

BIRTHDAY PACKAGE

(up to 5 children)

\$109.00 Fixed rate
(includes area passes & ski rentals)

\$40.00 Lesson
(up to 5 children)

Surcharges:

Additional children \$20.00/child
(includes area pass and ski rental)
Snowboard Rental \$9.00/child
Helmet Rental \$6.00/child
Additional lesson \$8.00/child
Boardroom Rental \$75.00
(up to 4 hours)

Food Package

\$8.00 per child (Min. 5 children)
Choice from Menu

Menu

- ☼ Hot dog, French fries & Pop
- ☼ Burger, French fries & Pop
- ☼ Individual 7" Pizza & Pop
- ☼ Chicken Dino Buddies, French fries & Pop

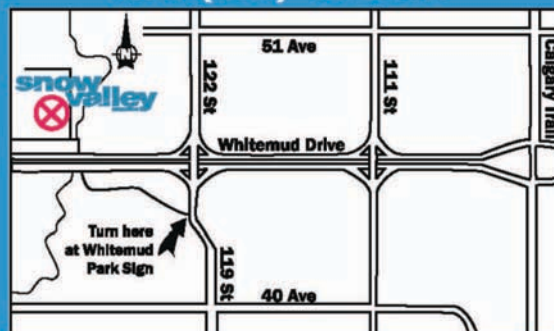
PLUS: Choice of dessert

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MITE PROGRAM

(4 & 5 YEARS OLD)

Mite Program (4 & 5 year olds)

QUESTIONS & ANSWERS

Q: How many mites are in a class?

A: We limit the number of students in each mite class to 6. At the lower levels, we often have assistants that reduce the student/teacher ratio.

Q: How do I decide what group (skill level) my child is in?

A: On the first day, take your child to the mite's meeting place at the animal signs. One of the instructors present will ask 1 or 2 questions and will make a preliminary determination as to what animal your child should meet at. As the class progresses the instructor will be able to determine if each class member is of similar ability and will make adjustments accordingly.

Q: What can I expect my child to learn / How much progression can we expect?

A: Each child's physical and mental development is individual. Very few children will be skiing parallel at age 5. It does happen, but is rare. For children of this age, we teach by showing a good example and encouraging mileage. The children will progress at their own rate. Most of our guests are able to slide from the top of our slopes after completing group 'C'.

Mite Program (4 & 5 year olds)

QUESTIONS & ANSWERS

Q: Should I buy new equipment?

A: Children grow very fast. Hand me down equipment will work just fine as long as it fits. Boots too large or skis too long will only impair the child's progress and bindings that are not set properly are a safety hazard. If funds are available, any of the shops in town should have staff that will outfit the student with the proper gear.

Q: How long should the skis be?

A: If the tails of the skis are placed on the ground the tips should extend to between the child's chest and chin.

Q: Why is the group not using the Chair Lift this week?

A: If an assistant is not available and more than one of the children in the class do not have much experience on the chair, it is prudent to ride the T-Bar. All but one of the runs are accessible from the T and descending the slope is more important than ascending.

Mite Program (4 & 5 year olds)

QUESTIONS & ANSWERS

Q: Why are the kids sitting on the ground rather than skiing?

A: When young children first put on skis, they are unable to control the slide. By having them sit on the ground, they are stable and do not slide away from the class. This is not only a matter of class control, but of safety as well.

Q: How many runs should each child get in the first & second classes of Step A?

A: When teaching 4 or 5 year old beginners, keeping some sort of organization takes as much of the class time as getting them sliding. The first class may only get 1 or 2 runs once they get to half way up Discover. The second class they may only get 3 or 4 runs. Once the children's skill levels are such that they can maneuver, they will be able to accumulate more mileage.

Q: My child has had 5 lessons and can still only snow plow.

A: It is typical that children ski using a snowplow until their physical and mental development has progressed enough to allow for more advanced maneuvers. This may be months or years. Practice time can also help to progress the child's skill level.