

## **Sno Jets No Kids/Limited Dogs Policy**

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The Sno Jets Ski Club is a club that is for adults 21 and over only. The club's governing By-Laws clearly state that "membership" in the club is what entitles an individual 21 or over to participate in club functions. Since people under 21 can't be members, they cannot participate in club functions.

Consequently, the "No Kids/Limited Dogs" policy is consistent with the club's governing By-Laws. Those By-Laws also state that to be a member of the club you must agree to abide by its rules, and that the club has the right to withdraw the membership of any member who is unwilling to do so.

The official club policy, therefore, is that members or guests are not allowed to bring dogs or anyone under the age of 21 to Sno Jets events, including events held in public places (e.g. bike rides, tubing, field trips, Wednesday night dinners etc.) with the exception being hiking or camping in a location that allows dogs. In these limited cases dogs must be well behaved and leashed at all times.

The only other exception to this policy is if an event is being hosted at a member's own home, in which case that member's own under-21 children and dogs are, obviously, allowed at the event. As is the case with any event held at your home or on your private property, you the homeowner, not the club, assume all liability for any adverse interaction between club members and your kids or dogs.

A Sno Jets function or event is anything that is advertised in the newsletter, posted to the Yahoo e-mail distro, placed on the web site or publicly announced at any Sno Jets meeting or gathering. Such functions or events are open to the entire club, no matter who is running the event, and therefore must adhere to the "No Kids/Limited Dogs" policy.

Remember, to be a member of the club, you must agree to abide by its rules.