

Artificial Slopes Level 1 - Club Instructor Training Course - A weekend course introducing the principles of ski instruction on artificial slopes. Participants should be registered with the coaching scheme prior to this course and may practice as a Candidate Club Instructor following the course.

Club Instructor Training Courses £90

14/15 Jan. 2006	Pontypool	Gwent
4/5 Feb. 2006	Plas Y Brenin	Gwynedd
25/26 Mar. 2006	Cardiff	South Glamorgan
23/24 Sept. 2006	Cardiff	South Glamorgan
7/8 Oct. 2006	Llandudno	Gwynedd
11/12 Nov. 2006	Pembrey	Dyfed

Club Instructor Assessment/Accreditation - A one day assessment for trainee instructors, successful candidates will qualify as Club Instructors.

Club Instructor Assessments £50

22 Jan. 2006	Pontypool	Gwent
21 May 2006	Llandudno	Gwynedd
16 Sept. 2006	Cardiff	South Glamorgan
22 Oct 2006	Pembrey	Dyfed
2 Dec. 2006	Plas Y Brenin	Gwynedd

Artificial Slopes Level 2 - Artificial Slope Ski Instructor Training Course - An advanced course covering the principles of ski instruction and coaching on artificial slopes to higher levels, this course is essential for anyone wishing to attend the final A.S.S.I. assessment.

ASSI Training Courses £90

6/7 May 2006	Llandudno	Gwynedd
11/12 Nov. 2006	Pontypool	Gwent

Artificial Slope Ski Instructor Assessment - A one day assessment for Candidate A.S.S.I.s, successful candidates will hold a nationally recognised qualification.

ASSI Assessments £70

10 June 2006	Llandudno	Gwynedd
26 Nov. 2006	Pontypool	Gwent

Club Instructor & ASSI Revalidation £50 - To maintain your qualification as a Club Instructor or A.S.S.I. it is necessary to attend a refresher course every 3 years.

29 April 2006	Llandudno	Gwynedd
11 June 2006	Pontypool	Gwent
22 Oct. 2006	Pontypool	Gwent
3 Dec. 2006	Llandudno	Gwynedd

Artificial Slope Snowboard Instructor Course

G.B. recognised Snowboard training and qualification course. This course, run over two weekends, successful candidates with a qualification to teach snowboarding at all levels on artificial slopes.

Artificial Slope Snowboard Instructor Courses £300, including registration with NGB

May 2006	Pontypool	Gwent
<u>Artificial Slope Snowboard Instructor Revalidation - £50</u>		
May 2006	Cardiff	South Glamorgan

Alpine Performance Coaches Course Level 1 - 6 day comprehensive and intensive course training Coaches to work with performers at clubs in Wales and on snow.

Contact Snowsport Scotland (<http://www.snsco.demon.co.uk>) for details of course dates

Alpine Performance Coaches Course Level 2 - 6 day course training Coaches to work with performers up to F.I.S. level competitions.

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Artificial Slope Performance Coaches Course - A week long course based in the U.K. training Coaches to work with performers within their clubs on artificial ski slopes.

Contact SSW for details of the next training course and to register your interest in this course.

Development Coaches Course - An alpine based training course designed for Coaches wanting to work with recreational skiers within their clubs and on snow.

Contact SSW for details of the next training course and to register your interest in this course.

Tutors and Assessors Training Course - An initial training programme, run at an artificial ski slope venue, preparing Coaches to embark upon training and accreditation as Tutors and Assessors for Coaching Scheme Courses. Contact S.C.O.W. for details of the programme and next training course.

Contact SSW to register your interest in this course.

Emergency First Aid Certificate - Usually a 4 hour or 1/2 day training course available upon a local basis through the Red Cross or St. Johns Ambulance Brigade. A must for all instructors and coaches. For course availability contact,

British Red Cross Wales	08456012163
St. Johns Ambulance Brigade in Wales	08456785646

Ski Course Organisers & Leaders Courses - A training programme designed for school teachers taking children on ski trips abroad. Level 1 Courses are two day courses run on artificial ski slopes covering basic organisation and safety. Alpine Ski Leader Courses are a week in duration run in an alpine environment covering leadership skills on the mountain and mountain safety.

Ski Course Organiser Course - £100, includes registration with Snowsport Wales

28/29 Jan 2006	Pontypool
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Please contact the office for further dates

Alpine Ski Course Leader Award

19-25 Feb 2006	France
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9-16 Apr 2006	France
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N.B. OTHER COURSES WILL BE ORGANISED THROUGH THE YEAR - IF YOU HAVE ANY REQUIREMENTS OR INTERESTS FOR A PARTICULAR COURSE PLEASE CONTACT SNOWSPORT WALES FOR FURTHER INFORMATION.

The **United Kingdom Snowsport Coach Awards Scheme** provides a training and qualification programme for aspiring Instructors and Coaches wishing to work with skiers throughout the U.K. through Clubs, Ski Facilities and upon an individual basis. The courses are aimed at skiers who wish to be able to help others get enjoyment out of our sport and to be able to assist their progress in the sport. The courses are well recognised within Great Britain and are fully transferable.

Starting up in the Coach Awards Scheme, involves firstly **registering as a Candidate Instructor with the Snowsport Wales Coaching Scheme**. Registration forms are available through Ski Clubs and Ski Centres in Wales or through the Snowsport Wales Office. Candidates should be competent parallel skiers able to make parallel turns consistently over a variety of terrain, arc sizes and speeds. From here **book onto a Club Instructor Training Course** and begin your training programme. The minimum age to be able to embark upon the Coach Awards Scheme is 16 years old.

To proceed through the scheme participants should gain experience and further training, at the appropriate level, then present themselves for accreditation or assessment. At Level 1 (Club Instructor) this process may be carried out through a Placement Coach who will be able to assist in both your training and accredit you when the necessary competencies have been proved.

To book onto the courses send a £10 deposit to Snowsport Wales along with the booking form below or a note to say which course it is for along with your address and telephone number, we ask you to pay the balance 1 week before the course. Courses are based upon a minimum of eight participants, Snowsport Wales reserves the right to cancel or postpone a course if it is under subscribed. Course fees do not include ski equipment hire.

For further information upon the Coaching Scheme and other activities of Snowsport Wales, contact,
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COACHING SCHEME COURSE BOOKING FORM

NAME **COURSE NAME :**

ADDRESS **COURSE DATE :**
COURSE VENUE :

TEL. NO. **DAY** **FEES ENCLOSED :**
EVE. **BALANCE :**

SNOWSPORT WALES REGISTRATION NUMBER :

Calendar of Courses

Wales 2006



United Kingdom Snowsport Coaching Awards Scheme

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