

Tips & Tails

November 2016

STARK COUNTY SKI CLUB

A family friendly
ski club for
skiers of
all abilities!

Year round activities include hiking, bicycling,
camping, monthly socials, volunteer activities, etc.

www.Starkcountyskiclub.org

www.Facebook.com/StarkCountySkiClub



Member Of



Cleveland Metro Ski Council

Cleveland Metro Ski Council

Meeting Schedule

October 18th, SCSC Meeting
November 15th, SCSC Meeting
Social @ 6:00PM -Meeting @ 7:00PM



New Meeting Location

Mulligan's
Restaurant and Pub

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.

Memberships Renewal Time

STARK COUNTY SKI CLUB MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Name:

Current address:

City:

State:

ZIP Code:

Home Phone #:

Work Phone #:

Cell Phone #:

Email Address:

Alternate Email Address:

[Click here to enter text.](#)

Select Type of Membership (Note: Membership is from **November 1st** to **October 31st**)

	Renewal	New
Single Member <input type="checkbox"/>	\$20	\$30
Couple Membership <input type="checkbox"/> (2 people who share the same address)	\$25	\$40
Family <input type="checkbox"/>	\$30	\$45

Our newsletters are distributed by email.

If you would like the newsletter mailed to you, **add \$10**

If you are a "new" member, how did you hear about our club?

[Click here to enter text.](#)

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO STARK COUNTY SKI CLUB.

Total Enclosed with Application \$

NOTICE: By signing and/or accepted 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 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:

Or send this application via email to: dscherer680@gmail.com and mail your check to:

Debbie Scherer, 355 Beucler Ave. NW, Bolivar, OH 44612

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

DO NOT SEND TRIP APPLICATION IN WITH MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Stark County Ski Club

View From The Top By: Donna Brancifort

Well, we are getting closer to the season we have been planning for! I know that it is hard to think about downhill skiing when it is 70 degrees outside, BUT we know that the weather will turn colder soon! There is snow in Colorado & Vermont already! All predictions I have seen or heard call for a snowy winter!

Remember to sign up for trips before Dec 1 to take advantage for the Early Sign-up Discount! Take the extra advantage by being a member of SCSC & having this opportunity to even save more money! Again, we want to thank Jason Stephan & his crew, for working the Blossom Concerts to allow us to offer such reasonably priced trips.

At the meeting this month, we will vote on the proposed revisions to our constitution. If you have any questions or concerns, contact anyone on the executive board.

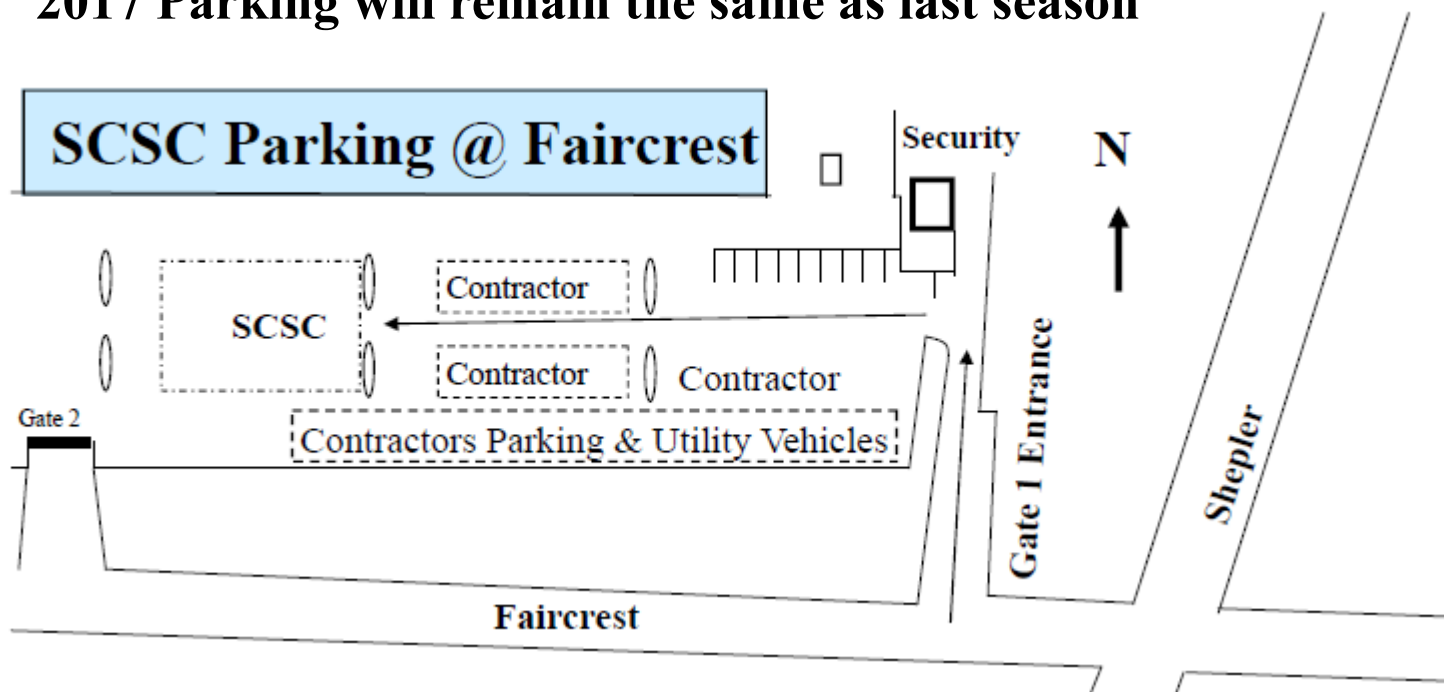
Also, we will be nominating & voting on a new trip committee! Being on this committee is an excellent way to contribute to the club!

