

**ELK MOUNTAIN
2011/2012 GROUP SKIING**

SKIER'S RESPONSIBILITY CODE

There are elements of risk in skiing that common sense and personal awareness can help reduce.

1. Always stay in control, and be able to stop or avoid other people or objects.
2. People ahead of you have the right of way. It is your responsibility to avoid them.
3. You must not stop where you obstruct a trail, or are not visible from above.
4. Whenever starting downhill or merging into a trail, look uphill and yield to others.
5. Always use devices to help prevent runaway equipment.
6. Observe all posted signs and warnings. Keep off closed trails and out of closed areas.
7. Prior to using any lift, you must have the knowledge and ability to load, ride and unload safely.

This is only a partial list. Always ski in control and recognize that conditions change constantly.

Note: The degree of difficulty of slopes and trails varies from ski area to ski area. Before your group boards any lift or skis any trail at Elk Mountain, know what slopes and trails the lift(s) service(s), their degree of difficulty, and the current slope and trail conditions.



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Now more than ever, Elk Mountain is the ideal spot for your group ski trip. Elk is the undisputed leader when it comes to challenge and terrain variety in Pennsylvania. From beginner through advanced skier, everyone in your group is sure to find slopes and trails to suit their ability.

WHAT'S NEW FOR 2011/12

- **THREE NEW "AIRLESS" TYPE SNOW GUNS.**
- **AN ADDITIONAL 23 "AIRLESS" SNOW GUN ELECTRIC PEDESTALS ON THE LENAPE, WISSAHICKON, AND SNOW BOWL TRAILS.**
- **REMODELED PICNIC LODGE INCLUDING A NEW FLOOR AND PAINTING.**
- **ONGOING TREE PLANTING PROGRAM WITH AN ADDITIONAL 1200 NORWAY AND WHITE SPRUCE TREES ADDED.**
- **ADDITIONAL RENTAL SHOP EQUIPMENT.**
- **NEW GROOMING TRACTOR (PURCHASED AT THE END OF LAST SEASON).**

Group skiing is a wonderful way to enjoy the camaraderie of friends while receiving the benefit of significant savings over regular ticket prices. Groups are welcome anytime at Elk Mountain, but the best value is the **Midweek Group Special**.

It may be hard to believe that a whole group could *ski for free* but that is *exactly* what the Midweek Group Special offers. If your group makes two individual trips to Elk Mountain, your third trip is on us. (*See our Midweek Group Special for details.*)

Not only does Elk offer the best value for your group dollar, but our food and beverage staff can provide many extras that will make your outing a special occasion. Pizza or cocktail parties, luncheon and dinner buffets, as well as full-service dinners can all be easily arranged.

We hope that this brochure in conjunction with our 2011-2012 Ski Guide will help you plan your group trip to Elk Mountain. For further information, please call (570) 679-4402 or (570) 679-4400 – or e-mail us at elkgroup@nep.net.

We look forward to having you ski with us at Elk Mountain and to providing your group with a truly memorable experience.





Nestled in the Endless Mountains of Northeastern Pennsylvania, and described by Ski Magazine as a “hidden gem,” Elk Mountain features award-winning grooming and snowmaking.

In addition to the challenging and diverse terrain, Elk Mountain has a reputation that you can trust.

Ski more and travel less – quality snow, great skiing and a well-seasoned staff.

Elk Mountain... it's like skiing in Vermont without the drive.

QUALIFYING FOR GROUP BENEFITS

- A group consists of 20 or more skiers, purchasing lift tickets either all area, beginner or combination thereof.
- One complimentary lift ticket will be issued for every 20 tickets purchased.
- A 48 hour advance reservation of your trip date is required.
- All group purchases (lift, lesson, rental and meals) must be coordinated by one person in a single transaction for the group and handled at the Elk Mountain Information Counter.
- The group leader must purchase the lift tickets using cash, check, major credit card, or company purchase order. If payment will be made by purchase order, please inform Elk Mountain when confirming your date.
- Lift tickets will be distributed only to the group leader.
- All “first time skiers” should take a lesson. A lesson is included in the purchase price of the “first time skier package.” Elk Mountain strongly recommends that new skiers take at least three group or private lessons. Lessons are helpful to all level skiers.
- When renting equipment, a valid driver's license, or major credit card will be required from the group leader. As group leader, you have assumed responsibility for the group. We do, however, require that minors have parental or guardian written consent.
- Elk Mountain personnel cannot service skis or snowboards rented from other rental shops. By renting from the Elk Mountain Rental Shop, you will be able to return the equipment for adjustment or exchange if you get an uncomfortable fit. It is also less hassle, as you will not have to carry the equipment as far since the area rental shop is at the base of the mountain.
- A valid credit card number will be required to secure all reservations. Cancellations: All arrangements for lift tickets, rentals etc. must be cancelled a minimum of 24 hours in advance of trip date to avoid charge. All arrangements for food service must be cancelled a minimum of 48 hours in advance of trip date to avoid charge.

