

OISRA Board of Directors Action September 28, 2020

The Board of Directors, by email vote, unanimously approved the statement below to be posted as the most current Board response to the Covid-19 pandemic.

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Mike McManus, President
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September 28, 2020 Covid-19 Update

OISRA believes that high school skiing can be a valuable component of a student's health and well-being, especially during the stress of dealing with the Covid-19 pandemic.

The OISRA administration is planning for a 2020-21 ski season, but we are currently in a "wait and see" stage, because high school skiing this season depends on

- the OHA (Oregon Health Authority) guidance for reopening high school sports
- OSAA (Oregon Schools Activities Association) sanctioning a winter sport schedule
- school athletic departments (or school boards) allowing winter sport participation
- availability of skiing venues for practice and racing.

Each division, Alpine and Nordic, will independently make the decision of whether they will have a 2020-21 ski season.

If a division decides to have a ski season, then registration details, scheduling changes, format changes, state championship options, etc. will be posted by that division. OISRA and its divisions will adhere to the Covid-19 guidelines established by OHA, OSAA, schools and venues.