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Trail Etiquette

- Respect other trail users. Trails are shared with all ability levels.
- Yield the right of way to the downhill and slower skiers.
- Call out when overtaking other skiers, make them aware.
- Do not obstruct a trail or stop where you are not visible.
- Skate skiers please do not skate over the classic set tracks.
- Snowshoers please do not walk in set tracks or middle of skating lane.
- Garbage is your responsibility. Pack it out.
- Keep your dog under control and remove messes from trail.
- Trails are not patrolled, assume your own risk.
- Bring a friend. Tell someone where you are going and when you plan on returning

Trail Map Information

- Nordic ski trail maps are not for actual navigation. Always use a topo map for navigation.
- Trails shown are general locations and may change course, be omitted or added due to snow conditions.
- Trail conditions can change throughout day. Icy conditions and patches can exist.
- Trail distances are approximated in kilometers.
- Some areas are multi use, you may encounter snowmobiles.
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Pagosa Nordic

Pagosa Nordic is a nonprofit volunteer organization providing recreational opportunities in Pagosa Springs by maintaining and promoting FREE groomed winter trails for skate skiing, classic cross country skiing for all ability levels.

Trails are FREE to use, however, funding for trail maintenance, marketing and events relies on generous donations from local businesses, residents and visitors.

Suggested trail use donation, \$5/day, \$10/week, \$25/year, \$40/family/year. Mail donations to Pagosa Nordic Club, PO Box 568, Pagosa Springs, CO 81147 or online at PagosaNordic.com.

All donations are tax deductible. Thank you for your support.

Please sign in at the trail heads!

Information collected will help ensure grant funding.



Nordic Events 2013/14

Pagosa Nordic Ski Challenge Weekend

Featuring Masters X-C Ski Champ, Murray Banks

Dec 13, 6-8 pm. Waxing Clinic with Murray Banks at Alpen Haus Ski Center

Dec 14. Murray Banks Skate Ski Clinics; 9 am Advanced, 1 pm Intermediate at Wolf Creek Alberta Meadow Nordic Track

Dec 15. Red Ryder BB Gun Biathlon at Wolf Creek Ski Area; Competitive 12K race or Citizens 6K.

FREE Moon Rise / Sunset X-C Ski Socials

Between 4-7 pm on Dec 14; Jan 10, Feb 14, Mar 14. Enjoy

Free Soup & Chili, ski/snowshoe under the colorful skies, and socialize next to a warm camp fire. Bring something to share if you like. A great activity for families, all ages and abilities. Dress warm and bring head lamp/flashlight, chair.

FREE Learn To X-C Ski Clinics

Saturdays 10-12 am on Dec 7, Jan 11, Feb 1. Introductory clinics for skate ski and classic cross country skiing with instruction from some of our finest local skiers. Learn how to make these winter activities even more enjoyable. Bring your ski gear, skate skis or classic kick and glide skis. X-C ski gear can be rented from all local ski shops at a discount for these clinics.

FREE Dog Harness Clinic & Skijoring Clinic

Sat, Jan 4 at Yamaguchi Park. Canine skijoring is a great way to take your dogs out skiing while they pull you along. Learn the basic gear and techniques and to get you and your dog off and running.

Pagosa Paw Dog Sled, Canine Skijoring & Cani-Cross Races

Feb 22-23, 9am. Races sponsored by Pagosa Nordic Club and Colorado Mountain Mushers. Events: Dog sled races, a skijor race (dog pulls you on skis), cani-cross race (dog pulls you on snowshoes) and freight event. CASH PRIZES for competitive events; ribbons & prize drawings for those who just want to try it out. Great spectator event; arrive early.

Winterfest Nordic Ski Weekend Challenge

Feb 15-16. Events for citizens, competitors, families & kids.

Feb 15. Red Ryder BB Gun Biathlon, fun relay races & fast-paced sprint races for all ages.

Feb 16. NEW Plumtaw Ultra 30K/60K Freestyle Nordic Ski Race. Self-supported ultra long ski race for hearty Nordic souls.

Pagosa Springs Quad Challenge

Mar 2. 10K skate ski or classic ski at the West Fork Nordic Area, 5K run, 22K bike to town and 1/2K swim at The Springs Resort. Teams or individuals.

Always check PagosaNordic.com for updated locations, times and more details for all events.

Cross Country Ski Trails in Pagosa Springs, Colorado

Featuring:

Over 50 km of FREE Groomed Nordic Ski Trails for Classic Cross Country Skiing & Skate Skiing plus nearly 100 miles of groomed multi-use winter trails

Daily trail conditions/grooming reports:

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Get outside & enjoy the trails!



