

Let's Ski Liberty

Who: Juniors and Older Girls (We will purchase additional insurance to cover non-GS members who attend); Younger kids welcome but at your own risk.

Date: Tuesday January 20th

Where: Ski Liberty, Carroll Valley, PA

Where is Carroll Valley? Just over the PA border near Emmitsburg, about 90 minute ride

Available Packages

Lift Only - Provides access to all open lifts and trails. \$36

Learn to SKI/Snowboard - ages 8 & up. Valid in beginner area. Includes use of rental equipment and Guaranteed First Class Lesson. \$52

All Mountain SKI/Snowboard - ages 8 & up. Valid on all open lifts and trails. Includes use of rental equipment and class lesson at your ability level. \$63

Super Saver Meal Tickets - \$9.00 includes 4 menus with drink and cookies; hot dog or cheese burger w/ fries; soup w/ salad; BLT or ham sandwiches w/ chips; cheese pizza w/chips. Note: food is expensive here - feel free to bring your own food, but if you plan to buy food at the resort the Super Saver tickets are a great buy. There is also a Starbucks on the premises.

Optional - Snow Tubing - Opens at 9:00 am. You will need to download a separate release at <http://www.skiliberty.com/lmr/SiteAssets/files/info/TubingReleaseForm07-08.pdf>

1 hour - \$13 2 hours - \$18

Tickets are sold for tubing sessions starting at the top of each hour. Each troop/group would buy their own tickets when they are ready to tube. I will not buy the tubing tickets in advance.

Other Stuff to consider

- Rental helmets are available for \$8. (Please consider for your snow boarders.)
- There is a \$5 fee to change from one type of equipment to another after check-in. (This tends to happen with first time snow boarders - at lunch they move to skis.) Just handle this on a case-by-case basis.
- All Mountain Package rental equipment may be upgraded to shorty twin tips (Freeze ZB 118cm) for an additional \$10.

Stuff to know before we go

Here is the Ski Liberty website <http://www.skiliberty.com>

First Timers Guide - what to wear, rental equipment, etc.

<http://www.skiliberty.com/lmr/learn/first-timers-guide.aspx>

Don't forget to read you Safety-Wise

Yes, you need to do permission forms. Suggest that the leader keeps copy and also provides me with a packet containing health forms and copies prior to or on the 23rd.

I am First Aid Level 2, Adult CPR certified. Please let me know if you are bringing a First Aider so I know if I have some backup.

I will be stationed in the Food Court for the day. Ski Liberty will give me a pager. If there are problems during the day, the main office and emergency service can reach me through the pager.

Do not depend on cellular service - it is spotty on the mountain.

I will arrive early and purchase the tickets that morning. Meet me in the Food Court around 9:00 to obtain your tickets, rental agreements, and Super-Saver Meal Tickets.

Ski Liberty advises that I hold onto the meal tickets as they have a cash value. You can retrieve them at meals if you'd like me to hold them.

Give each participant a card to fit in an inner packet with their name, your name, my name SU-70-11 and troop number. This will help if they are unable to speak in an emergency.

Lessons - after getting skis head over to the Ski School where you will be put into classes.

Ski Liberty has a generous cancellation policy - We can cancel up to 24 hours in advance for any reason; and up to 10 am on the 25th for weather related cancellations.

I will be purchasing additional insurance to cover non-GSCNC participants - so yes those families are welcome.

I only handle the reservations for those 8 and older. If you have children under age 8 coming, you can contact the Children's Learning Center regarding programs for them.

<http://www.skiliberty.com/lmr/learn/childrens-learning-center.aspx> THE SPOTS IN THE CHILDREN'S CENTER FILL UP SO PLEASE CALL THEM AS SOON AS YOU KNOW YOU ARE TAKING THE MUNCHKIN!

Please return **the attached Excel form** and the **Ski Liberty forms** to Kitty Klaus by **Sunday January 11th** or sooner with a **check to SU 70-11**. You can drop off/mail the form and check at 46655 Winterset Court, Sterling, VA. Questions email me at kwklaus@msn.com or call 703-430-2053 (evening and weekends).