

The Mentor High School Ski/Board Club 2008

Registration deadline November 27, 2007

Ski/Board Dates:

January	2,	2008
January	9,	2008
January	16,	2008
January	23,	2008
January	30,	2008*

**After the first five week, Students are permitted to come on their scheduled day for the remainder of the season at no additional cost at either Boston Mills or Brandywine. Rental equipment is included if applicable!*

- I. Complete and return the following sets of forms & Money by Tuesday, November 27, 2007:
- A. Boston Mills/Brandywine Forms from School Club Student Brochure :
1. **School Club Release and Indemnification Agreement and Ticket Revocation Policy**
(Parent and Student Signature Mandatory on release) Keep these forms connected!!
 2. **Medical Information Card** (Form completed and Parent Signature Mandatory)
- B. Mentor High Forms:
1. Form A: **Acknowledgment of Risk** (Parent and Student Signature Mandatory)
 2. Form B: **Interscholastic & Extracurricular Eligibility Standards**
(Parent and Student Signature Mandatory)
 3. Form C: **Bus Transportation** (Parent and Student Signature Mandatory)
 4. Form D: **Emergency Medical** (Parent Signature Mandatory)
- C. Payment: Combined "Ski/Board Pass" and "Bus Fee"
All Checks payable to "**Mentor High School**"
(This year there will be a bus fee charged of \$60.00 for transportation).

Own Equipment/Lift Tickets/Bus Fee:	\$112.00 + \$60.00 =	\$172.00	All Checks Payable to "Mentor High School"
Rent Equipment/Lift Tickets/Bus Fee*:	\$160.00 + \$60.00 =	\$220.00	
Season Pass holder Owner/Bus Fee:	\$47.00 + \$60.00 =	\$107.00	
Season Pass holder Renter/Bus Fee**:	\$95.00 + \$60.00 =	\$155.00	

*SNOWBLADERS must use their own equipment

**Price includes rental during scheduled school club time ONLY!

Foreign Exchange Program students pay only 1/2 the above stated fee. (See Mr. Litzinger for details)

Think Heavy Snow & Have Powder Dreams

Dan Litzinger Advisor 440-974-5350 or litzinger@mentorschools.org
Visit us at our web site: <http://www.mentorhigh.com/Ski/Board/>

Mentor High School Ski/Board Club

To prospective members of Mentor High Ski/Board Club:

Ski/Board season is getting closer. Are you joining your friends who are going skiing with Mentor High Ski/Board Club this year? Students in 10th, 11th and 12th grades are welcome to join.

This year we are skiing on Wednesday evenings. Upon arrival at Brandywine, we will be met by our Ski/Board School Instructors and then proceed to the equipment rental area to select our equipment and check in. Those with Ski/Boards will go right to the Ski/Board area. All participants must take 5 lessons.

All Ski/Board club members are individually responsible for keeping track of the time. All members should be back in the rental shop early so that they can be on the bus at the time we are supposed to leave for Mentor High. Anyone who causes any delay could be suspended from the next bus ride, or from further bus rides, without a refund of any money.

All students who ride the bus from Mentor High to Brandywine must also return to Mentor High on the same bus. Students are assigned to a particular bus and must ride only that bus. Please do not ask to switch busses.

There are no guests or occasional riders allowed on the busses. All persons who ride the bus must be a member of Mentor High Ski/Board Club, and as a member, will still be governed by school and club rules.

We must leave the bus as clean as we found it. No drinks or food will be permitted on the bus, either going or returning, this is a state law. Your membership fee does not include a charge for cleaning the bus, and any such charge would have to be collected after the Ski/Board season is over from the people who rode the littered bus.

Upon entering the bus at both Brandywine and Mentor, politely and clearly give your name to the bus chaperon.

The Ski/Board passes issued by Brandywine cannot be used by anyone but the person whose name appears on the ticket. If you get caught lending or borrowing a pass, the pass is confiscated, and no money refunded. If you should misplace your pass, go to the ticket office and request a new one for a five-dollar replacement fee (This can only happen once in the five weeks).

