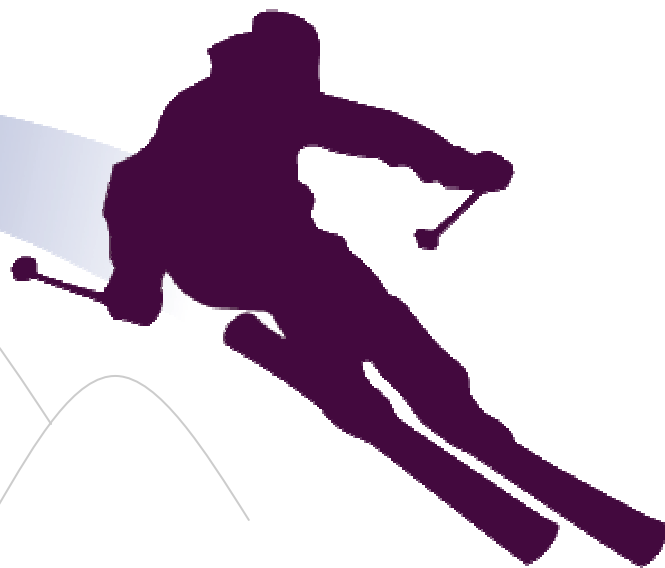


Tips & Tails

January 2015

# STARK COUNTY SKI CLUB



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Cleveland Metro Ski Council  
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## Meeting Schedule

Social @ 6:00PM -Meeting @ 7:00PM

Tuesday Jan. 20th 2015

Tuesday Feb. 17th 2015

Tuesday Mar. 17th 2015



Newsletter articles to be printed for publication should be submitted to the editor no later than the Friday which follows the 3rd Tuesday of the month meeting.

**Stark County Ski Club  
Membership Application**

Name(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phones: Home \_\_\_\_\_ Work \_\_\_\_\_ Cell(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

Alternate Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

Membership (Please Circle Type of Membership)	<u>Renewal</u>	<u>New</u>
<b>Note: Membership year is from Nov 1 to Oct 31.</b>		

Dues: Single Member	\$20	\$30
Couple Membership (2 people who share the same address)	\$25	\$40
Family	\$30	\$45

Our newsletters are distributed by email.  
 If you would you like the newsletter mailed to you, add:

	\$10	\$10
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If "New" member, how did you hear about our club \_\_\_\_\_

**Make checks payable to Stark County Ski Club.**

Total Enclosed with Application \$ \_\_\_\_\_

NOTICE: By signing and/or accepting any membership benefit, and/or participating in any club activity, applicant releases Stark County Ski Club, its officers, board members, chairpersons, trip leaders and members from any and all liability or any claims including theft, property loss, accident, injury, death of or to themselves, family members, or guests, arising from participation in any club activity, whether resulting from negligence or otherwise.

Signature(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Please return this application form with the appropriate membership dues to:  
 Alice Nowell 1653 Chatham Avenue NE North Canton, OH 44720**

Optional for New & Existing Members: What most interests you about the Club and/or what would you like to see us attempt in the future?

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\_\_\_\_\_

# Stark County Ski Club

## View From The Top

Welcome to 2015! Our ski season has begun.

I'll let Bill Bail give the details, but we have added a second bus for our Member Appreciation Trip on January 11<sup>th</sup> trip to Peek n' Peak. We are close to getting a magic number of 90 people for this trip. Thank you members, we appreciate you!

Following close behind, the January 16<sup>th</sup> trip to Seven Springs is SOLD OUT! The bus is full and we are taking applications & checks for the waiting list. Mr. Pokopac will elaborate on his bus filling techniques. You can now ski Hidden Valley and Seven Springs on the same lift ticket.

If you are thinking about the Casino/Holiday Valley trip, **deadline is January 10<sup>th</sup>**. I found out that the band "America" is playing at the Casino on Saturday night, the 23<sup>rd</sup>, the night we are staying at the Casino. The two founding members are still there, but the drummer retired and their lead guitarist had to miss the tour due to cancer treatments. Not to worry, a new drummer and lead guitar have filled the voids and we can all still sing the words to "A horse with no name" and "Sister Golden Hair" with them.

For the H&H trip, new dining experiences await you in Ellicottville. Tommy and Bonnie's has taken over the old Hoagies place and are offering new food fare. There's a new tap room/restaurant open in a new plaza behind the gas station near the Wingate to titillate your palate. Madigan's is offering dinner from 4-7PM on Fridays. Dina's has expanded her space and offering more options to her diners. And, Tiffany's Cabaret is open in Salamanca! Don't wait to sign up for Bob Hoff's trip. You don't want to miss out on his 70's party and the other new experiences do you?

All payments are in for Whitefish, Montana and packing directions, lists of extra-curricular activities, dining opportunities, rooming lists, and trip details will be going out to our 20 train riders and 10 plane riders shortly.

If you are going to Holimont with the Johnson's in February, you will see the new expansion areas being developed on the west side of the area. No lifts there yet, but the expansion will add a lot of nice terrain for blue/green skiers in the near future. Don't miss the opportunity to travel to Holimont with your friendly hosts, Jeri and Gary!

