

## SODA SPRINGS

### Impact Protection [\(Click Here for Scoring Methodology\)](#)

Category	Score									
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
<b>LIFT-RELATED STRUCTURES</b> (All Lift Towers, Posts, Buildings and Low Chairs in Terminal Area)										
<b>SNOWMAKING HYDRANTS AND GUNS AND OTHER POSTS AND POLES ON TRAILS</b>										
<b>EXPOSED SNOWMAKING AIR AND WATER SUPPLY PIPES</b>										
<b>PARKED VEHICLES ON TRAILS</b>										
<b>OUT BUILDINGS</b> (Other than at Lift Terminals)										
<b>BEGINNER TRAIL TREES</b> (Isolated Trees on Beginner Terrain)										
<b>SIDE-SLOPE TRAILS</b> (Trails that Tilt to One Side with Obstacles Below)										
<b>CHAIRLIFT RESTRAINT BARS</b>										

### Trail Design and Maintenance [\(Click Here Scoring Methodology\)](#)

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	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
<b>BLIND INTERSECTIONS</b>										
<b>DIVERGENT ABILITY INTERSECTION</b> (Advanced into Beginner)										
<b>TRAIL CONGESTION AREAS</b>										
<b>EGRESS INTO BEGINNER LEARNING AREAS</b>										
<b>EGRESS INTO SLOW AND FAMILY AREAS</b>										
<b>SURFACE HAZARDS</b> (Sinkholes, Drainages, Road Cuts, etc.)										
<b>EXTREME TERRAIN HAZARDS</b> (Cliffs, Avalanche Terrain, etc.)	N/A									
<b>MOVING HAZARDS</b> (Vehicles - Except Emergency Vehicles and Low Hanging Chairs)										
<b>INADVERTENT ENTRY INTO EXEMPT TERRAIN</b>	N/A									

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<b>LIFT-RELATED STRUCTURES</b> (All Lift Towers, Posts, Buildings and Low Chairs in Terminal Area)	1.25	Towers: All had open cell foam pads (3 pts.). Post and poles: Most had rope and bamboo (1 pt.). Steel posts at lift mazes (-1 pt.). Buildings: All had rope and bamboo (1 pt.). Low chairs: All had rope and bamboo (1 pt.). Total: 5 pts. ÷ 4 categories = 1.25 pts.
<b>SNOWMAKING HYDRANTS AND GUNS AND OTHER POSTS AND POLES ON TRAILS</b>	2	Hydrants and Guns: Some padded; all roped (3 + 1 ÷ 2 = 2 pts.).
<b>EXPOSED SNOWMAKING AIR AND WATER SUPPLY PIPES</b>	10	None observed (10 pts.).
<b>PARKED VEHICLES ON TRAILS</b>	10	None observed (10 pts.).
<b>OUT BUILDINGS</b> (Other than at Lift Terminals)	4.5	Two observed – one in trees and one on side of trail with no mitigation (9 + 0 ÷ 2 = 4.5 pts.)
<b>BEGINNER TRAIL TREES</b> (Isolated Trees on Beginner Terrain)	10	None observed (10 pts.).
<b>SIDE-SLOPE TRAILS</b> (Trails that Tilt to One Side with Obstacles Below)	10	None observed (10 pts.).
<b>CHAIRLIFT RESTRAINT BARS</b>	0	No chairlifts had restraint bars (0 pts.).

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IMPACT PROTECTION	SCORE	COMMENTS FROM FIELD OBSERVERS
<b>BLIND INTERSECTIONS</b>	9	One observed on the unnamed trail to far east – comes out at top of small chair with ropes (9 pts.).
<b>DIVERGENT ABILITY INTERSECTION</b> (Advanced into Beginner)	10	None observed (10 pts.).
<b>TRAIL CONGESTION AREAS</b>	10	None observed (10 pts.).
<b>EGRESS INTO BEGINNER LEARNING AREAS</b>	10	Designated learning area (Planet Kids) was geographically separated (10 pts.).
<b>EGRESS INTO SLOW AND FAMILY AREAS</b>	7	Cream Puff and Planet Kids were geo-isolated. Trail above and west of tubing area had no mitigation (10 + 10 + 0 ÷ 3 = 7 pts.).
<b>SURFACE HAZARDS</b> (Sinkholes, Drainages, Road Cuts, etc.)	0	Knolls, road cut and rock outcrops had no mitigation (0 pts.).
<b>EXTREME TERRAIN HAZARDS</b> (Cliffs, Avalanche Terrain, etc.)	N/A	None observed (N/A).
<b>MOVING HAZARDS</b> (Vehicles - Except Emergency Vehicles and Low Hanging Chairs)	5	Sleigh Ride Shuttle in base area not mitigated; no other moving vehicles observed (5 pts.).
<b>INADVERTENT ENTRY INTO EXEMPT TERRAIN</b>	N/A	None designated on trail map (N/A)

## SODA SPRINGS Resort Boundaries

N = North    E = East    W = West    S = South

	OPEN				CLOSED				GATED			
	N	E	W	S	N	E	W	S	N	E	W	S
<b>BOUNDARY AND/OR CLOSED SIGNS</b>	X			X				X				
<b>BARRIERS ROPE AND BAMBOO/FENCES</b>												
<b>SIGNS WARNING OF SIDE COUNTRY DANGERS</b>												
<b>STAFF POSTED AT EXIT GATE</b>												
<b>NOT DESIGNATED</b>		X	X									
<p>East boundary is road. West boundary not marked. North boundary is parking lot and railroad tracks.</p> <p>Open South boundary is strategically signed and South boundary at Crystal lift is closed with strategic signs.</p>												

## SODA SPRINGS Terrain Parks

	NONE	SOME	HALF	MOST	ALL	UNKNOWN
DEFINED BOUNDARIES					X	
DIFFICULTY RATING POSTED					X	
SPOTTER REQUIRED	X					
SPEED CONTROLS FOR JUMPS	X					
HALFPIPE ROPED OFF						
FEATURES ENGINEERED						X
TAKEOFF SPOTS FLAGGED	X					
<p>Rope on east side of terrain park; tubing area on west side. Tubing area located in the middle of resort terrain was not roped off.</p>						