



## Welcome to the Bentley School Ski/Snowboard Club!

We've had an overwhelming response to this year's club with over 90 students registered in the program. WOW! As a result, we've made a few changes to accommodate the volume of students.

- All students in Gr. 1- 5 must have a parent or legal guardian present at the hill for the duration of the club. Parents are welcome to purchase their own lift ticket and ski if they wish or obtain a walking pass from the Canyon ticket booth. The lodge is open to the public.
- All students in Gr. 1 - 5 who have to have a parent or legal guardian present at the hill, must ride to and from the hill with their parents. Parents are not permitted to drive other students unless they have completed the parent driver authorization forms and submitted proof of insurance with \$2,000,000 liability coverage. NO EXCEPTIONS! Failure to apply will risk removal from the club.
- All students in Gr. 6 -12 who are registered to ride the bus must ride the bus to and from the hill. Any changes to this must be given in writing 24 hours in advance to the school.
- All students participating in the program are required to take a lesson. Only level 3 and above skiers may opt out of the lesson program on the next ski date by informing the ski coordinators. Students will stay in the same lesson category for all three trips. Typically it takes at least 3 lessons to move lesson categories. If you wish to make a change to your lesson category, the school must be informed one week in advance.
- If you are unable to attend a scheduled date, notice must be given one week in advance in order to receive a refund for that ski date. If you are eligible for a refund, it will be issued at the end of the ski season.
- Students arriving with their parents are expected to arrive at the same time as the bus. They will be provided with their lift passes by the ski coordinator at the lesson area. Bus students will receive their passes as they exit the bus.
- Upon arrival, students requiring rentals will proceed directly to the rental shop downstairs. Students with their own equipment can get ready and meet at the lesson area. Typically, the Never Evers and Level 1 students start their lessons immediately and the intermediate and advanced lessons follow one hour after depending on lesson numbers.
- After the lessons students are free to ski on their own but are directed to stay in a specific area based on their ski level. Students must be comfortable moving about the hill on their own and have the ability to locate the lodge supervisor on their own if they need assistance with anything.
- Students are required to check in with the lodge supervisor at least once throughout the day (look for the Panther sign).

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- Students leaving with a parent must return their rentals at the same time as the bus students. If you are checking students out early, please sign-out with the lodge supervisor (look for the Bentley Panther sign).
- Supper, lunch or snacks are not supplied. Please either bring your own or money for the cafeteria. Typically meals cost between \$8 - \$15.
- Thank you to our volunteers! All volunteers will receive a separate communication indicating their roles/responsibilities.

January 27 (afternoon check in)		February 9 (evening check in)		March 10 (morning check in)	
Bus departs Bentley School	11:45 a.m.	Bus departs Bentley School	3:30 p.m.	Bus departs Bentley School	9:15 a.m.
Arrive at Canyon Skill Hill	12:30 p.m.	Arrive at Canyon Skill Hill	4:15 p.m.	Arrive at Canyon Skill Hill	10:00 a.m.
Meet at Lesson Meeting Area	1:00 p.m.	Meet at Lesson Meeting Area	5:00 p.m.	Meet at Lesson Meeting Area	10:30 a.m.
Rental Returns	5:00 p.m.	Rental Returns	7:30 p.m.	Rental Returns	3:30 p.m.
Bus departs Canyon Ski Hill	5:30 p.m.	Bus departs Canyon Ski Hill	8:00 p.m.	Bus departs Canyon Ski Hill	4:00 p.m.
Bus arrives at Bentley School	6:15 p.m.	Bus arrives at Bentley School	8:45 p.m.	Bus arrives at Bentley School	4:45 p.m.

Sincerely,

Mrs. Ruttan, Mrs. Cole, Mrs. Anderson, Mrs. McDiarmid

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# ALPINE RESPONSIBILITY CODE



THERE ARE ELEMENTS OF RISK THAT COMMON SENSE AND PERSONAL AWARENESS CAN HELP REDUCE. REGARDLESS OF HOW YOU DECIDE TO USE THE SLOPES, ALWAYS SHOW COURTESY TO OTHERS. PLEASE ADHERE TO THE CODE LISTED BELOW AND SHARE WITH OTHERS THE RESPONSIBILITY FOR A SAFE OUTDOOR EXPERIENCE.

- 1** Always stay in control. You must be able to stop, or avoid other people or objects.
- 2** People ahead of you have the right-of-way. It is your responsibility to avoid them.
- 3** Do not stop where you obstruct a trail or are not visible from above.
- 4** Before starting downhill or merging onto a trail, look uphill and yield to others.
- 5** If you are involved in or witness a collision or accident, you must remain at the scene and identify yourself to the Ski Patrol.
- 6** Always use proper devices to help prevent runaway equipment.
- 7** Observe and obey all posted signs and warnings.
- 8** Keep off closed trails and closed areas.
- 9** You must not use lifts or terrain if your ability is impaired through use of alcohol or drugs.
- 10** You must have sufficient physical dexterity, ability and knowledge to safely load, ride and unload lifts. If in doubt, ask the lift attendant.

**Know the Code - Be Safety Conscious  
It is Your Responsibility**



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