# <u>GREAT NORTHERN SNOWCAT SKIIING – DAY SNOWCAT PROTOCOLS</u>

#### **GUEST DUTY TO SELF REPORT SYMPTOMS**

All guests will be expected to self-monitor for any symptoms of COVID-19 in the 2 weeks leading up to arrival at lodge.

#### **GUEST SCREENING**

- Guests must be screened at the point of first contact with any staff members of Great Northern Snowcat Skiing, or any staff member working on behalf of Great Northern Snowcat Skiing. Screening may take place prior to entry into facilities operated by Great Northern, or prior to entry into any transportation vehicle.
- Once screened, guests may proceed inside the facility or transportation vehicle.

## TRANSPORTATION IN SHUTTLE BUS OPERATED BY EVERYTHING REVELSTOKE

Prior to transportation, and being picked up for their trip to Great Northern Snowcat Skiing, guests will be screened for symptoms of COVID-19 using the guest screening protocol form provided by PEAK EMERGENCY RESPONSE TRAINING. Guests **WILL** not be permitted entry onto the shuttle bus if they display symptoms of COVID-19 or answer **YES** to any of the guestions asked.

Everything Revelstoke (ER) on behalf of Great Northern Snowcat Skiing (GNSS) reserves the right to deny access to any guest. Abuse, either physical and/or verbal towards any staff employed by ER or GNSS will not be permitted. Any concerns should be discussed with GNSS Management.

- Guests WILL be instructed to wear a mask (\*see mask use below) during transport to and from GNSS
  in the shuttle bus at all times.
- Partially opening the shuttle bus windows will help with circulation of air and reduce risk the spread of COVID-19 during transport. This will be dependent on temperature conditions.
- If possible extra space or seats will be left between guests.
- The shuttle vehicle will be cleaned regularly, and will be sanitized at the start of each day by the driver.
- A supply of hand sanitizer and wipes will be on the shuttle for guests use.

#### TRANSPORTATION IN SNOWCAT OPERATED BY GREAT NORTHERN SNOWCAT SKIING

- Guests will be asked to sit in the same designated spot each trip in the snowcat.
- Masks (\*see mask use below) WILL be required while in the snowcat for both guests and staff.
- Lunch will be individually prepacked. A lunch break will be taken outside the snowcat so masks can be removed safely for eating.
- The snowcat will be sanitized and cleaned at the beginning and end of each day.
- All avalanche gear, backpacks containing probe & shovels, transceivers, & 2 way radios will be sanitized before they are assigned to next guest.
- If individuals remove their gloves within the Snowcat, they will be instructed to immediately use hand sanitizer.
- A supply of hand sanitizer and wipes will be on the snowcat.

### ACCESS TO CHANGING AND WASHROOM FACILITIES

Upon arrival, guests should be encouraged to remain in their household groups. Masks (\*see mask use below) are mandatory in all buildings on Great Northern property.

Day guests will be provided a changing and washroom space in the Day Snowcat/Guides' lodge. Access to the guides lodge will be limited by a physical barrier, allowing for access to washroom and changing facilities only. No access will be permitted to the guides living quarters or the guides meeting room. Following the completion of changing activities at the beginning and end of the ski day, the area accessed by day skiers will be disinfected with an electrostatic fogger machine using a disinfectant approved for use against SARS-CoV-2 and high touch points will be disinfected.

## ON HILL ACTIVITIES - GUIDE/GUESTS INTERACTIONS

- During safety talks, avalanche practice, grouping at drop off and pickup locations, guests will be spaced out to maintain physical distancing.
- Masks are not required while skiing.
- If medical aid is required, staff members will wear a mask to provide additional protection.
- A lunch break will be taken outside the snowcat so masks can be removed safely for eating.

#### MASK USE - REQUIREMENTS

- Either a re-usable or disposable mask **MUST** be worn while in the shuttle, in the snowcat, in any inside buildings at Great Northern or where social distancing (2 metres) cannot be maintained.
- The mask must cover both the nose and mouth to fit properly and effectively.
- BUFF'S ARE NOT AN ADEQUATE REPLACEMENT FOR A MASK, THEREFORE ARE NOT ACCEPTABLE WHILE IN THE SHUTTLE, SNOWCAT OR INSIDE BUILDINGS. Buffs are acceptable while skiing ONLY.

THESE PROCEDURES WILL BE SUBJECT TO REVIEW, AND ADAPTED AS REQUIRED TO MEET NEW INFORMATION AND HEALTH PROTOCOLS.