Please read the remainder of the newsletter for upcoming socials & the details of the ski season. We try to capture everything in the newsletter, but the best way to know everything that is going on is to come to the meetings & social events! Check out the details of Winterfest, being held at Quaker Steak & Lube on Thursday Dec 1. We always have a great time at this event!

We hope to see you often in the coming months!!!

Donna

2017 Parking will remain the same as last season



November 2016

Stark County Ski Club
October 18, 2016 ~Mulligan's Pub

Call to Order

The meeting was called to order by President Donna Brancifort at 7:00 p.m. Donna thanked everyone for coming and asked visitors and new members to introduce themselves. Sixty-one (61) individuals were in attendance.

Officer Reports

President's Report: Donna Brancifort reported first on a somber note that there were two deaths in the Club since the last meeting. Jim Shear and Perry Stergios have passed. The Club will send \$50 each to honor both their memories. During the Treasurer Report, Donna shared that Melba Hunsinger audits the treasury spreadsheet and does our tax return while Eileen Wile oversees some of the finances as well. Eileen has confirmed that Perry Stergios was the statutory agent for the Club and those documents will now need to be updated.

Vice President's Report: Dave Hershey reported on the Oktoberfest Party held at Jim and Zee's house on October 2. 73 people attended the catered event. Laura Gutierrez-Marzec won the chili cook while Diane Novak won the closest to the pin and the cornhole tournament was won by the Tom Curtis team. Fun was had by all who attended and Dave thanked Gail and Diane for their help organizing.

Treasurer's Report: Zee Kovach reported on the amount currently in the club treasury and that she will be making many payments in the upcoming months. She noted that she will be handing out trip discount vouchers throughout the meeting.

Facebook Report: Gary Johnson reported that you can find information on Club Socials and Meetings and share pictures on the Club Facebook page. A great way to get interest in the club on Facebook is to Like and Share our page. Donna wondered if we could run a contest to "Like and Share" our Facebook page for a trip?

Blossom Report: Donna reported that in 4 years, Blossom has made over \$23,000 to help defray trip costs. It was a good fundraiser once again this year, taking in over \$7,000 but it was noted that out of 40 people trained, only 26 people worked this year. Distance and time involved are deterrents so it was discussed that there may be other opportunities closer to Stark County to pursue for fundraising. However, if you have an interest in running Blossom (Jason is retiring the post), Jason would help guide you through the process. Donna mentioned that we might be able to negotiate a smaller contract commitment. Donna, Zee, Jason and Gail met to divvy up credit card tips and those and worker vouchers were distributed during the meeting.

Website and Biking: Bill Bail reported on both the biking season and the website. If you have ideas in re-vamping the website, let him know. Bill went on to say there were 21 Tuesday bike rides and 5 weekend rides and he was happy to report no injuries.

Merchandise: Jim Kovach, as Past President, thanked all volunteers. He then reported he has some of last years' merchandise available and there are catalogs to look at to order individually. Talk to Jim if you have any questions.

