



# Township of Raritan

## **Raritan Township Recreation Middle School Ski Club - Grades 5-8**

*Open to Raritan Township and Flemington Borough Residents*

**Please sign up, register with Shawnee, and make both payments by 11/25/24**

**Regular registration pricing for the 2025 season ends on 12/1**

**After 12/1 Shawnee increases prices on their packages**

**A minimum of 40 participants is required for this season.**

### **3-Step Registration Process**

1. **Complete Ski Club Registration form online:**
  - <https://sites.google.com/view/frprmsskiboardclub/home>
2. **Submit payment online to Muncipay for package (listed below), noting new for year is the Muncipay payment is ONLY for the cost of the bus/admin costs of \$315 per participant.**
3. **Complete Shawnee online registration and payment to directly to Shawnee (new this year)**
  - Shawnee Club login details will be emailed once steps 1 & 2 are completed & minimum # is met.
  - **New** for this year, you will pay Shawnee **directly** when you register on their portal.

### **Trip Dates and Costs**

<p><b><u>2025 Trip Dates:</u></b> January 5, 12, 26 February 2, 23</p> <p>(Make-up date – if needed 2/9) – <b>new</b> for this year we will try avoiding Superbowl Sunday if no make-ups needed.</p>	<p><b><u>2025 Costs for 5 trips:</u></b> <b>Bus/Program operating costs – pay through Muncipay:</b> Bus - \$315 per participant <b>Direct Payment to Shawnee/pick what you need:</b> Lift Pass (5 trips) - \$150 or Student Club/Season Pass - \$225 Equipment Rental (5 trips) - \$105 (4) 1<sup>st</sup> Time on Snow Lessons - \$132 (4) Beginner Lessons - \$145</p> <p><b>Other Options:</b> Parent/Sibling Club/Season twilight pass (NO bus) – \$309 Meal Voucher (5 trips) - \$70 Helmet Rental (5 trips) - \$65 (suggest purchasing vs. renting) Pre-paid/reloadable Gift Card (convenience only) - \$25</p>
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### **Day of Trip Schedule**

**Buses depart from and return to the Hunterdon Central parking lot on Route 31.**

- 12:30 pm** Dropoff - Hunterdon Central. Buses depart for Shawnee.
- 5:00 pm** Check-in – All students must check-in with chaperones at lodge clock tower.
- 7:15 pm** Last run- Return rental equipment, use facilities, and load buses.
- 7:30 pm** Depart - Bus leaves for Hunterdon Central.
- 8:30/9:00 pm** Pickup - Hunterdon Central.

### **Middle School Ski Club – Skier/Parent Responsibilities**

- Please check the ski club website for weekly updates and cancellations. Cancellations will be posted on the website by 11:00 am on trip day. It is the responsibility of the skiers/parents to check for cancellations.
- One absentee voucher per member. Vouchers will be distributed the trip following the missed trip. Only Ski Club members may use the absentee voucher
- Everyone must use the buddy system while at Shawnee. No exceptions! No one skis/rides alone ever..
- Reckless skiing will not be tolerated.
  - A marked ticket equals one hour of missed skiing/riding the following trip.
  - A ripped ticket forfeits the next trip – no flexibility! You can't be on the mountain if you can't be safe!
- Students late for 5:00 check-in will lose time on the slopes. Consistent tardiness may result in forfeiting a trip.
- Misbehavior on the bus could forfeit the next trip with the possibility of termination of your transportation to Shawnee. NO REFUND.

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- Ski smart – helmets are recommended. Parents must be on time for pickup. Any student not picked up within a reasonable time will forfeit the next trip.
- Two parent chaperones for bus and location supervision are needed each trip and will receive rental / lift. All chaperones will need to submit information for a township background check.

