

Winter 19-20' | Issue 4 | Oct. 4, 2019

#### October is here!

Me: I can't wait for Halloween. I love spooky stuff.

Also me when I hear a noise in my house:



Happy spooky season everyone! As our excitement is continuing to grow for the upcoming season, we have some fun updates and useful tips for everyone!

# I wish I knew what I know now...

Share your knowledge and pass along words of wisdom for the new folks! We would love to continue to collect some of your sage pieces of advice for the new staff. Send us your submissions to SPSchoolStaff@vailresorts.com

#### Interested in joining our Leadership?

#### We have Supervisor and Team Lead openings!

Check out the Stevens Pass Ski and Ride School <u>Careers</u>

<u>Page</u> for more information and job descriptions.

In the meantime if you have any questions about these positions or want to express your interest, please reach out!

#### Time to slow your roll...

The first snow has arrived and with it comes our first taste of winter driving!

Overnight temps this week have been below or near freezing! Slow your roll.

#### Spread the word.

Check out some important safety tips and reminders for driving during this time of year attached below!

# **KEY DATES:**

- October: Schedule Submission forms will be sent!
- Late Oct.: 19 Check-ins for new employees will begin (Dates will be announced soon!)
- November: Orientation and Training opportunities begin.
- Wed, December 4<sup>th</sup>: Tentative opening day!!

## Did you hear how quickly the old chairs went??

As you may have heard, there was great success in our big sale of the old Brooks and Daisy Chairs! I think it is safe to say we were all blown away in the level of interest and commitment of the 9am sign up! As we did sell out this does mean that not everyone who had hoped to purchase a chair was able to do so and we do send our condolences to those folks but to the lucky individuals who did secure this piece of history for themselves congratulations!

It is important to remember the overall goal was to raise money towards some great charities!

Here is what we accomplished:

- The online sales sold out in **less than** 15 seconds
- 200+ chairs sold
- \$50,000+ raised for charity
- The chairs not listed in this sale were donated to local charities to fund raise with!

Below are the awesome charities that have received the funds raised from this sale:







### Still haven't found the gear you are looking for?

Here are some great opportunities coming up to get a sweet deal on all kinds of gear for both the East and Westside of the Pass:

Oct. 12: Leavenworth Gear & Ski Swap, Leavenworth, Wash.,

Oct. 19 – 20: Mountain to Sound Ski Swap, Seattle, Wash.,

www.m2soutfitters.com

Nov. 2 - 3: Yakima Ski Swap, Yakima, Wash.,

www.yakimaskiswap.com

Nov. 8 - 9: Newport Ski Swap, Bellevue, Wash.,

www.skiswap.info

Nov. 8 – 10: Ski Dazzle – The Seattle Ski & Snowboard Show's Ski Swap, Seattle, Wash.,

www.skidazzle.com

Nov. 9 – 11: Olympia Ski Club Ski Swap, Olympia, Wash.,

**Oct. 1-31:** Powder's 31 days of giveaways! Feeling lucky??? You can enter to win a different prize daily <u>Here!</u>

\*\*\* Just a friendly reminder, when purchasing teach equipment, graphics must be appropriate for all ages. \*\*\*



# Safety Tips for Fall Driving

The fall season means shorter days and less daylight which brings additional safety issues.

# Factors to be aware of when driving in the dark:

- The risk of a fatal crash is three times greater at night\*
- Depth perception, color recognition and peripheral vision can be compromised in the dark
- The glare or headlights from an oncoming car can temporarily blind a driver

# Tips for driving in the dark:

- Be sure headlights are aimed correctly
- Look away from oncoming lights
- Ensure your vehicle receives regular maintenance and the windshield is clean
- Maintain safe speed and increased distance from the vehicle ahead of you

# Other things to be aware of when driving during the fall

- Fallen leaves can cause slippery driving conditions
- Fall means back-to-school; watch out for children at bus stops
- Watch for deer or other animals, who are more likely to run into the road during the fall

\*National Safety Council

If you are fatigued or impaired, don't drive.

