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Dear Teachers and Students;

We are happy to welcome students and teachers for another operating season here at Mount Timothy. We are sending you this information since your group is booked for a ski day, and we have provided you with the necessary information and sign up sheets for your organizers to expedite the process.

We have included an option for students who are not enthusiasts of skiing or snowboarding now have the option to snowshoe, hoping that this will make trips more inclusive and fun for those students.

There is also a column for those parents who wish to purchase rental insurance for their children at a rate of \$3.00. Insurance waives any and all claims against the lessee, otherwise the parents or guardians accept full responsibility for the care of the rental equipment, and agree to pay for any damaged to the equipment and replace at full retail value, and also for any equipment not returned at the end of the day.

We ask that payment be provided at the end of each day. Payments can be made by cash, cheque, debit or credit card.

Our guest services lodge provides our rental, lessons, ticket and tech services. We ask that your group check in here to receive day passes, rental equipment and their lesson times. Everything your group needs is available in this building.

Students who wish to bring a bagged lunch will have a designated area to eat in the guest services lodge where you checked in or in our newly constructed log shelter (weather permitting). We ask that all teachers, chaperones and of course students assist in keeping these buildings neat and tidy by picking up all garbage, so all our guests can enjoy the use of these areas.

The Yeti Cafe is open for those who wish to purchase food and beverages, unfortunately no outside food or unattended belongings are allowed in this building, however there will be lockers available in both lodges for a \$1.00

Please review our attached information and sign up sheets

Any questions don't hesitate to call or email the ski hill at the above information.

Thank you again and we hope to see you on our mountain this winter season!

Regards

Launna Groves (GM)

Mount Timothy Recreation Resort.

Beginner Skier: Has skied 0-5 times within the last year, or is unable to turn or stop without losing balance or falling. Lesson will be held on the bunny

Beginner snowboarder: has boarded 0-5 times within the last year, or is unable to side-slip, zigzag or stop without losing balance or falling . Lessons will be held on the bunny hill.

Novice Skier: Has skied before and can make solid snowplow turns from the top of the mountain on all green and blue runs. **Lessons will be held on blue runs.**

Novice Snowboarder: Has snowboarded before and can comfortably zigzag (using 1 edge of the snowboard.) on all green and blue runs. Student may be stronger riding heel side and finds toe-side difficult. **Lessons will be held on blue runs.**

Intermediate Skier: Can make confident parallel turns at speed, attempts small – medium sized jumps and can ski all **blue** runs and some black diamond runs. Lessons will be held on blue & black runs.

Intermediate Snowboarder: Student can confidently link turns (using both edges of the snowboard) attempts small – medium sized jumps and can ride all blue runs and some black diamond runs. Lessons will be held on **blue** and **black** runs.

*****It is highly recommended that students who have never skied or snowboarded before attempt skiing first. Students under 8yrs. Are required to ski, unless they are already a novice snowboarder. STUDENTS ARE NOT PERMITTED TO SWITCH ACTIVITIES PARTWAY THROUGH THE DAY!!**

ORGANIZER CHECKLIST

1. Does every student have a liability disclaimer signed?
2. Provide all liability disclaimers to Mt. Timothy snow school upon arrival
3. All appropriate info for students, teachers & parents using the school program is provided on the sign up sheets
4. Students have adequate winter clothing
5. Students are aware they may not switch sports partway through the day
6. Students know what time their lessons are, when the bus will be leaving, and what time they will be cut off from the chairlift.
7. You have 2-3 teachers/adults who are familiar with the students to hand out lift tickets, write rental info on sign up sheets and write rental numbers on tickets.
8. You have 2-3 teachers/adults to supervise students during the 3 lesson times (1 adult for every 10 students is HIGHLY recommended).
9. School will be responsible for lost or misplaced equipment not returned by the student, it will be the schools responsibility to adequately charge the parent or guardians.
10. Students made aware that all rental equipment be returned to the rental department at the end of the day – NOT LEFT ON RACKS OUTSIDE-



Mount Timothy Recreation Resort.

All Season Fun for Everyone!

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PARENT/TEACHER GENERAL INFORMATION

Mount Timothy Recreation Resort is nestled in the heart of the Cariboo Region in British Columbia. We have one triple chairlift, a T-bar that serves as a back up lift, 2 Magic Carpet beginner hills as well as a multi lane tube park and snow shoeing trail. Mt Timothy also offers a daily snow school which is very beneficial to all age groups.

When students and chaperones enrol in our snow school, they receive a one hour group lesson; separated into beginner, novice and intermediate levels. Each lesson is tailored by a certified ski or snowboard instructor with the group skill level in mind. We also have a wide variety of rental equipment available to accommodate all ages and sizes.

TEACHER/GROUP LEADER INFORMATION

At Mount Timothy we believe dedication and commitment to students is most important. They will be taught to set goals and work hard to achieve them. Thank you for considering a trip to Mt. Timothy, and we are looking forward to working with your group in the near future!

