

Rusty Bindings Chat Rules & Tips

Applies to: Rusty Hub – Connect • Engage • Social Banter

Purpose: Keep conversations easy to find, friendly, and useful for all members

1. Start a New Conversation for a New Topic

- Do **not** add a new topic to an existing conversation.
- If your post is about something new, start a **new conversation**.

This helps members quickly find what they are looking for.

2. Always Label Your Conversation

Begin every new post with one of the approved labels below:

- **[FOR SALE]** – Items you are selling
- **[EVENT]** – Club events, meetings, trips, or deadlines
- **[GENERAL]** – Social chat or non-specific topics
- **[QUESTION]** – Asking for advice or information
- **[TRIP PLANNING]** – Ski trips, carpools, lodging, coordination

Examples

- **[FOR SALE] Women's Ski Jacket – Medium**
 - **[EVENT] April Club Meeting – RSVP Requested**
 - **[GENERAL] Best Spring Skiing Right Now?**
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3. Keep Replies in the Same Conversation

- Reply directly to the original post.
- Do not start a new conversation for follow-up comments.

This keeps all related messages together.

4. Posting Items for Sale

When selling an item, please include: - Item name - Price - Condition - Photos (if available) - How to contact you

When the item is sold, reply with:

Item sold – thank you!

5. Be Respectful and Safe

- Be courteous and welcoming.
 - Do not post offensive or inappropriate content.
 - Avoid sharing personal phone numbers or addresses publicly.
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6. Keep the Chat Helpful

- Stay on topic within each conversation.
 - Use clear wording.
 - Remember many members are new to chat tools.
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Need Help?

If you have trouble posting or uploading photos, contact the Rusty Bindings website administrator.

Thank you for helping keep the Rusty Bindings chat organized and enjoyable for everyone.