### The NSNC Mission

To establish high-quality,
groomed Nordic trails for the
enjoyment of all
Flathead Valley residents.



The North Shore Nordic Club (NSNC) works to provide a quality trail skiing experience for skiers of all ages and skill levels. Club members volunteer their time on an almost daily basis to make sure trails in two different locations are groomed and ready for public use throughout the winter. Nordic skiing, a family-oriented, human-powered form of outdoor recreation and exercise, is a particularly excellent way to enjoy the beauty of the south Flathead Valley. Please support us in our on-going efforts to provide access for all in this traditional, healthful and *fun* sport!

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The NSNC maintains and grooms

trails for the enjoyment of all

Nordic skiers at BLACKTAIL

**MOUNTAIN and FOOTHILLS** 

ROAD. The existence of these

groomed trails is

completely dependent upon

private donor support.

Please help if you can!

## **Goals and Details**

Our goal: to acquire adequate funding from grants and private donations to maintain the North Shore Nordic skiing trail locations each winter season.

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**Needs:** For the current 2015-2016 season, **\$15,500** is needed to fund our grooming operations.

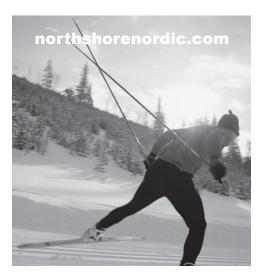
**Trails:** High-quality nordic skating lane and classic (diagonal) technique tracks laid for the entire length of the trail system at each of three nordic areas in the South Flathead Valley.

**Season:** Grooming starts with the first available snowpack above 4 or 5 inches (typically the 1st or 2nd week of December).

**Snow:** Most trails exist in location with above-average snowfall for areas of similar elevation in the Flathead Valley.

### The Benefits

- Provide the residents, families and local schools in the Flathead Valley (and particularly in the Lakeside/Somers/Bigfork areas) with a *local* alternative for winter activities.
- Increase tourism and recreational opportunities on the North Shore of Flathead Lake during what is traditionally the area's slowest visitor season.
- Enhance opportunities to establish winter recreation and educational activities for youth and school programs.
- Establish quality Nordic sites to foster new—and revive old—interest in outdoor winter activities.



# **How You Can Help**

#### Please make a donation.

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