



**TROOP 349**  
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# Troop 349

## Ski Trip



February 18-20, 2017



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**Timberline Resort** is conveniently located in Davis, West Virginia, within 200 miles of Falls Church. The mountain itself measures 4268 feet and adjacent to the Dolly Sods Wilderness area which is on the Eastern Continental Divide. There are ~ 40 runs and 4 Lifts.

We have a bunk house reserved that sleeps 20 people. Respond quickly please so we have accurate numbers. We can only go above 20 if we have 30 as they reserve in groups of 10..

The units are filled to capacity with bunk beds. It has a shower and one bathroom per 10 bed. There are no kitchens in these units, so we eat in a cafeteria. Snacks are allowed in the units.

We plan to leave **Saturday AM, @ 7:00, the 16<sup>th</sup>, with an estimated 10:30PM arrival time.**

**Estimated total cost is \$180**, depending on any extra equipment rental required or advanced lessons. This will cover meals in the cafeteria, ski rental, transportation and lift ticket and helmets if needed. (which are required for skiing). Beginner lessons are also included in this price. Advanced or personal lessons are extra as are snow board rentals.

**The troop is subsidizing the trip, reducing the cost by about \$70 per person**, so this is a great chance to get two full days, and two nights, of affordable skiing in. Scout Bucks can be used for this troop if your scout has earned any, to further reduce out of pocket expense. Please see Mrs Zampella for Scout Bucks balance.

We also plan to be working on the Winter Sports Merit Badge while there and classroom work will be started during the regular troop meetings.

**A permission slip is on the last page. Please return it by Tuesday 1/11 so we can begin to get an accurate head count.**





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**Estimated Fixed Cost**

Includes per person:

2 nights in bunk house

2 days lift tickets + Saturday night skiing

2 days ski rental

5 meals (Sat dinner, Sun breakfast, lunch dinner, Mon breakfast)

1 beginner lesson

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TOTAL ~\$180.00

**Other Optional Costs**

Snowboard Rental	\$55
Advanced ski lesson	\$25
Private Lessons - ~	\$75/hour

**Cafeteria Hours**

Breakfast: 6:00 – 8:30 am

Lunch: 10:30 am – 2:00 pm

Dinner: 4:00 pm -7:00 pm for the Evening Special

**Breakfast:** One trip through the cafeteria with a choice of scrambled eggs, French toast, seasoned potatoes, bacon, sausage, gravy & biscuits, one juice, coffee, tea or milk.

**Lunch:** Includes one medium fountain drink & your choice of:

- \* Hamburger or hot dog with fries
- \* One slice of pepperoni or cheese pizza with fries
- \* Daily special (entrée with 2 side dishes)

**Dinner:** Includes one medium fountain drink, dessert & your choice of:

- \* \* Pasta Dinner with salad & garlic toast – Saturdays

Chef's Choice on Sunday



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**DRAFT ITINERARY**

<b>Time</b>	<b>Event</b>
<b>Saturday, February 18</b>	
0700	Arrive American Legion Class B uniform for travel
0730	Depart
1030	Arrive Timberline Resort (Eat Lunch in Transit)
1030 -1130	Check in and move eqpt into bunkhouse/change into ski clothes
11:30-12:00	Get ski rentals / equipment distro/ Lift Tickets
12:00-12:30	Lunch on own
	<b>Evening Events</b>
12:30-1800	Free Skiing with at least one Buddy or groups
1800-1830	Return to Lodge, Prepare for dinner
1830-1900	Dinner in Cafeteria
1900-2100	Free time or Night skiing
2200	Prepare for bed
2230	Lights out
<b>Sunday, February 19</b>	
0700	Wake-up – Dress for Day
0730-0800	Breakfast in Cafeteria
0800	Depart for skiing
	<b>Daily Events at Timberline</b>
0800-1000	Beginner Lessons For those taking lessons
0800-1200	Skiing & Snowboarding In Groups of 2-4
1200-1300	Lunch in Cafeteria
1300-1430	Merit Badge Work
1430-1700	Skiing & Snowboarding In Groups of 2-4
	<b>Evening Events</b>
1700-1800	Dinner
1800-2100	Personal time Bunk house & Resort /or night skiing if want to
2200	Lights out
<b>Monday, February 20th</b>	
0700	Wake-up (pack gear for departure)
0730-0800	Breakfast
0800-0830	Pack Cars
0830-0900	Return Equipment
0930	Depart to Legion Hall in Class B (Lunch en route)
1230-1300	Arrive at Legion Hall



