



Good Morning Members,

Happy Winter Solstice!!! Thank goodness our days will get longer going forward.

With the busy holiday season upon us, we wanted to get out a few reminders:

- **Jack Rabbit fittings are today Saturday Dec 21 and Dec 28 from 10:30 to 12.** We strongly encourage you have your JR fitted to ensure that there will be equipment available for them and to ease the chaos on the first day. Please note that you are required to sign a waiver/release form stating that you have reviewed Rowan's Law before your child is permitted to participate.

### **Rowan's Law (Concussion Safety)**

*Rowan's Law (Concussion Safety), 2018 makes it **mandatory for sports organizations** to ensure that athletes under the age of 26, parents of athletes under 18 confirm every year that they have reviewed Ontario's concussion awareness resources.*

<https://www.ontario.ca/page/rowans-law-concussion-awareness-resources>

- December 28 is our Kid's craft day from 1 pm to 3. First come first served. We will be making bird seed rolls and gingerbread houses. There will also be hot chocolate and cookies.
- New Year's Day brunch at the chalet from 11 – 1 pm. Coffee, Tea and Juice will be provided. It is a member's only event and we ask that you bring something you wish to share.
- Jackrabbit starts January 4
- We have posted pictures of SWAG available for purchase on the board outside of the men's washroom. As previously indicated, pre-orders will be accepted with the order placed once there are 10 to 12 items.
- Please - No walking on any of the trails

Lastly, if anyone hasn't received their membership tag, please contact Joanne Beeson at 705 679 8614 or by email at [joannebeeson@msn.com](mailto:joannebeeson@msn.com)

### **Upcoming Events**

- December 28            Craft day for kids
- January 1              New Year's Day Brunch
- January 4              First Day of Jackrabbit
- January 19             World Snow Day
- February 17            Family Day
- February 29            Jackrabbit Olympics
- March 16-20            March Break
- March 21               Family Sprint Relays
- March 22               Loppet
- March 28               Challenge Ski
- April 12                Closing Day
- April 17                Year-end Banquet and Awards
- May 13                 AGM

Have a safe and happy holiday season. See you on the trails.

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