



## Telluride Adaptive Sports Program General Information

**Student Lessons:** Adaptive snow sport lessons in alpine, nordic, and snowboard are at Telluride Ski Resort and generally facilitated by two instructors for one student. Our team of professional adaptive instructors is dedicated to meeting your needs. Professionally trained instructors teach all lessons and share their adaptive knowledge throughout your lesson. A daily lift ticket, equipment, and instructor(s) are included in the lesson price. We try to keep the student with the same instructor for the duration of their stay, but staffing and program needs may dictate otherwise. "Private Request" lessons are offered to *guarantee* the student will have the same lead instructor for multiple days in a row.

**Ski Buddy:** Ski buddies are available for independent skiers who may need a little extra help with lift procedures or simply desire a knowledgeable adaptive ambassador to accompany them around the mountain. A daily lift ticket, equipment, and a trained TASP ambassador are included in the ski buddy price. Little if any technical instruction/feedback is given with this product. Students must be pre-approved through TASP for qualification of this mountain experience.

**Student Eligibility:** Our PSIA/AASI accredited ski & snowboarding program is open to individuals over the age of four with a physical and/or cognitive disability or any condition which limits personal success in lessons offered through Telluride Ski and Ride School lessons. Medical documentation may be required for your participation in the adaptive program and permission from your doctor may be required if you have been injured within the past year or have had a recent surgery. TASP has a strict 200 pound weight limit for our sit-ski program to ensure the safety of each student, instructor, and equipment.

**Scheduling a Lesson:** We recommend reservations be made at least two weeks prior to your visit to Telluride. Lessons fill quickly at holiday times so please consider reserving well ahead of your visit. For lessons scheduled with less than 48 hours of notice, there will be a \$25 service charge. However, please keep in mind that we can not always accommodate day-of bookings. Contact the TASP office to schedule a lesson at (970) 728-3865 or [programs@tellurideadaptivesports.org](mailto:programs@tellurideadaptivesports.org).

**Lift Tickets:** A daily lift ticket is included in the lesson price and will be with the student's file upon your arrival to the TASP office. Let us know if you have an adaptive season pass or would like to purchase one (\$399 through TelSki Ticket Sales directly). Season pass holding will reduce the daily lesson rate by \$40.

**Rental Equipment:** Alpine, nordic, and snowboard equipment rental is included in the lesson price and is kindly provided by Telluride Sports. Vouchers must be obtained at the TASP office before renting equipment. Please arrive early on your first lesson day or secure rental the day before to expedite your lesson start time. Rental equipment may be left at the TASP office overnight, space pending.

**Adaptive Rental Equipment:** Adaptive equipment is available for rent outside of lessons if you have successfully completed a lesson with us and have the approval of the Program Director. Due to our limited inventory of adaptive equipment, lessons have priority for use. Equipment available for rent includes: visually impaired/guide bibs for \$5.00/day, outriggers for \$25.00/day, ski bikes for \$25/day, tip retention devices, prices dependent upon model. Like all lessons, a current credit card must be on file with TASP. Renters are responsible for all repair charges for broken or mishandled equipment as agreed upon by a signed Rental Agreement.

**Payment Methods:** We accept Visa, MasterCard, American Express, checks (made out to TASP) and cash. Pre-payment or current credit card information is needed to secure your reservation.

**Cancellation Policy:** Please call the office to cancel a lesson. If you call to cancel at least 48 hours prior to your scheduled lesson start time, then TASP will keep only your \$75 nonrefundable deposit. However, if you cancel within 48 hours of the start of your scheduled lesson, then you will be charged ½ of your lesson cost or \$75, whichever is greater (down payment is applied toward this amount). If you do not call nor do you show up for your scheduled lesson, you will automatically be charged the full lesson amount the day of your scheduled lesson.

**Scholarships:** Scholarships are available to students needing financial assistance. Contact the office to get a scholarship form and return it to TASP at least 2 weeks prior to your lesson for review.

**Group Coordinators:** We would love to host your group to ski or ride with our program. Please contact the Program Director to schedule or receive more information.

**Directions to the Adaptive Sports Program Office:** Our office is located in the main breezeway of Hotel Madeline. From the Village Core, go under the archway by 'SMAK Bar', continue past the ice rink, take a right and a quick left. Our office is the last unit before getting to the snow of Lift #1. From the Madeline drop-off circle, enter the breezeway and take your first right turn. We are just down the way and the last unit on the left. Look for signs! *This is where students meet for ski and snowboard lessons.*

**Parking in Mountain Village:** Check with the Visitor Information Center at the Mountain Village entrance to discuss accessible parking or lesson drop-off. Individual skier drop-off is available in the main Hotel Madeline pull-up circle on Mountain Village Blvd (immediately after *the* stop sign). There is one accessible space in front of the Blue Mesa Building off of Mountain Village Blvd. and two spaces by the Village Pond Parking Lot. Spaces are also available for pay in the parking garage underneath the Hotel Madeline in Heritage Crossing. You may also park at the Gondola Parking Lot in the Mountain Village (\$7/day) and ride the short-leg gondola into the Village Core. Elevator access is available from the gondola plaza once you arrive in Mountain Village. If you have a placard or denoted plate for accessible parking, contact the TASP office to discuss further parking options.

**Options to get to Mountain Village from the Town of Telluride:** You may drive to Mountain Village or take the gondola, which is located at the base of Lift 8 on Oak Street in Telluride. From the Gondola Plaza in Mountain Village, you may take the stairs or the elevator down to ground level and continue straight into the Village Core. Follow directions from above once in the Core. There are wheelchair accessible cars on all legs of the gondola, just ask the operators for assistance if you need any.

**Telluride Ski Resort:** For general Telluride Ski Area information, contact TelSki at 970-728-6900 or 866-287-5015 or visit their website at [www.tellurideskiresort.com](http://www.tellurideskiresort.com).

**Lodging Information:** Contact Telluride/Mountain Village Visitor Services at 800-525-3455 or 970-728-3041 or visit their website at [visittelluride.com](http://visittelluride.com) and inform them of any accessible lodging needs. TASP can recommend preferred accessible accommodations upon your request.

### 2013/14 PROGRAM PRICES AND INFORMATION

TYPE	PRICE (per day)	PRICE – w/ season pass	TIME	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION
Lesson – Full Day	\$225	\$185	9:30 – 3:30	Includes ticket, equipment and trained instructor(s)
Lesson – Half Day	\$140	\$100	9:00 - 12:00 or 1:00 – 4:00	Same as above
Ski Buddy – Full Day	\$90	\$50	9:30 – 3:30	Includes ticket, equipment and trained ambassador
Ski Buddy – Half Day	\$80	\$40	9:00 - 12:00 or 1:00 – 4:00	Same as above
Private Request Lesson – Full Day	\$400	\$360	9:30 – 3:30	Guarantees same instructor multiple days in a row
Private Request Lesson – Half Day	\$300	\$260	9:00 - 12:00 or 1:00 – 4:00	Guarantees same instructor multiple half days in a row
Adaptive Season Pass	\$399			Purchase through Telluride Ski Resort ticket sales office

**\*\*Please note there will be an additional \$25 added on to any lesson price that is scheduled with under 48 hours of notice. If you schedule multiple lessons at this time, then the fee will only be added to your first lesson cost.**

**\*\*\* There is a \$75 nonrefundable down payment due at the time of booking \*\*\***

**This down payment is applicable to each group of dates that you book throughout the season.  
(i.e. if you book 2 separate weeks during the season then you will be charged 2 down payments.)**