

# **Snow School Guide**

Ski and Snowboard Lessons | Private • Semi-private • Group

Season Pass Holder Registration: Dec. 9 at 8:30 a.m. Resident Registration: Dec. 14 at 8:30 a.m. Non-resident Registration: Dec. 16 at 8:30 a.m.

> Register online at <u>georginaroc.ca</u> Pre-registration is required

COVID-19 protocols are in place and masks or face coverings will be required for all lesson participants.





#### **ROC Season Pass benefits:**

- Dedicated lift line up
- Discounts on snow school lessons and day camps
- Early registration for snow school lessons
- Complimentary travel to the ROC via YRT route 50

# Lesson Pricing

Lesson Type	Regular Lesson Rate	Season Pass Lesson Rate
Group (8wk)	\$200	\$125
Private (4wk)	\$240	\$165
Semi-private (4wk)	\$160	\$114
Single (60 mins)	\$60	\$40
Single Semi-private (60 mins)	\$40	\$30



# Ski lessons

### **Penguin: 3 to 6yrs**

Lessons for participants who are new to skiing. They will learn to glide with assistance, balance while walking on skis and have fun while skiing. Parent participation on foot is required.

### Panda: 3 to 6yrs

These lessons are for participants who can glide with assistance (can make a pizza). They learn to maintain balance while gliding, maintaining a snowplow position and how to stop in a snowplow. Parent participation on foot is required.

### Giraffe: 3 to 6yrs



Lessons are for participants who can glide without assistance. They will learn to control their speed in a snowplow, balance over both feet and stop by turning on both sides. Parent participation on foot is required.

### **Beginner Step 1: 7 to 17yrs**

Lessons are for participants who are new to skiing. They will learn how to use the equipment, how to execute turns, learn control, balance and increase their stability.

### Beginner Step 2: 7 to 17yrs

Lessons are the next step for beginners wanting to improve their skills. Participants will learn how to ski in a parallel position, increase control, balance and increase their stability on steeper terrain. Skiers must be able to execute linked rhythmical snowplow turns. Previous ski lessons or experience recommended.

\*All prices are per person and subject to HST. All dates, times and prices are subject to change without notice.



Parent participation on foot is required for all lessons with children ages 3-6yrs. Masks or face coverings must be worn.

# Snowboard lessons

### Mini Shredder 1: 3 to 6yrs

Introductory snowboard lessons are a great way to spend the winter and develop a passion for snowboarding at a young age. Participants with the assistance of their parents/guardians will learn the basics of snowboarding. Parent participation on foot is required.

### Mini Shredder 2: 3 to 6yrs

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For participants who are ready to ride independently. Participants will learn how to control their direction and speed with a focus on fun. Parent participation on foot is required.

Pre-requiste: Mini Shredders 1

### **Beginner Step 1: 7 to 17yrs**

These lessons are for first-time riders! Participants will learn how to use the equipment, how to move around on flat ground, develop moving balance, develop confidence sliding with both feet attached to the board and also learn to control direction and speed.

### Beginner Step 2: 7 to 17yrs

Lessons are for participants who want to refine their skills. Students focus on perfecting techniques such as moving balance, controlled carving, direction and speed.

Pre-requiste: Beginner Step 1 or some experience

### Beginner Step 3: 7 to 17yrs

The lessons will focus on novice turns, how to traverse between turns, flexion/extension, and sliding 360's.

Pre-requiste: Beginner Step 1 and 2



Parent participation on foot is required for all lessons with children ages 3-6yrs. Masks or face coverings must be worn.

## Private



Private lessons are one-on-one instruction and are available for all ages and abilities. The lesson will focus on the riders' specific needs and goals.

## Semi-private



All private lessons can be made into semi-private lessons upon request. To do so, register for the private lesson of choice and contact the ROC to register additional participants. It is recommended participants are of the same age (6yrs+) and ability.

Note: For semi-private lesson requests, please contact:

<u>georginaroc@georgina.ca</u>. Registrant must provide all additional participants.

### Instructor to Student Ratio

Lesson Type	Ratio
Private	1:1
Semi-private	1:2
Mini Viking and Mini Shredder	1:4
Beginner 1 - 3	1:6

\*\*Program ratios are subject to change at the discretion of the recreation programmer.



# Things to know COVID-19 Protocols in place

#### **Lesson requirements**

Participants must have the ability to put on and manage their own equipment or have a parent or guardian on-site to assist.

In the event that your child requires physical assistance on the hill (i.e. first aid), the instructor will be wearing the appropriate face and hand coverings.

### Lesson arrivals and departures

Participants are expected to self-assess prior to attending lessons and any person experiencing COVID-19 related symptoms are expected to stay home.

Screening protocols for staff and participants will be conducted each day prior to the start of the lesson. All participants will be subject to a verbal COVID-19 selfassessment screening questionnaire that will be conducted with a staff person upon arrival. Participants must arrive 15 minutes prior to lesson start time and meet instructor at their dedicated snow school flag.

Following the conclusion of each lesson accompanying adults will be required to pick up their child promptly at the designated exit area.

# Lesson and practice time

All lessons will be 60 minutes in length (45 minutes for Cub Club). After each lesson, participants will be required to exit the facility unless they have booked an additional activity timeslot or lift ticket. Must read before attending lessons

## Equipment and masks

All participants must provide and wear their own ski industry standard equipment (skis, ski poles, ski boots, snowboard, snowboard boots and helmet). All participants will be required to wear a non-medical face mask or face covering that covers their nose, mouth and chin for the full duration of the lesson. All participants must wear a ski industry approved helmet, must be dressed appropriately and ready to ride.

COVID-19 protocols in place, masks or face coverings will be required for all lesson participants

### **Remember These**

### **Inclement weather**

Lessons run in a variety of weather conditions including rain, snow, wind and colder temperatures. Please ensure the participant is dressed appropriately for the current forecast.

# Lesson cancellation policy

All lesson cancellation requests must be submitted in writing and sent directly to <u>georginaroc@georgina.ca</u> for consideration prior to the start time of the scheduled lesson.

In the event of a facility closure, participants will be notified by phone, email and/ or text message (if possible) to advise of the cancellation.

Lessons cancelled by the Community Services Department will result in a pro-rated credit applied to account or a make-up class may be provided. Full refunds will be reviewed and issued upon request.

#### Assessments

Assessments are completed on the first lesson to ensure participants are registered in the correct level.

**Note:** Participants registered in the incorrect level may be required to transfer to a different level and are subject to availability.

# Lift tickets, parent and season passes

Participants and participating adults with a season pass must be wearing their pass for the duration of the lesson. Individuals who require a lift ticket will be provided one at the start of the lesson.

### **Helmet rentals**

Helmet rentals are available at the ticket office for a fee.

### Waitlists

Waitlists are monitored on a regular basis and all efforts are put forward to create additional lesson times. Participants will be contacted in priority sequence.

### **Be informed**

We are dedicated to providing an inclusive experience for all participants. Please ensure that all medical concerns and/or specific needs are documented at the time of registration and discussed with the instructor at the first lesson.

#### **How to Register**

#### Online at georginaroc.ca

Telephone 905-476-4301 (Civic Centre) 905-476-8834 (The ROC) 905-722-1429 (Georgina Leisure Pool)

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