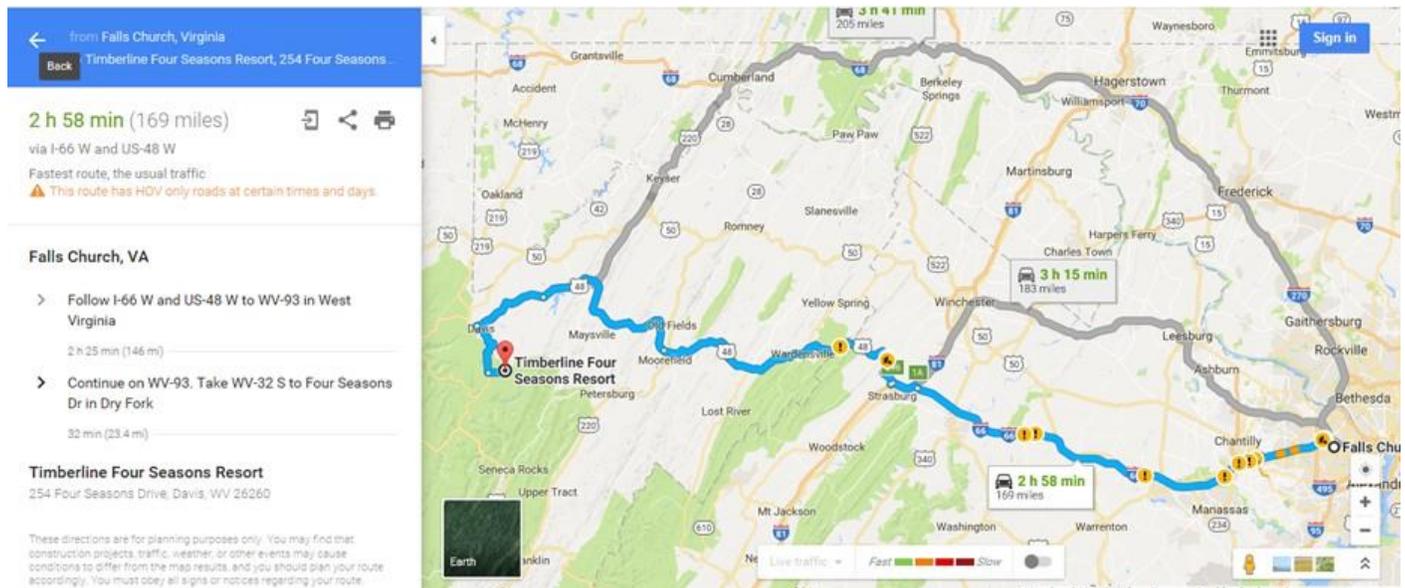
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Timberline Resort is located off Timberline Road which intersects with WV Route 32 in the center of Canaan Valley (10 miles south of Davis, WV and 12 miles north of Harman, WV). GPS systems are still behind in mapping our area. Please share this information with all of the drivers in your group.

**Davis, WV 26260** (north of Timberline) or

**From the town of Davis:** You will take Rt. 32 South to Timberline Road (about 10 miles). **Do not turn on Cortland Road.** Continue on Rt 32 and pass the BFS gas station. When you see "*Big John's Family Fixins' Restaurant*" (on your left), you are nearing Timberline Road. Take a left turn on Timberline Road and follow the signs to Timberline Resort.

All drivers in Bunkhouse groups are required to use an "overnight parking lot" during your visit. You may park near the Bunkhouse to unload, but will need to move vehicles to our overnight lot. We provide a shuttle van.



