

The Parks & Recreation Department along with
Sierra Mountain Guides Presents

BACK COUNTRY TOURS & AVALANCHE AWARENESS COURSES



Back Country Tours: Every Wednesday from January 31 – April 18, 2018

Here it is, the beginning of the end of life as you know it. Imagine a whole new life. One of skiing without lift tickets, lift lines, parking woes, crowded cafeterias, and tracked out slopes. With your new found skills you will be able to travel in the mountains on skis equipped with modern ski touring gear that allows you to climb up steep snow slopes with ease yet still ski down with excellent downhill performance. Our backcountry ski instructors will help you figure out the nuances of the specialized equipment we use to access the goods. **\$300/person equipment provided, \$250/person with own gear. Tours meet at 8 a.m. at the Mammoth Lakes Community Center and will be in the field by 10:00 a.m. Skiers and snowboarders welcome, ages 13 and up. (Full day)**

Avalanche Awareness: 2 Evening Sessions, Saturdays, February 3, and March 10, 2018

Come join us for a night of interactive leaning. Start down the road of a life-long learning process of the avalanche phenomenon. This program will cover the basics of avalanche formation and release, avalanche types, backcountry travel considerations, and introduction to rescue. This is a great opportunity to commune with local backcountry practitioners and get involved in our incredible backcountry community. **\$15/person, class runs from 5:45 p.m. – 8:45 p.m. in Mammoth Lakes Community Center. All ages!**

Space is limited & tours require a 2 person minimum, register your spot early online at

www.MammothRecreation.com

-OR- Contact Parks & Recreation Dept. at (760) 965-3690. *SMG operates under permit on the Inyo National Forest.*