Okemo Resort and Mt. Snow, Vermont are now prepped for the SCSC invasion of 40 people on February 22-27. The Pointe is on point and Zee is working to put together a surprise dining experience at Mt. Snow. We are eager to try out the new covered, heated chairlift at Okemo! As with Whitefish, we are preparing the packing, lodging, dining, and trip details to send out to participants soon.

The grand finale, Mardi Gras at Holiday Valley, is an event you shouldn't miss. It's the end of most Ohioans ski season and a time to have more fun on the slopes (besides skiing). Games, prizes, goodies, and the ice bar are in store for those who take advantage of this trip with Justin and Candice.

There, the season is over already! That was quick. Don't wait any longer. Sign up now for those trips that still have openings and enjoy the company of your fellow Stark County Ski Club members.

Think Snow!

**January 2015**

## Stark County Ski Club Meeting

December 16, 2014

E.B.'s Pub at Meadowlake

### Call to Order

President Jim Kovach called the meeting to order at 7:05 pm. He welcomed everyone and had four new members introduce themselves.

Fifty-seven (57) individuals were present.

### Officer Reports

**President Report:** Jim Kovach reported that after November's trip committee vote, Fred Scherer declined the chair position, it was then offered to the second highest vote getter, Scott Hunsinger, who also declined. Gary Johnson had the third most votes but due to trip committee guidelines, is not able to have that position three consecutive years. Thus making Art Pokopac our Trip Committee Chairperson.

**Vice President Report:** Jim reported for Candice Ford, who is on vacation. He noted that marketing efforts are gaining the club notoriety through the events we are attending. We have been gaining new members.

**Treasurer Report:** Donna Brancifort reported the amount in the treasury. She noted that major deposits will be made on the Vermont and Whitefish trips. **Secretary Report:** Jennie Stephan reported on the amount collected in the 50/50 raffle and how the door prize drawing would be handled at the end of the meeting.

**Social Chair Report:** Diane Marzec was not able to attend. Jim reported that we had a great time at our Kick off the Season party at the Barrel Room and we fulfilled the drink quota. There will be no further December socials.

**Trip Committee Chair Report:** Art Pokopac introduced himself and said the trip committee would start looking at 2016 trips. Art then called for the following trip reports.

### Trip Reports

**Holiday Valley, NY Dec. 20** Trip leader Jim Kovach \$52. Demo Day at Holiday Valley, self-drive with group rate lift tickets if enough interest. Contact Jim to let him know if you will be going.

**Peak n Peek, NY Jan. 11.** \$50 SCSC member appreciation price, \$65 for all others. Trip Leader Bill and Cindy Bail. One bus is filled and another bus is tentatively scheduled. We will need 80 people to run the second bus and we are currently at 64 so please send in your application to keep the second bus. If we can't fill a second bus then we may offer a drive up on your own price.

**Seven Springs, PA Jan. 16.** \$60 Trip Leader Art Pokopac, 38 people signed up, this trip is being run with Goodyear Ski Club with a pickup spot at Walmart on Arlington Rd.

**Holiday Valley staying at the casino Jan. 24/25.** \$215 (\$100 deposit, rest by Jan 10) Trip leaders John Masalko / Mike Lockhart. 1 night lodging at casino, 2 days skiing at HV. Non-skiers welcome, there is a 1 day ski option as well. 21 signed up and it was noted that 35 would be a break-even point on this trip.

**Holiday Valley/Holimont Jan. 28-30.** \$255 (\$100 deposit) Trip leader is Bob Hoff. 70s theme party. Ski 1 day each at HV and Holimont or both days at Holiday Valley. Let Bob know what ski option you would like. 32 people signed up.

**Whitefish, MT Feb. 7-14.** Train leader Jim Kovach, Plane leader Gail Vogt. SCSC spots sold out, some plane seats might be available with CMSC. Contact Curtis Bell if you want to get on the waiting list for plane seats.

**Holimont, NY Feb. 19.** \$65 Trip leaders Jeri and Gary Johnson. 15 people signed up

**Okemo/Mt. Snow, VT Feb. 22-27 by train.** Trip leader, Zee Kovach. \$639. 3 spots left that will be released at the end of December.

**Seven Springs, PA `New` Mar. 6-8. CANCELED.**

**Holiday Valley, NY March 14. Mardi Gras** Trip leader Justin Ford. \$75 (non-member fee waived) 9 people signed up

\*remember, your check for one day trips will not be cashed until after the trip runs, so please sign up and get these trips filled so we don't have to cancel.

### New Business

**Three Trackers:** Gary Johnson spoke about the perks of volunteering with the Three Trackers organization. Boston Mills/ Brandywine is offering greatly discounted season passes for volunteers. They will offer this price with a commitment of hours from you. If you think you might be interested or have questions, talk to Gary, Tom Sinacore or Beth Zachman; all members of SCSC who volunteer their time to this worthwhile adaptive ski program.

**Merchandise:** Jim Kovach reported on the merchandise available with the new logo and also that the new patches can be ironed or sewn over the old logo. Currently we have patches for \$5, hats for \$10, long-sleeve shirts for \$16 and mock turtlenecks for \$22.

