

POSITION: Howler Alpine Slide Manager

WHO WE ARE:

Steamboat Springs Winter Sports Club introduced the community to the Howler Alpine Slide in 2000. The adventure begins with a scenic chairlift ride to the top of Howelsen Hill, where riders board individual sleds for a thrilling descent down a twisting, turning track. Using the Barrows chairlift at Howelsen Hill, we also provide scenic chairlift rides and mountain bike transport for bike trails on Emerald Mountain. While proceeds from the Howler benefit the athletes of SSWSC, its greatest impact may be the opportunity it provides as a first-time summer job experience for local teenagers.

QUALIFICATIONS:

Steamboat Springs Winter Sports Club (SSWSC) is seeking a dynamic, responsible and customer-focused **Alpine Slide Manager** to oversee daily operations of the Howler Alpine Slide in Steamboat Springs, Colorado. This hands-on leadership role involves hiring, training, and supervising a team of primarily young, first-time employees, while ensuring a safe, smooth, and enjoyable experience for all guests. The ideal candidate thrives in an active outdoor environment, brings strong leadership and communication skills, and has a background in customer service. A key aspect of this role is mentoring and managing teenagers—fostering their growth while holding them accountable to safety and operational standards. This position offers the unique opportunity to make a positive impact on both the guest experience and the development of young employees, all while ensuring the safe and efficient operation of the facility.

JOB RESPONSIBILITIES:

The slide manager is responsible for hiring, staffing, and training employees. Managing all aspects of staff scheduling and payroll and staff incentive plans to ensure adequate staffing coverage each day. The manager is responsible for the daily operation and safety of the alpine slide and Barrows scenic chairlift ride, with a focus on staff performance, rider safety and providing a quality guest experience. Ensuring compliance with all safety protocols of chairlift and slide operation and associated record keeping is crucial. Computer experience is important for learning the point of sales system and scheduling software.

POSITION WORK PERIOD: May 7 – September 28, 2025

COMPENSATION RANGE: \$28-\$32/hr

APPLICATION PERIOD: Through April 28, 2025

SUBMIT APPLICATIONS TO: Jon Nolting, jnolting@sswsc.org