

McCauley Mountain Ski Area



Winter 2021-22 Operating Protocols

Whether you have been with us since the 1950s or if this is your first visit, you are part the McCauley Mountain family. Your help in continuing to reduce the spread of COVID-19 to protect our guests, community, and employees is greatly appreciated. We had a successful season last year, in spite of all the adjustments. The spirit, the adventure, and all of the McCauley Experience continues, better than ever. Come back to McCauley Mountain and enjoy another Adirondack winter skiing and snowboarding safely with your McCauley family.

McCauley COVID Protocols – Winter 2021-22

- **Facemasks are not required outdoors at McCauley Mountain.**
- **As per NYState mandates, masks are required indoors except when eating and/or drinking. Social distancing is recommended.**
- **Please do not visit if you are ill, have tested positive for COVID-19 or are aware of an exposure in the past 14 days. Come enjoy McCauley when you are cleared.**

OPERATIONAL UPDATES

13 DEC 2021— The State 10 NYCRR 2.60 requirement applies to all non-private residences and spaces. If the venue operators do not require proof of vaccination as a condition of entry, everyone must wear masks at all times regardless of vaccination status except when eating, drinking, or alone in an enclosed room.

CLICK HERE: <https://www.governor.ny.gov/news/governor-hochul-announces-major-action-address-winter-surge-and-prevent-business-disruption>

NY State DOH travel advisories are updated regularly:

CLICK HERE: [NYS Travel Guidance.](#)

Our McCauley Mountain team is:

- Dedicated to leading the efforts to provide a safe experience for everyone at our resort.
- Undergoing regular health screenings.
- Following guidelines recommended by New York State and CDC.
- Continuing enhanced cleaning procedures.
- Monitoring capacity limits and encouraging social distancing.
- Maintaining hand sanitizer stations throughout our venue.
- Using signage and conversations to advise and remind guests of positive precautions at all areas of our venue.
- At your disposal to expedite and remedy any issues or concerns you may have to more fully enjoy your experience at McCauley Mountain.

Tickets — Daily/Seasonal (Capacities may be limited)

- **At times, Season Pass sales for new applicants is may be ON PAUSE. This will be continually evaluated. 2020-21 pass holders will be issued a 2021-22 pass when they apply. Everyone’s health is our primary concern, including the McCauley Mountain staff.**
- Advanced purchase online is available for all lessons and ticket sales.
- The daily purchase of tickets, lessons, or rentals at the mountain is not guaranteed, and you may not be able to ski without a season pass or pre-purchased ticket.
- To maximize your experience, we encourage weekday visits to McCauley Mountain, since weekends are typically very busy. That is when capacity limitations are most likely to may be imposed.
- The 15 kilometers of groomed cross country trails at McCauley provide a great, uncrowded alternative which is typically underutilized.

Arrivals and Departures

- **When possible and convenient, please put on your gear at your vehicle.**
- Please do not leave children unattended in the parking area.
- Arrive as ready to go as possible, avoiding excessive indoor time.
- Indoor storage space is limited; please utilize your vehicle for storage.
- We encourage use of your “Car Chalet” to reduce traffic in the lodge.

Lifts

- All guests at McCauley Mountain are directed to follow the instructions of the lift attendants and staff members.
- No one will be directed to ride with someone if they are not comfortable doing so.
- **Each McCauley staff member is dedicated to helping everyone have a safe, quality experience.**

Food and Beverage

- **Facemasks are required to be worn indoors by everyone except when eating and drinking (Waiting in line, and moving around inside the Chalet.) Social distancing is recommended.**
- The Grill Room and entire upstairs space in the Chalet is designated for dining. Tables are spaced at a minimum of 6' apart.
- Those who have purchased food and beverage have first priority seating at the tables in the Chalet.
- Thank you for making room for others. Please reasonably limit your time at the tables.
- Please try to avoid the busier lunch hour at approximately 12 noon.
- Individuals who are bringing their own food are encouraged to use their vehicles for "Parking Lot Picnics". Also, there is a small Picnic Pavilion at the summit.
- Please do not store food at tables or other public spaces at McCauley Mountain. If you are bringing food, it should be stored in your vehicle or carried in a personal pack and not left in the chalet.

McCauley Chalet

- **Appropriate face masks must be used by everyone in the Chalet except when eating and/or drinking, and social distancing is recommended.**
- Please limit your time in the chalet, and be respectful of others who are waiting to warm up inside.
- Personal items (especially food) should not be stored under tables.