

	<h2 style="margin: 0;">NZAC DAILY HAZARD EVALUATION PLAN</h2> <h3 style="margin: 0;">Alpine Courses</h3>
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Date: _____ Instructors: _____

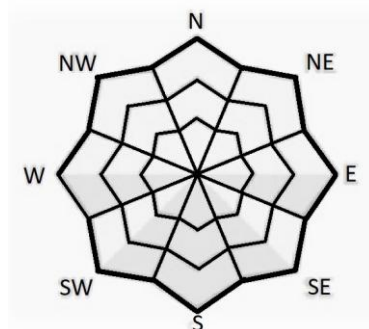
Course Location: _____ Operating Elevation bands: _____ m - _____ m

Backcountry Avalanche Advisory Danger Rating:

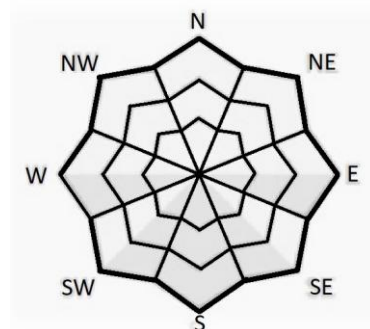
HIGH ALPINE: _____ ALPINE: _____ SUB ALPINE: _____

Primary Avalanche Problem: _____ Secondary Avalanche Problem: _____

Dangerous Aspects (shade) Trend: Dangerous Aspects (shade) Trend:



Time of day:
Likelihood:
Size:



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Slopes to Avoid:
(Aspect, Elevation)

Expected Weather Conditions During Activity: (Circle the conditions expected. U = Unknown)

Sky:	CLR <small>Clear</small>	FEW	SCT <small>Scattered</small>	BKN <small>Broken</small>	OVC <small>Overcast</small>	X <small>Not visible/White out</small>	U
Precipitation:	Nil	Rain	S-1 <small>(Snow less than 1cm/hr)</small>	S1 <small>(Snow 1cm/hr)</small>	S2 <small>(Snow 2cm/hr)</small>	S3 <small>(Snow 3cm/hr)</small>	U
New snow past 48 hours	Nil	<20cm		20-40cm		>40cm	U

Wind	1000m	2000m	3000m	Trend ↑ ↓ -
Wind Speed	_____ Km/h	_____ Km/h	_____ Km/h	
Direction	_____	_____	_____	
Change (Speed & Direction)				
Freezing Level		FL change:	Rapid Warming <input type="checkbox"/> Rapid cooling <input type="checkbox"/>	

<p>Expected Snowpack Conditions: How will the expected weather affect the snowpack? Snow surface – Ice, thin snow-pack, crust:</p>	
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Other Hazards (Terrain, other parties, volcanic etc.)	Control (how will you manage)



NZAC Daily Activity Briefing Checklist

This form is to be filled in and clearly communicated to all participants prior to undertaking the day's activity.

Weather Significant weather factors that may impact the trip.

Precipitation _____

Wind _____

Cloud _____

Trend during the day – Improving/Deteriorating/Stable: _____

Plan for the day (Intended Route, ATEs, terrain considerations, travel techniques, decision points, turn-around time, return time)

Activity: _____

Return Time: _____

Hazard identification use the Hazard Evaluation form above to identify the most significant hazards for the day.

Check that everyone understands and is comfortable with the hazards/risks/dangers associated with the activity.

The critical Hazards for the day are:

(Could be Avalanche, weather, terrain, snowpack, snow surface etc.)

Equipment: (See equipment check-list. Ensure everyone has the correct fit-for-purpose clothing and equipment and know how to use it)

Group: Group First Aid Extra Insulation

Group Shelter Closed cell foam mat

Comms

Personal: Clothing for the expected conditions Ice axe & Crampons Transceiver/Probe/Shovel

Sunglasses/Sun block Food and drink Helmet

People (Check if there are any medical, emotional, or physical issues that may affect the outcomes of the activity)

Emergency Plan: (injuries, sickness, natural events, hazards)

Stop, Think, Assess, React

Secure Scene and ensure safety of self and group

Assess Impact

Call 111 and activate beacon

Treat Victims – shelter, insulate from ground and air