

## **Hermon Mountain**

### **4-Week After School Learn to Ski/Snowboard Program**

Our 4-Week after school program is for skiers and snowboarders of all abilities. Please refer to the ski/snowboard level description page with the sign-up form or online at [skihermonmountain.com](http://skihermonmountain.com) to determine your students ability level. The program runs for 4 consecutive weeks, and is 4 hours long. After the students arrive they will check in at the ticket counter. They will receive their ticket for the day at the ticket counter, then will proceed to the rental shop to pick up their equipment. When they are dressed and ready they will meet on the snow in front of the lodge. The students will be greeted and introduced to their instructors at this time. If the student is not taking lessons they may proceed to the chair lift. After the lesson the students will have “free ski” time to practice what they have learned. Parents/Guardians or program representatives are asked to meet the students in front of the lodge at the end of lessons.

Parents need to fill out the registration form completely and return to Hermon Mountain with payment no later than Wednesday 2/10/21, this allows us to place them in the correct classes and have the rentals setup for their arrival. You can drop of the application Friday 1/29 or 2/5 from 4-8, Saturday or Sunday from 4-6 or Tuesday and Wednesday 4-8. The Program is limited to 50 people.

The Program will begin on Friday 2/12/2021 at 4pm but will skip School Vacation Week 2/19 thank you!!

The cost of the 4-week program is as follows:

Ticket, Rental and Lessons	\$135
Ticket and Rental	\$100
Ticket only	\$60

We apologize that there is no way to sign up online or over the phone at this time, we hope to change this for next session, but for now you must sign up in person at Hermon Mountain.

## Ski/Snowboard Registration Form

Please Provide the following information if your child will be participating in the Ski/Board Program at Hermon Mountain.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Ticket only \_\_\_\_\_ (check here)

Ability Level (see ability guide or check our website [skihhermonmountain.com](http://skihhermonmountain.com) under learn to ski/ride for a detailed description of each)

### **Skiing** (circle your current ability level)

Level 1 white

Level 2 red

Level 3 green

Level 4 blue

Level 5 black

### **Snowboarding** (circle your current ability level)

Level 1 white

Level 2 red

Level 3 green

Level 4 blue

Level 5 black

### **Equipment Information**

Check one: \_\_\_\_\_ has their own equipment

OR

\_\_\_\_\_ will be renting equipment

Age \_\_\_\_\_

Height \_\_\_\_\_

Weight \_\_\_\_\_

Shoe Size \_\_\_\_\_

### **Agreement and Release of liability, Please Read Carefully before signing**

1. I accept for use as is the equipment given to me and accept full responsibility for the care of the equipment while it is in my possession.
2. I will be responsible for the replacement a full retail value of any equipment rented under this agreement but not returned to the rental shop.
3. I agree to reimburse and hold harmless the ski shop for any loss or damage of any kind, other than reasonable wear and tear, which results from the use of this equipment.
4. I agree to return all rental equipment by the agreed time in clean condition to avoid any additional charges.
5. I understand that there are inherent and other risks involved in this sport for which the equipment is to be used (snow skiing or snowboarding) that injuries are common and ordinary occurrences of the sport, and I freely assume those risks.
6. I understand that the ski-boot-binding system will not release at all times or under all circumstances, nor is it possible to predict every situation in which it will release, and therefore is no guarantee for my safety.
7. I hereby release the ski shop and its owners, agents and employees from any and all liability for damage and injury to myself or to any person or property resulting from the selection, adjustment and use of this equipment, accepting myself the full responsibility for any and all such damage or injury which may result.
8. I have made no misrepresentations to the ski shop in regard to my height, weight, age or skiing ability.
9. I verify that the visual indicators on my bindings correspond to the settings as shown on this rental agreement form.
10. All Instructions on the use of my rental equipment have been made clear to me, and I understand the function of my equipment.

I, the undersigned, have read and understand the rental agreement above

## **Learn to Ski/Snowboard Learn to ski Ability Levels**

### **Skiing**

There are 5 levels. While the beginner group still starts in the beginner area (front of lodge) they tend to move quickly to the chair lift and to the green trails. Please read through the levels below to determine which level best describes your student.

- Level 1 White Never ever beginner and/or cannot come to a stop on their own. They will be in the beginner area learning the basics of balancing and gliding on the snow
- Level 2 Red Can stop and glide in a wedge and are working on turning and getting up on their own. They take their first ride on the chair lift after mastering the beginner area
- Level 3 Green Can link turns and make and hold different size wedges for control on different terrain. Can ride the chair lift with confidence and ski green terrain (slow poke and lazy lane). Is ready to learn beginner parallel turns (wedge christies and skid turns)
- Level 4 Blue Can ski harder green and easier blue trails using a wedge christies and/or open parallel turns. Working on parallel turns on blue trails and is ready to learn to use poles
- Level 5 Black Can make open parallel or skid turns on all blue trails and are beginning to explore groomed black trails (cloud 9). Are working on advanced/dynamic parallel turns on steeps, in bumps and on ungroomed trails. This skier's focus can be to master the art of carving turns (racer style) on the groomed trails

### **Snowboarding**

There are 5 levels in each age group. The levels are the same in each group but the speed that the levels are mastered varies greatly. The student may progress one or two levels or be recommended to stay in a level for more than one session. The first three levels of snowboarding can be very slow to master, and each student is different. Don't rush! Learn it and practice, practice, practice! Please read through the following levels to determine which best describes you or your student.

- Level 1 White Never ever beginner
- Level 2 Red Working on toe-edge and heel-edge turns in the beginner area (front of lodge)
- Level 3 Green Becoming comfortable with linking turns in the beginner area and is ready to learn the chair lift and green trails (slow poke and lazy lane)
- Level 4 Blue Confident in linking turns on green trails (slow poke and lazy lane) and working on blue trails, may be starting to carve turns
- Level 5 Black Working on riding on steep trails, hard blue and easier blacks (cloud 9). Working on carving turns and using short linked turns in bumps and on ungroomed trails