28 December 2023

STATUS QUO - HAVE SNOW - NEED SNOW MORE

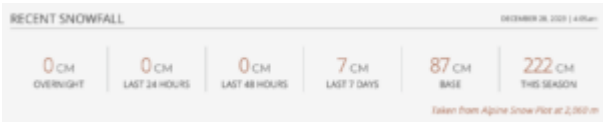
Conditions in Golden have been in a status quo pattern over the holidays. We have enough snow to get out there and go for a ride; the access is in good condition with smooth trails and cleared parking lots. Expectations are everything right now. It's totally possible to get out there and have a blast but the epic deep powder is taking its time to show up. It's still early season conditions for the most part and avalanche dangers remain considerable in the alpine. We've had approx 10cms of new snow this week and there's a approx 5 cms in the forecast.

Snow & Weather

SNOW AND WEATHER

There's approx 4 cms of snow in the forecast and the temps are staying below freezing.

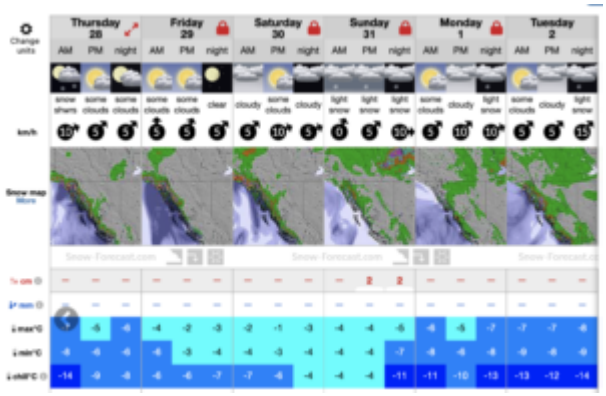
KHMR reported 7cms in the past week and 222cm YTD.



KHMR snow report on Dec 28



120 cm in Quartz on Dec 9



Forecast near Silent Pass area on Dec 28

Staging Areas Latest Info

Quartz Creek

Conditions: Good early-season conditions. A lot of hazards still lurking.
Grooms scheduled: As needed
Fees: $30/sled
Parking: main parking lot. Trailers in upper east lots - sleds on trucks in lower west
Additional notes: Quartz Creek trail is receiving regular grooming. Cabin has wood stocked.

Silent Pass

Conditions: Good early-season conditions. A lot of hazards still lurking.
Grooms scheduled: As needed.
Fees: $30/sled
Parking: 47Km on McMurdo road
Road: Logging activity past the 47 km turn off. Use a radio to call you kms.

Gorman Lake

Conditions: Good early-season conditions. A lot of hazards still lurking.
Grooms scheduled: as needed
Fees: $30/sled
Parking: lower 3.5 km lot
Road: A lot of active logging traffic on road. Call your kms!

KNOW WHERE YOU RIDE