

- 6.1 **REGISTRATION FEES:** Sections may collect registration fees from Patrollers.
- 6.2 **FUND-RAISING:** Sections may establish and operate fund-raising projects.
- 6.3 **USES OF SECTION FUNDS:** Any money raised by or in the name of a Section must be expended to the general benefit of the Patrollers in the Section, such as for Section picnics or meetings, a newsletter, training, or other similar purposes.
- 6.4 **FINANCIAL REPORT:** All money raised and expended in and by a Section shall be reported on the Section Annual Financial Report by September 15.
- 6.5 **SECTION OEC TEST REPORTS:** The Section OEC Advisor shall supervise all OEC written and practical OEC tests and shall report to the Patrol Directors, Section Chief and the Region OEC Coordinator and Testing Advisors the names of those taking those tests, their Patrol affiliation, the individual scores and whether each passed or failed.
- 6.6 **SECTION SKI AND TOBOGGAN PROFICIENCY PROGRAMS:** The Section Ski and Toboggan Advisor shall represent the Section Chief by attending and supporting Section and local Patrol Basic Patroller Ski and Toboggan Handling evaluations.
- 6.6.1 **QUALIFICATION:** Section Proficiency Advisors shall be Senior Patrollers, preferably Senior Clinic Instructors
- 6.6.2 **BASIC PROFICIENCY EVALUATION REPORTS:** Section Proficiency Advisors shall report results of any section Basic Patroller Evaluations to the Patrol Director (s), Section Chief, and Assistant Region Director for Proficiency. Such reports shall include the names of candidates taking the evaluations, their patrol affiliation, the names of the evaluators and their patrol affiliation, the individual candidate scores and whether each candidate passed or failed.
- 6.6.3 **SECTION TRAINING CLINICS:** Section Proficiency Advisors shall provide annual Section Training Clinics.
- 6.6.4 **BASIC EVALUATION CLINICIANS:** Section Proficiency Advisors shall appoint Basic Patroller Evaluation Clinicians (formerly Qualified Examiners) to evaluate at Basic Patroller Evaluations. Such Clinicians must attend the Section Training Clinic at least once every two years and evaluate at a Basic Patroller Evaluation once every two years to stay current. (Section Proficiency Advisor currency requirements are waived for current status Senior Clinic Instructors.) The Section Chief, Patrol Director of Candidates and Section Proficiency Advisor are not eligible to evaluate at Basic Patroller Evaluations and shall be exempt from the currency requirement. The individual primarily responsible for Basic Patroller training is urged to function as a Candidate Advocate during the evaluation and not as a Clinician. (In the event that this individual does function as Candidate Advocate, the requirement for evaluating at a Basic Patroller Evaluation is satisfied by that service.)
- 6.6.5 **BASIC EVALUATION CLINICIAN TRAINING:** Section Proficiency Advisors shall provide a program for Patrollers to become a Basic Patroller Evaluation Clinician. Prerequisites: must be a Basic Patroller or higher, must have completed Phase II Alpine Toboggan, must have attended a section Training Clinic (6.6.3), must participate as a scoring observer at a Basic Patroller Evaluation, and must demonstrate scoring and ski and toboggan skills commensurate with other evaluators. Current Senior Clinic Instructors are exempt from these prerequisites.