**The nearest hospital is Davis Health Systems, in Elkins, WV, 35 Miles away**

**Directions from the Resort:**

Follow WV-32 S to US-33 W in Harman - 13 min (10.7 mi)

Follow US-33 W to Harrison Ave in Elkins - 29 min (23.4 mi)

Continue on Harrison Ave. Drive to Gorman Ave - 1 min (0.2 mi)

Davis Health System  
812 Gorman Avenue, Elkins, WV 26241



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**Ski Slope Hours**

Opens at 8 a.m.

Night skiing is available on Saturday and Sunday during Presidents Day Weekend starting at 4:30 p.m. until 9:00 p.m



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### Individual Packing List

The following items are to be packed inside a duffle bag or backpack:

- Sleeping bag/pillow (They will provide a pillow, pillowcase, sheet and blanket.)
- Towel
- Daypack (Optional) (can remove layers on slopes, carry water, snacks, sunscreen)
- T-Shirt (2x)
- Pants (1x)
- Thick socks for skiing (2x)
- Underwear (2x)
- Class B shirt
- Long Underwear (2x)
- Long-sleeve shirt (2x)
- A sweater or fleece (no cotton!)
- Ski jacket
- Ski Bib or Pants
- Ski gloves (mittens preferred)
- Liner or Light Weight gloves (suggest 2 pair of these if get wet have a dry pair)
- Ski/Winter Hat
- Ski Helmet
- Sunglass or goggles
- 1-quart bottle
- Flashlight or headlamp
- Snowboard (Optional)
- Money (for souvenirs and/or lunch on the way home; no more than \$20)
- Lip balm
- Toothbrush and toothpaste
- Shampoo
- Deodorant
- Sunscreen
- Camera (optional)
- Cell Phones (allowed on this troop to communicate on slopes)

#### Lessons Learned:

- Each scout bring \$5-\$10 in singles to store skis and boots in lockers
- Bring \$20 extra for in-transit meals or extra snacks/drinks
- ***If somebody can't do hockey stop, require they attend beginner lesson***



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## Timberline Ski Trip 2017

**Date:** Saturday, February 18 – Monday, February 20, 2017

**Information:** This year we are going to Timberline Resort in W. Virginia. The cost will be approximately \$180 (depending on rentals). This covers lodging, lift ticket, meals, rentals, and beginner ski lesson.

Please indicate which additional items you need and include in your final payment.

- Three-day Snowboard rentals are \$66.
- Advanced ski lessons \$25
- Two-day Ski Helmet rentals are \$10 (**Helmets are Mandatory** if don't own personal ski helmet. Bike helmet does not count. The troop will cover the cost of the helmet if needed, just let us know if it is needed)

I will provide transportation.  Out  Back  Both Ways

Including driver, my vehicle holds \_\_\_\_\_ people.

Name(s) of Parent(s) planning to attend: \_\_\_\_\_ Parent cell #: \_\_\_\_\_

**Due Date:** The deadline for signup is **Tue. January 17<sup>th</sup>**. Payment is due at that time.

### Parent / Guardian Permission & Release Form: (Timberline Ski Trip 2017)

I, \_\_\_\_\_ do hereby give my consent and permission for my  
(Parent or guardian)

Son(s) \_\_\_\_\_ to attend Troop 349's outdoor ski program.  
(Scout's name(s))

I give permission to the leaders of Troop 349 to render first aid. In the event of emergency, I give permission to the physician selected by the adult leader-in-charge, to hospitalize, order anesthesia, order injection, or secure other medical treatment, as s/he determines to be appropriate. I understand skiing is dangerous and my child needs to ski on routes equal to their ability. I further agree to hold Troop 349 and its leaders blameless for any mishaps that may occur during this outing, except for clear acts of negligence or non-adherence to BSA policies and guidelines.

**In case of emergency**, I can be reached by phone at: \_\_\_\_\_ or: \_\_\_\_\_

If I cannot be reached, contact: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Medical Insurance Company: \_\_\_\_\_ Policy number: \_\_\_\_\_

My son:  Has the following **medical condition(s)** that adult leaders must be aware:

\_\_\_\_\_.

Has no medical condition.

Requires the following **medication(s)** that adult leaders must supervise and assist in administering (also provide time & quantity): \_\_\_\_\_

Takes no medication

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_