

# THE WORD

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It's another busy week ahead! With schools out for Mid-Winter Break, we can expect an increase in guests and lessons through the 23rd. Many of you have selected shifts for this week—please double-check your schedules, and if you're unavailable, make arrangements for coverage. Your flexibility and teamwork make a huge difference during these peak times. Thank you heaps for all you do and the experience you create for our guests.

## Spirit Week

Get ready to bring the fun—Spirit Week is here!



From February 19-23, we're turning up the energy with themed days that let you showcase your style, creativity, and team spirit. Whether you're rocking your best Stevens gear, channeling beach vibes, or going full denim, there's something for everyone to enjoy.

Don't forget to join the Daisy Pride Parade on Saturday too and fuel up with a free Rockstar on Sunday (can be picked up in the Bird's nest)! Remember, if you choose to participate, please keep outfits appropriate and wear your nametag.



- 2/19 - Beach Day
- 2/20 - Denim Day
- 2/21 - Rockstar Day
- 2/22 - Pride Day
- 2/23 - Blue Bird Spirit Day



## Share your Feedback

Our next **Continuous Listening Survey is here!** Through Feb. 18, please take a moment to share your thoughts and feedback with us. It is extremely valuable and helps us to make meaningful changes. To participate, you can follow this link

[Seasonal employee survey](#)

or access the survey via the invite sent to your email.  
Thank you in advance!

Email: [SPSchoolStaff@VailResorts.com](mailto:SPSchoolStaff@VailResorts.com)



## Save the Date - Training Watch Party

Join us on Saturday, **February 15th** as we host a **Re-watch Party of the National Team Zoom presentations.**

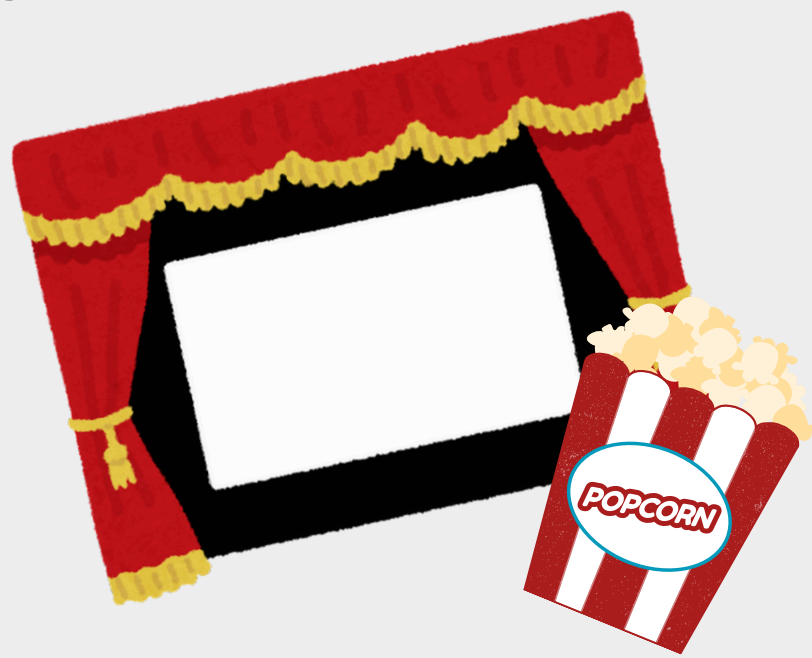
We will use the time to discuss the content together while also enjoying some lights snacks.

### Re-watch Party Details:

**Date:** February 15th, 2025

**Time:** 4:30 pm - 6:30 pm

**Where:** SSBS Locker Rooms



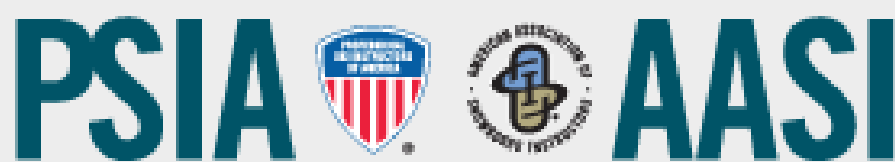
### Presentation Details:

C.A.R.E. About Learning: An Aussie Approach to Learning and the Guest Experience

**Hosts:** Richard Jameson, APSI National Team Coach, Emma Christiansen and Jon Steel, APSI National Team members,

## Event Season!

It's that time of year when many of our teammates will be taking PSIA-AASI events, exams, and/or accreditation clinics. These opportunities are a great way to grow as an instructor, refine skills, and advance a career on the mountain. If you know someone preparing for an exam, a few words of encouragement can go a long way—show them support, offer to practice together, or simply remind them they've got this!



As a reminder, if you successfully pass an exam or earn a qualifying accreditation, you may be eligible for cost reimbursement as professional development support.

To qualify, you must provide proof of passing and submit a receipt detailing your expense. Qualifying events include: Level I, II, III and, Childrens Specialist I and II.