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Hey Snow Lovers, the Alaska Avalanche Information Center here with your weekly Snow Report thanks to support from Moving 105.7!

We can expect cooler temperatures this weekend with snow and warmer temperatures forecasted for next week.

Avalanche danger is MODERATE at treeline and above in Turnagain Pass and Summit Lakes areas. Hatcher Pass is reporting MODERATE avalanche danger above 2500 feet.

Numerous human triggered and natural avalanches have been reported in Turnagain and Hatcher Pass, so while the probability of triggering an avalanche may be low, the consequences remain high with the unstable snowpack. Careful snowpack evaluation and EXTREME CAUTION in route-planning is highly advised in all Southcentral mountain areas.

The Chugach National Forest Service is hosting a FREE Avalanche Rescue Workshop this Saturday, February 11 at the Turnagain Pass motorized parking lot open to snowmachiners, skiers, and snowboarders. AARP Alaska is hosting a free workshop for riders on Saturday, February 18th from 10 am to 3 pm also in the Turnagain Pass motorized lot. Find details about these and other upcoming events at AlaskaSnow.org.

Remember if you are heading into the mountains go prepared. Take your beacon, shovel and probe and know how to use them so you can **Live to Ride Another Day!**

That's it for this week. Get outdoors, enjoy Alaska and THINK SNOW!

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