



HART HIGHLANDS WINTER CLUB

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**2024-25 Winter Season
Learn to Ski/Snowboard Safely**

Package	One Day Visit	Two Day Visit
A – Ski Rental, Lesson & Ticket	\$50	\$78
B –Board Rental, Lesson & Ticket	\$52	\$80
C – Ski Lesson & Ticket	\$38	\$70
D – Board Lesson & Ticket	\$40	\$72
E – Ski Rental & Ticket	\$34	\$58
F – Board Rental & Ticket	\$34	\$58
G –Ticket Only	\$20	\$30
H – Seasons Pass Holder Lesson Only	\$25	\$45
I – Helmet Rental	\$8	\$15

Hart Highlands Winter Club offers instruction only with their fully certified instructors; and along with our great learner friendly terrain, our instructors are able to progress the students with very high success rates through our school program.

Please Read All Instructions Carefully

Only students reaching or demonstrating STEP 2 skills during their ski or snowboard lessons consistently will receive a lift pass for the Platter Lifts for continuing their lessons with their instructor until they are able to demonstrate that they can ski/board safely, confidently and independently on their own.

Please use the package form provided by Snow School and copy as needed. Please Print and alphabetize your class list. Please ensure enough time throughout the event day to review your schools invoice with a member of our staff appointed to that position. Please have your school or group mail a cheque to our address listed above immediately following your visit to our mountain.

The Hart Highlands Winter Club will provide ONE complimentary pass for a teacher or chaperone for every TEN students that come out the mountain for the trip. Please help to monitor the students in the lodge and on the hill, before the day is over please help assure that all trash, articles of clothing and equipment are thrown away, picked up or returned.

Following are some guidelines and suggestions that will help to make your day a success! Please read carefully!

Thank you!

The Hart Highlands Winter Club can accommodate up to 90 students per visit for lessons, with a ratio of instructors to students that ensures a quality lesson. For all School District 57 Programs the Terrain Park will be open unless other arrangements are made. We need to receive your package sheets and student numbers at least one week prior to your trip to make sure we have enough instructors, both ski and board available for that day.

It is essential that it is made clear to the students, parents and all the teachers participating that the students who are not wishing to take a lesson should have skied or snowboarded in the past. All students opting out of a lesson regardless of their abilities will be asked to demonstrate for a mountain assigned member of the snow school the ability to stay under control while showing a series of linked turns and navigation of a controlled and completed stop. Any student not passing this very quick and simple test will be required to take a lesson for their own safety before we will give them their pass.

Basic Guidelines

1. Our instruction format is based on the National skill progression program with an evaluation at every step.
2. If you have students with special needs or learning disabilities, please inform and advise us of their needs in advance so that we can discuss their care and attention. Your judgement will decide if you should provide extra supervision or assistance during the day. Please note we do not have a designated sledding area.
3. School District Guidelines require that district staff be responsible for students on field trips. Should our snow school instructors require any assistance or advice, they will consult with the school staff to provide a positive educational experience for the students.
4. For every TEN students, we will provide ONE chaperone-teacher pass. These will be given to the organizing staff member by the snow school director to distribute. This will be done in the morning once all students have set up with equipment and organized into their groups for the day.
5. If a student has not yet reached the basic skills standard (STEP 2) by the end of the morning, they will continue in lessons in the afternoon. This second set of lessons is of no extra charge and we feel it provides the opportunity for all students to learn rather than spending the day sitting in the lodge. At the end of the second lesson, if the skills are not yet attained, the student will be permitted to practice in the learning center under a member of your school's supervision.
6. For those students NOT participating in lessons:
 - a. All students not under the direction of a certified snowboard or ski instructor (during lessons) must be supervised by the school staff or chaperones and are the responsibility of the school.
 - b. Lift tickets will be removed and the student will not be allowed to ski or board on their own if it is noticed that they are not skiing or boarding under control with a healthy respect for the mountain, mountain rules and other visitors on the mountain. (this includes behavior on the lifts)

Pre-Trip Preparation

1. Please ensure your registration forms are filled in completely and accurately then e-mailed to the mountain at events@hartskihill.com **at least one week** prior to your scheduled visit. It is very important that our technicians get all the required information so that equipment can be ready to go on the morning you arrive.

2. Please assist our rental technicians by placing the students in alphabetical order by each class attending. Please identify the student's level of ability of skiing or boarding experience by the following coding.
 - a. **G** (green) – NEVER SKIIED or BOARDED
 - b. **B** (blue) – SKIIED or BOARDED 1-5 times before
 - c. **Y** (black) – SKIIED or BOARDED more than 5 times before
3. Please communicate with the parents regarding proper and safe apparel for students. Allowing students to participate in an outdoors activity in variable winter weather conditions without proper clothing, gloves and head wear makes for a difficult day. Without this proper clothing, there is a good chance the instructors or lift attendants will not allow the students on the lift for their own safety. Skiing or boarding in jeans is also difficult please encourage track pants or exercise wear under their snow pants along with long socks.
4. Please review the attached copy of the Alpine Responsibility Code. We encourage everyone to go over these standard rules with all students and make them available to their parents as well.

Arrival

1. Operating hours begin at 9:00am on snow school days and ends at 3:00pm. We ask that the buses and transportation arrive between 9:00 and 9:30am.
2. A member of our staff will greet you and your students outside the lodge.
3. The school supervisors should then lead the students with their own equipment to the front of the lodge, where students can place their equipment in the racks and wait for further instruction.
4. Students who are renting equipment should go to the left bottom door and asked to wait in a line up outside on the deck where they will be called in a few at a time by one of our staff members to help assist them into their gear. Students will need to be in their snow gear and ready to go for the day prior to getting their equipment on.
5. All students will have to wait outdoors for their lessons or assessment to start.
6. Please have a teacher/supervise check in with the rental shop supervisor to confirm any missing/absent students or changed packages before the end of day.

End of Day

1. All students returning gear should return it to the bottom, left door of the lodge where the rental technician will sign it off as returned.
2. Once the students have returned their equipment and picked up all their belongings, before boarding the bus we will assume that a school supervisor has taken attendance.
3. Please be sure all students clean up their mess and get all their belongings, we don't want to see any valuables get left behind or a big mess.

We are looking forward to your visit and providing your school with a safe, positive, fun filled and friendly learning experience. To book your visit to Hart Highlands Winter Club please contact:

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