

Group Rates 2016-2017



Please inquire to our group coordinator at the email info@showdownmontana.com or you can always call Showdown Montana at 1-800-433-0022.

Special rates are available for groups 15 or more. A group's organizer is responsible for distributing and gathering rental and lesson forms, filling out group registration paperwork, gathering the money, distributing the lift tickets, and making the final payment at Guest Services or the Showdown Town Office. The group organizer receives a free lift ticket.

A group's rental equipment will not be preset unless the leader sends in all completed paperwork. Group participants MAY NOT pick up tickets or pay individually at Guest Services or the Showdown Town Office, all this work is done by the group organizer.

Group Lift Tickets

Adult All Area (18-69)	\$39
College/ Military	\$35
Jr High/H.S (13-17)	\$33
Jr All Area (6-12)	\$22
Sr All Area (70+)	\$27
Beginner Lift Only	\$25

Group Rental

Skis, Boots and Poles, Full Day	\$21
Snowboard and Boots, Full Day	\$30
<i>* See page 4 & 5 for more information on how to properly fill out a rental form</i>	

5 & under	Free
Magic Carpet Only	Free
Group Coordinator Lift	Free

Group Lessons

** See page 2 for more information*

Group Coordinator Checklist

Planning your Trip:

- **Email Guest Services at info@showdownmontana.com or call her at the ski area 406-236-5522 to schedule your date.**
- Download the Group Registration Form & Rates at www.showdownmontana.com/rates/groups, stop by our Showdown in Town Office, or request they be mailed to you when you schedule your group date.
- Review the rates for lifts, lessons, and rentals, and call us with any questions.
- Have individual group members complete rental forms, if needed. We can mail these to you, or you may pick them up at our Showdown Town Office located at Skier's Edge in Great Falls, MT.
- Collect the appropriate amount of money from group members.
- **One Week Prior to your visit, Call Showdown Montana to confirm your trip.** Please have details regarding the number of members, lessons, rentals, etc. If possible, arrange to have rental forms at Showdown several days prior to your trip.
- **E-mail or Fax Preliminary Registration Form to Showdown Montana** at 406.236.5523, or drop it off at Skiers Edge in Great Falls, MT. Please advise Town Office or our Guest Services staff of large changes in the number of participants.

When you arrive at Showdown:

- Choose an area of the Lodge to be your "Group Headquarters".
- Upon arrival, the Group Coordinator should immediately go to Guest Services with:
 - An accurate count of participants
 - Completed registration form(s)
 - Completed rental agreements/lesson releases
- A Guest Services Representative will confirm group details, and will issue Lift Tickets, Lesson and Rental Vouchers to the Group Coordinator. **It is the Group Coordinator's responsibility to distribute tickets to group members.**
- Once all group members have been issued tickets, the Group Coordinator must **return to Guest Services with unused tickets, and provide payment at that time.**

Showdown Town Office: Email: info@showdownmontana.com

Located at 1510 Ninth Street South, Great Falls (Inside Skier's Edge)

Open Fri & Sat from 11a-5:30pm, plus extended hours during holiday periods. 406.727.5553

We know that organizing a group can be challenging –Thanks!

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COME LEARN WITH US & SKI FOR YOURSELF

Lessons start at 10:30 A.M. & 1:30 P.M.

IF YOU ARE TAKING A LESSON, YOU MUST LET US KNOW BEFORE SENDING US YOUR INFORMATION.

Group Lessons:

2 Hour Group Lesson \$15

IF YOU ARE TAKING A LESSON AND YOU ARE NOT A 1ST OR 2ND TIMER YOU MUST INDICATE LESSON LEVEL BY COLOR.

**SEE NEXT PAGE FOR LESSON COLOR INFORMATION*

1st Timer Package:

(Skiers, age 7 and up: Snowboarders, age 11 and up)
2 hour beginner lesson, beginner lift ticket and rentals
Skier: **\$35**
Snowboarder: **\$45**

2nd Timer Package:

(Skiers, age 7 and up: Snowboarders, age 11 and up)
2 hour beginner lesson, beginner lift ticket and rentals
Skier: **\$35**
Snowboarder: **\$45**

Kid's Group Lessons:

Snow Monster Package:

(Skiers, ages 4-6)
1.5 hour lesson, beginner lift ticket and rentals
Monsters Only: **\$50**

Little Shredder Package:

(Snowboarders, ages 7-10)
1.5 hour lesson, beginner lift ticket and rentals
Shredders Only: **\$60**

***We will give you your lift ticket at the rental shop after your lesson is completed.**

***A beginner lift ticket is strictly a caboose ticket only**

***Option to upgrade beginner lift ticket to all-mountain after completion of lesson for an additional \$15**

SKI LEVELS

RED: Never skied before, Welcome!

Goal: Make pizza turns and stops.

GREEN: Making pizza turns and stops. Should have ridden a lift.

Goal: Build confidence and control using a pizza wedge.

BLUE: Starting to break out of the pizza and become parallel.

Starting to look like a natural skier!

Goal: To become completely parallel.

YELLOW: Completely Parallel! No way using a pizza wedge and comes to a hockey stop.

