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95.5 The Pass Snow Report

Hey Snow Lovers! The Alaska Avalanche Information Center here with your weekly Snow Report thanks to support from 95.5 the Pass!

Spring has definitely arrived here in southcentral Alaska. Expect a mix of sun, rain, and snow showers with above normal temperatures to continue through this weekend. This means the likelihood of avalanches will remain high for the Chugach and Talkeetna mountain regions. Be sure to check current forecasts at Alaska Snow Dot Org before heading out.

Archangel Road near Hatcher Pass is reported in excellent condition for skate and classic skiing. Fat bike riders may encounter very soft snowpack and slow going on trails in some areas, especially in the afternoon.

Petersville area reports great snowmachine riding conditions following last week's snowfall, especially early in the day before warm temps in the afternoon soften the snow.

Arctic Man is in full swing this week north of Paxson. The Alaska Avalanche Information Center forecasters and trainers are there providing current snow and avalanche conditions as well as free workshops with support from AARP Alaska and the Alaska Department of Public Safety.

You'll also find an AAIC crew at the Valdez Avalanche Center's Basecamp in Thompson Pass with avalanche information, weather updates and training opportunities to make your backcountry adventures safe and fun.

Before you venture into the backcountry be prepared, always carry proper rescue gear and use safe travel practices so you can Live to Ride Another Day! Check current avalanche information at AlaskaSnow.org. We also encourage you to submit your observations to help us keep everyone up to date.

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