

Don't Forget To:

- Make check out to the National Ski Patrol
- Sign the Registration Form where indicated

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

1 . Do I need to be an expert skier?

No. However, you will have to ski on intermediate terrain during the Hidden Valley field exercises and use either cross-country skies or snowshoes during the High Point backcountry field exercises.

2 . Do I have to buy cross-country skis or snowshoes?

No. High Point Cross Country Ski Area has rentals available at a discount to Ski Patrollers.

3 . Do I need to buy books?

No. Books and course materials are included in the registration fee. Once you are registered you will receive your book and a review packet in the mail prior to the course

4 . Is food and lodging provided?

No. Food and lodging are not included.

5 . Can I get extra registration forms?

Yes. You can make copies of this form or go to www.nspnj.org and print you own.

6 . Have more questions?

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Registration Form (copy as needed)
Must Be Received by January 15th 2007

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____

State: _____ ZIP: _____

Phone: _____

E-Mail: _____

Patrol: _____ NSP# _____

COURSE (circle one)

Avalanche Fundamentals and Rescue - \$40
Non NSP Member - \$80

Avalanche – Level One Certification - \$60
Non NSP Member - \$120

Waiver and Release

I fully understand that by participating in course activities, I do so at my own risk and I accept the inherent dangers thereof. In consideration I do therefore waive all claims and hold harmless the NSP, Course Instructors and Ski Areas. Further I waive all future claims, rights or causes of actions a result of personal injuries or loss of property caused during such activity

Signature

Mail To:
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National Ski Patrol
New Jersey Region

AVALANCHE COURSES

2006 - 2007 SEASON

Avalanche Fundamentals and Rescue
Avalanche Level 1



Safe skiing is no accident

AVALANCHE SAFETY

Welcome to the National Ski Patrol Avalanche Safety Program.

The potential for snow avalanches exists wherever snow lies upon slopes. All over the world people have become victims in large and small avalanches.

These courses are designed to teach the basics of avalanche safety and rescue.



AVALANCHE FUNDAMENTALS AND RESCUE

February 3rd 2007, 8:00am – 5:00pm
Hidden Valley Ski Area
Classroom session and field exercise

February 4th 2007, 8:00am – 5:00pm
High Point Cross Country Ski Area
Optional Backcountry field exercise

This course teaches the basic principles of avalanche rescue, rescue operations and hands-on training with avalanche rescue equipment and transceivers.

Upon completion students are qualified to participate in organized avalanche rescue operations.

This course meets the prerequisite requirements for NSP Avalanche Level 2 courses.



AVALANCHE, LEVEL 1 CERTIFICATION

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Backcountry field exercise

April/May 2007 (To be determined)
Tuckerman's Ravine
Mount Washington N.H.
Backcountry Travel & Field Exercise

This course provides an expanded understanding of avalanche rescue techniques covered in Avalanche Fundamentals and Rescue with over two full days of avalanche field work.

Completion of this course will include backcountry travel at Mt. Washington New Hampshire and field work in Tuckerman's Ravine. Upon completion students are qualified to participate in organized avalanche rescue and support avalanche rescue operations.

This course meets the prerequisite requirements for NSP Avalanche Level 2 courses.