



Klondike Snowmobile Association

January 2025 News

Welcome to the Klondike Snowmobile Association's January 2025 news update! For all the latest Yukon snowmobiling news, events, trail conditions, safety tips, and more, please check out our website at <http://ksa.yk.ca>, like us on [Facebook](#), and follow us on [X](#).

International Snowmobile Safety Week

January 11th through 19th 2025 is International Snowmobile Safety Week! Follow us on social media as we post daily snowmobile safety tips, posters, links, and more throughout the week.

For more snowmobile safety tips, statistics, safety course information, useful links, and more, any time year-round please visit the Safety section of our website at <https://ksa.yk.ca/safety>. Together we can make snowmobiling safe!

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Winter Rides

Join us for some fun group snowmobile rides this season!

Thank you to all who came out for our December ride around the Scout Lake area, it was good fun on a beautiful day!

For a January ride a few of our members are planning to ride the Dawson City area on January 17th and 18th. Please contact us if you are interested in coming along.

Mark your calendars and bring your friends to our annual Take A Friend Snowmobiling ride planned for Sunday 09 February 2024! Riders of all skill levels and snowmobiles of all types are welcome to partake. Details are on our events page.

March will also see a group snowmobile ride, weather permitting of course. We are planning a ride on the Livingston Trail in early March, date and details to be posted soon.

Do you have an idea for a group snowmobile ride? We are looking for volunteer event coordinators! Check out <https://ksa.yk.ca/membership/volunteer/> or contact us any time to learn more.

Dates and details of all our upcoming group rides are on our Events page at <https://ksa.yk.ca/coming-events>.



Maps

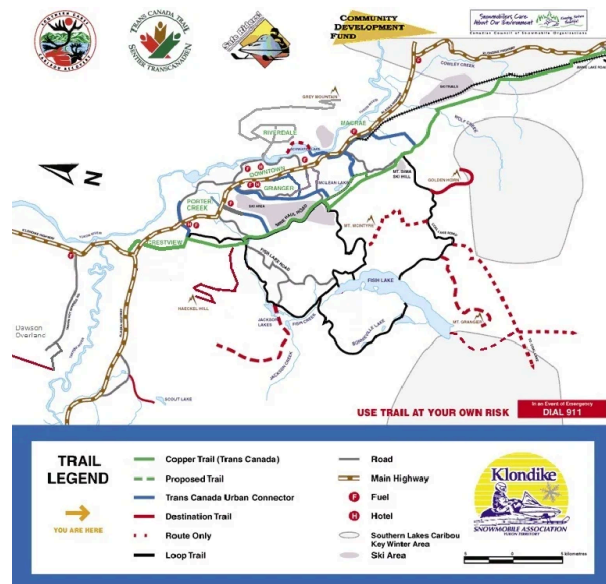
Looking for some snowmobile trail maps? We have you covered! Maps of the Yukon's multi-use trails are available online from several sources, and links to these maps are available on our website at <https://ksa.yk.ca/resources/maps/>.

Polaris Ride Command is an excellent map for snowmobilers. Many of the Yukon's multi-use trails are now in Ride Command, use the snow setting. Learn more at <https://ridecommand.polaris.com/en-ca/app/home/>.

The City of Whitehorse has a PDF map of the motorized multi-use trail network within Whitehorse at <https://www.whitehorse.ca/wp-content/uploads/2022/04/Whiteho...>

The Trans Canada Trail has an awesome interactive map of the Trans Canada Trail, including the Yukon sections, on their website at <https://tctrail.ca/explore-the-map/>.

We also have some leftover copies of our old paper maps available, please contact us if you'd like some.



Current Conditions

Looking for snowmobile ride ideas? Want to know where our groomers have been lately? Check out our Current Trail Conditions page at <https://ksa.yk.ca/>!

Also, please send in condition reports after your rides. It helps us keep our website up to date and it helps us determine where our volunteer efforts are needed most. Thank you!



Yukon Quest

The 2025 Yukon Quest dog sled race will be taking place February 1st through 8th 2025.

This year the race will be taking a new route, starting in Teslin and travelling Teslin Lake's northeast shore, South Canal Road, Deno Cho Trail to Faro, and return.

Yukon Quest kindly asks that other recreational trail users avoid these areas during this time. Thank you!



Membership Mail

Canada Post is back to work and that means our membership mail outs are back to normal. We want to make sure everyone gets the most out of their Klondike Snowmobile Association membership so you've sent us a membership application or renewal and did not received your membership cards please contact us any time and we'll check into it.



Copper Haul Road Update

The Copper Haul Road is open for winter activities.

Caution there is currently a significant amount of wheel ruts in the trail between Fish Lake Road and Mt. Sima road, especially around the McLean Lake Road / Mt. McIntyre Trail area. Earlier in the winter some of the seasonal gates were substantially damaged by vandalism, and this has resulted in increased unlawful wheeled traffic on the Copper Haul. Please do not drive wheeled vehicles on the Copper Haul between November 1st and March 31st, even if the gates are open.

The City of Whitehorse is working on repairing the gates and once they are fixed and closed then our volunteers will resume grooming the Copper Haul and get to work repairing some of the wheel ruts.

Further south on the Copper Haul down in the Wolf Creek / Mary Lake area work continues on the firebreak project. Currently the trail is passable by snowmobile. They are plowing some sections however in most cases enough snow is being left on the trail for snowmobilers to make it through. Please travel with caution in this area.



Snowmobile Event Listings

Are you hosting a snowmobile related event? List it on our Coming Events page for free! Simply send us an e-mail to klonsnow@gmail.com with the dates and details.



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