

### SNOW AND COLD INCOMING

Let's get straight to the good news; there's snow in the forecast! Approx 22cm of the good stuff is due before Tuesday with the majority of it coming on the weekend. While our snowpack is still in early-season conditions, what we have got is playing pretty nice; the facts are that there's still fresh out there if you hunt for it. The alpine remains considerable for avalanche danger and the temps are turning cooler. Grooming is in full effect and the trails are in good shape. Keep reading for more info:

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There's approximately 22cms of snow in the forecast and the long term looks promising too. Temps are getting in to the negative mid teens by the weekend so it might be good to grab an extra layer.

KHMR reported 1cms in the past week and 223cm YTD.



screen shot of snow forecast near Quartz on Jan 4

# **Staging Areas Latest Info**

## **Quartz Creek**

Conditions: Good early-season conditions. Still fresh spots even after Christmas traffic

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. Still fresh spots even after Christmas traffic

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.

Additional notes: Waterfall feature (the final access spot to the main area) has been reported as being in rough shape. It may not be

a great spot for beginners right now.

## **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**