

2021/2022 Ski/Snowshoe Specific Safety Guidelines During Covid-19 Pandemic

Coach Canada Procedures

- The driver must not exhibit any Covid-19 symptoms.
- The driver has a physical barrier, wears a mask when physical distancing is not possible, uses gloves for handling luggage, uses hand sanitizer.
- The first row of the bus shall remain empty to provide the driver with social distance while operating the bus.
- Customers wear face masks when standing in line, boarding or moving around on the bus.
- Coach Canada recommends that customers bring a travel kit on-board with hand sanitizer, disinfecting wipes and gloves.
- Buses will be cleaned and sanitized between uses.

Specific Halton Outdoor Club Procedures

- All participants boarding the bus must be fully vaccinated at least 14 days prior to the date of the event.
- Before boarding the bus, participants must show proof of vaccination to the Bus Captain.

Participants can present:

1. A paper copy of the vaccine document, showing proof of full vaccination.
 2. A cell phone photo of the vaccine document, that is readily available and legible.
 3. Proof of vaccination that is supported by a passport system (when available in Ontario), providing that Bus Captains are able to access it.
- 45 passengers will be the maximum number allowed on a 56 passenger bus.
 - Participants will wear a mask while seated on the bus for the duration of your trip. Face masks may be removed if you are eating or drinking while on the bus.
 - Participants will not be allowed on the bus if they exhibit any symptoms of Covid-19.
 - Before being allowed to board, participants must answer negatively to Covid-19 screening questions set out by the Ontario Ministry of Health.
 - Participants will wear a mask and practice safe distancing, while loading or unloading skis or snowshoes in the bus storage bays. Try to handle only your own equipment.
 - Load and unload ski/snowshoe equipment on the driver's side of the bus. This will reduce congestion at the bus entrance.
 - We request that couples and good friends sit together, thereby leaving as many single seats as possible available for those participants who are not comfortable sharing a seat with someone they don't know.

- The Club will make extra masks, gloves and sanitary wipes available if needed.
- Bus captains will wear gloves and masks while collecting money.
- In order to minimize risk to all participants, the bus captain will explain and supervise routines with regard to boarding the bus, the seating on the bus, collecting gear from overhead bins when disembarking, collecting sports gear from the lower storage bins and distributing trail passes.
- The bus captain will organize the lunch routine before participants disembark upon arrival at the resort.
- The bus captain will describe the rules set out by the individual resorts before our participants disembark upon arrival at the resort.
- On the trails, please be considerate and maintain proper social distance. Carry a mask and sanitizer with you in case the need arises.

While in progress, if any trip experiences unexpected circumstances that are beyond the control of the Club and cause changes to the trip itinerary that result in unexpected expenses, individual members are responsible for any extra expenses that may be incurred.

Enjoy your day! The trails will be fabulous.