All students are reminded that Mentor High Ski/Board Club is a school function, under school sponsorship, and all school rules are in effect and strictly enforced. Persons caught smoking, drinking, etc., are suspended from both school and Ski/Board club. Any person creating any problem or source of embarrassment for Mentor, the Ski/Board club, any chaperon, or bus driver shall be dealt with severely.

Mentor High Ski/Board Club is to be fun for everyone and hassle for no one.

Ski/Board '2008'

THE BOSTON MILLS & BRANDYWINE SKI/BOARD SCHOOL PROGRAM

WHAT IS THE PROGRAM?

Brandywine offers a season long Ski/Board package which includes the use of lifts, lessons, and optional rental equipment. The sessions are three hours long with a one-hour group lesson each trip at any level of proficiency. In addition, each member of the Mentor High Ski/Board Club will receive a pass card which entitles them to three free lift tickets (and free rentals if a rental ticket is purchased) to be used at specific times during the current season. Free lift tickets can be used at either Brandywine or Boston Mills

WHAT ARE THE BENEFITS?

The Ski/Board school program offers students the opportunity to learn a healthy exciting outdoor sport that can be enjoyed for the rest of their lives. Safety, sportsmanship and proper conduct on the slopes are stressed, as well as having a good time.

WHAT IS THE COST?

The cost of the school program for the entire season is only \$112.00 for skiers/boarders furnishing their own equipment and \$160.00 for skiers/boarders requiring rental equipment. Helmets are becoming more popular with many snow sport enthusiasts.

No refund will be given to any student removed from the club due to disciplinary reasons invoked by the school advisor, Brandywine Ski/Board Patrol or Brandywine management. Absolutely no refunds on this heavily discounted program.

WHAT KIND OF IDENTIFICATION WILL WE RECEIVE?

All students are given a permanent ticket for the season (to be worn around the neck) which bears the student's name, school, and shoe size. The tickets will have sticker that are color-coded to you ability level and the lessons taken (lessons are required). All tickets are the responsibility of the ticket holder and lost tickets can be replaced at a cost of \$5.00 during the first five sessions only (once).

Tickets are valid only for the day and time period the school has contracted for and tickets are restricted to the person whose name they bear. Due to Ski/Board Patrol safety requirements, tickets cannot be lent to friends. Violation of this rule will result in removal of the ticket and loss of Ski/Board privileges for the season for the club member.

HOW DOES THE LESSON PROGRAM WORK?

Students are given a weekly opportunity to improve their ability and to earn a sticker attesting to their proficiency level. The sticker is color coded with the relative difficulty of each slope at Brandywine, which is similarly color-coded. All students must have a lesson sticker and students will not be permitted to Ski/Board on slopes with difficulty rated higher than their proficiency level as indicated by their sticker, unless in a lesson group accompanied by an instructor. In this manner the students are matched to the skiing terrain they should be able to Ski/Board safely at Brandywine.

**PLEASE RETURN ALL SIGNED FORMS WITH YOUR PAYMENTS
to Dan Litzinger, Room A-19**

Brandywine/Boston Mills

- **School Club Release and Indemnification Agreement and Ticket Revocation Policy** _____ (√ if complete & signed)
- **Medical Information Card** _____ (√ if complete & signed)

Mentor High School

- **Acknowledgment of Risk** Form A _____ (√ if complete & signed)
- **Eligibility Standards** Form B _____ (√ if complete & signed)
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**FORM A
ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF RISK**

I understand that skiing, snowboarding, and snow blading are hazardous sports that could lead to potential injury, serious injury, or even death. I acknowledge that I have been instructed that the Mentor High Ski/Board Club and Brandywine stress safety at the Ski/Board area, but that customers pay for and use the Ski/Board areas, facilities, and services with an understanding that skiing/boarding /blading is a hazardous sport, since hazards and obstructions exists in any Ski/Board area. I recognize that such hazards exist, whether marked or unmarked, that winter weather involves hazardous conditions, that falls and collisions are common and that injuries can and often do result, and that I accept the hazards of the sport and the dangers of injuries incidental to skiing, snow boarding, snow blading, including negligence on the part of fellow skiers, boarders, bladers.