Marketing: Gail Vogt reported on several marketing events. She thanked past volunteers from the Gold Jacket 5K water station and those that helped at the Boston Mills Open House. WinterFest is confirmed for December 1st, 6-9 PM at Quaker Steak and Lube. Gail has many vendors already confirmed. Bring a toy for the Toys for Tots bin that evening and receive a raffle ticket for a chance to win a club \$25 certificate. If you hear of an event that sounds like a good fit for the club, let Gail know and she will look into it.

Membership: If you are comp'ed a Membership, please remember to still fill out a membership form and sign, this waives some liabilities.

Newsletter Report: Mike Bishop reported that anyone contributing to the newsletter, please submit to him by the Friday after the meeting.

Social Chair Report: Diane Marzec reported on the WV. camping and white water rafting trip. 45 people went and enjoyed many activities along with the rafting. She is already starting to plan next years' trip. Upcoming socials will be tied into ski events such as Ski Shack's Open House on October 22, the Warren Miller Film Nov 19 and a social at the Barrel Room Sunday Nov 20. More info will be coming on these events as well as WinterFest at Quaker Steak and Lube (Dec 1st).

Trip Committee Report: Art Pokopac reminded everyone that prices can be \$10-\$20 cheaper if you use your trip discount vouchers when signing up before December 1. It was noted that trip leaders do their best to find roommates for single travelers but in cases where matches can't be made, the Club can't absorb room costs and as such a single might be asked to supplement the room cost. Next month is trip committee elections, if you have an interest or questions, you may talk to any Officer or trip committee member for more information. Art thanked the trip committee and called for the following trip reports:

Trip Reports (trip leader contact info can be found online at the trip list)

Peak n Peek, NY Jan 7 \$62 Trip Leader Roberta Graham reported that she has 9 people signed up and is hoping to fill 2 buses at that trip price.

Holiday Valley/Holimont Jan 11-13 \$269 Trip leader John Masalko was absent.

Seven Springs, PA Jan 20 \$65 Ida Lesh Trip leader

Beavercreek/Vail, CO Jan. 28- Feb 4 Trip Leader Art Pokopac. SOLD OUT, taking names for a waiting list.

Holiday Valley, Feb 10 \$69 Lisa Martin Trip leader.

Timberline/Canaan Valley Feb 12-14 \$245 Trip Leaders Gary & Jeri Johnson. Trip includes 2 breakfasts and 1 buffet dinner. 13 people signed up.

Swain/Bristol Feb 26-28 \$262 Trip Leader Dave Hershey reported he has 4 people signed up.

Winterpark, CO Mar 4-10 \$999 Trip Leader Scott Hunsinger reported he is SOLD OUT except a spot for a single female. He will have 40 people which includes 6 who made their own travel arrangements.

Seneca Allegheny Casino w/ a twist, Mar 11-12 \$165 Trip Leader Gail Vogt reported no one is signed up. Skiing can be added if there is snow.

*Send your trip discount vouchers in with your applications before December 1

**Non-Members add \$10 to day trips and \$20 to multi-day trips.

Old Business

Constitution: The changes were handed out in paper form at the September meeting and are available online and in the latest newsletter. Donna reported that the proposed changes would now be voted on at the November meeting.

"Blood Money": Jim Kovach has been working with Aultman and their new blood incentive program. He asked for a show of hands, people who would be willing to donate. If we can get 20 donations in a week, we will receive \$300 which we use for door prizes. Jim will look into coordinating.

Tolerton's Ski Shack Open House: The Ski Shack will have their open house October 22. Identify yourself as an SCSC member and enjoy 10% off. This applies to any time you are shopping at The Ski Shack, not just the open house. Gather afterwards at Don Panchos which can accommodate a large group.

Miscellaneous: Donna is selling Snowfall 50/50 raffle tickets for \$2. The person who draws the date we have first measurable snow at Akron/Canton airport wins. Gail gave an update on Shelli Snyder's condition. Shelli was flown back to Cleveland and is showing progress in her recovery. The club will make the donation voted on at the last meeting to the bank account set up so that a portion of our donation doesn't have to go to gofundme.

Meeting Adjournment

Meeting was adjourned at 8:00 p.m. Motion to adjourn was made by Joe Eriksson; seconded by Mike Bishop

Gail Vogt won the 50/50 raffle

Respectfully Submitted, Jennie Stephan - Secretary

Stark County Ski Club (SCSC) Social Events

I hope you have been able to join us for some of our summer and fall events. We've been enjoying ourselves and would love to see some new faces along with the regulars. Consider joining us for one of our upcoming events and get ready for ski season!