SKI FREE!

MIDWEEK GROUP SPECIAL

Midweek at Elk is truly a skier's (and group leader's) dream – with fewer skiers on the mountain you can enjoy Elk's extensive terrain to the fullest. But the best part is that you can ski more while paying less.

In addition to Elk's low weekday group rates, our **MIDWEEK GROUP SPECIAL** is *almost too good to be true*. If you ski two midweek (non-holiday) trips to Elk Mountain, the average dollar amount spent (including lifts, lessons and rentals) will be credited toward your third trip in the same season. Sorry, no cash value.

GROUP LIFT TICKET RATES

Single Day Lift Ticket	Day/Twilight	Night	Extended
Weekday (non-holiday) Adult/Child	\$36	\$24	\$41
Sundays	\$42	\$24	\$47
Saturday & Holidays/Adult	\$47	\$24	\$51
Saturday & Holidays/Child (6-12)	\$42	\$24	\$47

Two (2) Day Rates (must be consecutive days)

	Non-Holiday	Holidays
Monday through Friday	\$64	\$83
Friday/Saturday or Sunday/Monday	\$71	\$83
Saturday/Sunday	\$83	\$83
Child (6-12)	-	\$75

Note: Two-day tickets are good anytime the ski area is open from 8:30 a.m. - 10:00 p.m.

Holiday Rates in effect: December 23, 2011 – January 2, 2012; Jan 14-16, 2012 & Feb 18-20, 2012.

FIRST TIMER'S PACKAGES

MINIMUM AGE: 8 YEARS OLD.

First-time Skier's Package - \$42
(Beginners' Lift, Rentals [skis] & Lesson)

First-time Boarder's Package - \$57 Midweek /
\$67 Weekend/Holiday (Beginners' Lift, Rentals [snowboard] & Lesson)

GROUP RENTAL

Helmet Rental
\$7 anytime

Skis	Weekend/Holiday	Weekday	Night	Extended
	\$30	\$25	\$20	\$32/\$29
2-Day	\$47	\$40	-	
Children (6-12)				
	\$27	\$24	\$20	\$30/\$25

Snowboard

	Weekend/Holiday	Weekday	Night	Extended
	\$33	\$32	\$23	\$37/\$37
2-Day	\$63	\$63	-	

GROUP TICKET TIMES

Day: 8:30 AM to 4:30 PM

Twilight: 12:30 PM to 10:00 PM

Night: 4:30 PM to 10:00 PM

GROUP PRICING IS BASED ON A MINIMUM GROUP SIZE OF 20 WITH ONE COMPLIMENTARY TICKET FOR EACH 20 PURCHASED.

GROUP LESSONS

Hours: 9:45; 11:45 (beginner's only); 1:45; 5:45; 7:15 (meeting times)

\$20 anytime (1 1/2 hour group lesson). MINIMUM AGE: 8 YEARS OLD. Children's (ages 4-12) and Private lessons are also available upon request. The Elk Mountain Ski School is proud to be a member of the Professional Ski Instructors of America.

GROUP FOOD AND BEVERAGE OPTIONS

Whether your group is looking for breakfast, lunch, dinner, or even a cocktail party after a great day on the slopes, we can accommodate you. Pick and choose a menu to satisfy your group's time schedule and budget. **Below is just a sampling of what we can offer. Call for additional menus items/requests.**

FROM OUR MOUNTAINSIDE CAFE

Breakfast

Your Choice: 2 Eggs, Home Fries, Donut or Toast, Coffee, Milk or Small Hot Chocolate

\$5.50 per person

Lunch

Your Choice: (1) Hamburger or Hot Dog

OR (2) Slices of Pizza

Each of the above items served with french fries, dessert and beverage (soda, coffee, tea or milk).

\$7.75 per person

Dinner

Group Choice of One: Roast Beef OR Chicken Tenders:

Served with salad, potato, rolls & butter, dessert and small beverage.

Lasagna: Served with salad, rolls & butter, dessert and small beverage.

\$10.50 per person

Note: Prices subject to change without notice. One week advance reservation is required.

Applicable 6% sales tax will be added.

COCKTAIL PARTY

Beginner's Cocktail Party:

Soda, Beer and Pizza

1 Hour: \$9.75 per person

Intermediate Cocktail Party:

Soda, Beer, Wine, Pizza, and Cheese Board

1 Hour: \$11.75 per person

Expert Cocktail Party: Soda, Beer, Wine, Pizza, Cheese Board And Vegetable Platter
1 Hour: \$13.75 per person

Note: Prices subject to change without notice. Additional hours are available at additional cost. One week advance reservation is required.

Applicable 6% sales tax and 20% gratuity will be added.