Goal: Skis all Blue Runs while keeping skis parallel, starting to do Black runs!

BLACK: Starting to do bumps, trees and powder. Skis all runs with style and confidence!

Skis all runs! Does bumps, trees, powder! Should be good enough to teach the instructor!

SNOWBOARD LEVELS

RED: Never ever or had a bad 1st time. It takes up to 3 lessons before you get it!

GREEN: Can turn on one edge, either toe or heel, and can stop. We get you good on both edges in this class!

BLUE: Starting to link turns, using both edges. Starting to work on timing, when to turn and stop.

YELLOW: Start of the advanced lessons! Working on letting your lower body flow and upper body stay sound. Working on style, form, and motion.

BLACK: Starting to do bumps, trees, and hunting for powder.

Can handle anything the mountain throws at you. Should be able to teach the instructor!

Showdown Group Program 2016-2017 Individual Information and Beginner's Guide



We are excited to spend a day on the ski slopes with you. The following information is a guideline for your trip preparation, arrival, and departure. As well, other information that will make your day as enjoyable as possible.

Planning for your day at Showdown:

- **Fill up the tank:** Whether you're a beginner or a pro, Skiing and Snowboarding is hard work! Be sure that you'll have enough fuel to make the most of your day by eating a good breakfast and bring a sack lunch or money to buy items from the incredible King's Hill Grill. It's also a good idea to bring a quick snack along in your coat pocket in case the day begins to wear.
- **Dress the part:** Have you ever noticed that all the people in the extreme skiing movies are so bundled up that you can't tell the guys from the girls? That's because they're smart enough to wear layers! The pros know that it's better to look a little weird than to have to sit inside because it's too cold. While it may not be super cold on the day you're on the mountain, you'll want to be prepared for anything. Here's a list of stuff to start digging out of the closet at home:
 - A good warm coat to stop the wind and keep you dry
 - Snow pants, wind pants, or insulated or wool overalls
 - A warm hat that covers your ears
 - Waterproof winter mittens or gloves
 - Warm, tall socks – and a spare pair to wear home after your done for the day
 - Scarf or neck gaiter to keep the wind and snow out
 - Long-johns, tights, sweats, or sweaters to wear underneath as layers
 - Sunglasses or goggles to protect your eyes from wind, sun, and snow
- **Be kind to your Face:** Remember to throw sunscreen and chap stick in your backpack – You'll be outside most of the day so the sun and wind might be more than you are used to.

Should I Ski or Snowboard? Both are fun, but the first day on skis is *much easier* than the first day on a snowboard. Basic skiing skills are easier to pick up. If you choose to learn to snowboard, be prepared for a long, very tiring day and please, don't be surprised when your friends that learned to ski are zooming around the mountain, while you are working on your turns in the learning area. (And remember, you must be at least 8 years-old to snowboard.) Intermediate to advance level skiers and snowboarders, well, just keep doing what you love to do!

Showdownmontana.com is an informative outlet, as well as a great line up of photos and promotions.

Completing Your Rental Form? Every single individual renting from Showdown Montana must fill out a Rental Form. Please notice, there are two signature lines for user equipment and parents/ guardians. Also, please indicate whether you are skiing or snowboarding, do not check both of the boxes. For skiing, you will need to choose skier type, 1 is beginner, 2 is intermediate, and 3 is advanced. For snowboarding, you will need to choose snowboarding stance, Regular is left foot forward and Goofy is right foot forward. Completing this information correctly is very, very important.

Here's what to do:

- Fill in your Full Name, your Group's Name, your Home Mailing Address, and Phone Number.
- Fill in your Age, Weight, Height, and Shoe Size. This tells us what size equipment you'll need. If you skip one, your equipment won't be ready when you arrive!
- Mark if you are a first timer.
- Skier Type: Snowboarders do not fill this part out; skiers choose 1 for beginner ability, 2 for intermediate ability, and 3 for advanced ability.
- Snowboard Stance: If you're a snowboarder, pick one. Regular means left foot forward, Goofy means right foot forward. If you don't know or aren't sure, you still have to pick one as a place to start. Most right-handed people are Regular, Most left-handed people are Goofy.
- SUPER-IMPORTANT! Make sure your parent or guardian signs your Rental Card if you are 17 years and younger. (Once under your age and weight, and once on the very bottom.) If they forget to sign, a chaperone will have to sign for them.
- Return your rental form to your group leader ASAP! Your leader needs to send all the Rental Forms to Showdown Montana one week before your trip. This way we have time to get everything ready for you. If you don't get your form in on time, your equipment won't be ready for you when you arrive at Showdown Montana, and you'll find yourself sitting in the rental shop, waiting, while your friends are outside having fun.

If you have any questions about filling out the Rental Card, or what to expect once you reach Showdown Montana, please call our office at 1-800-433-0022 or e-mail at info@showdownmontana.com.

Leader Checklist:

- Schedule Arrival Date
- Complete Registration Form
- Complete Rental Forms
- Mail Registration Form and Rental Forms to Showdown Office, or drop off at Town Office in Great Falls

(The week before your trip)

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