

M.V. BEATTIE BULLETIN

"And now we welcome the new year. Full of things that have never been."

Upcoming Events

Winter Holiday

Dec. 23 - Jan. 3

Jan. 6 - School
Reopens

Jan. 20 - Subway
Day

Jan. 30 - PAC
Meeting @ 2:15



Each December 31st evening, we say our goodbyes to the past year and we embrace the possibilities of what lies ahead. There will be birthday candles to blow out, visits from the tooth fairy, accomplishments to relish and difficulties to overcome. For many people it is a time of reflection. The New Year is a blank slate. It gives us hope for better days - and armed with an extra year of wisdom - it allows us to prepare to achieve the goals that we set. We frequently remind our students (and ourselves) of the importance gratitude plays in our lives. This year, I am hopeful that we will continue to explore the ways in which we can be "of service" to others. Perhaps it is by shovelling a neighbour's driveway, or by paying for the coffee of the person behind us at a Tim Horton's drive thru; the end of 2019 provided us with many examples of the kindness and caring that characterizes our MVB community - I am excited to see how we can build upon this. Have a great 2020 Wildcats!

See you in the GYM!!!

Intermediate Winter Rec.

Once again our **gr. 4-6** students will be taking to the slopes in February and March. I have included important information from SilverStar about the Online Registration, Costs and Payment, so please have a read, **as you must register by January 24th**. The three dates below are a package for students who plan to ski or snowboard. For those who prefer to do the Tubing/Skating program, the dates are the same except that on Feb. 28th we will be going to Larch Hills for lunch and some winter games - which was a big hit last year. Here is the link to Register/Pay for Snowboarding/Skiing <http://www.skisilverstar.com/snow-school/public-schools/student-registration>

***Please note** that parents/guardians formerly had the option to pay for **skiing/snowboarding** at the school or online, but **this year payments are exclusively done online**.

MV BEATTIE – SKI or SNOWBOARD PROGRAM

Friday February 14, 2020
Friday February 28, 2020
Friday March 6, 2020

Arrival Time on Mountain: 9:00AM
Lesson Time: 10:00AM
Lesson Duration: 2 hours

PLEASE COMPLETE THE ONLINE REGISTRATION, TO REGISTER YOUR CHILD IN TO THE PROGRAM.
ONLINE REGISTRATIONS WILL CLOSE ON **Friday January 24, 2020 AT 10AM**. IF YOU DO NOT REGISTER ONLINE BEFORE THIS TIME, YOUR CHILD WILL NOT BE ABLE TO TAKE PART IN THE SCHOOLS PROGRAM.

LEVEL DESCRIPTIONS, TO HELP YOU COMPLETE THE ONLINE REGISTRATION

DISCIPLINE	LEVEL 1	LEVEL 2	LEVEL 3	LEVEL 4
SKIING	Student is a <u>first time</u> skier that has NEVER skied before.	Student can snowplough, and able to stop and link turns on easy green runs.	Student can ski at moderate speeds on green and blue runs.	Student can ski steep blue runs and some black runs.
SNOWBOARDING	Student is a <u>first time</u> rider that has NEVER ridden before.	Student can pendulum and is attempting turns.	Student can do fluid linked turns on green and blue runs.	Student can ride steep blue runs and some black runs.

RENTING EQUIPMENT? You will need to know Shoe Size, Weight (lbs) & Height

SCHOOL GROUP - BOOKING POLICY - PARENTS

- Individual cancellations – NO INDIVIDUAL REFUNDS PROVIDED ON GROUP BOOKINGS.
- **ALL DETAILS MUST BE CORRECT AT THE TIME OF REGISTRATION.** If you require rentals or a lift pass this must be entered at the time of online registration, we cannot make adjustments once you have completed the online registration. If your child is renting for their safety you must provide the correct weight and height etc (**DO NOT GUESS**) as we use these to set up the correct din setting on ski's etc.
- **IT IS THE PARENT OR GUARDIAN'S RESPONSIBILITY TO MAKE SURE YOU REGISTER IN TIME – WE WILL NOT RE OPEN REGISTRATIONS FOR ANY REASON.**



Parent / Guardian Online Registration Guide

Please find below information to guide you through the new online registration process, this must be completed ASAP for every student wishing to take part and ensures that everything is ready for your child's arrival.

