

# Mustang Powder Small Groups, Steep Chutes (SGSC) Mandate

Our SGSC program is built for fit, expert skiers and riders seeking big-mountain thrills. You'll spend most days in the cat—but be ready for short boot-packs or skin tracks to reach tighter, technical lines.

### **Group Structure**

- Size: 6 guests + 2 guides
- Pace: Small groups of strong skiers/riders move faster and more efficiently through complex terrain

# What to Expect

- **Terrain & Run Selection:** Obscure, unique and sporty lines. When conditions allow, expect steep chutes and committing lines which may include cliffs, occasionally mandatory.
- **Potential to Tour:** this is **not** a touring trip, and touring is rare, but all guests must be prepared for short tours/boot-packs (typically 30 min or less; Under certain conditions, longer touring adventures do happen, to explore seldom visited locations

#### **Guest Requirements**

- Expert Ski/Board Skills
  - o Confident linking short turns on steep, variable snow
  - Comfortable negotiating cliff features and tight entries
  - Strong powder skiing
  - o Be prepared to sit out if you are unable to keep pace with the group or handle the terrain.

#### Physical Fitness

 Excellent cardiovascular and muscular endurance to handle back-to-back steep runs and the occasional boot-pack/tour

## **Gear Checklist & Safety**

We have touring skis and skins available for guest use; however, you are welcome to bring your personal touring gear if you prefer

- Skis: Tyrolia Adrenalin alpine-touring bindings (compatible with any boot)
- Snowboards: Splitboards available via Revelstoke Powder Rentals—please arrange rentals directly
- Safety Kit: Avalanche Airbag, shovel, probe, beacon & radio provided by Mustang Powder
- Etiquette: Follow guide instructions without hesitation and be prepared to sit out if you are below standard