

SUNNY TRACTION

There's a high pressure ridge over Golden BC right now that's making for some beautiful sunny days in the mountains. With 20cms of new snow over the last week, there's fresh tracks to be had and the cold temps are keeping it preserved. There's some fun powder pockets to be had and the traction on climbs is all time. The avalanche danger continues to be moderate and grooming teams are keeping the trails flat. The mountains are calling this weekend and you should go.

Snow & Weather

SNOW AND WEATHER

It's not epic deep, but there are some worthy pockets of fresh snow that are available for the taking. The best spots are in the alpine. We've had approximately 20 cms of new snow in the past week; there isn't much in the forecast but there is some sun. There's approximately 150cms of snow as an average base.

Temps have been quite cold this week and the alpine remains quite cool during the day, even when it's full sun. This has preserved the snow but riders thinking it will feel like spring might regret leaving their extra puffy layer in the truck.



Fresh tracks in Gorman on Feb 14.



Wheelie in Gorman on Feb 14



snowforecast near quartz on Feb 15

Staging Areas Latest Info

Quartz Creek

Conditions: Pockets of soft snow. Alpine is where it's best.

Grooms scheduled: As needed

Fees: \$30/sled

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

Silent Pass

Conditions: Pockets of soft snow. Alpine is where it's best.

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:

Road was plowed on week of Feb 5. Gnarly frost heaves at 30-31 km got filled with gravel on Feb 7. Tight access on the last couple kms; use your radio to communicate. Parking lot is good for trailers.

Gorman Lake

Conditions: Lots of soft snow. Alpine is where it's best.

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! RR27

Additional notes: FSR is very slippery. Be cautious, especially coming down.

KNOW WHERE YOU RIDE