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Radio Free Palmer – Snow and Trail Report

The Alaska Avalanche Information Center brings you this weekly Snow Report thanks to support from Radio Free Palmer.

Expect temperatures above normal as the weekend approaches with rain at lower elevations and snow possible for the Talkeetna Mountains, the Alaska Range and the Chugach Mountains from Girdwood south. Be sure to check current avalanche conditions at Alaska Snow Dot Org before heading out.

Good fat bike riding has been reported recently on Moose Range trails near Hatcher Pass and in the Government Peak Recreation Area. Lazy Mountain Winter Multi Use trails are ready for skiers and riders.

New snow in the Portage Valley will make for slow going for riders and skiers.

If you're heading to Valdez this weekend, don't forget to stop in at the Valdez Avalanche Center's Basecamp in Thompson Pass. They will be there through mid-April with avalanche forecasts and education programs to support the spring rider crowds.

Arctic Man is set for April 3 through 8 at Summit Lake and Alaska Avalanche Information Center forecasters will be on hand to provide current snow and avalanche condition as well as free workshops with support from AARP Alaska and the Alaska Department of Public Safety.

Remember, before you venture into the backcountry, be sure to check current avalanche information at Alaska Snow dot org. Be prepared, always carry proper rescue gear and use safe travel practices so you can Live to Ride Another Day!

That's it for this week. Enjoy Alaska and Think snow!