Troop 212 Family Snow Sports Day

Sunday, March 3, 2019 at SNOW SUMMIT

Mountain hours: 8:30 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Overview & Required Forms

Hello families and scouts! Here is a review of information & directions to get signed up for this year's family Snow Sports day @ SNOW SUMMIT. This is a family event so all are welcome. Please be sure to read this instructional communication along with the referenced attachments completely as this will help answer most of your questions.

Helmets are Mandatory for all Scouts per the Guide to Safe Scouting (revision date 08/19/2009). Snow Summit <u>does</u> rent helmets, so additional information under equipment rental will be posted to help you if you chose this option.

It is highly recommended that New Boarders and Skiers take lessons. The price is right and it's a safe way to learn with trained instructors. Please note, however, that our scout master, John Douglas, can help with ski instruction.

What do you need to do?

Release Waivers

- Group Ticket & Lesson Release Waiver: Fill out completely ONE per person including Adults. Parent or guardian must sign for minor. Go to <u>liability.mammothresorts.com</u> to fill out and PRINT it and give me that <u>paper copy</u>, ONE PER PERSON. We MUST have <u>a hard copy</u> from EVERYONE or they won't release the tickets.
- 2) Troop 212 Permission Slip: Fill out completely ONE per Scout (down load from troop website). If you are bringing any minor, that person needs a permission slip regardless of whether he/she is in the troop.

Rental Forms

For those who need equipment

1) Fill out the "Guest Info Sheet" page completely ONE per person

Payment schedule

- Review the group ticket order form (ignore the first page if you've downloaded it from the website) and select the package(s) for yourself and/or your family. Please fill out the quantity and totals on your cost schedule form. This should match the payment you submit. Please bring that form along.
- 2) Submit all completed forms and payments Frances Gawel and Janet Harris on Monday, February 11, 2018. That is the only night we will take forms and payments.

We meet on the mid deck of Bear Bottom Lodge (near chair 11 and 2 – see map on last page) starting at 8:00 AM. to secure a spot for the troop. Frances Gawel will remain near the ticket windows to give you your tickets and vouchers. People can arrive anytime but Scouts need to check-in to get credit for the event and sign up for the skills part of merit badge if they are interested. You can stay as late as 6:00 p.m. when the mountain closes if you wish, but you may leave at any time. However, please let Janet, Frances or John know that you are leaving or that you plan to stay beyond the 4 p.m. end time so we know that everyone is accounted for.

If you are renting equipment, it takes some time to get fitted. The later you arrive, the longer it takes.

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Plan on 20-30 minutes. The rental shop opens at 8:00 a.m.

Snow Sports Merit Badge

Scouts interested in pursuing the snow sports merit badge will have the opportunity to demonstrate mastery of essential skills and knowledge with a merit badge counselor. All scouts interested in pursuing

this merit badge need to gather at the designated group meeting spot (mid deck Bear Bottom Lodge) at 1 PM sharp. Please note it will be difficult for a first time scouts or those scouts still at the novice level to be at a sufficient skill level to pass the skills portion (Parents help manage your scouts expectations in this regards). Any part of the merit badge that requires a verbal or written explanation from the scout must be done at the regular troop meetings.

Transportation and Parking

This event starts at the hill and participants need to arrange transportation to and from the event. Directions along with any other mountain info are available on the SNOW SUMMIT web site www.snowsummit.com.

Parking in the upper lot next to the slopes is now \$20. Free parking is available nearby and a free shuttle will bring you to the mountain. Please allow this extra time to park.

The website suggests that you give yourself an hour to park, get to the mountain, get equipment, etc.

Adult Theme Leaders

Frances Gawel, 526-310-3185, francesgawel@verizon.net

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Equipment/Gear needed for the day:		
Skis or Snowboard	Helmut (mandatory)	Snow boots for after
Boots	Hat	Change of clothes, if desired
Poles for skiers	Goggles/sunglasses	
Parka	Long underwear	
Gloves	Sweater/top/t-neck	
Ski pants	Sun screen	
Ski socks	Lunch monev	