GARFiELD SKi BUS

5 Fridays Skiing or Snowboarding at Snoqualmie Summit Central: **Jan 8, 15, 22, 29 & Feb 5 - 2027**

COST: **$515 -** lessons and transport **$285 -** transport only

Beginners Welcome! Some support available for gear rentals, tickets, transport, lessons.

Registration Deadline: DECEMBER 4, 2025

Pick up *and* return a numbered registration packet:
from/to **Mr. Miller, Room 341** - OR
from/to the porch at: **2765 S. Washington Street - 98144**

- ☐ Completed, SIGNED registration form
- ☐ SIGNED liability release form
- ☐ SIGNED COVID acknowlegement form
- ☐ Donation/Financial aid request form
- ☐ CHECK made out to **WEBBSKI INC**

DO NOT MAIL APPLICATIONS TO WEBBSKI!



Community families, friends and siblings welcome to register after December 4 if space is available.

For INFO join: **Ski Bus Google Group:** https://groups.google.com/g/garfieldskiparents
What's App: https://chat.whatsapp.com/DMJE2dE9Gtu60wNKwah5HR?mode=gi_t

A note to new families: ALL ARE WELCOME!

Ski bus can seem daunting, especially for students and families who are new to snow sports. We work with each family to support students in getting to the mountain, and make sure beginners have what they need to have fun and feel successful.

Support can include:
- winter clothing
- gear and helmets
- bus transportation
- lift tickets
- logistics, gear management
- food for the mountain

Applying for support is simple and confidential:

Let us know what support is requested when filling out the online registration form

If aid is requested, there is no need to send payment at this time.

GARFIELD SKI BUS BASICS - 2027

- 5 FRIDAYS of skiing or snowboarding at Summit Central: **Jan 8, 15, 22, 29 & Feb 5**
- Students can store gear in the gym during the day
- Bus picks students up after school at Garfield
- Families can register for 1.25 hr snowboard/ski lessons OR choose transportation only
- Experienced skiers and snowboarders free range in buddy groups, within their ability
- Beginners are supported as needed

Sample Friday outline:

- 3:40 pm School's out! Students gather gear.
- Ski bus departs 4:10 - 4:20 pm
- Ski bus arrives at SUMMIT CENTRAL 5:10-5:30 pm
- Time for gear set-up, free skiing/riding, meal in the lodges.
- 7:30-8:45 pm optional LESSONS with WEBBSKI
- 9:00 pm return to bus
- 9:30 pm depart for Seattle
- 10:30-10:45 pm ski bus arrives back at Garfield

Registration deadline: FRIDAY, DECEMBER 4, 2026

Registration is a two-step process. Make sure to complete BOTH steps:

1) FOR GARFIELD: Complete our **online form** with emergency contact information

2) FOR WEBBSKI: Fill out, SIGN and RETURN paper forms with PAYMENT BY CHECK*

- Paper Forms are available at Garfield from **Mr. Miller in room 341** or from the porch at **2765 S. Washington Street - 98144**
- **Be sure to sign BOTH yellow paper application and white liability form**

Registration is first-come, first served. We hope to fill 2 busses in 2027, with a minimum of 80 paying passengers, maximum of 102. Each bus holds 51 students and 4 parent chaperones.

Do not send forms by mail • Registrations will be submitted to WEBBSKI as a group.

PARENT VOLUNTEERS and CHAPERONES are crucial to ski bus. Join us!
Volunteers chaperone the buses, help get kids oriented/organized on the mountain, and have fun skiing together. Free lift tickets are available each week. Non-skiers also welcome!

Interested? Complete or renew your **SPS volunteer application** right away

Ski Bus Costs - 2027

$515 - lessons and transport • $285 - transport only

FINANCIAL AID:
We match pledges from Garfield Ski Bus families with families that need assistance. Information is confidential, and gathered at online registration. **Please ask if you need assistance. Please offer assistance if you can.**

Additional costs:

LIFT TICKETS/SKI PASSES are not included in the cost, and must be purchased separately.

If your student will ski/ride more than 5 times this year, it makes sense to purchase a pass.
Tickets and passes are available for purchase at **summitatsnoqualmie.com.** There are no special discounts for ski schools, but if passes sell out, we will still be able to purchase them through WEBBSKI. Please contact Karen Lewis - karen@kelewis.com with questions about passes.

If your student is a beginner who will ski/ride only during ski bus, it's best to reserve/purchase individual tickets online as you go - one for each day they are needed. Beginning students do NOT need a pass for the first lesson.

A sample beginner schedule:
Session 1: No ticket needed (First lessons in front of Webbski Chalet only)
Sessions 2: No ticket OR Beginner ticket - @$35*
Session 3: No ticket OR Beginner ticket - @$35*
Session 4: Night Lift ticket - @ $50
Session 5: Night Lift ticket - @ $50

***This is flexible, and depends on the developing skill and comfort of the skiiers/boarders.**
At the end of each lesson, the instructor will advise kids what they need for the following week, so you can reserve and purchase it online.The ski area is very accommodating to shift lift ticket purchases if needed.

EQUIPMENT RENTALS

WEBBSKI offers rentals at their chalet. This the best option for beginners. Experienced skiers/riders are advised to rent gear for the entire season from Summit at Snoqualmie or from one of several seattle businesses: Alpine Hut, EVO, Proski, Seattle Ski & Snowboard, etc.

Webski rental prices:

Skis/boots/poles $148 for 5 weeks
Snowboard/boots $150 for 5 weeks

Ski Gear/Clothing Swap

Check your "ski closets" for ski and snowboard items you are willing donate to other Families and add them to the **Gear Swap List**

Helmets, goggles and gloves will be in demand! We've added a Pay-As-You-Wish column for families that are in need of an item but are able and willing to pay a few bucks so that we can raise money for lessons, lift tickets and rental gear for those in need.

EXPECTATIONS of BEHAVIOR

Garfield Ski Bus riders are expected to:

- **Handle themselves and their equipment**
- **Take direction from adult coaches and chaperones**
- **Obey resort rules and make good choices about where to ski/ride**
- **Return to the ski bus on time**
- **Respect their bus driver**
- **Keep their ski bus CLEAN**

They will be accountable for their buddies and learn how to help each other in case of accident or emergency. Beginners will be fully supported as they begin their journey; experienced skiers will be expected to handle themselves and are allowed to ski or board independently.

Ski bus is AWESOME!

It brings great friends and good times and offers teens the opportunity to exercise independence in an amazing, outdoor setting.

It also comes with serious responsibilities.

Families and students unable to abide by group expectations may lose ski bus privileges - without refund.

NO SMOKING, VAPING, ALCOHOL or DRUGS allowed on the bus