Highlights of the SCSC October Social



Saturday, October 22nd about 30 members and friends headed east to Alliance to participate in The Ski Shack Open House. We enjoyed some apple cider and donuts while shopping for great deals. The group then headed over to Don Pancho's for some post shopping fun. I can't wait to see all the new equipment and outfits on the slopes this year. Remember if you missed the Open House the Ski Shack will still give SCSC members a 10% discount on purchases so head on over anytime.

SCSC NOVEMBER SOCIALS

Friday, November 11th The Winery at Perennial Vineyards (Club Favorite)



6:00 PM – 10:00 PM

Music by: REN

Join fellow members for our annual winter visit to this great vineyard! There will be great entertainment by REN and maybe some of our own members. A menu of pizza, appetizers & gourmet flat breads is available to accompany your wine.

Reservations are required: First 20 people to let me know they are coming will have a seat at the table!

Perennial Vineyards
1877 Poorman St. SW
Navarre, OH 44662 (330) 832-3677
www.perennialvineyards.com

Please Email DLMarzec@gmail.com or call Diane Marzec at 330-497-4261 by Wednesday, November 8th!

Saturday November 19th Annual Ski Fest & Warren Miller's "Here, There & Everywhere"

5:30 p.m. Dinner at Luigi's (Accepts Cash & Checks Only)

6:30 – 8:00 pm Ski Fest

8:00 p.m. Warren Miller Movie "Here, There & Everywhere"

Tickets for this show can be purchased at the door for \$15.00

<http://www.akroncivic.com/site/page.php?id=422&eventid=1682>



We will meet at Luigi's at 5:30 pm for dinner and then head over to the Akron Civic Theater to enjoy the Ski Fest & Miller Entertainment's 67th annual feature film, "Here, There & Everywhere". This is always a fun evening packed with exciting footage of great skiing and boarding around the world along with some nice door prizes and other give aways.



Luigi's (Cash & Checks Only)
105 North Main Street
Akron, OH 44308
(330) 253-2999

Akron Civic Theatre
182 South Main Street
Akron, OH 44308
Phone: 330-535-3179

Luigi's does not take reservations and always has a wait but the line moves fast. Make sure most of your group is together before you get to the front or they may not seat you. Also remember this is a Cash or Check only restaurant.

GET PSYCHED PARTY

The Barrel Room

Sunday, November 20TH

5:00pm – 9:00pm

The format will be a little different this year.

All Attendees (Friends are welcome!) will be asked to bring something to share: casseroles, pasta, snack, side or dessert. The Barrel Room has a variety of wines, beer and soft drinks – we must buy all drinks through their bar.

(RSVP Requested) We will want to get an idea of what people are bringing so we don't end up with all desserts (Yummy!) We'll also want a head count so the Barrel Room know how many staff to schedule that night. *This is a private event and they open up just for our club.*

Barrel Room Winery
7901 Cleveland Ave. NW
North Canton, OH 44720

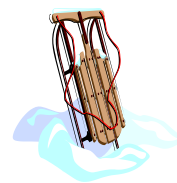
RSVP to Diane: DLMarzec@gmail.com with the # attending
and what your are planning on bringing.



Quaker Steak & Lube “Winterfest”

Thursday, December 1st

6:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.



This is always a great Social for SCSC and the community! Come out and join us for a fun evening. There will be local vendors, representing what there is to do in our area during the winter months along with a DJ, door prizes, Drink Specials, and raffle giveaways.



Adding Something New:

Add some joy to a little one's Christmas this year. Bring in a new toy and be entered into a drawing to win a \$25 Club Gift Certificate



Quaker, Steak & Lube

6073 Dressler Rd NW
North Canton, OH 44720

<http://thelube.com/locations/ohio/canton/>

Remember non-members are always welcome to join our socials. It's a great way introduce them to SCSC and all the fun people! For more information on upcoming social events or if you would be interested in running an event please contact Diane Marzec at DLMarzec@gmail.com

Get ready for the season at The Ski Shack!

SKIS: Dynastar-Volki-Blizzard-Elan
BINDINGS: Marker-Solomon-Tyrolia
BOOTS: Head-Lange-Solomon-Dalbello
SNOWBOARDS: Burton-Lamar-Flow



The Ski Shack
265 N. Freedom
Alliance, OH 44601
330-821-1220

2017 SCSC SKI TRIP INFO

SCSC ski trips, take advantage of the LOW prices on ALL the day, extended and weekend ski trips by using the early sign trip discount coupon for members only (good until DEC 1). The trips are the lowest in the area.

