



## ***Ski Wentworth:* Canada Games and so much more**

The largest ski area in the Maritimes will host the largest skiing event ever held in the region in early 2011.

From February 11 to 27, the focus at Ski Wentworth will be on the more than 200 athletes who will be competing in alpine skiing and freestyle events at the 2011 Canada Winter Games.

During the Games, Ski Wentworth will "be open for business as usual," says Leslie Wilson, general manager.

Non-skiers are invited to drop by the lobby to enjoy the atmosphere and stay for food or a beverage.

The big attraction this ski season is a Magic Carpet – the first in Nova Scotia. "It's like a walking sidewalk so you just step on it and ride to the top," said Wilson. The 'carpet' will replace the rope tow on the bunny hill. "It's going to be a lot easier and a lot more fun for people to learn."

On Thanksgiving Weekend, up to 2,500 people attend the annual Wentworth Valley Fall Festival of Colours. "You ride up the chair and walk back."



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