



DOG SLEDDING LOTTERY TIMELINE

- Open to all on Sept 15th
- Closes to all Sept. 22nd
- You will be notified of status by Sept. 25th
- Must accept your spot by Sept. 29th
- Any remaining spots will be open to anyone Oct 1st



There are 12 dog sledding spots per session at Snow Base and 8 sessions per season. We have outlined the lottery selection process below:

The Process

1. All Scouts who are registered during the time of the lottery are placed into one of the following buckets:



2. Once the lottery closes, we start with bucket 1 and fill as many of the 12 spots available in all 8 sessions as possible
 - a. Within their bucket, available weekends and whether they are willing to attend alone is considered when placing them in a session
3. Once all bucket 1 Scouts are placed as able, we begin placing bucket 2 Scouts in any remaining spots
4. The process is continued until all spots are filled

Considerations

1. The more flexibility your Scouts have, the more likely they will be awarded a spot
 - a. For example: If your Scout is available multiple weekends throughout the winter season, there are more chances they will be awarded a spot as opposed to a Scout limited to one session
 - b. Additionally, if Scouts are willing to attend individually there are more opportunities for them to be awarded a spot
 - c. If Scouts will only attend with another Scout in their troop, smaller groups are easier to place and have a better chance of being placed than large groups
 - i. Large groups are hard to guarantee they will all be able to attend the same session
2. We may not have spots for everyone in your group to attend. Having 10 Scouts in bucket 1 does not guarantee you will get 10 spots. Sometimes we have more Scouts in bucket 1 than we have spots

Our goal is to fill all spots in order for as many Scouts as possible to get to experience dog sledding at Snow Base. We have identified this process as the most efficient and fair way to do so.