



Wisp Resort Winter Uphill Travel Policy and Information

Earning your turns is another great way to enjoy what Wisp Resort has to offer and get a great workout. We're happy to be included in your fitness and touring routine.

Below is our Winter Uphill Travel Policy. For your Safety and Others around you, please read and abide.



HOW TO GET UPHILL TRAVEL ACCESS

UPHILL TRAVEL SEASON PASS

Uphill Season Pass \$50.00

Uphill Season Pass Add-On* \$25.00

*Add-on available to Current Wisp Resort Season pass holders

Season Passes can be purchased in person at the Guest Services Office during normal guest services hours. Hours of operation can be found on our website at www.wispresort.com

1. Complete your application form and bring with you to our guest services office.
 2. At the guest services office you will be asked to provide a photo ID, your current Wisp Resort season pass*, your winter uphill travel access application, sign our release form, pay the uphill travel access fee.
 3. Go ski touring or split boarding and have fun!
- This pass does not provide any type of lift access.
 - Re-issued passes are subject to a \$19 replacement fee.
 - All uphill travelers are required to have an Uphill Travel Pass with a photo ID and sign an Uphill Travel Release before accessing open and designated uphill travel routes at Wisp Resort. Signature of a Release by parent or legal guardian is required for minor children ages 17 and under.
 - Each applicant must be present to sign for themselves.
 - Passes must be carried by all uphill travelers at all times whenever they utilize uphill travel routes on resort property. Please be prepared to present your pass to resort personnel upon request.



- Travel only on designated routes indicated on our **approved** uphill/downhill travel routes highlighted on our attached trail map.

ACCESS TO DESIGNATED UPHILL WINTER TRAVEL ROUTES

- **Uphill Travel is ALLOWED ONLY from to Sunday-Friday, 7:00 am to 9:00 am. NO Uphill access on Saturdays.**
- Uphill travel routes will be made available at Wisp Resort during the winter season as conditions permit. We will open uphill travel routes in line with our ability to effectively manage and operate all functions within the entire resort, including but not limited to snowmaking, grooming, equipment maintenance, snow removal, etc.
- Check the Mountain Report on our website or the Wisp Resort App for any updates on uphill route status of being Closed or Open.
- Travel only on designated routes indicated on our **approved** uphill/downhill travel routes highlighted on our attached trail map.
- Travel on the edge of the trail and do not stand or travel with more than two people side-by-side across the trail. **Do Not switch back uphill.**
- Designated Uphill and Downhill routes are the following:
 - Uphill Wisp Trail-- to Top of Lift 2/3
 - Uphill Boulder—Muskrat—to Top of Lift 1
 - Downhill Muskrat—Boulder
 - Downhill Wisp Trail
- There may be days where uphill travel is not possible due to severe weather, snowmaking, grooming operations, or other outside factors. It is YOUR RESPONSIBILITY to make Safe Decisions. Please respect any direction given to you by staff members you may encounter on the mountain.

FOR YOUR SAFETY

Your safety is directly affected by your judgment. Observe and follow *Your Responsibility Code*:

1. *Always stay in control, and be able to stop or avoid other people or objects.*
2. *People ahead of you have the right of way. It is your responsibility to avoid them.*
3. *You must not stop where you obstruct a trail, or are not visible from above.*
4. *Whenever starting downhill or merging into a trail, look uphill and yield to others.*
5. *Always use devices to help prevent runaway equipment.*
6. *Observe all posted signs and warnings. Stay off closed trails and out of closed areas.*



7. *Prior to using any lift, you must have the knowledge and ability to load, ride and unload safely.*

- **Allowed Uphill Travel Equipment and devices** with metal edges such as Skis with Touring Bindings, Split boards, or Tele-skis. You must have a brake or retention device (snowboard bindings OK). **You Must Be Able to Ski/Snowboard the Downhill Routes.**
- Uphill travel by means of skinning is permitted. Snowshoes and Cross-Country Skis are not permitted.
- Pets are not permitted on trails or slopes
- Uphill Winter Travel is not allowed during non-daylight hours and normal operating hours of operation. Ascend and Descend the mountain on the designated routes. **For your safety and that of our staff, do not deviate from the designated route.**
- Before accessing resort premises, make others aware of your uphill travel plans, including anticipated arrival and departure times. Charge your cell phone before you go and always travel with your cell phone. **BE AWARE THAT ON-MOUNTAIN CELL PHONE SERVICE IS NOT ALWAYS AVAILABLE OR RELIABLE.**
- **Ski Patrol is not available during Uphill travel hours. Call 911 if there is an Emergency**
- Always use the buddy system—travel with a party of at least two or more. If you decide to go alone, be sure to advise someone in advance about your activities.

- **It's your responsibility to make yourself visible to operations personnel.** Wearing bright and/or reflective clothing and a headlamp is highly recommended when you are participating in uphill travel.
- Do not stop in high-traffic areas.
- Be alert and yield to all downhill traffic, including skiers and snowboarders.
- **Resort and mountain operations run 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.**
 - Stay clear of all mountain operations and equipment, including but not limited to grooming machines, snowmaking equipment, snowmobiles and lifts.
 - Always yield to all resort personnel, mountain-operations equipment, machines and vehicles.
 - Stay clear of all snow-grooming winch operations. Be alert for warning beacons on vehicles. Be alert for equipment and machinery. If you encounter winching operations, stay off the trail. Winch cables may be located underneath the snow surface one moment, then high in the air above the surface the next. Grooming tractors and equipment suspended on winch cables may be located thousands of feet away. These circumstances can make dangers and hazards hard to see or invisible to both uphill travelers and equipment operators.

Wisp Resort reserves the right to suspend Uphill Travel or revoke guests Uphill Travel Privileges and at any time.

Thanks for joining us and see you at the resort!

