

Thank you for your interest in our Snowsports Instructor Training course. This year's Instructor Training Course is scheduled for Saturday, December 13th and Sunday, December 14th, 2008.

To apply for the Instructor Training Course, you will need to be at least 16 years of age by the time you complete your training. If you are 16 or 17 years of age, you will need working papers and these will be obtained after the ITC training and once you are hired. You must be a strong intermediate skier or rider.

Please complete the attached application and mail it with payment of \$50.00 to Blue Mountain Ski Area, P.O. Box 216, Palmerton, Pa. 18071. You may also bring your completed application to the mountain's business office during normal business hours. Your application must be received before noon on the 12th of December, 2008. A late fee of \$25.00 will be required for all applications received after noon on the 12th of December, 2008.

Registration begins at 8:00am on Saturday, December 13th in the Vista Lounge located on the second floor of the Summit Lodge. Saturday's event will conclude on or before 4:00pm and will resume on Sunday, December 14th at 8:00am. Sunday's event will conclude at 3:00pm. A short meeting in the Vista Lounge of all candidates will follow. Your continued training specific to the Snowsports department you have selected to work in will be discussed at this time.

A 15-hour per week commitment is required once you are hired. We offer several shifts through out the week to help you satisfy your commitment. Our candidates who plan to work in our Explorer program (children), your time obligation may vary.

Check out our website, www.bluschools.com and click on the ITC button to see our many benefits.

If Blue Mountain Ski Area is open, you may use our free courtyard ski and snowboard valet service. Please do not bring your equipment into the second floor of the lodge. If Blue Mountain is not open, the event will take place indoors. In that case, please plan to bring your lunch as the food service will not be available. On snow training will follow once we are open.

THE INSTRUCTOR TRAINING COURSE will take place regardless of weather conditions.

We are looking forward to meeting you on Saturday morning, December 13th, 2008.

**Timothy Burt
Director, Blue Mountain Snowsports Schools**

Snowsports School Instructor Application (minimum age 16)

Please PRINT clearly in INK

Instructor Training Course for the Winter season 2008-2009 on December 13th and 14th, 2008

Check the Snowsports discipline you are interested in: Skiing Snowboard Explorers(children's) department Ski SB

Name _____ Home Phone _____ Cell number _____ E-Mail _____

Street _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Date of birth _____ Age _____ (Employment may be subject to verification of your age-Working Papers are required if you are under the age of 18)

Work place or school _____ Address of: _____

In case of an Emergency, contact: Name _____ Phone Number _____

Have you taught skiing or snowboarding before? No Yes If yes, at what area _____

Name of Director _____ Years taught _____ When _____

Are you a current member of PSIA / AASI No Yes Registered Level I Level II - Level III Certification number _____

What are your skiing or riding preferences:

(check all that apply) I am comfortable skiing/riding on: Groomed Intermediate Terrain Groomed Expert Terrain Intermediate Moguls Expert Moguls
 Intermediate "Crud" (un-groomed terrain) Expert "Crud" (un-groomed terrain) Short Radius Turns Medium Radius Turns Long Radius turns
 Slow Speeds Medium Speeds Fast Speeds Easy Terrain Park Difficult Terrain Park

Please describe any physical and/or mental condition that we need to be aware of during your participation in the Blue Mountain Ski Area ITC event _____

I _____ (PRINT YOUR NAME) want to register for the Blue Mountain Ski Area Snowsports School Instructor Training Course (ITC) to be held on the specified dates above. I am aware that there are significant risks in all Snowsports that are taught at Blue Mountain Ski Area. I am aware that there are natural and man-made obstacles and hazards, surface and environmental conditions, and other risks which, in combination with my actions, may cause me severe or possible fatal injury. I agree as a participant, I must take an active role in understanding and accepting these risks, conditions, and hazards. I further agree to hold blameless Blue Mountain Ski Area and its employees.

Signature _____ Date _____

Signature of Parent/Guardian (Required if candidate is under the age of 18) _____

A \$50.00 fee must accompany this application. (\$75.00 if received after 12 noon on Friday, Dec. 12th 2008). Make checks payable to Blue Mountain Ski Area. Mail to: Blue Mountain Ski Area, P.O. Box 216, Palmerton, Pa. 18071

ALL PARTICIPANTS MUST HAVE THEIR OWN EQUIPMENT. RENTALS WILL NOT BE AVAILABLE