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Happy Friday All!

This weekend promises excitement with the launch of Base Camp! As we gear up for a busy time, remember to check schedules and consider carpooling for a convenient driving experience. Your commitment is valued, and together, let's make it a fantastic weekend!

Training Corner: An Exciting Learning Experience!

Snowboard Member School Clinic:

Mark your calendars for January 30th and 31st, as we welcome Kelly Howle, the snowboard discipline lead for PSIA-AASI Northwest, for two days of enriching clinics. If you're looking to earn education credits for the season, you can do so for just \$45/session. Feel free to sign up for one or both days using the following links:

- January 30: [Sign Up Here](#)

- January 31: [Sign Up Here](#)

If you encounter any registration issues, please contact member services at PSIA-AASI NW.

Senior Specialist 1 (SS1):

There are still spots available for our upcoming SS1 event, a two-day accreditation for PSIA-AASI members who are L1 or above certified. Led by PSIA-NW Technical Team member, Dave Rowe, this event is highly recommended for both skiers and snowboarders. Don't miss out on this fantastic opportunity! To secure your spot, sign up [here](#), and remember that the registration deadline is 1/21. Before registering, please complete a short quiz online.

Important Reminder - Base Camp Launching this Weekend!

Get ready for an exciting weekend ahead as Base Camp kicks off! Starting this weekend, be sure to check your schedules, as many staff schedules will shift. Base Camp begins earlier than our daily lessons, so we want to emphasize the importance of arriving on time for lineup. Your punctuality ensures a smooth start to the day. Let's make this weekend's Base Camp a

Employee Alert: Waiver Signing Required

To streamline our processes, we've introduced Meal and Rest Period Verification forms for Stevens Pass employees.

Additionally, Washington Rest Break and Meal Period Requirements are crucial to understand:

Rest Breaks: One paid 10-minute break for every 4 hours worked. No clocking out, and breaks should ideally be scheduled every 2 hours.

Meal Periods: Varied requirements based on hours worked. Employees working 5 hours or more are entitled to an unpaid 30-minute meal period. If choosing to waive, specific guidelines apply.

Look out for the waiver, coming soon. If you have already signed a waiver then no extra steps are required. You have the option of completing a physical form, however, a digital form may be sent out to those who have not completed one.

If you have any questions, please contact your Ski School Administrator, Mark Ewing, in person or email via SPSchoolStaff.

Thank you for your understanding.

Carpool & Employee Shuttle

A friendly reminder that our business is booming with the expansion into other programs and the accumulation of snow. Have we said it enough? We expect it to be busy this weekend.!

If you can, lighten the load in our parking lots by carpooling with coworkers or riding employee transit, that would be helpful.

Every little bit helps in our effort to free up space for guests in the lots, and get them into lessons.

Carpool Sheet: <https://shorturl.at/lpxD7>

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