All the 2017 ski trip information appears in this newsletter; the week trips, Beaver Creek is SOLD OUT and taking a waiting list and Winter Park has an opening for a female skier. The day trips and extended/ weekend trips could use some skiers.

Day trips

Peek n Peak, Seven Springs and Holiday Valley are day trips. We finally have trip leaders for Seven Springs, Ida Lesh and Holiday Valley, Lisa Martin, THANK YOU for volunteering. Spend a day at one of these resorts with the club.

Extended and weekend trips

Holiday Valley/Holimont (HH), Timberline/Canaan and Bristol /Swain are your extended trips and the weekend gambling trip to Seneca Allegheny Casino with an option to ski at Holiday Valley (via shuttle). Holimont/Holiday Valley (HH) and Timberline/Canaan are picking up skiers both trips are about 50% full.

Bristol /Swain and the weekend gambling trip to Seneca Allegheny Casino with an option to ski at Holiday Valley at Mardi Gras (via shuttle) could use skiers. Bristol/Swain skiing Monday and Tuesday, you will not have to put up with racing closing the slopes. Last trip of the season is a March Casino trip with option to ski. Do to the uncertainty of the March snow conditions, SCSC members can wait to see what the ski conditions will bring for March skiing. When the trip gets closer, you will be asked if you would like to go skiing. SCSC only needs 16 skiers for a group rate and maybe the conditions will be great, who knows. The March trip is open to all members and friends.

Trip Committee

At the November meeting, you will be electing five new trip committee members. Out of the five, one will become Trip Chair. Yes, my two year term is over. I can be elected to the committee but cannot assume the Trip Chair position; it is a two year term according to our constitution. Anyway, I will still have to monitor the 2017 ski trips, so I'll still be there.

It has been a pleasure to serve as SCSC Trip Chair and with the SCSC Trip Committee (Scott, John, Gary, David, Jeri and Zee), THANK YOU. The committee did make a suggestion to do another trip survey; it's been a couple of years. Survey might be showing up soon

SEE ON THE SLOPES
ART POKOPAC
SCSC TRIP CHAIR

2017 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 "Newsletters" or "Club Documents".

One Day Trip #1 Saturday Jan 7 Peek n Peak, NY

Cost: \$62 (Non-Members add \$10)

Trip leader: Roberta Graham **Email:** skiingdef@gmail.com **Phone:** 330-834-2171 H OR 330-418-2613 C

Address: 8760 Appleknoll Street NW Massillon, OH 44646-1396

Bus loads at 6:40AM, Depart Faircrest lot at 7:00AM

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

Extended # 1 Wednesday – Friday Jan 11 – 13

Holimont & Holiday Valley Ellicottville, NY

Cost \$269 (Non-Members add \$20)

Trip leader: John Masalko **Email:** johnmasalko@sbcglobal.net **Phone:** 330-484-2405

Address: 3925 Dueber Ave. SW, Canton, OH 44706-4731

Ski Holimont & Ski Holiday Valley

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

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

One Day Trip #2 Friday January 20 Seven Springs, PA

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

Trip leader: Ida Lesh **Email:** idagary@sbcglobal.net **Phone:** 330-499-8974

Address: 505 Sunset Blvd SW North Canton, OH 44752

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

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

Week #1 Sat / Sat Jan 28 – Feb 4 Beaver Creek/Vail, CO

SOLD OUT taking waiting list

Cost: \$1486 (Non-Members add \$20)

Trip leader: Art Pokopac **Email:** pokiemana@aol.com **Phone:** 330-697-7491 (See individual trip flyer)

One Day Trip #3 Friday Feb 10 Holiday Valley, NY

Cost: \$69

Trip leader: : Lisa Martin **Email:** jrmint014@aol.com **Phone:** 330-340-8189

Address: PO Box 637 Zoar, OH 44697

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

NEW TRIP

Extended #2 Sunday – Tuesday Feb 12 – 14 Timberline/Canaan, WV

Cost \$245 (Non-Members add \$20)

Trip Leader: Jeri and Gary Johnson

Email: gejohn432@gmail.com **Phone:** 330-495-9260 (Gary) or 330-280-3635 (Jeri)

Address: 1312 Woodward Place NW, Canton OH 44709-3323

Load bus Sunday at 9:30AM, Depart Faircrest lot at 10:00AM,

Ski Timberline Monday and Ski Canaan on Tuesday

Includes 2 breakfast and Monday dinner

Depart ski area Tuesday 4:00PM - Home around 10:30PM

NEW TRIP

Extended #3 Sunday – Tuesday Feb 26 – 28 Swain/Bristol, NY

Cost \$262 (Non-Members add \$20)

