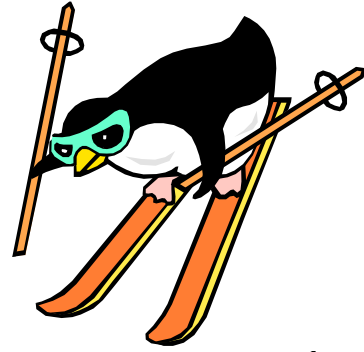


Registration Form:  
**St. Barbara All Night Ski Trip**

Hosted by Archdiocese of Chicago Youth Ministry  
Chestnut Mountain - Galena, IL



**Friday Night, February 5<sup>th</sup> to Saturday Morning, February 6<sup>th</sup>**  
**Registration Deadline with St. Barbara Rectory: Monday, January 18**  
(Why such an early deadline? Buses have to be chartered and various parish pickups scheduled.)  
**Pick-Up Friday: between 5:15 p.m.-7:30 p.m. - Return: Saturday Morning**

Please write amount enclosed on appropriate line. Checks payable to St. Barbara. **Cash or Check (please circle)**

\_\_\_\_\_ \$86 (ski rental, lift ticket, lesson, & transportation)

\_\_\_\_\_ \$86 (snowboard rental, lift ticket, lesson, & transportation)

\_\_\_\_\_ \$73 (no rental, lift ticket, lesson, & transportation)

\_\_\_\_\_ \$35 (NON-Skiing ADULT Transportation)

Questions? Contact Fr. Dennis Ziomek (312-842-7979), [dziomek@StBarbaraChicago.org](mailto:dziomek@StBarbaraChicago.org)

Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Father's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Parent Secondary Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Cell phone number if bringing one on Ski Trip: \_\_\_\_\_

Parents' E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Teen's E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Parish you belong to: \_\_\_\_\_

High School (if in HS): \_\_\_\_\_

Year in High School beginning August 2009: \_\_\_\_\_ Year of HS Graduation: \_\_\_\_\_

(Also complete Permission Form on Side 2)

OFC **YOUTH MINISTRY** All Night Ski Event  
Chestnut Mountain Galena, Illinois  
Friday, February 5th to Saturday, February 6th, 2010

**YOUTH PERMISSION FORM**

I hereby give permission for my youth \_\_\_\_\_ (fill in youth's name) to participate in the Office for Catechesis Youth Ministry ALL NIGHT SKI EVENT to be held at Chestnut Mountain in Galena, Illinois from Friday, February 5th to Saturday, February 6th, 2010.

I hereby release and indemnify the Archdiocese of Chicago, name of your of your parish/school \_\_\_\_\_ for this event, its staff and volunteers; and the Catholic Bishop of Chicago, a corporation sole, from any and all liability arising from claims of any kind or nature whatsoever from my child's participation in the program. I understand that if my child violates any laws regarding possession of **alcohol or drugs, or rules governing the event**, I will be called and notified about situation and/or arrangements made to send my child home at my expense.

**MEDICAL AUTHORIZATIONS**

In the event that the undersigned cannot be reached, and in the judgment of the responsible adults or other appropriate staff members accompanying the group, if there is a necessity for immediate examination and/or treatment of my child, I hereby authorize any of the aforesaid personnel to obtain for my child such medical services as are deemed necessary.

**I GRANT PERMISSION** for the adult chaperons for this event to administer non-prescription drugs as needed for my teen (aspirin, ibuprofen, antacids, etc.) \_\_\_\_\_ YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO

**I AUTHORIZE THE OFCYM & (NAME OF YOUR PARISH)** \_\_\_\_\_ to use photographs/videos of my child for productions, publications, and etc. \_\_ YES \_\_ NO

**EMERGENCY CONTACT**

**NAME OF EMERGENCY CONTACT** \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship \_\_\_\_\_ Phone No. ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

**NAME OF PHYSICIAN** \_\_\_\_\_ Phone No. ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

**INSURANCE INFORMATION**

Policy in the Name of \_\_\_\_\_ Policy # \_\_\_\_\_

Insurance company \_\_\_\_\_ ID # \_\_\_\_\_

**HEALTH INFORMATION**

Allergies: \_\_\_\_\_ Current Med \_\_\_\_\_

Other Comments \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Youth Signature \_\_\_\_\_

OFC / **YOUTH MINISTRY ALL NIGHT SKI EVENT** Chestnut Mountain Galena, Illinois  
Friday, February 5th to Saturday, February 6th, 2010

**INFORMATION, PROCEDURES AND GUIDELINES**

The OFCYM All Night Ski Event is a fun and exciting event designed for youth groups from parishes and schools. In order for this event to be a safe, positive and successful experience for all, PLEASE READ THE INFORMATION ENCLOSED AND FOLLOW ALL GUIDELINES AND PROCEDURES.

