

Penyrheol Ski trip 2017



Stowe, Vermont

11th April – 16th April 2017



Tour Operator

- Leisureworld Educational Travel.
- We have used this company for our sports tours

Party size and composition

- 56 students
- 7 adults
- Total party size 63
- Pupils ski ability ranges from beginner to competent skiers



Transport

A coach will take us from school to Heathrow airport.

We will fly with United Airlines to Washington, then on to Boston.



Coach transfer from Boston to Stowe. 5 days of skiing

Coach transfer to New York for 2 days of fun!

Return flight from Newark to Heathrow airport.



Stowe

- Good beginners slopes
- Many long green/blue runs for improving ski ability
- Some Double diamond black runs for advanced skiers



Accommodation in Stowe

- Town & Country Resort.
- Recreation room
- Bar/Lounge
- Free WiFi
- Ski storage
- Pool Indoor and outdoor!

Use of the pool will not be permitted without staff supervision



Skiing

- 5 days skiing
- Lessons – 4 hours per day
- Boots, skis, poles and helmets are provided
- Ski pass provided
- Pupils placed in ability groups by instructors
- NO unsupervised skiing!



Meals in Stowe

- Buffet breakfast
- Hot lunch on mountain
- Evening meal
- Pupils usually take money to buy snacks and drinks on the mountain and in the evening
- All 3 meals per day are provided in Stowe



Evening activities

- Options include :
- Ice skating
- Bowling
- Cinema
- Tour of Ben & Jerry's ice cream factory



New York

17th – 18th April

Day 1

- We have a half day coach tour.
- We will get the ferry to Ellis Island to see the Statue of Liberty.
- NY Yankee's vs White socks baseball match in Yankee Stadium.



Staying at the Manhattan at Times Square.
The hotel is 4****

Day 2

- Shopping
- Then home!

Food is Half board in NY



Luggage

- 1 medium sized case – 23kg limit
- 1 piece of hand luggage - we will provide this closer to departure



Money & other essential documents

- Money can be collected by staff on arrival in America and distributed daily.
- ESTA – no ESTA no access to USA
- Pack most of the money in suitcase and keep out enough money for the journey
- e-Passport – staff will collect these and hand them out when needed at the airports

Medical matters



- Travel sickness –please ensure that the necessary precautions are taken
- Pupils are responsible for their own medication
- Inform member of staff if pupils are on medication

Medical details and contact numbers

- Please take a medical form and complete it fully.
- Forms can be completed and handed in tonight.
- Emergency contact person in the UK is Mr D Benney- contact details given before departure

Final arrangements

- Our departure time will be tweeted out and updated on the school website nearer to the time.
- Return flight lands at 6.45am in Heathrow on 19th April
- We will keep you updated via Twitter



Lets hope for lots of snow

- The twitter account is
- @PenyrheolSki