

SKI PROGRAM DETAILS...

Middle School students will ski on Tuesdays, January 10th - February 7th.

Coach busses will depart approximately at 2:40pm from J.F.K. Middle School. All students return to J.F.K. at approximately 8:00pm each date.

Elementary students will ski on Thursdays, January 12th - February 9th.

Elementary students depart at approximately 3:00pm from each school. All participants will return to the school from which they departed at approximately 8:00pm. (Details for each school pick-up will be given before start of program)

Transportation/ Food- Coach busses with restrooms are used for transportation. Skiers may bring food and a full food service is available at the ski lodge. Backpacks etc. may be left onboard during the ski program.

Lessons- Lessons take place shortly after arrival and are group lessons which last one hour. All beginners are required to take a lesson. Tuesday lessons will be at 4:30pm and Thursday lessons will be 5:30pm.

Chaperones- Chaperones are asked to commit to all five dates and will be contacted; chaperones from last year have priority. (See Chaperone Responsibility List.) There will be a mandatory chaperone meeting on Monday evening, January 9, 2012. Each Chaperone is assigned skiers and will ski and take lessons with beginners. More advanced skiers can check in with chaperones during the session. Chaperones ski for free. Rental equipment is \$65 for skiers and \$86 for snowboarders for the five weeks. Non skiing chaperones are welcome to assist onboard the busses and in the lodge!

Ski Cancellations- will be announced on our Hotline number **587-1044**, on the Recreation Department's **website**, www.northamptonma.gov/recreation and at the schools.

Make-ups- will happen if we have inclement weather. These dates are added at the end of the program, if needed starting the week of February 13th.

Registrations - are currently being accepted for the After School Ski /SnowboardProgram at the Recreation Department, 90 Locust Street, weekdays from 8:30am- 4:30pm. Call 587-1040 for further information. A limited number of scholarships are available to those who qualify. Applications are due on Friday, November 18, 2011.

****Helmets are required****

413-587-1040 www.northamptonma.gov/recreation

HOLIDAY TREE LIGHTING

*The Recreation Department, and the Northampton
Business Improvement District are sponsoring
the annual Holiday Tree Lighting.*

Saturday, December 3rd

4:30 to 6:00pm in Pulaski Park,

Come sing and visit with Santa!

FREE hot chocolate and cookies.

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