



February 4, 2020

Snow Valley Ski/Snowboard Trip - Grades 4 - 8

Dear Parents/Guardians:

It is time to start preparing for our Snow Valley ski/snowboard trip scheduled for **Thursday, March 12, 2020**. We will be leaving the school at approximately 8:40 am (immediately after attendance) and returning to the school at approximately 2:30 pm. This trip is in alignment with the grades four through eight physical education curriculum. Please ensure that your child is dressed appropriately for the day using the *Preparing Your Child* information sheet on the reverse of this letter.

******Note: Students are not allowed to travel to and from the ski hill with anyone other than their own parents or on the school bus. If you are driving your child to the ski hill, you will need to ask your homeroom teacher for the form indicating you are refusing bus transportation.******

Lunch Buffet: Snow Valley offers an optional fresh lunch buffet that can accommodate all dietary requirements. The cost of the lunch is \$10.00 and must be pre-ordered and paid for, along with your lift ticket/rentals, through the PowerSchool Parent Portal. Orders will NOT be taken on the day of ski trip. Confirmed volunteers will also be given an opportunity to purchase the lunch buffet. **Please note: a minimum of 25 orders is required for the lunch buffet.** Be sure that your child brings a bag lunch if they haven't ordered and paid for Snow Valley's lunch buffet.

To Register: All three steps below must be completed by **Thursday, February 20** to register for the ski trip.

1. Complete the Snow Valley Google form at <https://forms.gle/rwWU56i8w4Qv6aAMA> (can be filled out on a mobile device) to choose skiing or snowboarding and complete rental information, if required. This form is for students only, not the parent volunteers, as they will fill out a form at the hill.
2. Pay for the trip by going to the PowerSchool Parent Portal at <https://powerschool.eips.ca/public/home.html>. Select **Student Fees** under your child's name. At the top of the page choose the name of the child you are paying for and select the Snow Valley Ski Trip icon. Make your selection(s), remembering to also select the optional lunch (if desired), **Add to Cart** and complete the checkout process.
3. Lastly, complete and return to the school **both** the attached Field Trip Permission Form and the attached form indicating which items you have selected **and** paid for.

Volunteers: We also require several parent volunteers to assist the students in the rental shop, chalet and on the ski hill. Snow Valley treats parent volunteers to a complimentary lift ticket; however, there are **limited spots available** so, if you would like to volunteer, please complete and return the attached form as soon as possible and we will be in contact with those parents who have been selected as volunteers. Thank you in advance, and please do not hesitate to call/email your homeroom teacher with any questions or concerns.

Miss Melnyk
Mr. Percy

Mrs. Rosato
Ms. Paul

Mrs. Bossert

Mr. Epp
Mr. Nyznyk

Mrs. Molyneaux
Mrs. O'Neill

**Please complete all three of the above steps by
Thursday, February 20, 2020**



Late permission forms will not be accepted.

**Please return this form by
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Name of Student: _____ Class: _____

- My child **WILL NOT** be attending the Snow Valley Ski/Snowboard Trip
- My child **WILL** be attending the Snow Valley Ski/Snowboard Trip **AND** I have:
 - Completed and submitted the Snow Valley Google form **AND**
 - Selected the **items checked below AND submitted payment** on the PowerSchool Parent Portal

Please check	Packages (helmets are included in rental packages)	Cost
	Day Pass, Lesson, Equipment Rental, Bus	\$42.00
	Day Pass, Lesson (own equipment and helmet), Bus	\$31.00
	SV Season Pass Holder* Day Pass, Lesson, Equipment Rental, Bus (\$5 discount applied)	\$37.00
	SV Season Pass Holder* Day Pass, Lesson (own equipment & helmet), Bus (\$5 discount)	\$26.00
	Optional Hot Buffet Lunch	\$10.00

*Snow Valley will verify your 2019/20 Season Pass.

NOTE: The Grade 4/5 Snow Pass is NOT applicable for school trips.

****Snow Valley REQUIRES a lesson for each child regardless of their level of experience.****

Yes, I am available to be a parent volunteer:

- In the rental shop, chalet **and skiing** on the hill
- In the rental shop, chalet **and snowboarding** on the hill
- In the rental shop and chalet **only**

NOTE: We will be contacting those parents who are selected as volunteers. If we have not confirmed that we need you as a volunteer, SouthPointe School will not be paying for your ticket/rentals.

Name of Volunteer: _____ Phone Number: _____

Email: _____