Sponsors & Partners

Pagosa Nordic Club would like to recognize the businesses and organizations that provide a portion of the funding for trail grooming expenses. Your patronage of these businesses will help our programs to continue. Please thank them!



Ski and trail grooming reports everyday at 7:35 am, 8:35 am & 4:35 pm. News on the hour, weather 20 past. Live streaming at KWUF.com. 106.1 FM, adult contemporary, classic rock & oldies. 1400 AM, country music and local talk radio.



Breakfast, lunch, healthy snacks & goodies; eat in or packed for the trail. Belgian hot chocolate, espresso drinks, artisan breads, quiches, soups, salads, Focaccia pockets, sandwiches, pastries. Free WIFI. Downtown at 238 Pagosa Street (Hwy 160), 970-264-9348, www.pagosabakingcompany.com.



National award-winning beers, fine wines, innovative martinis & homemade root beer. Salmon fish & chips, angus burgers, gourmet pizzas, kid's menu, play area, fire pits, Brewery tours. 118 N. Pagosa Blvd (at Village Dr), 970-731-BREW (2739), PagosaBrewing.com.



"Enjoy the Ride"

Come browse our selection of TREK, Electra and Santa Cruz bicycles; Hobie Cat Kayaks, Paddle Boards; Smith Optics & Tifosi Eyewear; Easton Snow Shoes, Trekking Poles, Sleds & Snow Tubes; Winter riding and running apparel, Smart Wool hats, warmers and more! Uptown Country Center Plaza. Mon-Sat. 970-731-2002.



Mike & Laura Haynes invite you to visit Pagosa's most unique retail experience. Offering hunting, fishing, camping, and outdoor gear plus winter clothing & gear for snowshoeing, backcountry travel, ice fishing & more. 56 Talisman Drive Unit 8C—just north of McDonalds, 970-731-9900, eaglemountainmerc.com.



SilverPick Contracting, your full service local contractor specializing in energy maximization, new construction and remodeling. 100%

commitment to Energy Star Certified homes resulting in a 50% more efficient product than competitors. 175 Mercado St., Ste 109, Durango, CO, 970-946-6981, silverpickco@yahoo.com, silverpickcontracting.com.



Pagosa Springs' Cross Country Ski Experts for over 30 years offering full line of touring, skating, and back-country ski gear and all accessories.

Downhill and snowboard, snowshoe rentals, clothing and accessories. Full service and repair shop. Convenient uptown location next to Sears in Aspen Village., 2800 Cornerstone Dr, 970-731-SKIS (7547).



Basic, sport, performance & demo ski rentals. Snowboard, X-C, snowshoes, telemark and alpine touring. Complete ski service, repair, equipment, skiwear and accessories. Downtown at 350 Pagosa St. (Hwy 160), 7 days, 7:30a-6p, 970-264-2866,

skipagosa.com.



Top brands winter sportswear, accessories, X-C ski, snowshoe, ice skate, alpine ski, and snowboard and gear sales and rentals. Ice skating right out our back door. 7 days, 8am-6pm. In the River Center, 172 E. Pagosa St (Hwy 160) 970-264-2456, summitski.com.



Be safe & comfortable in Colorado's winter mountains. All women, level I & II, hut trip skills courses. Snowshoe, X-C, snowboard, telemark & A-T welcome. 970-731-2486, wolfcreekbackcountry.com.



On the top of scenic Wolf Creek Pass with fantastic nordic and alpine skiing. 2010 OnTheSnow Visitors Choice award for the

Rockies! Great place for family, friends and lots of fun! Known for abundant snowfall attracting ski enthusiast from around the world. X-C ski rentals available. 970-264-5639. WolfCreekSki.com.



100% hot mineral water soaking in the heart of downtown Pagosa Springs. Large outdoor swimming pool, outdoor hot tub and indoor bathhouse. Affordable lodging

choices – rooms, suites and park-model cabins. On-site massage services to complement your soak! Daily 8am-10pm, 317 Hot Springs Blvd. 800-832-5523, PSHotSprings.com.



Pagosa's NEW affordable hot springs! Scenic roof top tubs, 5 indoor pools and exclusive private room. Massage services. Beer & wine available.

See us on youtube.com. 7 days, 10am-10pm. Downtown at 432 Pagosa St (Hwy 160), 970-264-4040.



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by the world's deepest geo-thermal hot spring. Overlooking the beautiful San Juan River. 50 rooms from Standard, Deluxe, Grande and Suite accommodations. Downtown-165 Hot Springs Blvd, 800-225-0934, pagosahotspings.com.



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