SNOWHAWKS' SKI & SNOWBOARD PROGRAM FOR

40TH SEASON · 2026-27

DEVONSHIRE COMMUNITY PUBLIC SCHOOL

GRADES 4-6 · DEVONSHIRE TRAVELLER 2027



Register for the Devonshire Traveller 2027, a four-week *after-school* ski & snowboard program for Devonshire students in grades 4 to 6.

THURSDAYS	MAKE-UP DATE	REGISTRATION DEADLINE
Feb 11, 18, 25 & Mar 4	**Mar 11**	**Dec 13**
Four after-school outings	In case of a cancelled outing	May fill before the deadline!

- **Package includes** motor coach transportation, lift tickets and general supervision.
- **Optional add-ons:** 4-week lesson package and/or rental equipment.
- **Note:** School administration & school council accept no responsibility nor liability for incidents which may result from participation. *Devonshire Traveller* is fully operated by Snowhawks Ottawa. A **Waiver** must be agreed to during the online registration process.

Snowhawks Ottawa

- **40 years** operating ski & snowboard programs for children, teens & adults (since 1987).
- Focus on safety, fun and learning while promoting physical fitness and self-esteem.
- For more detailed info: Skiing/Snowboarding-in-Schools FAQs on the Snowhawks website.

Program Highlights

- Leave school at dismissal, returning to the school at 9 PM. Enjoy four trips to Mont Cascades. Students bring their supper or purchase their food at the hill.
- **Flexible:** Register for supervised motor coach travel & lift passes, with buddied free-skiing or snowboarding; or add the optional lesson package and/or rental equipment, as required.
- **NEW:** Full-Season Rental option – NEW Gear from HEAD now also available to registered Snowhawks members, while supplies last.
- **Benefits:** 15% off new ski & snowboard equipment, clothing, & accessories for registered members at Sporting Life, through Sept 30, 2027.

Lesson Packages or Buddied Free-Ski/Snowboard Options

- **Beginner Lesson Package is required for Beginners.** It runs all evening, though beginners earn some buddied free-time as their skills develop.
- **Novice, Intermediate & Advanced:** add an optional Lesson Package for Novice level (ski or snowboard), or Intermediate/Advanced (skiers only). 70-minute small group lessons taught by the same Snowhawks instructor each week for continuity of learning and fun.
- **Note:** Those in 70-minute lessons must buddy-up for their free-ski time.
- **Buddied Free-Ski/Snowboard:** Novice through advanced skiers & snowboarders may register without a lesson option. They may free-ski or snowboard, always with a buddy or buddies, and always on terrain appropriate to their ability level. They will not be guided in groups. Rather, general supervision on the slopes and at the base area & chalet is provided by Snowhawks instructors and volunteer parent chaperons.

LEVELS

BEGINNER	NOVICE	INTERMEDIATE	ADVANCED
Never-ever, or just once or twice; never rode a chairlift.	Rides a chairlift safely and can snowplow (skier), or pendulum (snowboarder).	Rhythmic linked turns (in parallel for skiers).	Performance turns, with some carving skill.

Equipment, Helmets & Wristguards

- **Equipment:** Store your gear at the school on program mornings. Or two rental options, added during registration: a ski package (skis, boots, poles & helmet) or a snowboard package (board, boots & helmet), each one price with the helmet included. Or discover our new full-season rental option for registered Snowhawks members.
- **Helmets are mandatory:** Must be a ski/snowboard helmet. This year, helmets are *included* in the ski or snowboard rental option. Or you may rent a helmet-only, separately.
- **Wristguards:** Mandatory for Beginner snowboarders & recommended for all snowboarders (*but not used by skiers*)! You can buy or rent "Dakine" Wristguards from Snowhawks.

Cost

ALL PRICES ARE FOR THE FULL 4 WEEKS · HST MUST BE ADDED

$299	*Devonshire Traveller* package, including supervised motor coach travel & lift passes
$71	Add optional 4-week Ski or Snowboard Lesson Package, mandatory for Beginners
$85	Add optional Ski or Snowboard equipment rentals, including helmet
$25	Add Helmet-only rental
$6	Add Snowhawks Wristguards rental (for snowboarders only, *not for skiers*)
$30	Purchase a pair of Dakine brand wristguards from Snowhawks
$19	Add optional Medical Cancellation Protection (MCP), explained below (**NEW for 2027**)

Medical Cancellation Protection (MCP)

If a participant is unable to start or continue the program for medical reasons, MCP allows for a full, prorated refund (a note from a physician is required; colds, flu and Covid are excluded). MCP must be purchased online at the time of registration, and the refund is subject to a deductible of 2.5% of the amount refunded + HST, or a minimum of $25 + HST, whichever is greater.

Without purchase of the MCP option: No refunds for medical withdrawals.

Refund Policy

Other than medical withdrawals with the MCP option (described above), refunds are only available for program cancellation if requested in advance of 21 days before program start; however, this will incur a $25 + HST administration fee. There are no refunds for program cancellation within 21 days of program start, and no refunds for missed scheduled or make-up outings. All other refunds (such as cancelling a lesson or equipment rental option in advance of program start) are subject to an administration charge of 2.5% of the amount refunded (+ HST), or a minimum administration fee of five dollars ($5.00 + HST), whichever is greater.

Snowhawks Scholarships are available to cover partial program costs for those with a financial need. Please email info@snowhawksottawa.ca for details on the *Snowhawks Scholarship* program.



Chaperons – Volunteers

- **Please consider volunteering for the program during online registration!**
- We need several bus chaperons and one car chaperon to accompany the program.
- Volunteers may ski/snowboard for free and may rent equipment and/or helmet as required, at our discounted group pricing.
- Preference given to those who are available for all four outings, but fill-ins are welcome too.
- We also need volunteers to help store equipment at the school on program mornings!

How to Register

- **Deadline is Dec 13**, but the program may fill before that! To register, have ready participant's grade; classroom #, teacher name or class code; date of birth; health card #; and ability level. To rent equipment you must list accurate height, weight & shoe size.
- Payment by eCheck (electronic funds transfer) is preferred, and it allows for a deposit/instalment plan; or you can pay in full by credit card (a 1.8% surcharge applies) or debit card.

SCAN TO REGISTER

VISIT THE ONLINE REGISTRATION PORTAL

snowhawksottawa.campbrainregistration.com

info@snowhawksottawa.ca
613-730-0701 · snowhawksottawa.ca

ALSO FROM SNOWHAWKS Saturday and Sunday programs, a PD Day Fun Day, and Winter Break and March Break camps. Details at snowhawksottawa.ca/programs.