

BACK TO NORMAL-ISH

The good news is that there's snow and cold temps in the forecast! In fact, by Sunday things could be considered back to normal after what has been a wild warming cycle. Golden's top alpine was for the most part, spared from rain to the top, but the temps definitely had their way with our bountiful pow. But all is not lost; the base is still around and there's 13 cms in the forecast. Temps will be back at seasonal norms this week and grooming ops will be back to normal as soon as avalanche forecasts allow.

Snow & Weather

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Despite what you may have heard, Golden still got 20-25 cms of snow above 2000m this week. As we said, for the most part, the rain stayed below that mark but warming temps didn't. There's a mix of crusts, soft and hard on all aspects right now. The key is finding an elevation band where conditions still remain fun. There's 12-15 cms forecast in the next 5 days and temps should be back to normal by the weekend.



snow forecast near quartz on Feb 1

Staging Areas Latest Info

Quartz Creek

Conditions: Snow is temperature affected. Fun spots are available. **Grooms scheduled:** On hold until avalanche forecasts allow

Fees: \$30/sled

Parking: main parking lot. Trailers in upper east lots - sleds on trucks in lower west

Silent Pass

Conditions: Snow is temperature affected. Fun spots are available. **Grooms scheduled:** On hold until avalanche forecasts allow

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: Road was recently plowed. Logging at Nixon Road (approx 31km).

Gorman Lake

Conditions: Snow is temperature affected. Fun spots are available. **Grooms scheduled:** On hold until avalanche forecasts allow

Fees: \$30/sled

Parking: lower 3.5 km lot

Road: A lot of active logging traffic on road. Call your kms! RR27

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