

2011-2012 Fairy Meadow Hut Lottery Policies and Information

- Lottery opens Apr. 1, 2011, 9 am. Closes May 1st, midnight MST
- Winners along with first and second runner-ups to be notified by e-mail no later than May 9th, 2011, 18:00 MST.
- Only winners and runner-ups will be contacted. (Please do not contact the ACC to see if you've won.)
- Winner's deposit deadline is May 23rd, 2011 at noon MST. Any weeks not secured by winners will be made available to the first runner-up on May 25th, 2011, 12:00 MST
- First runner-up deposit deadline is May 31st, 2011, 12:00 MST. Any weeks not secured by the first runner-up will be made available to the second runner-up on June 2nd, 2011, 12:00 MST.
- Second runner-up deposit deadline is June 8, 2011, 12:00 MST.
- All space not secured by winners and runner-ups will be available for general booking on June 15, 2011 at 8:30am MST, by calling the ACC front desk, 403-678-3200, ext 1.

Lottery Rules/Logistical Details:

- Stay length is 7 nights – Saturday to Saturday. This will appear on the invoice as Saturday to Friday, as the booking indicates the “nights” booked.
- Lottery applications can be for any weeks starting December 31st, 2011 with the final week available for application April 21st, 2012.
- Applicants can enter the lottery for groups of a minimum of 4 people
- Application fee is \$15.00 for every week requested. Multiple entries can be made on the same application for the same or different weeks. Note: Some weeks in the lottery may have limited capacity (not the full 20) available.
- The only way to apply for the lottery is to use the online system.
- A winner for each week will be selected along with a first and second runner-up.
- Rates for ski weeks are \$875. Per person and include 7 nights accommodation and return flights.
- All gear, food and any other items being flown on the helicopter may be weighed at staging area. The Weight limit for items (other than people) is 100 lbs per person.
- We encourage all groups that are successful in the lottery to limit bulk when packing. Please pack gear and food accordingly considering that gear, food and 20 people need to fit on 5 helicopter flights. Any additional flights will be at the cost of your group. You may be asked to leave gear behind if your group is over the weight limit.
- The winning applicant in the lottery will be the week's group leader and will be the liaison between the group and the Alpine Club of Canada. The winning applicant will also be responsible for making all deposits and final payments. **All payments once made are non-refundable.**
- If your group is employing a guide and/or cook, they need to be included in your group size.
- Traveling in the Fairy Meadow backcountry area is for advance intermediate and advance/expert skiers with backcountry experience.
- All trips are self-guided and self-catered.

Payment and Cancellation Policy:

Payment: At time of booking a **20% non-refundable** deposit is required. Final payment is due 90 days prior to trip departure, and will be charged to the card that the deposit was paid with automatically – unless other arrangements have been made at time of booking. Credit cards accepted are Master Card or Visa. The ACC accepts payment by cheque but must have a credit card on file. Final payment by cheque must be received prior or on due date. The Club reserves the right to cancel your booking and retain all payments made should we not receive a cheque on final due date. All payments are to be made by the trip leader in one bulk sum. We will not accept individual payment. Pricing is subject to change without notice.

Cancellation: All payments once made are **100% non-refundable**. A request for cancellation must be submitted to the ACC in writing from the trip leader. Any trips or days missed due to inclement weather, travel issues, flight delays or cancellations, or any other reasons beyond our control are non-refundable. The Alpine Club of Canada reserves the right to cancel any trip. Dates are non-transferable in the event of a cancellation.

NOTE: The Alpine Club of Canada strongly recommends that you purchase Trip Cancellation/Trip Interruption Insurance to protect your investment. We sell Trip Cancellation & Trip Interruption Insurance using Travel Underwriters, which provides coverage and benefits toward a variety of pre-paid and unexpected travel expenses. For information please contact adventures@AlpineClubofCanada.ca