



2016-17 Country Legends – Snow Rider Report

Eh Ha! Calling all snow riders! The Alaska Avalanche Information Center brings you this report thanks to support from Country Legends.

Expect a continued run of sunny days and warming temperatures this weekend. With longer days, it's a great time to get outdoors. Just remember, conditions can change quickly.

Along the Parks Highway, expect trails to be fast and firm. Recent grooming on the Petersville area trails should also make for good trail riding.

Trails in the Lake Louise area including Lake Trail, Crosswind-Big Bay and Tolsona have been recently groomed and are reported in good shape. Snow base is still thin and fragile in places, so be alert and watch for overflow.

If you're heading to Thompson Pass, the Valdez Avalanche Center will be conducting a variety of two hour backcountry rescue-themed classes each day between March 17 and March 26. AAIC is also offering an Advanced Sledgers Level 1, March 17 to 19 in Thompson Pass. For more details and to register, visit Alaska Snow dot org.

Before you venture into the backcountry, be sure to check current avalanche information at Alaska Snow dot org. Be prepared, always carry proper rescue gear and use safe travel practices so you can **Live to Ride Another Day!**

That's it for this week. Enjoy Alaska and Think snow!

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