**Miscellaneous:** Jason Stephan reported on the ski raffle for Braxton Martin. That drawing will be held at the January meeting and they are about \$900 from their goal of being able to purchase a Sitski. Fred Scherer made inquiries into snowshoeing at Glacier National Park during the Whitefish trip and found it to be cost prohibitive. The 50/50 raffle winner (Florence Fiehn) was drawn and received half of the \$175 pot. Door prizes were also drawn at this time.

### Meeting Adjournment

Meeting was adjourned at 7:55. Motion was made by Esther DeTray and seconded by Neal Kelley.

Respectfully Submitted,  
Jennie Stephan - Secretary

## **Stark County Ski Club Bus Seating and Baggage Protocol:**

Stark County Ski Club trips are scheduled well in advance and priced based on number of participants, number of bus seats available and cost of bus transportation services. Bus size needs are determined by the number of people, length of trip, and estimated amount of passenger luggage (ski bag, boot bag, and one piece of luggage, as the trip requires). The following guidelines have been established for the benefit of all of our club membership while traveling by bus or motor-coach.

- All skis/snowboards and all ski /snowboard boots must be in a proper equipment bag.
- No trip participant may board the bus/motor coach before the trip leader has boarded and has cleared the coach for loading. Baggage loading in bus bays may commence as soon as the driver has opened the bays.
- The two front seats of the bus, on either side of the aisle, are for use of the trip leader as he or she sees fit. They may open one of those pairs of seats to other passengers at their discretion. Special requests of passengers may be considered, but only granted by the trip leader.
- Unless the trip leader indicates that space is available inside the bus, all baggage stated above must be stowed in the bus baggage bays. If participants wish to have their ski boots on the bus, the boots must fit under their own seat.
- Unless indicated by the trip leader, a participant shall not place their boot bag on a seat next to them or a seat nearby. Bus seats are for people participating on the trips.
- All bus seats are to be available to any trip participant. Seats are available on a first come, first served basis. If any participant is traveling by him or herself, it is not permitted by any means to prevent any other participant to sit in the empty seat next to them. If you are traveling with a partner, the companion seat may be “saved” until the partner arrives. .
- Personal items (snacks/food, coolers, clothing items) are permitted on the bus as long as they can be safely stowed under the participants own seat or in the overhead compartment above their seat. The club may provide beverages and snacks depending on the trip destination and length.
- If the trip leader indicates that there is space available, boots in boot bags may be placed in the area of the rearmost seat of the bus or a location determined by the trip leader, stacked on the seat and floor to accommodate all who wish to take advantage of this offer.
- The Trip Leader is in charge and all decisions relating to changes during the trip made necessary by weather, injury or unexpected circumstances are his/hers to make.
- Trip Leaders, Trip Committee members, and Officers of the Club and Board members are empowered to enforce these rules on any club bus trip regardless of the destination, location or length of trip.

# Stark County Ski Club

## Bus Trips

Everyone wants to have an enjoyable ski trip and let's face it, the bus ride is the price we pay for fun on the slopes. Here are some tips that can make any bus trip more enjoyable.

**1** Arrive at the loading location with plenty of time to spare. The bus leaves promptly at the announced departure time. Even if you are only 5 minutes late, you will find that the bus has left without you.

**2** Have your skis in a ski bag. If it's an overnight trip, bring the smallest suitcase you can manage. When loading equipment and baggage, place your skis in one compartment under the bus and your luggage in a separate compartment. If the bus is going directly to the ski resort, you may wish to carry your boots on the bus to keep them warm. Stash them under your seat (never in the overhead bin). You may also want to take a very small "gym" bag for your gloves, goggles, hat, etc. that you can place in the overhead bin. On a long trip, a small pillow and blanket may be a welcome addition. Remember though, it's a catch-22 situation -- the more comforts you bring, the less room you have to be comfortable.

**3** On the bus, introduce yourself to those sitting around you. Make new friends. If you've brought your favorite chocolate-chip cookies, why not share them with those around you?

**4** The Club usually provides some cold beverages on the bus. However, if you must have your morning cup of java, why not bring a small thermos of your favorite blend? Early morning bus trips generally do not stop on their way to the ski resort, so plan on bringing your own snack or having breakfast at the resort.

**5** Once we arrive at the resort, the trip leader will proceed to the office to obtain lift tickets for everyone. Your job is to stay put! Do not disembark the bus until the trip leader returns with the lift tickets. While we're waiting for the trip leader to return, it is helpful if 5 or 6 people begin to unload skis. Don't be bashful about volunteering.

The faster we unload equipment, the quicker you can hit the slopes. Before you leave the bus, the trip leader will announce the departure time and whether or not the bus will make a dinner stop on the way home. Again, the bus will depart at the announced time whether you are on it or not.

**6** Never, ever wear your ski boots on the bus. The buckles can scrape and rip the seats. When you take your skis out of the bag, place the bag in a convenient place where you can find it later and where it won't be buried by skis or other bags if you are not the first one back to the bus at the end of the day. You may wish to carry your ski bag and boots to the lodge, where you can rent a locker for the day.