EVERYONE UNDER 21 YEARS OF AGE MUST PURCHASE A LIFT TICKET. Each person under 21 who attends the OFCYM All Night Ski Event must purchase a lift ticket and submit a complete OFCYM Youth Permission and Parental/Guardian Authorization Form. People under the age of 21 may not register for this trip on their own. All participants must fall under the auspices of a parish or school group.

**ALL CHAPERONES MUST HAVE COMPLETED VIRTUS TRAINING “PROTECTING GOD’S CHILDREN” CANTS AND BACKGROUND CHECK.**

OFCYM YOUTH PERMISSION AND PARENTAL/GUARDIAN AUTHORIZATION FORM

All participants under the age of 21 are required to submit a signed OFCYM Youth Permission Authorization form. Please use the enclosed original to make copies. Please keep a copy of the form for your records. You must bring these copies with you to Chestnut in case of an accident.

IN CASE OF EMERGENCY

Chestnut will provide ski patrol for safety and accident care. If needed as deemed by SKI PATROL, provide resort van or ambulance transportation of the injured person to hospital best suited for the injury as decided by ski patrol. This is either Galena Hospital or Dubuque, IA Hospital. OFCYM will have transportation available as deemed needed.

BUS PICK-UP

The number, registered per parish/school will determine bus location pick-up. Bus will be leaving pick-up points between 5:15 pm – 7:30 pm. As soon as your group registration is received you will be notified of pick-up location and time. Transportation is on coach bus by Lamers Bus Lines. You will be given a group bus pass with the number of (paid) riders on it per your registration.

GROUP LESSIONS

Lesson will run from 10:00 pm to 2:00 am. We encourage everyone to take them.

CHAPERONES

Please encourage chaperones to oversee your teens and ski area in general both on the slopes and in the lodges FOR BOTH SAFETY AND APPROPRIATE BEHAVIOR. (Including the dancing in the dance area). There will be a small room directly connected to the Banquet Room with chairs and tables for the chaperones to enjoy.

BONFIRE

Bonfire with seating located in front of Skier Services Building. There will be picnic tables’ set up outside near campfire area for additional seating.

MUSIC & DJ

Music & DJ will be provided from midnight to 4:30 am in the Banquet Room.

### P.A.

There will be a P.A. system throughout the event to be used for communicating announcements, general information, and emergencies.

### SECURITY

Security will be provided in all areas of the resort, secure areas will not be open to teens.

### CAFETERIA ROOM

The cafeteria will be open until approximately 4:00 am with hot and cold foods for sale. Groups are welcome to bring their own food.

### COMPLIMENTARY LIFT TICKET FOR CHAPERONES OF GROUPS WITH 20 OR MORE PARTICIPANTS

A group is eligible for 1 complimentary lift ticket for a chaperone per every 20 paid skiers. Groups may decide how it is to be used e.g for an adult or youth.

### PRIVATE EVENT

The OFCYM ALL NIGHT SKI EVENT is a private event. ONLY groups registered with the OFCYM are able to attend.

### NO SMOKING

No smoking is allowed inside the rental area or banquet room. Youth are NOT allowed to smoke at the event.

### CHESTNUT STAFF

The ski area will be fully staffed with Chestnut personnel including ski patrol, instructors, lift operators and security.

### LOCKERS AND SKI LOCKS

Lockers for change of clothes, etc are located in the rental area. Skis can be locked outside, we strongly recommend this; you cannot walk around the banquet area with skis on. Lockers are \$. 75 and take only quarters.

### EXTRA VEHICLE

The OFCYM will provide an extra vehicle in the event it is needed.

### PAYMENT

Payment must be submitted with group registration form on or before Monday, January 18<sup>th</sup>, 2010. Once payment is received you will be able to pick up **your lift, rental and bus passes** from your Vicariate Coordinator or have them sent to you. Parish, school, youth group checks, money orders and cash will be acceptable for payment. NO personal checks will be accepted. ALL TICKETS AND RENTAL PACKAGES ARE NONREFUNDABLE, please make checks payable to the **OFC YOUTH MINISTRY** mail to: ATT: Maria (Cooky) Perez-Eraci, All Night Ski Event, 3525 South Lake Park Ave, Chicago, IL 60653.

