Guide for visitors to Ormond Ski Club

Arrival

- § Unload your car on the road below the lodge next to bus stop 4 (Spiral Stairs).
- § It is a short but steep walk up the hill to the lodge bring your gear in easy to carry back packs
- § Commercial over-snow transport is available mobile 0408 516 162
- § Park your car in the overnight parking down the road towards Omeo and get the free village bus back to the lodge at bus stop 4.

Access

- § The keypad code can be obtained from the lodge leader or booking officer.
- § The first person to arrive at the lodge after it has been empty will need to turn on the power, gas and water. Instructions for starting up the lodge are contained in the Lodge Leaders Guide and a summary of the opening instructions is located on the wall directly in front of you as you enter through the front door, to the left of the door to the stair well.

Lodge Leader

- § An appointed lodge leader, who is usually an experienced club member, manages the Lodge operation during the ski season.
- § A Lodge Leader's Guide is located at the lodge hanging at the end of the kitchen and provides directions for all normal lodge operations.

Rooms

- § The booking officer assigns bunkrooms and a bed list is faxed up to the lodge each week and posted on the notice board next to the kitchen.
- § Blankets or doonas and pillows are provided but you need to bring your own sheets.

Please don't change rooms from the one assigned you as this may affect people who are coming in after you and causes great confusion and difficulty for the booking officer who may add additional people into rooms at short notice.

Facilities

§ A large drying room, ski room, laundry, workroom for tuning skis, locker room, wood store with a season's firewood and food store. Recreation facilities include the large living area and open fire, a spa and sauna in the snow on the balcony and a large games room.

Meals

- § Food is provided. Bring your own alcohol (beer in cans preferably, as no glass allowed in spa area).
- § Fresh food is delivered each **Tuesday** and **Friday**.
- A normal skiing day starts with orange juice in your room at 7:30. Breakfast follows up until 8:15. Light lunch is on a "help yourself" basis (and clean up after yourself!). The evening meal is at around 7:30 p.m. and is a substantial and sociable affair.

Duties

The Lodge Leader assigns duties to all people staying in the lodge on the bed list. These will generally involve a simple task once a day and you will normally work in a group with 2 or 3 others to help.

Security

Unfortunately theft of ski gear from lodges has become a problem at Mt Hotham. Please ensure the lodge doors are kept locked at all times to maintain security. Use the key pads for entry at all times, and ensure the doors lock behind you when you leave the lodge.

Remember to Bring

- § Sheets / pillow slips
- § Towels
- § Bathers for Spa and Sauna
- § Drinks