

MT. HOOD CULTURAL CENTER & MUSEUM
Government Camp, Oregon

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Ski Glade Trail Day 2015

Government Camp, OR – The **Mt. Hood Cultural Center and Museum** will hold this annual event on March 7, 2015. Once a year, under permit from the US Forest Service, the historic Glade Ski Trail is opened and groomed for this participatory living history event. This once popular downhill ski trail starts at Timberline Lodge and ends in Government Camp, a distance of three miles. Before the advent of high speed ski lifts, highly groomed slopes and extreme snowboard acrobatics, skiing long trails was popular. According to Lloyd Musser, Museum Curator, "this event helps fulfill our mission of preserving and interpreting the history of Mt. Hood". This is a chance for Grandparents to ski with their grandchildren and share the memories of skiing the Glade Trail, when it was the biggest ski adventure on Mt. Hood." "This will be the twelfth year of this event and it is always a fun event".

Participants are treated to a red carpet day of skiing. Skiers are shuttled to Timberline in comfortable airport shuttle vans, escorted by local guides and senior members of the Mt. Hood Ski Patrol, and served a hearty lunch. Shuttles will run from 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM allowing ticket holders to make several trail runs. The events of the day are recounted at the Après ski party, where prizes are awarded. Wearing vintage ski clothing is encouraged.

Participation is limited to 75 skiers. Event tickets are \$100.00 per person for members, a portion of which is deductible as a donation to the MHCC&M, a non-profit organization. Non-members may purchase a ticket and membership for \$125.00 that includes a one year family museum membership. Additional tickets for family members are \$100.00. Tickets may be purchased at the museum, or by calling 503-272-3301. Visa is accepted.

Background information on Mt. Hood trail skiing is available on our webpage in an article entitled [Trail Skiing on Mount Hood a Long Standing Tradition.](#) www.mthoodmuseum.org
Photographs from past years events are available on the website or upon request.

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2015 poster attached.

Ski the Blade

March 7th, 2015

\$100 per museum member
\$125.00 non-members
(includes one year family membership)



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