

# WARNING-ASSUMPTION OF RISKS

Under Wisconsin law, each participant in a snow sport assumes the risk of injury or death to person or injury to property resulting from the conditions and risks that are considered to be inherent in a snow sport, has a number of duties that must be met while engaging in a snow sport, and is subject to limitations on the ability to recover damages from a ski area operator for injuries or death to a person or to property. A complete copy of this law is available for review at the main site where tickets to this ski area are sold.

**WARNING:** This lift does not serve any trails that are “easier” (marked with green circle emblem). All of the trails served by this lift are “difficult” or “more difficult” (marked with blue square emblem), “most difficult” (marked with a black diamond emblem), “expert” or “extreme terrain” (marked with an emblem consisting of 2 black diamonds), or “freestyle terrain ahead” (marked with an orange oval).

## WARNING – DUTIES OF INDIVIDUALS ENGAGED IN SKIING OR SLEDDING

Under Wisconsin Law, each individual engaged in skiing or sledding has a duty to do all of the following:

1. Maintain control of his or her speed and direction and be able to stop or avoid other individuals or objects
2. Yield to other individuals engaged in skiing or sledding who are ahead or who are down slope
3. Not stop at a point that will result in the individual obstructing a trail or not being visible from above.
4. Yield to other individuals engaged in skiing or sledding who are uphill when starting downhill or when merging onto a trail.
5. Obey all posted warnings and signs and keep off of closed trails and out of closed areas.
6. Be able to safely board, ride, and deboard any lift serving an area open to skiing or sledding.
7. Board and deboard lift only at designated sites.
8. Know the range of his/her ability and engage in skiing or sledding within that ability
9. Assess the difficulty of the trails and terrains that are open to skiing or sledding
10. Use devices to help prevent runaway equipment

Skiing and snowboarding can be enjoyed in many ways. At ski areas you may see people using alpine, snowboard, telemark, cross country and other specialized ski equipment, such as that used by disabled or other skiers. Regardless of how you decide to enjoy the slopes, always show courtesy to others and be aware that there are elements of risk in skiing that common sense and personal awareness can help reduce. Observe the code listed above and share with other skiers the responsibility for a great skiing experience.

**KNOW THE CODE. IT'S YOUR RESPONSIBILITY**

Note: Sledding and tubing are not permitted on the ski runs at Mt. La Crosse

CAUTION: Ski area vehicles may be in operation at any time.