### BUS PASS

Each group will receive a (Group) bus pass with the number of paid riders written on it.

## Some **FAQs:**

- 1) Yes, everyone must take transportation provided.
- 2) Chestnut provides ski patrol and has accident care, if needed as deemed by ski patrol, provided by resort are vans or ambulance transportation of injured person to hospital best suited for injury as decided by ski patrol. This is either Galena Hospital or Dubuque, IA Hospital (Cooky will also have transportation available).
- 3) Non-skiing adults, transportation (\$35.00 RT.)
- 4) Everyone under 21 must purchase a lift ticket; each person under the age of 21 who attends must purchase a lift ticket and submit a complete OFCYM Youth Permission Authorization form. People under the age of 21 may not register for this trip on their own. All participants must fall under the auspices of a parish or school group.
- 5) All chaperoning adults and anyone over the age of 18 must have completed the Virtus Training "Protecting Gods Children" and background check process.
- 6) What if I decide to switch from skiing to snowboarding, you will need to pay \$5.00 to change from one to the other. You can take care of that at the resort on your own.
- 7) Bus pick-up will be determined by the size of your group, we are renting 47 and 55 passenger buses. Buses will be leaving between 5:15 pm – 7:30 pm. Since they will be leaving from various location they will be (staggered), arriving at different times, Chestnut is equip to handle over 2,400 sets of ski rentals, The Village ski center is 20,000 square feet.
- 8) Ski/Snowboard lessons from 10:00 pm – 2:00 am, meeting the youth at the top of the hill.
- 9) Cafeteria room with tables and chairs, open from arrival until departure, food available until approximately 4:00 am with hot and cold foods for sale, or you could bring your own.
- 10) Music and DJ will be provided from midnight to 4:30 am in Banquet Room.
- 11) Security in all areas of the resort will be provided.
- 12) Rental building will be staffed.
- 13) All ski/snowboard runs will be lighted and available from arrival until 5:00am. **5:15 am- 6:00 am departure**).
- 14) If you will be bringing your own food, please make sure you bring an extra garbage bag to put your garbage in. Although the facility provides garbage cans, they often over flow and it may be better that we bring our own. We can leave the garbage bags there. **We need to clean up after ourselves as best we can.** Thank you so much for your cooperation.
- 15) Please provide your cell number just in case we need to connect before, during, and while traveling to Chestnut.

**OFC YOUTH MINISTRY  
ALL NIGHT SKI EVENT 2010  
PLEASE SKI SAFELY !!!**

- ✓ Dress properly for the cold.
- ✓ Don't wear scarves hanging loose outside one's jacket; a scarf can get caught in the rope tow or lift.
- ✓ Fatigue can be a problem. Everyone should periodically come to the lodge to warm up and rest.
- ✓ Ski defensively.
- ✓ Look out for the safety of those around you.
- ✓ When meeting another skier, the downhill skier has the right of way.
- ✓ At the junction of 2 runs, the person on the larger trail has the right of way.
- ✓ Never ski fast through a crowd of people, near trees, T-bars, lifts, rope tows, and lift lines.
- ✓ All skiers should use common sense on the slopes.
- ✓ There are many hazards such as chair lifts, tow ropes, equipment, and weather and snow conditions.
- ✓ Be aware of the surroundings including other skiers. Anticipate changes in the conditions and the actions of other skiers.
- ✓ Become familiar with the trails and the difficulty of each run.
- ✓ Ski controlled.
- ✓ One should never ski so fast that you cannot stop within your field of vision, which can be limited, by fog, snow, bumps and turns.
- ✓ Ski within your capabilities and always maintain the ability to change directions and/or stop when and where you want to.
- ✓ The key to control is turning. Turning is the chief means of controlling speed.
- ✓ Don't stop in the middle of a crowded slope and any location where you cannot be seen such as under a slope or around a bend. A ski slope has a variety of angles, pitches, bumps, rolls, side hills and snow conditions, so judgment concerning speed is very important.
- ✓ A LESSON IS INCLUDED WITH THE LIFT TICKET SO USE IT! YOU PAID FOR IT AND YOU WILL BE A BETTER AND SAFER SKIER.

**HAVE FUN!**