

Attention Ski Enthusiasts! Jackrabbit Leaders

The Wilderness Wildcats NEED YOUR HELP! If you have years of on snow experience, love the sport, and can commit to help teach 6 out of 8 of the weekly sessions of Wilderness Wildcats please consider offering your advice and assistance. Your help would be greatly appreciated. Think you can help? Call Melanie at (814) 397-7791.

Volunteer Help is Also Needed!

We need help with snacks, organization of special events and general student monitoring. Think you can help? Call Melanie at (814) 397-7791.

The Wilderness Wildcats

The Wilderness Wildcats is a non-profit club that promotes cross country skiing as a life long activity, to promote sportsmanship, and develop youth competitive skiers. We are based out of Wilderness Lodge in Wattsburg, Pa.

YOUR CHILD IS A VALUED MEMBER!

Your child's participation in the Jackrabbit program includes membership in the Wilderness Wildcats! Registration fees cover both jackrabbit program materials, and ski pass for that day.



Wilderness Lodge FACILITIES

Wilderness Wildcats is lucky enough to base its operations out of Wilderness Lodge, the oldest cross country ski center in Pennsylvania! Located in Wattsburg, Pa. Wilderness offers 20 miles of trails groomed for both classic and skate skiing. A variety of trails for every skier meander through a beautiful deciduous forest with rolling hills. Being located in the heart of our snow belt we can have a great winter wonderland.

This year we have newly renovated space available under the rental shop for Wilderness Wildcats to meet, gather, and have instructional sessions. Thank you to Wilderness Lodge for providing us this space and to the many volunteers that helped renovate the space so it is suitable for our use!

The Wilderness Lodge houses a rental department, great home made meals, a Rustic County Inn made of broad hand hewn beams and granite, the lodge accommodates up to 40 guests in double, triple and quad rooms.

The Wilderness Wildcats Jackrabbit Ski League 2010

For Kids Age 4 to 15



**Join the Fun this Season!
Pre-Register / Register up until
December 1, 2009**

Starts January 9, 2010

The Wilderness Lodge
Weeks Valley Road
Wattsburg, Pa 16442
814-739-2946
www.thewildernesslodge.net

2010 SKI SKILLS PROGRAMS

Bunny Rabbits (Ages 4 - 6)

This program is designed to introduce young children to Cross Country Skiing by learning through discovery and focusing on FUN!

TIME: Saturday 2:00pm to 3:00 pm

NOTE Leaders may request you assist your child. This is a one hour program, please pick up children on time.

FEES: \$40 plus rental fees

Jackrabbits (Ages 6 +)

A progressive program providing an opportunity for children and young adolescents to learn at their own rate, participate in a life-long activity, and be rewarded for their achievements.

Levels 1 and 2 (jackrabbits)

TIME: Saturday 2:00 pm to 3:30 pm

This is a one & 1/2 hour program, please pick up children on time.

FEES: \$50 plus rental fees

Levels 3 and 4 (jackrabbits)

Both Classic and skate equipment will be needed.

TIME: Saturday 2:00 pm to 3:30 pm

This is a one & 1/2 hour program, please pick up children on time.

FEES: \$50 plus rental fees

Track Attack (Ages 10 to 18)

REQUIREMENT: Completed Level 4 skills of Jackrabbit program.

Participants will race along side other young skiers in regional races. Children actively learn about sportsmanship, racing technique, and themselves.

*Skiers need both classic and skate equipment.
Parents will be asked to pay race entries*

TIME: Saturday 2:00 pm to 4:00 pm

This is a two hour program, please pick up children on time.

FEES: \$75 plus rental fees

Pre-register or register up until December 1, 2009

All children attending the Wilderness Wildcats Ski Program can be pre-registered or register until December 1, 2009. No applications will be accepted after this. Fees for Registration and Rentals (if needed) must be paid in full at time of registration.

Rental Fee for Bunny Rabbit and Jackrabbit program cost \$5.00 per week. A total of \$40. is due at the time of Registration.

PLEASE BE AWARE THERE ARE NO MAKE UP DATES FOR JACKRABBIT PROGRAMS. PROGRAMS WILL BE OFFERED RAIN, SNOW OR COLD. IT IS UP TO PARENTS TO MAKE A DECISION WHETHER THEIR SKIER(S) SHOULD ATTEND ON ANY GIVEN DAY.

Parents! Lessons can be booked!

Adult Ski lessons (skate or classic) can be booked through Wilderness Lodge. Please contact the front desk 814-739-2946 to book your lesson.

Program Coaches

This year's coaches include three of our areas cross country ski enthusiasts: Jim Samuels, Ned Reade, and Melanie Reade. In addition, several parent volunteers are signed up to help facilitate this year's program. They hope to share their love for the sport and the great outdoors in our winter wonderland with your children.