



Bigrock E-News

January 20, 2012

Status Report

Our last newsletter opened with this statement:

"I have **GOOD NEWS** to share:

The **COMET** is opening this weekend!"

Now, I have even **BETTER NEWS**:

It is **DUMPING** at Bigrock!

As of this writing, we have received 20" of new snow in the last eight days -- and it's still coming down!

With 5-6" of new, light, fluffy, powdery snow today, we will be looking to drop ropes on closed trails as soon as the Aroostook Ski Patrol performs their safety checks; we could **DOUBLE** our open terrain by the end of the weekend!

Of course, like most of you, we're greedy when it comes to snow -- check out our [#Tebow_for_Snow](#) project on our [facebook](#) page -- and keep praying for snow!

I also have important news to share regarding our operating hours. Read on for details.

As always...

THINK SNOW!

All the best,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Mark Shea", is enclosed in a light blue rectangular box.

Mark Shea

Hours of Operation

Due to several key contributing factors, the Bigrock Board of Directors and the Senior Management Team has recently made the very difficult decision to reduce our weekday operating hours for the remainder of the season.

Starting next Wednesday, January 25, 2012, Bigrock will be open from 3:00 – 8:00 p.m. EDT on Wednesdays, Thursdays, and Fridays.

All those involved in the decision making process feel strongly that the reduction in operating hours is the responsible action to take for both our customers and our business.

Like you, we have a passion for skiing and riding. We know that you will appreciate that this decision is in the best interest of us all. We welcome your comments; please direct them to info@bigrockmaine.com.

SnowSchool Programs

We are proud to announce that the Bigrock SnowSchool is now powered by [The Aroostook Medical Center!](#)



Multi-week programs have started, but there's still time to sign up!

CA Saturday Ski4Life, for kids from Mars Hill, Blaine and Bridgewater, meets Saturday mornings from 10am - Noon.

Littlerockers is for kids aged 4 - 6 years and is

specially designed for our youngest skiers and riders, with a focus on developing fundamental skills in a safe, yet fun-filled environment. Instructors in this program have lots of experience with kids and know how to use games and activities to make learning fun. Littlerockers meets Saturday afternoons from 1 - 3pm.

Bigrockers is for kids aged 7-13 years and is open to junior skiers and riders of all abilities, including first-timers. This 8-week program emphasizes skill development through coaching and on-mountain mileage. Bigrockers is not just skills; it's about fostering friendships and a lifelong appreciation for staying active in the winter.

Racerockers Participation will be based on the participant's ski ability, maturity level, and ability to accept and apply coaching. Each participant will be evaluated in the first week and placed in the program that is appropriate for their development. Race every Sunday!

It's not too late to sign up! Send an email to info@bigrockmaine.com, call the mountain (207-425-6711) or stop by the Rental Shop to register for more info!

Cost: \$120 (includes lift ticket). Season pass holders: \$80; Additional children from the same family: \$40.

Razor's Edge Ski and Board Tuning

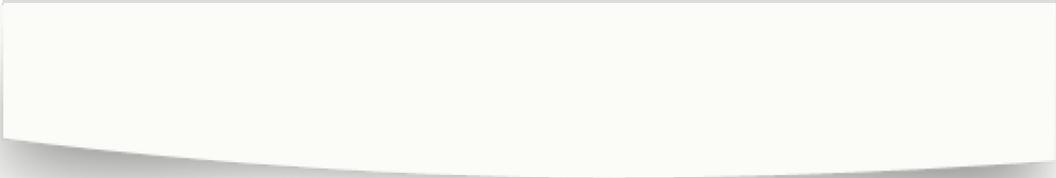
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Stop by the Bigrock Rental Shop or call 207-425-6711 to make an appointment!



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