

2011 Whistler Camp Info Sheet

Snowboard Yukon is pleased to present our second annual early season snowboard camp!

Whistler is an incredible training venue known for vast amounts of terrain, December powder, and is one of the few resorts with terrain parks and pipes early in the season. Being only one flight from Whitehorse and providing a host of discounts for travelling teams such as accommodation and lift tickets, it's the perfect place to start the season.

This camp is aimed at serious athletes who are dedicated to training and who are working towards earning a position on Team Yukon for the 2012 Arctic Winter Games and the Canadian Nationals. Riders should be confident in their skills to get around Whistler Blackcomb and comfortable in the terrain park.

OVERVIEW

We will be flying into Vancouver and taking a chartered bus up to Whistler Village. We will be staying at the Whistler Athletes Centre, which was the athlete's village for the Olympics. We will be cooking breakfasts and dinners at our accommodations and buying lunches at the hill. The trip will involve 4 full days of riding with Yukon's top coaches and potentially some guest coaches. The athlete to coach ratio will be no more than 4:1.

DATES

Thursday, December 15 to Monday December 20

COSTS

The rider fee for this trip is \$500. This includes 4 days of coaching, 4 nights accommodation and Vancouver/Whistler return transport. This fee is payable to Snowboard Yukon. These costs have been subsidized 50% by Snowboard Yukon.

Riders will also need to cover:

Flights approx. \$600

Food approx. \$120

Lift Tickets approx. \$260

Whistler Transit Bus Fare approx. \$20

Insurance



FLIGHTS

Please book these yourself ASAP. Unfortunately we don't have enough participants to get a group discount.

Air Canada – Thurs. Dec 15, 2011

Flight	Depart Whitehorse	Arrive Vancouver
AC8442	06:20	08:41

Air Canada – Mon. Dec 19, 2011

Flight	Depart Vancouver	Arrive Whitehorse
AC1619	22:45	01:15 + 1 day

FOOD

Based on past trips, groceries for breakfast and dinner cost about \$60 per athlete. The team plans the menu together, shops together and cook for each other.

LIFT TICKETS

Whistler extends us a discount since we are a Territorial team. Last year's youth tickets cost \$260 including taxes. This was a 20% discount.

BUS FARE

Once at Whistler we use the public transit to get around. This saves us lots of money on car rentals and parking. The bus is \$2 per ride. Expect about 10 trips.

INSURANCE

All riders must have completed their Emergency Medical Release Form and purchased an Advanced Competitor's License prior to departing. You get the license here if you haven't got it already <http://www.canadasnowboard.ca/en/ms/membership/>

Supplemental insurance is **STRONGLY** encouraged. If you already have a plan you should check to make sure you are covered for ambulance, xrays, and additional travel for family members or the athlete outside of the territory at a minimum.

You may want to consider buying SAIP Insurance (Sport Accident Insurance Plan) from the Canada~Snowboard. <http://www.canadasnowboard.ca/en/ms/saip/>
We've attached a .pdf with more info on the plan.

BEHAVIOUR

We will be abiding by the Sport Yukon Code of Conduct. This is located on Page 17 of the attached Handbook from AWG 2010.

All riders will be required to sign that they have read and agree to abide by the rules set out in the Code of Conduct.

Breaking any of the rules can lead to disqualification from the AWG Selection Process and expulsion from future Snowboard Yukon away trips.

TEAM MEETING

Monday, Dec 12 at 6:30 PM

Location TBA

We will meet before trampoline to discuss the trip details. We'll cover meal plans, entertainment options and acceptable behaviour.

FOR MORE INFORMATION

Please contact the Head Coach with any questions you may have.

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