

# Whaleback Times

March 14, 2020



Whaleback Nordic Ski Club

Good Day folks,

With decisions coming left and right in response to the CoronaVirus, I will first provide you the policy Cross Country NL has adopted and then address what this means for Whaleback Nordic.

## **CCNL Covid 19 Policy**

The past few days have been very trying as our country and province struggle to come to terms with the ongoing covid 19 pandemic. In order to assist clubs in the province and to help protect our members CCNL has enacted the following policy at an emergency executive meeting.

1. Clubs can remain open at their own discretion but are reminded and encouraged to follow federal and provincial guidelines. These guidelines are changing constantly - sometimes more than once in a day. They should be watched closely if any event is planned.
2. The main federal web page is:

<https://www.canada.ca/en/public-health/services/diseases/2019-novel-coronavirus-infection/guidance-documents.html>

Of special interest are the "Prevention and Risks" and "Guidance Documents" tabs.

3. The main provincial page is  
<https://www.health.gov.nl.ca/health/publichealth/cdc/coronavirus/>
4. The NL cup series is cancelled in light of the advice in the above noted guidelines.
5. Local club events, including jack rabbits and social events are at the discretion of each club. Current guidelines discourage events which require or encourage travel between communities. Likewise indoor gatherings of large numbers of people must be considered in light of the above noted guideline.

## **What does this mean for Whaleback Nordic?**

Daily operations will continue as per normal.

Jack Rabbit: will proceed on Sunday, March 15 at its regular time. Please do not send your child if you have any reservations.

Chalet Volunteers: if you have any reservations in working your shift, not a problem. Please let me know.

**Night Skiing Update**

Since Spring is officially around the corner, night skiing will conclude next Friday, March 20th.

Lots of skiing left, it's been a great season so far,, get outdoors and enjoy the fresh air!

Happy Trails,

Greg N.