With so many schools and students taking part in our school program, on receiving this information we would be grateful if you can please take the time to please go online and register your child.

Even if your trip isn't until March for example, the earlier the registrations come in, the easier it is for your school and us here at the mountain to arrange. This will help us to better prepare for your child's school knowing who is coming, with advance scheduling of instructors to having the rental information passed to rentals in advance, we can ensure we are not over committed and lift passes issued.

If you do not have access to a computer, please contact your child's school directly. Payment should be made online unless your school has advised otherwise, or you have spoken to your school about payment. Regardless of payment method **ALL STUDENTS MUST BE REGISTERED ONLINE.**

PLEASE NOTE that at SilverStar Mountain Resort, only the School Program Coordinator has access to your online registration, please ensure you have entered ALL information correctly at the time of registering.

REGISTER YOUR CHILD NOW: Simply go to our main website: www.skisilverstar.com – Select, SnowSports School – Public Schools, and then Select Student Registration

OR <http://www.skisilverstar.com/snow-school/public-schools/student-registration>

Step 1: Go to the above link, select your school

Step 2: Enter in your Pass Code in Capitals: **MVB**

Step 3: Select Your Chosen Program dates, then hit Add to Cart.

Step 4: Select any add-ons such as Lift Ticket and Rentals. NOTE: These cannot be added after this process is complete at the school program price. If any add ons are required you will be charged at full price on the day.

Please note:

Lessons are automatically added, depending on duration your school has chosen.

ALL students require a lift pass for each day, unless they have a seasons pass already.

ALL students require a helmet while participating in the School Program. If your child just needs a helmet rental and has their own equipment, it is \$3 for a helmet rental. Please bring this money in to school for your teacher to collect.

Step 5: Review Items and check out, you will need to **set up an account to check out, with PARENT information INCLUDING PARENT'S AGE.**

Step 6: Order Summary, this generates an order number so please continue to Confirm Order

Step 7: User Details section, Select it's for someone else when registering your child, and complete **THEIR** details. If you have selected rentals, please complete this information

Step 8: Release Agreement, we have 2 liability forms: Rental Waiver and Winter Activity Waiver – Please read through the waivers and 'Agree' at the bottom of each section, this signs and confirms the Liability Waivers for SilverStar Mountain Resort.

Step 9: Complete the transaction and choose your payment method, then you are registered!

An email confirmation will be sent to your email address, please check your junk folder in case it filters.



STUDENT LESSON RATES

Below are the 2019-2020 Student Lesson Rates for the Public School Program.

SKI & SNOWBOARD	STUDENT LESSON RATES
2 hours	\$23
2½ hours	\$27
3 hours	\$30
CROSS COUNTRY SKI	
2 hours	\$16
RENTALS	
Ski/Snowboard	\$11
Cross Country	\$10
TICKETS	
Lift Ticket (Ski/Snowboard)	\$10
Track Ticket (Cross Country/Snowshoe)	\$5

- All prices include tax.

Our students will be taking the 2 hour lessons so the total cost for three sessions would be **\$99 for lessons and lift tickets**. If your child needs **to rent skis/snowboard the total cost would be \$132**.

Tubing/Skating

The Tubing/Skating options are no longer associated with the SilverStar Ski program. The Brewer's Pond will bill the school directly, so if your son/daughter would like this choice, please pay the school by Jan. 24. Our students will have two sessions on the mountain (Feb. 14/Mar 6) and there will be a \$5 charge for the Feb. 28 trip to Larch Hills.

School Program Group Rates

TICKET TYPE	2 HOUR TUBE	SKATING ONLY	FD TUBE & SKATE
Student	\$12	\$5	\$16
Teacher	\$12	\$5	\$16
Parent Helper	\$18	\$5	\$20

School Program Student Rentals (if required)

RENTALS	PRICE
Skates	\$10
Skating Helmet	\$3
Skate & Helmet	\$12