

## Welcome to the San Juan Region Outdoor Recreation Hotline...

Sponsored by Pine Needle Mountaineering, San Juan Mountains Association and San Juan Public Lands.

### As of Thursday, June 12, 2014:

**Fuelwood permits** are on sale at the Forest Service/BLM offices in Durango, Bayfield, Dolores and Pagosa, as well as at Kroeger's Hardware in Durango, City Market in Cortez, Dolores Food Market, and Cox Conoco in Mancos.

Cut Ponderosa Pine logs are being stacked in Saul's Creek are along Crowbar Road (FS 755A). They are available to the public with any fuelwood permit.

**Campgrounds:** All San Juan National Forest campgrounds are now open.

**Roads** on the San Juan Public Lands are mostly open for the season; some higher elevation roads are still closed or blocked by snow.

Some **roads** that are **still closed** include:

**Pagosa** –Chris Mountain Road 681( closed for the season) and Wolf Creek Road 725.

**Columbine** – Bolam Pass 578 at the top

**Dolores** – Black Mesa 611 at snow and Scotch Creek 550

Snaggletooth road along the Dolores River is closed until June 30th for Bighorn Sheep lambing.

**Silverton area passes** that are still blocked by snow include: Black Bear Pass, California, Clear Lake, Hurricane Pass, Lobo Overlook, Picayune/Placer, and Poughkeepsie.

For current road status, check our web site at: [www.fs.usda.gov/sanjuan/](http://www.fs.usda.gov/sanjuan/)

**Trails** are slowly drying out on the Forest from the late snows. Snowline is around 11,000 ft on north or shady aspects, and up to 12,000 ft on south or sunny aspects. To avoid snow, hike below 10,500 ft. Trail crews have just begun for the season so expect downed trees and difficult stock travel.

Information and maps regarding changes to **travel management, road opening dates, and ATV and motorcycle trails** within the San Juan Public Lands are available at all SJNF/BLM offices or on the San Juan National Forest website.

**Off Highway Vehicles**, ATV's and motorcycles must have a Colorado State registration for use on public lands in Colorado. All out of state OHV's and ATV's must be permitted to be on federal and state lands. Registrations and permits are available at Colorado State Parks, most ATV dealers, the San Juan Public Lands Center, and the Bayfield, Pagosa and the Dolores District Offices.

If you have any **questions** regarding conditions on the San Juan National Forest or BLM lands, please call us (970) 247-4874, check out our web address at [www.fs.usda.gov/sanjuan](http://www.fs.usda.gov/sanjuan) or stop by the San Juan Public Lands Center, in the Durango Tech Center just off Highway 160, one-half mile west of Durango. Pagosa, Dolores and Bayfield District Offices are open Monday through Friday from 8:00am to 4:30pm.