers are signed during registration for both participants and staff members.

- Families must provide the Skijammers Ski and Snowboard School with accurate contact information in case of an emergency, with the responsible parent/guardian able to be reached at all times, and be available to immediately come to the ski area, in case of an emergency.

REQUIREMENTS FOR ARRIVAL AT BUS STOP

- **MASKS:** All Skijammers Ski and Snowboard School participants and staff members are required to wear a mask into and out of any area facility including buses. Masks are required for skiers or riders descending on the hill, but a face covering must be worn in chair lift lines, while on lifts or interacting as a group.
- **ARRIVAL:** participants should arrive at the bus location no more than 15 minutes prior to buses departing, Anyone who arrives earlier, may place bags in the trailer of the bus, and then return to the car to wait.
 - All participants should come to the bus dressed, including ski/snowboard boots and helmets.
 - All participants must bring a bag lunch. Chalet food service is not guaranteed for the 20/21 season. All lunches will be placed in a lunch duffel bag when entering the bus. The lunch duffel will be transported to the Skijammers director table for lunch distribution.
 - Buses will be limited to 25 passengers this season including 2 chaperones per bus. While Minnesota guidelines recommend 37 riders per bus, Skijammers wants to ensure a safe environment for our members and chaperones.
 - First Student bus seats will be identified as one-person or two-person seats. We encourage family members to sit together.

REQUIREMENTS FOR ON-HILL ACTIVITIES:

- **MASKS:** Masks are required for skiers or riders descending on the hill, but a face covering must be worn in chair lift lines, while on lifts or interacting as a group. Each group will be composed of an instructor and students. All Skijammers Ski and Snowboard School participants and staff members are required to wear a mask into and out of any area facility including buses during the course of the day.
- Each group will work independent of other groups throughout the day.
- While there may be times where there is relatively close contact between participants, participants should maintain as much social distancing as possible during on/off snow activities. Instructors will plan warm-up drills and daily activities accordingly while keeping social distancing guidelines in mind.
- Staff members are required to wear masks for all on-snow activities and should avoid physical contact with participants whenever possible

- Group members should not blend with members of other groups throughout the day including chair lifts and lunch areas.

LUNCH ACTIVITIES:

- All Skijammers Ski and Snowboard groups will be slotted for a ½ hour lunch timeslot during the day. Group lunches will be available in bins numbered with bus number and have a dedicated eating space. Instructors will eat lunch with their groups.
- Group members are responsible for disposing of their bag lunches prior to exiting the eating area.
- Tables will be wiped down by Skijammers staff members prior to seating the next group.
- MASKS: All Skijammers Ski and Snowboard School participants and staff members are required to wear a mask into and out of any area facility including buses during the course of the day.
- Masks can be removed for eating lunch, then replaced once finished.

AFTER ON-HILL ACTIVITIES ARE COMPLETED:

- After the daily session, participants will proceed to the bottom of the hill as a group to remove skis, boards etc... Group will proceed to the buses together for bus loading and check-in.
- Upon check-in verification, buses will depart to bus location destinations.
- All parents/guardians are required to be at the bus stop location 5 minutes before scheduled arrival for pick-up.

EMERGENCY PLANS FOR ILL PARTICIPANTS:

- In the event a participant arrives at a destination and has an elevated temperature, or in the event a participant falls ill during daily activities, the player will be removed from the group and placed in a designated area in the chalet with a supervising adult. The player's parent/guardian in the emergency contact listing will be contacted immediately, and must pick-up the participant from the hill. Skijammers will not transport an ill participant.
- If a participant tests positive for COVID, the family must report the positive result immediately to SKIJAMMERS SKI AND SNOWBOARD SCHOOL by emailing info@skijammers.com. Skijammers will report the case to MDH and local health officials. Skijammers Ski and Snowboard School will then work with MDH to identify those who had been in contact with the participant and will follow up with those identified immediately.

Skijammers Ski and Snowboard School will continue to update its members as to any changes to the COVID19 Preparedness Plan. As information and guidelines from MDH, the CDC

continues to change, Skijammers Ski and Snowboard School will do its best to promptly update its Preparedness Plan and notify its members accordingly as soon as possible.