



Rowmark

JUNIOR PROGRAM

Welcome new and returning Rowmark families:

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It is my great pleasure to welcome back our returning Rowmark families as well as invite new families whom are looking to join the wonderful life of ski racing. As your new Junior Program Director, I'm very excited to apply my experience as we determine ways to improve upon the successful program already in place. My approach is to Listen, Learn, and then Lead. Todd and Sarah have already provided tremendous guidance and valuable input.

If you are a new family interested in participating in the Rowmark Junior Program, please join us on September 15th for a NEW PARENT information meeting at 6:30 PM in the Middle School Commons.

For all returning athletes we will start our Conditioning Phase (Dryland) on September 13th after school and stick with your traditional schedule, watch for more details to come for your given team.

I personally had a blast while skiing with members of our team during the annual June Camp in Mammoth. The athletes exhibited a strong desire for personal improvement and managed the task assigned to them very well. During this camp, I introduced some team building concepts and mental skills; in which we will build upon in the coming season.

Communication will be a priority throughout the season, for communication efficiency, make sure Rowmark has your correct email addresses on file. Almost all communication will be done via email and you can expect weekly reminders from your coaches. If you are not receiving emails, check with the Rowmark office to make sure we have your up to date information.

Coaching Staff – I'm a strong believer in coach retention and continued education; I'm pleased to inform you that Tyler will remain our head coach for the Lower School Team and Leigh will remain as our head coach for the Love to Ski Team. This month I will finalize the hiring of new Rowmark Junior Program staff. I will fill our open positions with well-qualified and enthusiastic ski coaches. With a strong pool of applicants, I feel confident in putting together a strong staff that will teach, inspire and motivate our young Rowmark skiers.

For the 2010-2011 season, I will introduce our team priorities of Safety, Fun, Learning, Sportsmanship, and Competition.

Much of our athlete recruitment is done by word of mouth. Please help us by sharing your successes about our program with other Rowland Hall families.

I look forward to meeting you all in the coming months and would like to thank you in advance for your support.

Best Regards,
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