I hereby release Mentor High School, Mentor High Ski/Board Club, the Mentor Board of Education, Boston Mills /Brandywine, their employees and instructors, and Mr. Litzinger and any sponsors or chaperons from any and all liability for injuries or any inconvenience sustained while enroute to Brandywine, while at Brandywine, or while enroute back to Mentor High School, or while waiting at Mentor High School, including liability concerning rental equipment. I understand that bindings will not under all circumstances prevent or reduce injury, and are not a guarantee of my safety. I agree to reimburse Brandywine for loss of or malicious damage to rental equipment.

I understand that I should not Ski/Board or ride any lift without previously receiving formal instruction from a Ski/Board school professional, and that beginner areas are clearly marked on maps of the slopes that are posted at the Ski/Board lodge.

I hereby release Mentor High School, its employees, chaperons, sponsors and Mr. Litzinger from any liability or responsibility if I am not on the bus at the correct departure times when at school or at Brandywine.

Student's Name: _____ Address: _____

Phone (____) _____

Plan(check): Rent equip rental & lift tickets Own Equipment & lift tickets

Which(check): Alpine Skiing Snowboard (Boarder—Left foot ___ Right Foot ___) Snowblading

Skier/Snowboarder/Snowblader Level(check): Beginning Intermediate Advanced Intermediate Advanced

Skier/Snowblader Type(check): I II III

Age: _____ Height: _____ Weight: _____ Shoe size: _____

I have read and understand the above stated 'Acknowledgment of Risk' and the Boston Mills/Brandywine 2007/2008 'School club Registration Release and Indemnification Agreement, and Tag/Ticket Revocation Policy' and accept the terms and conditions of both.

Student Signature _____ Date _____

Parent Signature _____ Date _____

Emergency Phone Number _____

FORM B
EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES ACADEMIC POLICY
MENTOR PUBLIC SCHOOLS

The Board recognizes the value of a program of extracurricular activities for students in grades 7-12 as a integral part of the total school experience for the students of the district and for the community. However, student participation in extracurricular activities is a privilege and not a right.

For the purpose of this policy, "Extracurricular Activities" refers to a pupil activity program that a school or the district sponsors, and is under the supervision of a coach/advisor/and/or director. "Extracurricular activities" do not include activities in the district's graded course of study. However, band and choir students not meeting these established standards will be excluded from all non-graded/non-credit related activities of the organization during the ensuing grade period..

As a condition for the privilege of participating in extracurricular activities, a student must have attained a minimum grade point average of 2.0 and received no more than one failing grade for any course in the district's graded course of study in the previous grade period. This standard will be effective with grades earned during the first grade period of the 2006-2007 school year.

If a student who becomes ineligible under these standards improves his/her grade point average enough during the current grading period to meet the eligibility standard, she/he may be reinstated at the beginning of the next grading period. .

In addition, students participating in any program regulated by the Ohio High School Athletic Association (OHSAA) must also comply with any eligibility regulations and bylaws established by the Association.

If a student's Individualized Education Plan (IEP) indicates that an exemption from this policy would be appropriate, such eligibility requirements shall be adjusted accordingly for the student. However, the OHSAA mandates may not be exempted by an IEP

O. R. C. §3313.535

Parent or guardian signature _____

Date _____

Student signature _____

Date _____

FORM C
Bus Transportation
Ski/Board Club Members

All Ski/Board club members are expected to ride the bus on the 5 trips provided. All Ski/Board passes will be issued upon arrival at Brandywine January 2, 2008. The bus fee of \$60.00 must have been paid before a pass is distributed.