**7** Take with you whatever you may need for the day. Are you taking medication or need spare eyeglasses? Don't leave them on the bus. The bus may be moved, or locked during the day and it will be inaccessible. Remember our driver was driving all night while you were sleeping and he needs to rest while you're skiing.

**8** When you return to the bus at the end of the day, return your skis to their ski bag and place them on the bus. Please don't bury someone's empty ski bag; it's no fun to dig it out. The beverage container will be restocked and munchies will be passed around. Just sit back, relax, and enjoy the ride home. Usually an action-packed video will make the return trip go quickly.

**9** As we approach home, be prepared with a couple of dollar bills if the trip leader comes around requesting a tip for the bus driver. Sometimes the tip is included in the price of the trip; sometimes it's not. Hasn't it been great leaving the driving to someone else?

**10** Back in the parking lot, everyone wants to find their stuff as soon as possible so they can go home. First, though, take the time to clean up the area where you were sitting. Please don't leave any trash at your seat and double check to make sure you've taken everything off the bus that you brought with you. Thank the bus driver. Also, make sure you take YOUR skis and YOUR luggage. No one wants to get home and find they have someone else's dirty underwear. Drive home safely! And join us again for another great road trip.

# Stark County Ski Club (SCSC) Social Events

## January Social



**Gervasi's The Crush House**  
**Monday, January 19<sup>th</sup>**  
**5:30 p.m.**

Join the Stark County Ski Club as we gather for an evening of fun and relaxation at Gervasi's Crush House. This will be an informal gathering as always. Nothing is reserved, but depending on the turnout, we may move upstairs to the Vineyard or Tower Room. We did this last year and had about 30 people show up.

**Crush Theme Night** for Monday is: Craft Beer & Burger Night!  
If you haven't been there yet, you are in for a treat!



Gervasi Vineyards  
1700 55th Street NE  
Canton OH 44721  
330-497-1000 option 5

<http://www.gervasivineyard.com/Dine/Crush-House-Dining>

Please contact Diane Marzec for more details or if you have any questions about the upcoming socials at [DLMarzec@gmail.com](mailto:DLMarzec@gmail.com) or call (330) 497-4261.



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**SCSC Member Appreciation Trip**  
**Peak'n Peak, NY**  
**Sunday January 11, 2015**



**Special pricing is making this trip a bargain.** Bus ride and lift ticket for a little as **\$50 for SCSC members and \$65 for non-members.** WOW! Hard to beat that when compare ticket window price of \$62 for a lift pass. An early January one day trip is just what is needed to get back the feel of the skis under your feet. A one day trip is great at the start of the season to use those muscles you have let get soft over the past several months.

**BRING THE FAMILY**

This is a special one day Sunday trip which is a great time to get the whole family out for little fresh air. Don't have skis. Not a problem. Rentals are available at group discount pricing. (Skis \$22 Adults \$18 Junior ). We also have qualified club members who will provide free ski lessons for those who may just be starting out. We will have use of the "Club Room" near the rental area if you would like to bring food and/or cooler for a picnic.

**DEPART:** Load bus at 6:40AM, Depart Timken Steel Faircrest Parking lot at 7:00AM

**RETURN:** Bus Departs ski area 6:00PM **NO DINNER STOP**; Home around 9:00PM

We will also be stopping at the Walmart on Arlington Road as an additional pick up and drop off location

Mail your check and application to

Trip Leader: Bill Bail  
16820 Jackson Rd.  
Doylestown, Ohio 44230

[Billb.scsc@gmail.com](mailto:Billb.scsc@gmail.com)

Trip application forms can be found on the Stark County Ski Club Web Site  
<http://starkcountyskiclub.org> under the Club Documents tab.





# Holiday Valley Ski Resort



## Holiday Valley Ski Trip and Gambling Reserve your spot fast this will fill up January 24-25 2015 stay 1 night at Seneca Allegany Casino Ski two days at Holiday Valley Cost \$215 (non members add 20)

Trip Leaders John Masalko [johnmasalko@sbcglobal.net](mailto:johnmasalko@sbcglobal.net) 330-949-6016 3925 Dueber Ave SW Canton OH 4476

Mike Lockhart [marinelock@gmail.com](mailto:marinelock@gmail.com) 330-704-0360 1151 Melscheimer Rd SW East Sparta OH 44626

Load Bus Saturday 4:30 AM Depart Faircrest parking lot at 5:00 AM ski all day Saturday @ Holiday Valley Spend night at Seneca Resort and Casino and gamble, have diner, hang out with friends

Sunday Depart Holiday Valley Ski all day then return at 4:00PM to have dinner at Casino and we will be home around 10:00 PM

100.00 Deposit due at time of registration and remainder due by January 10 checks made payable to Stark County Ski Club.

Ski one day only cost is \$175.00

Do not ski just ride along and Gamble cost \$150.00



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# Holimont & Holiday Valley Ski Trip

## January 28th - 30th, 2015

Weekday Skiing & Snowboarding — No Crowded Lifelines  
2 Nights lodging at the Wingate Hotel in Ellicottville, NY



