



Industrial Snowmobile Operator Course Itinerary

Day 1

9:00am Meet at Canadian Wilderness Adventures snowmobile “lodge”

Directions Drive North from Squamish turn LEFT off highway or
Drive South from Whistler turn RIGHT up the Callaghan Valley Parkway
(Whistler Nordic Center), in 7.5 kms turn RIGHT at the big rock just across
the Callaghan Creek and drive 1 km to the CWA snowmobile base. Meet
instructor for directions where to unload and park

9:30-1:30 Safety Orientation

- Administration – waiver forms, Worksafe BC papers, personal gear
- Equipment and Components, Riding Techniques, Safety, Hazards and Terrain
- Snowmobile pre-trip

Trail riding

- speeds, single vs. double riding, towing t-bogs and sleds, safety considerations
- Riding (to Goldmine), practice riding techniques, lake safety

Off trail riding (alpine or clear-cut -weather dependant)

- Safe travel, specific avalanche concerns, group safety
- Advanced riding techniques
- Getting stuck/unstuck

1:30-2:00 Lunch



SNOWMOBILE SNOWSHOE FONDUE DOGSLED

2:00-5:00 Snowmobile 101

- mechanical issues, belts, plugs etc. 2-stroke vs. 4-stroke
- Fueling/oiling, snowmobile pre-trip, post trip
- Loading/unloading, tying down machines and other

Day 2

900-430 Snowmobile trail ride

- WCB snowmobile usage
- Progressive riding techniques, advanced off trail
- Avalanche Awareness introduction, the how to use beacon, probe and shovel; as well how to obtain information for the area you need to go to
- Examination