The following rules will govern the use of the bus:

1. The bus will not wait beyond the scheduled departure time of 5:00 p.m.
2. The busses will be waiting in the north parking lot at Mentor High School (by the Gym).
3. No member may enter the bus before 4:55 p.m. and then only if the chaperon is on board and is ready to check attendance.
4. Shouting will not be permitted during the trip. All school rules apply. It might be necessary for the driver or chaperon to give specific instructions.
5. Eat all refreshments while at Brandywine. No food or drink is permitted on the bus (this is a state law).
6. The busses will leave Brandywine at promptly at 9:30 p.m. and return to Mentor High School (north lot) around 10:30 p.m.
7. All students riding the bus to Brandywine must return on the bus, anyone that does not ride the bus home without Mr. Litzinger's permission will have their bus privileges taken away and may have their Brandywine pass pulled with no refund.
8. Chaperons will not wait for students to be picked up so their ride home must be on time—10:30.
9. All normal schools rules apply to the Mentor High School Ski/Board Club.

Note: Any infraction of the above rules or any school rule will be dealt with by a WARNING the first time and by REMOVAL from the club for the second offense. If it is considered a major school offense, dismissal from the club will be IMMEDIATE.

Note: Any member who causes a delay in our scheduled departure time from Brandywine may be removed from the club for the first offense.

I,(student) _____, have read all the above information and agree to its terms and conditions.

Student Signature _____ Date _____

I,(parent or legal guardian) _____, have read all the above information and agree to its terms and conditions.

Parent Signature _____ Date _____

PLEASE RETURN THIS SIGNED SHEET WITH ALL OTHER FORMS

Some reminders: Hats and gloves are necessary. Tickets are not transferable.

FORM D
EMERGENCY MEDICAL AUTHORIZATION

Mentor Public Schools, 6451 Center Street, Mentor, Ohio (440-255-4444)

PURPOSE - To enable parents and guardians to authorize the provision of emergency treatment for children who become ill or injured while under school authority when parents or guardians cannot be reached.

Student Name: _____ Date of Birth _____ Home Phone: _____
Address _____ City _____ Zip code _____
School: _____ Homeroom Teacher: _____ Grade: _____
Parent or Guardian (Residential): _____ Student Lives With: _____
Mother: _____ Daytime Phone: _____ Cell: _____ Pager: _____
Father: _____ Daytime Phone: _____ Cell: _____ Pager: _____
Mother's place of employment: _____ Father's place of employment: _____

In situations where the parent cannot be reached the student may be released to the following:

Name of relative or childcare provider: _____ Relationship: _____
Address: _____ Daytime Phone: _____ Cell: _____ Pager: _____
Other Name: _____ Daytime Phone: _____ Cell: _____ Pager: _____

Facts concerning the child's medical history including allergies, medications being taken, and any physical impairments to which a physician should be alerted.

Allergies: _____
Health Concerns: _____
Medications: _____

Expires: September 30, 2008

The student may also be released to the following:

Name: _____ Relationship: _____ Phone: _____ Cell: _____
Name: _____ Relationship: _____ Phone: _____ Cell: _____
Name: _____ Relationship: _____ Phone: _____ Cell: _____

PART I OR II MUST BE COMPLETED AND SIGNED
PART I - TO GRANT CONSENT

I hereby give consent for the following medical care providers and local hospitals to be called:

Doctor: _____ Phone: _____ Dentist: _____ Phone: _____
Medical Specialist: _____ Phone: _____
Local Hospital: _____ Phone: _____

In the event reasonable attempts to contact me at home or work or other parent at home or work have been unsuccessful, I hereby give my consent for: (1) the administration of any treatment deemed necessary by previously named physician or dentist of my preference, or, in the event the designated preferred practitioner is not available, by another licensed physician or dentist, and (2) the transfer of the child to preferred hospital or any hospital reasonably accessible. This authorization does not cover major surgery unless the medical opinions of two other licensed physicians or dentists, concurring in the necessity for such surgery, are obtained prior to the performance of such surgery.

Signature OF CUSTODIAL/RESIDENTIAL PARENT: _____
Address: _____ Date: _____

DO NOT COMPLETE PART II IF YOU HAVE COMPLETED PART I
PART II - REFUSAL TO CONSENT

I do not give my consent for emergency medical treatment of my child. In the event of illness or injury requiring emergency treatment, I wish the school authorities to take the following action:

Signature: _____ Address: _____ Date: _____