### New Last Year

A Ski Resort Option

Ski HV & HV, or Ski Holimont & HV

## Party Theme: The 70's



**Price: \$255.00 per person (based on double occupancy)**

(add \$20 for non members)

Price includes: Round trip bus transportation from TimkenSteel Faircrest parking lot  
All Levels Welcome - Ski & Snowboard Rental Available

### SCHEDULE ~ SCHEDULE ~ SCHEDULE ~ SCHEDULE ~ SCHEDULE ~

- Bus Departure from TimkenSteel Faircrest on Jan 28th @ 5pm headed for Wingate Hotel
- Arrive at Hotel for Check-In and spend the evening in Ellicottville
- Bus will depart for Holimont and HV —**Time schedule TBD Later** — Slopes open at 9am.
- Bus pick up from Holimont and HV TBD (around 4 to 4:30p)m.
- Group party (wine & cheese) at hotel after skiing/snowboarding on Thursday.
- Dinner in Ellicottville on your own and then either spend your evening touring the town or join a group back at the hotel for indoor swimming and hot tub.
- Bus will depart for Holiday Valley at 8:45am Friday. Slopes open at 9am.
- Dinner at downtown Ellicottville or Holiday Valley and departs for Canton from HV at 6:30pm.

Skiing Holimont or HV on Thursday January 29th and HV Friday 30th  
Beverages provided on the bus (beer and pop)

**\$100.00 deposit holds your spot—Balance due Dec. 28th**

**Trip Leader: Bob Hoff**

Phone: 330-497-0134 or 330-575-5756(C)

Email: robert.w.hoff@timkensteel.com

Mail Payment (Check: Stark County Ski Club) and trip agreement to:

Bob Hoff  
2298 Radford St. NW  
N. Canton, OH 44720



## **Trip Agreement & Application**

**The undersigned participant applies to participate in the Stark County Ski Club (SCSC) trip described below, subject to the following conditions:**

1. **Payments:** Trip deposits will vary trip to trip. The required deposit for this trip is \$\_\_\_\_\_, and must be paid and submitted along with this signed "Trip Agreement and Application". Balance shall be due & payable in accordance with payment schedules established by SCSC & described in the trip description in "Tips & Tails", the club newsletter, or on the club website, [www.starkcountyskiclub.org](http://www.starkcountyskiclub.org). Charges may be added for supplemental costs such as fuel surcharges, taxes and airport departure changes to the price of the trip. All payment checks shall be payable to "Stark County Ski Club" & sent to trip leader noted.
2. **Withdrawal & Change:** Stark County Ski Club may withdraw any trip from its schedule at any time; may refuse to accept or refrain any person as a participant at any time for any reason; and may change the itinerary at any time.
3. **Responsibility:** SCSC is acting gratuitously for the applicant and shall not be responsible or liable for any loss of or damage to any baggage, property, or for any loss, injury, death, accident, delay, inconvenience or any other loss occurring during or occasioned by an applicant's participation in any trip, and as a result of any actual or alleged negligence of SCSC or any SCSC member or officer.
4. **Identification:** Participants are responsible for any required identification for travel. This may include, but not limited to, an up to date and valid passport, visa, drivers license or proof of identification and citizenship.
5. **Minors:** Any minor's participant's "Trip Application & Agreement" must be co-signed by his/her parent or legal guardian. The minor must be accompanied on the trip by a parent or legal guardian or their designee who shall be wholly and fully responsible for said minor's conduct and well being.
6. **Cancellation & Refunds:**
  - A). Cancellation by participant means & includes: failure to abide by terms of this agreement, notice of intent to cancel; failure to make timely payments; failure for any reason to meet the departure or return of the trip.
  - B). When TSC cancels or withdraws a trip, the participant shall be entitled to a full refund unless such cancellation or withdrawal is necessitated or caused, in whole or part, by participant's cancellation or failure to make timely payments.
  - C). Where participant cancels more than 30 days before departure of a 1-day or multi-day trip or more than 60 days before the departure of a longer trip, then participant shall be responsible for a cancellation service charge of not less than \$10.00 & any fees charged by an airline if seats have already been ticketed.
  - D). Where participant cancels less than 30 days before the departure of a 1-day or multi-day trip or less than 60 days before the departure of a longer trip and where the trip departs full or where participant provides an immediate replacement who completes this agreement, then participant shall receive a full refund less the cancellation service charge & any fees accessed because of the name change. If the trip departs unfilled and the participant has not provided a replacement, then the participant may be entitled to a partial refund less any amounts pre-paid by SCSC for participant's unused transportation, lodging, meals, lifts or amenities and less the cancellation service charge. If the applicant cancels and the trip departs unfilled, the applicant will be refunded the amount of any un-purchased lift tickets. Transportation, lodging and other special costs may NOT be refunded. Specific trip circumstances will determine if any refund of these costs are possible. In any case, the participant is responsible to SCSC for any amounts paid out by SCSC over and above payments made by participant. Any pre-paid expenses that are not refunded to the club by the airlines, resorts, etc. are not subject to be refunded to participant. For 1-week or longer trips, it is advised to purchase trip insurance for refunds. SCSC may modify or change balance due dates & cancellation deadlines to accommodate its payments to airlines, lodges, bus companies and travel agents.
7. **Eligibility:** Participation in this trip is first available to SCSC & CSMS members. Any non-members must pay an additional charge of not less than \$10.00 and is designated within the trip description.

