



Troop 76 2011 Ski Trip

- Dates:** Leave Jesse Lee at 5:15 PM, Friday, February 11, 2011
Arrive Jesse Lee at 8:15 PM, Sunday, February 13, 2011
- Location:** Stratton Mountain, Vermont
- Lodging:** Colonial Motel and Spa – Brattleboro, Vermont
- Other Activities:** Bowling, Swimming in Motel's Indoor Pool
- Cost:** \$165 Per Scout and Adults in named Troop role. \$290 for other Adults skiing. For parents attending the trip with their Scout, but not skiing, we will discount the cost to \$110.00 for adults actively participating / volunteering in the troop and \$180.00 for other adults
- Signups:** Signup Sheet Available at Scout Meetings
Signup and Payment Deadline is Tuesday, January 04, 2011
- Requirements to Participate:**
1. Actively participate in Troop's Wreath Sales Program and meet minimum sales requirements of \$350.00
 2. Minimum 6 Service Hours (with at least 4 being Troop sponsored) Since September 1, 2010
 3. Scouts need to be able to ski down the mountain on their own or have their parent accompany them on the trip – see Frequently Asked Questions document for more information
- Included in Package:**
- All Transportation
 - Lodging for 2 Nights – Four Scouts to a Room
 - Breakfast and Dinner Saturday
 - Breakfast on Sunday
 - Lift Tickets for 2 Days
 - Bowling Saturday Night
- Not Included:-**
- Dinner Friday Night – eat dinner before departure or bring bag dinner for bus ride
 - Lunch Saturday and Sunday – bring money to buy lunch at the ski lodge
 - Dinner on Sunday – bring money for fast food stop on the way home
 - Ski Lessons (if interested)
 - Ski Rentals – Equipment Must be Rented Before the Trip. Renting Equipment at Stratton is NOT an Available Option
- Questions:** Call ASM Mark Hance @ 203-438-2539 or email to mark_hance@yahoo.com



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Frequently Asked Questions For Parents

My Scout has not skied before, or is a beginning skier – is it OK if he goes on the trip?

- *Parents are responsible in assessing their son's ability to ski and participate in this trip*
- *Stratton Mountain is a large ski facility with many challenging ski runs*
- *If your son has not skied previously or is new to skiing i.e. has difficulty skiing down the mountain on their own, a parent must attend the trip to accompany the Scout*

As a parent, I would like to attend the trip, but I don't ski, do I need to pay the same price?

- *For parents attending the trip, but not skiing, we will discount the cost to \$110.00 for adults actively participating / volunteering in the troop and \$180.00 for other adults*

Are Scout's sibling allowed to attend the ski trip?

- *Siblings are not eligible for the Ski Trip. Troop 76 Scouts need to qualify to attend the trip i.e. selling minimum wreath sales commitment and participate in six service hour – four of which must be Troop-sponsored.*

My son would like to take lessons at Stratton – how do I arrange it?

- *Contact Stratton Mountain to arrange for lessons: 1-800-STRATTON*
- *Scouts will be escorted to and from the ski lesson area at Stratton for the lesson by adult leaders*

My son would like to ski in the Terrain Park – are there special arrangements that I need to make?

- *Scouts that intend to use the Terrain Park, must take the Stratton Safety Education Session available online at www.stratton.com/sesonline*
- *All terrain park users are required to watch an online video, take and pass the quiz, and bring the 5-digit code they receive at the end of the quiz to the Sales Center in the Main Base Lodge to obtain their SES Pass*

How can I communicate to the Troop during the trip?

- *Cell phone service at Stratton has historically be very spotty – depending on where an individual is at the mountain, they may or may not have cell phone service*
- *Key phone numbers are as follows:*

Colonial Motel & Spa, Brattleboro VT	800-239-0032 or 802-257-7733
Stratton Mountain Resort, Stratton VT	800-STRATTON
Bickfords Restaurant	802-258-4786
Brattleboro Bowling	802-257-1177
Coach Tours	203-798-8687
ASM Mark Hance	203-722-0334
Scoutmaster Bob Keyes	203-556-2366