Costs Associated with BECOMING A VOLUNTEER PATROLLER

Becoming a patroller requires significant investment of your time, and some financial investment up front. Some costs will vary depending on location and level of certification, but there are some basics you can count on.

EXAMPLE COSTS OF BECOMING A PATROLLER / HOST:

NSP Patroller membership (dues are paid annually)
OEC Certification Course Fees (for Patrollers)
Discounted OEC Textbook
OEC National Course Fee
OFC Certification Course Fees (for Hosts)
OFC National Course Fee

CPR/AED Course Fee (external provider)



ADDITIONAL EXPENSES MAY INCLUDE:

- Division, Region, Patrol dues and course fees. Talk to your local patrol director as these may vary.
- Patrol uniform (jacket/vest) If you are not issued a uniform from your patrol, you can purchase one at a deep discount in the NSP store. You can expect this uniform to last for several seasons.
- Patrol pack. You can purchase this at a discount from the NSP store.
- Durable first aid supplies for your patrol pack
- Ski/Board/Bike equipment and upkeep
- · Transportation costs
- · Costs associated with additional courses

You may also incur additional costs, so talk to your local patrol director.

FINANCIAL BENEFITS THAT HELP OFFSET COSTS:



FREE REFRESHERS TO KEEP CERTIFICATIONS UP TO DATE



UP TO 75% SAVINGS FROM COMPARABLE MEDICAL TRAINING



DEEP DISCOUNTS ON THE NSP STORE FOR UNIFORMS, GEAR, AND MATERIALS



UP TO 40% DISCOUNTS THROUGH PRO DEALS WITH INDUSTRY AND OTHER PARTNERS



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MEMBERSHIP AND FEES



FREE COPIES OF SKI PATROL MAGAZINE



DISCOUNTS OR FREE LIFT
PASSES AND OTHER BENEFITS,
DEPENDENT ON LOCATION



20% STUDENT DISCOUNT ON THE OEC COURSE