### **TRIP APPLICATION**

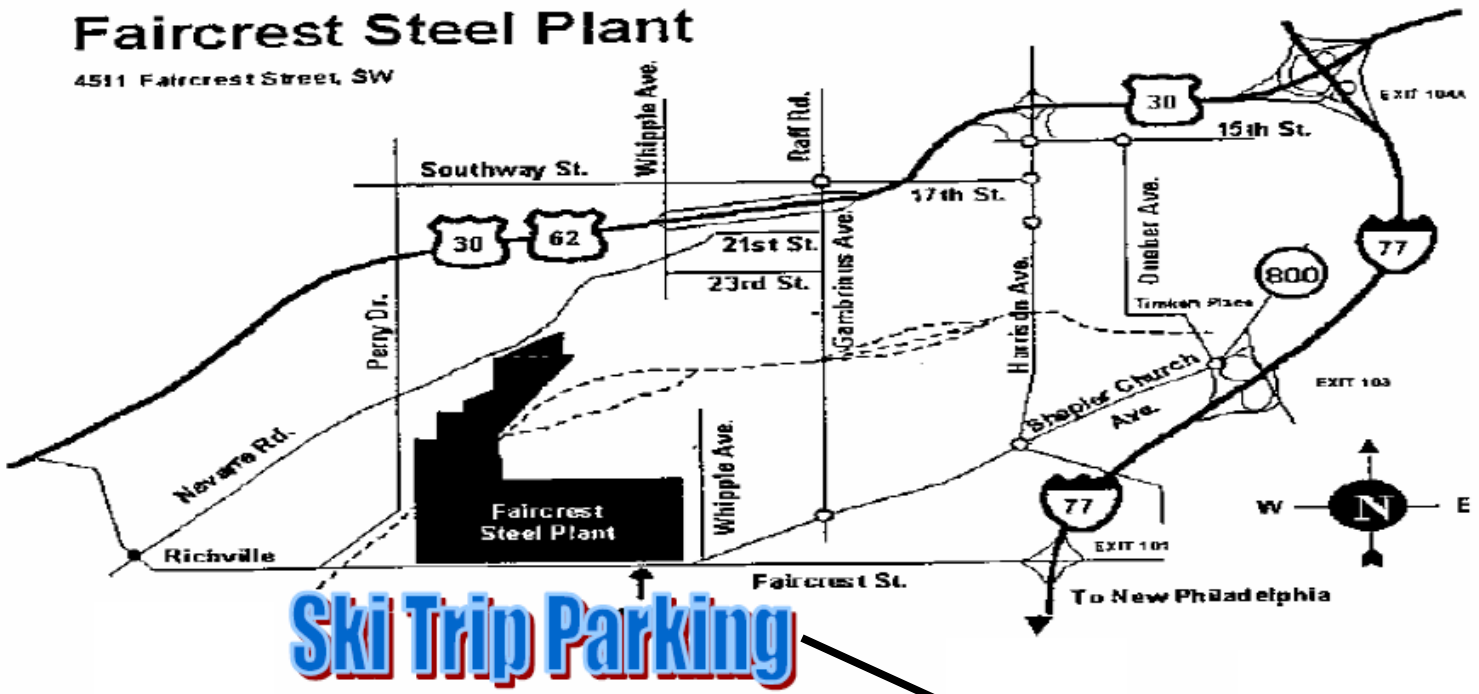
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Date of Application	Yes _____ No _____ Member of SCSC?	Yes _____ No _____ Interested in Trip Insurance? (Week Trips Only)	Roommate Preference (if not on this application)
Participant Name(s) – As On Travel Documents	Home Phone	Cell Phone	
Address	City	State	Zip
Email Address	Alternate Email Address		
Participant Signature(s) (also Co-Signer if minor)			
Emergency Contact Name	Relationship	Phone numbers(s)	

### **For Week Trips –**

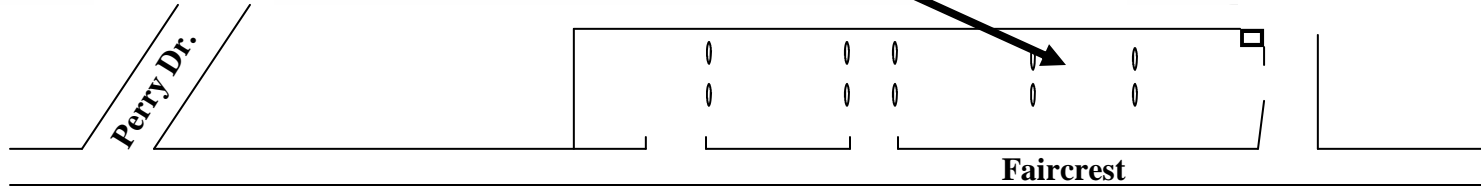
**Please send copy of Drivers License or Passport with Your Trip Application**

