Skiway Uphill Travel Policy, Jan. 2014

Dear Guest,

The following is the Dartmouth Skiway policy with respect to "climbing/skinning" (including but not limited to uphill or downhill skinning, snowshoeing, hiking, etc.) on Skiway trails.

Dartmouth Skiway is private property, with the exception of the Appalachian Trail Corridor at the top of Holt's Ledge. As a courtesy to the community, the Skiway permits climbing on trails, with the following conditions and recommendations. So that we may continue to extend this privilege, your cooperation is necessary.

Management reserves the right to deny uphill travel/climbing access at any time or to any individual. The Skiway does not guarantee rescue services will be available. You may be responsible for the cost of your rescue.

All guests using Skiway trails must possess a valid daily 'area use ticket'. Charge for this 'area use ticket' is $5. Purchase does not permit lift use. The 'Area Use Ticket' may be purchased at any ticket sales window. No check-in, no sign-out is required. Persons without a valid 'area use ticket' may be subject to prosecution under applicable trespass and/or reckless conduct statutes. 'Skinners/climbers' use the area at their own risk!

Uphill travel is permitted only during lift operating hours, 9am to 4 pm, ONLY on an OPEN trail, using the edges of trails, and caution during ascent, crossing trail with extreme care as needed. Please minimize your impact- avoid ‘postholing’ or disturbing groomed trails. Climb only at the sides of the trail, and keep out of Skiway lift/maintenance buildings.

Skinners MUST ask for the information regarding the status of the area they wish to climb. Permitted trails to summits would be Papoose or MD when available. Other trails as assigned & posted at ticket windows.

If one 'side' of the Skiway is operating and the other closed, 'skinners' can used the closed side IF THERE IS NO snowmaking, grooming or other activity occurring. No lift ticket necessary, no rescue available. Skinners MUST ask for the information regarding the status of the area they wish to use.

At the end of our operating season, the area can be accessed at will. NOTICE: rescue or other assistance is not available in the 'off-season'. Additionally, personnel, snow machines, snowmaking and grooming equipment, marked and unmarked hazards both natural and man-made, may be present at any time. Stay clear of any and all snowmaking components, pipes, guns, hydrants, hoses, lift equipment, Skiway lift/maintenance buildings, etc.

"Be Aware" and use caution when on Skiway trails. As a user of any Skiway slope or trail all users are to follow the 'Skier's Responsibility Code' and NH RSA 225-A:24 Responsibilities Of Skiers And Passengers.

Nunnemacher users may HIKE to the Cabin w/out an area use ticket via the AT. If users skin or shoe up an open ski trail—an area use ticket is required. Please park near the 'hiking/parking' sign.

Ice Climbers may hike without an area use ticket by staying to the EAST side of the Green pastures.

Back country PE program will be provided a complimentary area use ticket, only by previous arrangement.