

## **Mountain Host Responsibilities**

### **Big Sky and Moonlight**

A text will be sent in the morning to hosts on-shift for the day – Communication during the shift will be conducted via text/cell

Hosts will be flexible and use good judgement to determine Plaza duty vs Trail Sign duty when no tours are requested

The AM Big Sky Host should check for special events and relay info to other Hosts

#### **Big Sky Hosts – AM shift 8:45-12:45**

8:45 Plaza Duty – on unusual snow days (early/late season, heavy snow), an AM Host may be asked to pre-ski tour routes

10:15 Boot up, meet hosts at area outside ski school; share info and coordinate tours

10:30 Give South Side Tours – or –

Continue Plaza Duty based on guest flow and questions –AND/OR - Work trail signs at top of Ramcharger and Swifty; help with crowds at bottom of Southern Comfort; Rotate to next lift every 40 minutes (allowing 20 minutes for ski/lift) – AND/OR – Work the Mountain

12:15 Meet hosts at area outside ski school; share critical info; work trail signs as directed

12:45 Shift ends

#### **Big Sky & Moonlight Hosts – MID shift 10:30-2:30**

10:30 Meet at area outside ski school; Give South Side Tours – or -

Work Plaza Duty (Big Sky Base) based on guest flow and questions – AND/OR - Work trail signs at top of Ramcharger and Swifty ; help with crowds at the bottom of Southern Comfort (Big Sky Host); Work trail signs at top of Iron Horse and Six Shooter (Moonlight Host); rotate to next lift every 40 minutes (allowing 20 minutes for ski/lift); check guest flow at Madison Base while rotating – AND/OR – Work the Mountain

12:15 Meet hosts at area outside ski school; share info and coordinate tours

12:30 Give North Side Tours – or –

Work Plaza Duty (Big Sky Base) based on guest flow and questions – AND/OR - Work trail signs at top of Ramcharger and Swifty ; help with crowds at the bottom of Southern Comfort (Big Sky Host); Work trail signs at top of Iron Horse and Six Shooter (Moonlight Host); rotate to next lift every 40 minutes (allowing 20 minutes for ski/lift); check guest flow at Madison Base while rotating

2:30 Relay critical info to other hosts via daily text/Shift ends

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