# Faircrest Steel Plant

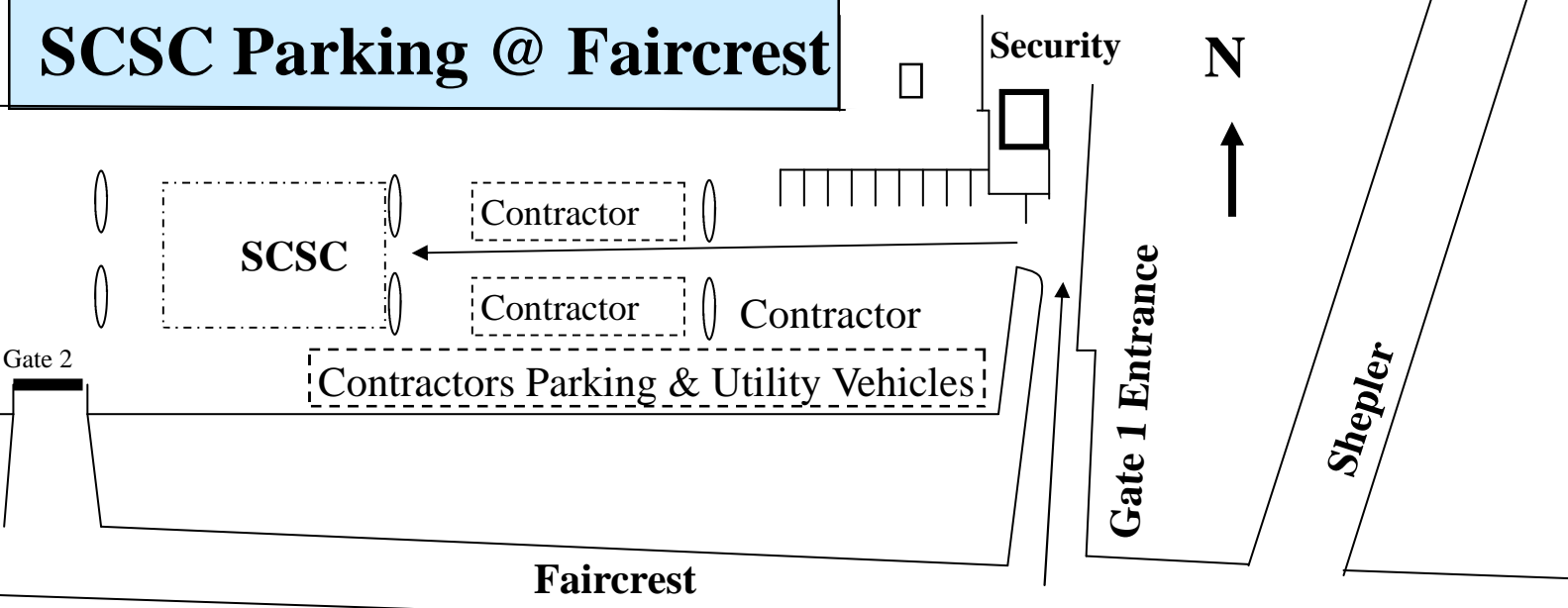
4511 Faircrest Street, SW



**Ski Trip Parking**



## SCSC Parking @ Faircrest



The SCSC parking at the Faircrest steel plant is returning to the original parking location. Please take a close look at the above map for an exact location. The club must park in this location only, and not the contractor parking spaces.

# 2014-15 Stark County Ski Club Trip List

*Thank the folks who worked the Blossom Concerts! They raised funds to keep our bus trips costs down!*

For all trips, fill out a "Trip Application & Agreement" & send with your payment to the address listed below. Checks to be written to: Stark County Ski Club. The form is available in the newsletter and on the website <http://starkcountyskiclub.org/> under "**Documents**".

## One Day Trip #1 Saturday Dec 20

**(Self-Drive) Demo Day**

**Trip Leader:** Jim Kovach

**Email:** [skilifun@sbcglobal.net](mailto:skilifun@sbcglobal.net)

Holiday Valley, NY  
**Done**

**Cost: \$52**

(Group Rate if 16 Lift Tickets Sold)

**Phone:** 330-484-5707

## One Day Trip #2 Sunday Jan 11

**SCSC Member Appreciation Trip**

**Trip Leaders:** Bill & Cindy Bail

**Email:** [billb.scsc@gmail.com](mailto:billb.scsc@gmail.com)

Peak'n Peak, NY

**Cost: \$50 SCSC Member Price**

**\$65 All Others**

**Phone:** 330-328-3825

**Address:** 16820 Jackson Road, Doylestown, OH 44230

Load bus at 6:40AM, Depart Faircrest lot at 7:00AM

Depart ski area 6:00PM NO DINNER STOP Home around 9:00PM

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## One Day Trip #3 Friday Jan 16

