

CENTERVILLE MIDDLE SCHOOL SKI & RIDER CLUB

POLICY STATEMENT

The Centerville Middle School Ski & Rider Club exists for the recreational benefit and social development of Middle School students through the sports of Skiing and Snowboarding. The club actively promotes the enjoyment of these sports in a safe and controlled manner while fostering positive peer interaction and the development of personal responsibility. To help ensure the safety and enjoyment of this sport and to participate in the Centerville Middle School Ski & Rider Club, it is required that the following policy statement be read, signed by BOTH parent and student, and returned to the Coordinator prior to attending any ski trip.

BEFORE THE TRIP:

- Students must purchase a ski pass from Perfect North. All bus riders must be enrolled in a lesson. Spaces on any ski trip will be reserved only if all of the necessary information has been completed and returned. This includes: the Centerville Middle School Ski & Rider Club Emergency Form, this Policy Statement, Club contract., both signed waivers for PN, There will be a \$60.00 Pay to Participate Fee due at sign-ups. Make check payable to Centerville City Schools. There is also a Club Fee of \$35 due at sign-ups made payable to CMS Ski and Rider Club.
- The web site: www.bestskiandriderclub.com go to the PN Pass Info Page, click on the yellow bar that says-click here to purchase passes. Click on the “C”, choose CENTERVILLE SKI/RIDER, use **center** as the password, login, go to “See available Items” under our logo on the left, then choose the pass you want; most members purchase the 5-visit club pass for Friday evenings. There are other passes to choose however, read the fine print as some passes are not good on Friday nights. You can choose the 5 week club pass,(lessons are already added) or a Gold, Silver or Perfect pass that you must add lessons to. All bus riders must be enrolled in lessons.
- Parents must subscribe to receive the Club Newsletters and relay important information to the member. The Club will send out a newsletter every Monday and Thursday during the season. Parents and students should ensure that all personal equipment is adequately labeled.
- Be on time & ready after school with all of my equipment. (If you are bringing your own skis they must be Watts Middle School by (3:30pm)

DURING THE TRIP:

- Students should be aware that all Ski Club trips are official school trips. All school rules—including dress codes, are therefore, in effect.
- Parents and students recognize and accept that due to the nature of the sport and trips, it is impossible for the chaperones to supervise every child at every moment during the trip. Therefore, students and parents also recognize and accept that students must demonstrate reasonable and common sense behavior while on the bus, both on and off the slopes, and in restaurants we patronize (8th gr. Trip)
- The Centerville Middle School Ski & Rider Club is a reflection of the both the school and the Centerville School District. Participants should be on their BEST behavior at all times to reflect a positive image of the club and school.
- While riding the bus, students should demonstrate appropriate bus behavior as posed on the school bus. Excessive volume, exchanging seats while the bus is in motion, or walking around will not be permitted.
- On the bus, students are to be responsible to keep their area clean. Seats are checked before and after the trip to ensure that the bus we use is kept clean.

- YOU are responsible for your day of skiing. This includes keeping track of your equipment (rentals or your own), reporting to any lessons, bringing money for food, and being back to the bus on time.
- Ski responsibly. Students should know the skier's code (Levels I, II, or III) and be familiar with a trail's level of difficulty by using provided trail maps before going down the slope.
- If you are injured or need assistance from Ski Patrol, have them page one of the chaperones ASAP. Partners should remain with those injured or needing assistance until a chaperone arrives.

AFTER THE TRIP:

- Parents should be aware of the trip's arrival time back to Centerville and have arranged for your child to be picked up ON TIME as would also be the case following an athletic sports practice or game.
- If a Parent needs to pick up their child from Perfect North our policy is that the parent AND member need to be at the bus the member rode down to PN at 10pm or 11pm on Chili and Cheesecake night and sign the member out with the bus chaperone at the bus. If a Parent needs to pick their member up before the buses load special permission is needed by emailing Julie.ashley@bestskiandriderclub.com . Please understand that we will not pull the buses out until EVERY child is accounted for. If your child causes us to be late they may not be permitted on the bus on future trips.

MISCELLANEOUS:

- Centerville Middle School Ski & Rider Club is open only to students (6th, 7th, and 8th graders) of the Centerville Middle School. Parents and/or other siblings who wish to join the Ski Club on our trips must arrange all transportation and lift ticket obligations on their own. **Club Name:** Centerville Friends and Family **Club Username:** centervillenobus **Club Password:** deception
- The chaperones reserve the right to invoke school discipline procedures if needed.
- School disciplinary action, "Ski penalties/Time outs," confiscation of lift tickets, or removal/exclusion of students from the Ski Club may be required if deemed necessary. Additional consequences may be issued by the Middle School Administration.
- The use of helmets is required and wrist guards are the discretion of the student and parent/guardian.
- Students (especially snowboarders) who use tools to repair their equipment must not contain blades of any kind.

Skiing with the Centerville Middle School Ski & Rider Club is a PRIVILEGE AND NOT A RIGHT! Your cooperation in the above matters will help ensure a safe and enjoyable ski season for all.

Please detach below, sign and return, keep the document for your records and guidance.

I have read the above Policy Statement and agree to the terms set forth. I understand that failure on my part to comply with the above stated guidelines may result in disciplinary action that may include, among other things, preclusion from attending future Centerville Club Trips.

Parent Signature: _____

Print Name: _____ **Date:** _____

Student Signature: _____

Print Name: _____ **Date:** _____