## **Tips for Trip Dates**

- Lockers can be rented to store small snacks & personal gear – quarter/change machines available.
- Plan to dress in layers. Items to remember

Quality ski socks Ski gloves / mittens Avoid cotton base layer	Hat / helmet Goggles	Neck warmer / face mask Wrist guard (for snowboarders)
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### **WAIVER, RELEASE, INDEMNIFICATION OF ALL CLAIMS & COVENANT NOT TO SUE**

**NOTICE: THIS IS A LEGALLY BINDING AGREEMENT. Read this document carefully and in entirety. By signing this agreement, you give up your right to bring a court action to recover compensation or obtain any other remedy for any personal injury or property damage however caused arising out of your participation in RARITAN TOWNSHIP Recreation Middle School Ski Club, now or at any time in the future.**

#### **\_\_\_\_\_ (INITIAL) ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF RISK**

I hereby acknowledge and agree that participation in any Middle School Ski Club activity comes with inherent risks. I have full knowledge and understanding of the inherent risks associated with any activity or program participation, including but in no way limited to: (1) slips, trips, and falls, (2) athletic injuries, and (3) illness, including exposure to and infection with viruses or bacteria. I further acknowledge that the preceding list is not inclusive of all possible risks associated with any activity or program participation and that said list in no way limits the operation of this Agreement.

#### **\_\_\_\_\_ (INITIAL) CORONAVIRUS / COVID-19 WARNING & DISCLAIMER**

Coronavirus, COVID-19 is an extremely contagious virus that spreads easily through person-to-person contact. Federal and state authorities recommend social distancing as a means to prevent the spread of the virus. COVID-19 can lead to severe illness, personal injury, permanent disability, and death. Participating in RARITAN TOWNSHIP Recreation Middle School Ski Club or accessing related facilities could increase the risk of contracting COVID-19. RARITAN TOWNSHIP Recreation Middle School Ski Club in no way warrants that COVID-19 infection will not occur through participation in RARITAN TOWNSHIP Recreation Middle School Ski Club or related facilities.

### **WAIVER, RELEASE, INDEMNIFICATION & COVENANT NOT TO SUE**

In consideration of my participation in Raritan Township Recreation Middle School Ski Club activities, I, \_\_\_\_\_, the undersigned participant, agree to release and on behalf of myself, my heirs, representatives, executors, administrators, and assigns, HEREBY DO RELEASE RARITAN TOWNSHIP RECREATION, its officers, directors, employees, volunteers, agents, representatives and insurers (“Releasees”) from any causes of action, claims, or demands of any nature whatsoever including, but in no way limited to, claims of negligence, which I, my heirs, representatives, executors, administrators and assigns may have, now or in the future, against RARITAN TOWNSHIP RECREATION on account of personal injury, property damage, death or accident of any kind, arising out of or in any way related to the use of RARITAN TOWNSHIP MUNICIPAL BUILDING/GROUNDS facilities/equipment or participation in RARITAN TOWNSHIP Recreation Middle School Ski Club whether that participation is supervised or unsupervised, however the injury or damage occurs, including, but not limited to the negligence of RARITAN TOWNSHIP RECREATION.

In consideration of my participation in any activity, I, the undersigned participant, agree to INDEMNIFY AND HOLD HARMLESS RARITAN TOWNSHIP RECREATION and Middle School Ski Club staff from any and all causes of action, claims, demands, losses, or costs of any nature whatsoever arising out of or in any way related to my participation.

I hereby certify that I have full knowledge of the nature and extent of the risks inherent in any activity or program participation and that I am voluntarily assuming said risks. I understand that I will be solely responsible for any loss or damage, including personal injury, property damage, or death, I sustain while participating in activities or programs and that by signing this agreement I HEREBY RELEASE RARITAN TOWNSHIP RECREATION and Middle School Ski Club staff from all liability for such loss, damage, or death. I further certify that I am in good health and that I have no conditions or impairments which would preclude my safe participation in any activity or program.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this instrument is duly executed this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, in the year \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Child Name (Print Clearly)

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

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent/Guardian Signature



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### **BEHAVIOR CONTRACT**

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

I, \_\_\_\_\_, have read and find the responsibilities of the Raritan Township Recreation Middle School Ski Club agreeable, and would like to be a member of this program. I further sign my name to this contract as a representation of my promise to abide by the rules of Shawnee Mountain and the Raritan Township Recreation Middle School Ski Club.

If I do not follow these rules, I recognize that I may be disciplined by Shawnee Mountain and/or the Ski Club.

I understand that videos may be broadcast on the buses. I agree that my child may view films rated "G", "PG", or "PG13".

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Student Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent/Guardian Signature