**Trip Leader:** Art Pokopac

**Email:** [pokieman@aol.com](mailto:pokieman@aol.com)

Seven Springs, PA

**Cost: \$60** (Non-Members add \$10)

**Phone:** 330-697-7941

**Address:** 3956 Troon Drive, Uniontown, OH 44685

Load bus at 5:40AM, Depart Faircrest lot at 6:00AM

Depart ski area 7:00PM NO DINNER STOP Home around 10:00PM

**Sold Out / W-List**

## **NEW Holiday Valley-CASINO WEEKEND**

**Saturday & Sunday Jan 24 & 25**

**Holiday Valley, NY** 1 Night Lodging at Seneca Allegany Casino – 2 days of skiing at Holiday Valley!!

**Trip Leaders:** John Masalko **Email:** [johnmasalko@sbcglobal.net](mailto:johnmasalko@sbcglobal.net) **Phone:** 330-949-6016

Mike Lockhart **Email:** [marinelock@earthlink.net](mailto:marinelock@earthlink.net) **Phone:** 330-704-0360

**Address:** 3925 Dueber Ave. SW, Canton, OH 44706

Load bus Saturday at 4:30AM, Depart Faircrest lot at 5:00 AM

Depart ski area Sunday 4:00PM – Dinner at CASINO – Depart Casino at 6:00PM Home around 10:00PM

**Cost \$215** (Non-Members add \$20)

**Jan 10th Deadline To Sign Up**

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## **Popular H&H Trip! NEW DATES**

**Wednesday – Friday Jan 28 – 30**

**Ski Holimont & Holiday Valley OR Ski 2 Days at Holiday Valley!!**

**Trip Leader:** Bob Hoff

**Email:** [hoffrw@sbcglobal.net](mailto:hoffrw@sbcglobal.net)

Ellicottville, NY

**Cost \$255** (Non-Members add \$20)

**Phone:** 330-497-0134

**Address:** 2298 Radford St. NW, North Canton, OH 44720

Load bus Wednesday at 4:30PM, Depart Faircrest lot at 5:00 PM

Depart ski area Friday 6:30PM - **NO DINNER STOP** Home around 10:30PM

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**Whitefish, Montana February 7 – 14**

Plane  
Train

**Cost: \$1,350 (Plane)**

**Cost: \$1,559 (Train)**

**Plane Trip Leader:** Gail Vogt **Email:** [gail.vogt@timken.com](mailto:gail.vogt@timken.com) **Phone:** 330-323-8211

**Train Trip Leader:** Jim Kovach

**Email:** [skilikeme@sbcglobal.net](mailto:skilikeme@sbcglobal.net)

**Phone:** 330-484-5707

**Sold Out / W-List**

## One Day Trip #4 Thursday Feb 19th

**Trip Leader:** Gary & Jeri Johnson **Email:** [gejohn432@gmail.com](mailto:gejohn432@gmail.com) **Phone:** 330-456-6674

**Address:** 1312 Woodward Place NW, Canton, OH 44709

Load bus at 4:40AM Depart from Faircrest lot at 5:00 AM

Depart ski area 4:15PM with a Dinner Stop in Ellicottville

Holimont, NY

**Cost: \$65** (Non-Members add \$10)

Depart Ellicottville 6:30PM Home around 10:30PM

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Sunday / Friday Feb 22 - 27 Okemo/Mt. Snow, VT by train Cost: \$639 (Non-Members add \$20)

Trip Leader – Zee Kovach Email: [zeekovach@SBCglobal.net](mailto:zeekovach@SBCglobal.net) Phone: 330-484-5707

**Sold Out / W-List**

One Day Trip #5 Saturday Mar 14 Holiday Valley, NY  
Holiday Valley - Winter Carnival - Mardi Gras!

Cost: \$75 (Non-Member Fee Waived)

Trip Leader: Justin Ford Email: [jford400@gmail.com](mailto:jford400@gmail.com)

Phone: 330-221-8531

Address: 5119 Broadway Avenue Louisville, OH 44641

Load bus at 4:40AM Depart from Faircrest lot at 5:00 AM.

Depart ski area 6:00PM **NO Dinner Stop** Home around 10:00PM

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## SKIING WITH BRAXTON

Braxton is like any other 6 year old boy; he loves arts and crafts, SpongeBob SquarePants and fighting with his brother! Winter is one of his favorite times of the year and he loves to ski! But unlike most 6 year olds Braxton is limited to what he can do. Braxton was born with moderate Spastic Cerebral Palsy and spends most of his time in a wheelchair. Though he is not affected too much mentally and is very smart, he is not able to do the daily activities most kids get to enjoy.

Braxton understands his disability but does not let it hold him back! During the summers Braxton plays baseball with the Canton Challenger's League, does horseback riding, but when winter rolls around all he wants to do is ski. For the past 3 years Braxton has been skiing with Three Trackers of Ohio. Braxton uses an adaptive ski called a Bi-unique sit ski (pictured below).



*Skiing is not just a fun sport but is actually good therapy for Braxton. It helps strengthen his core and teaches him to use certain muscles that he doesn't use on a daily basis.*



**PLEASE HELP SUPPORT BRAXTON BY PURCHASING RAFFLE TICKETS TODAY!**

YOU CAN PURCHASE TICKETS FOR A SET OF SKIS OR A SNOWBOARD, OR BOTH

Tickets are \$5 a piece or 10 tickets for \$40



**ACTUAL RAFFLE ITEMS!**