1. Parents or guardians must fill in the students details, sign the waiver, and get it back to the organizer. On the sign up sheet, please find the box for the correct age group and circle which items you will be needing, total up the box.
2. All teachers/parents using the school program are expected to help beginners around the mountain throughout the day and help supervise the students during lessons
3. Sign up sheets must be completed and e-mailed to the snow school at Mt. Timothy at least 5 business days in advance, so the snow school can schedule the correct amount of ski and snowboard instructors for that day.
4. **Lesson times: Beginners - 10:00am**
Novice - 11:00am
Intermediate - 1:00pm
5. After 12:00pm beginners may be permitted on the chairlift at the instructor's discretion and may be required to complete a designated course.
6. Any lost or misplaced equipment will be adequately charged to the school and it being the schools responsibility to pursue any reimbursement from the students parents or guardians.

ADEQUATE WINTER CLOTHING

We recommend layering clothes and bringing an extra pair of socks. A warm hat, waterproof winter pants, winter jacket and winter gloves are a must. Cotton and wool knitted gloves are not suitable as they collect snow and turn into ice. A fleece sweater is an excellent choice and will keep you warm, even when wet. Students not adequately dressed for the conditions will not be permitted to ride the chair lift for their own well being.

OWN EQUIPMENT

It is very important students bring the correct size skis, snowboards and boots. When the skis or snowboard are standing up, the tip should be somewhere between the chin and forehead. Skis and snowboards which were not purchased from a certified retailer are not permitted on the mountain. Helmets must be certified ski or snowboard helmets, bicycle helmets are not permitted.

BREAKFAST & LUNCH

It is important to pack a substantial lunch for the ski/snowboard trip and to eat breakfast before leaving home. There is a cafeteria style restaurant on the mountain, which sells sandwiches, burgers, fries, soups and chili and much more.

PARENTS ARE WELCOME TO COME

Your personal info must be given to the school along with your child's so the organizer can add you to the sign-up sheet. All adults using the discounted school program are required to help throughout the day by handing out lift tickets, writing rental numbers on lift tickets, supervising students on the bunny hill until lessons start and during lesson times. At 12:00pm beginners are permitted onto the chairlift if assessed capable by one of Mount Timothy's instructors, BUT only when accompanied by an adult or experienced skier or boarder. All adults using the school program will be asked to help beginner students onto the mountain after the beginner lesson. If you would like to come skiing or boarding, but do not want this obligation, you may rent your equipment and purchase a lift ticket at regular price.

LESSONS

Lessons are mandatory for all students. Lessons are tailored to 3 levels. It is very important that students are placed in the correct lesson. If you are unsure of your child's ability, please place them in a lesson lower than your guess. They can always leave and come back for the more advanced lesson, but if they are in a lesson too advanced for their ability – they will have already missed the correct one. Some students claim to be more advanced and are placed in the wrong lesson and by doing this they miss key information for becoming a better skier or rider.

School Trip to Mount Timothy Recreation Resort – 2022-2023 Season

PLEASE READ CAREFULLY!!

CONTRACT:

I, _____ being the parent/legal guardian of my son/daughter, _____ (student name).

1. I acknowledge that the sport of skiing, snowboarding, tubing or snowshoeing, assumes a risk of possible head injury. Mount Timothy Recreation Resort and the snow school's insurer, Barton Insurance Ltd., has adopted the position that HELMETS are not mandatory, but ARE STRONGLY RECOMMENDED. (helmets are required on tubing hill)
2. I understand that the bindings furnished herewith are bindings designed to reduce the risk of degree of injury from falling, and that the appropriate adjustments have been made to the bindings. However, they will not release under ALL circumstances and are no guarantee for my son/daughter's safety. I also understand that snowboard and ski bindings do not release under all situations .
3. I accept the equipment provided as is and accept responsibility for it's care while in my son's/daughter's possession.

LIABILITY DISCLAIMER:

As a condition of your use of the ski area facilities, the Ticket Holder assumes risk of personal injury, death or property loss resulting from any cause whatsoever including, but not limited to, the inherent risks of skiing, snowboarding, tubing or snowshoeing, the use of ski lifts, collision with natural or man-made objects or other skiers, snowboarders or tubers, travel within or beyond the ski area boundaries or negligence, breach of this contract or breach of statutory duty of care on the part of the ski area operator and it's employees. The ticket holder agrees that the ski area operator or employees shall not be liable for any such personal injury, death or property loss and releases the ski area operator, Mount Timothy Recreation Resort, and all it's employees and waives all claims with respect thereto.

1. I _____ as parent /legal guardian, do release Mount Timothy Recreation Resort from any liability for damage and injury to myself or to any person or property resulting from negligence, selection of adjustment, and the use of their equipment by me accepting myself the sole responsibility, for any such damage or injury
2. I have read and understand, agree to the above conditions.

SIGNATURE OF PARENT/LEGAL GUARDIAN:

SIGNED _____ **DATE** _____

All waivers must be turned in to the Mount Timothy office on day of ski trip.