Trip Leader: David Hershey

Email: prodrumstudio33@gmail.com **Phone:** 330-466-5918

Address: 1415 Harding Avenue, Orrville, Oh 44667-1713

Load bus Sunday at 9:30AM, Depart Faircrest lot at 10:00AM,

Depart ski area Tuesday 4:00PM - Home around 10:30PM

Week #3 Saturday – Friday March 4-10 Winter Park, CO

FEMALE SKIER WANTED

Cost: \$999 (Non-Members add \$20)

Trip Leader: Scott Hunsinger **Email:** huns@roadrunner.com **Phone:** 330-340-7548

(See individual trip flyer)

A gambling trip with skiing option

Weekend Saturday-Sunday March 11 – 12 Seneca Allegany Casino, Salamanca NY

Cost \$145 Casino only

Trip Leader: Gail Vogt **Email:** gail.vogt@timken.com **Phone:** 330-323-8211

Address: 324—15th St. N.W. Massillon, Oh 44647-6226

This is a gambling trip which you can add some skiing to at Holiday Valley

1 Night Lodging at Seneca Allegany Casino

Skiing at Holiday Valley, Saturday and/or Sunday, lift tickets additional price

Load bus Saturday at 5:30 AM, Depart Faircrest lot at 6:00 AM

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

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

Non-Skier Options
usually available upon request.



Holimont & Holiday Valley Ski Trip January 11th—13th

Weekday Skiing & Snowboarding - No Crowded Lift Lines

**2 Nights Lodging at the Wingate Hotel in Ellicottville, NY
A Ski Resort Option — Ski HV & HV, or Holimont & HV
Depart Wednesday @ 5:00 pm**

**PRICE: \$269.00 per person (based on double occupancy)
\$289.00 Non SCSC Members)**

Price includes: Round trip bus transportation from Timken Steel parking lot.

Ski Holimont or HV Thursday January 12th and HV Friday 13th

Beverages provided on the bus (beer and pop)

Dinner stop in Ellicottville on Friday after skiing (on your own) (Bus departs at 6:30pm)

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

Trip Leader: John Masalko

Phone 330-949-6016

Email: johnmasalko@sbcglobal.net

Mail: Payment and trip agreement to:

John Masalko

3925 Dueber Ave SW

Canton, Ohio 44706

Mark on Application for your ski preference: HV & HV, or Holimont & HV

STARK COUNTY SKI CLUB PRESENTS



Beaver Creek



Saturday January 28, 2017 – Saturday February 4, 2017

Member price \$1486* 2bedroom /2 bath

Member price \$1361* 3bedroom /3 bath

Non-SCSC & CMSC add \$20.00

SOLD OUT

TAKING A WAITING LIST

Trip Includes:

- **FLIGHTS FROM CLE SOUTHWEST AIR,**
28 JAN-2017 – SW 957 CLE BNA 720A 805A
SW 2336 BNA DEN 1000A 1150A
4 FEB-2017 – SW 5236 DEN CLE 1110A-355P NONSTOP
FIRST TWO BAGGAGES ARE FREE
ROUND TRIP BUS DENVER, GROCERY STOP
- 7 NIGHTS LODGING AT ARROWHEAD VILLAGE
WITHIN WALKING TO THE ARROW BAHN EXPRESS SKI LIFT
- **2 BEDROOM / 2 BATH CONDOS AVAILABLE, QUAD OCCUPANCY**
- 3 BEDROOM / 3 BATH CONDOS ALSO AVAILABLE AND LIMITED
BEFORE ASKING FOR A 3 BEDROOM, PLEASE HAVE YOUR SIX PEOPLE
TO FILL CONDO.
- 5 DAY BEAVER CREEK / VAIL LIFT TICKET
- WELCOME RECEPTION
- \$100 HELLY HANSON GIFT CARD FROM VAIL RESORTS

Payment Schedule:

2 BEDROOM CONDO

\$350 deposit due with signed application

\$378 second payment due by Sept 2, 2016

\$379 third payment due by Oct 1, 2016

\$379 final payment due by Nov 1, 2016

Full trip cost of \$1486 due after Nov 1, 2016

Payment Schedule:

3 BEDROOM CONDO (need your 6 people)

\$350 deposit due with signed application

\$337 second payment due by Sept 2, 2016

\$337 third payment due by Oct 1, 2016

\$337 final payment due by Nov 1, 2016

Full trip cost of \$1361 due after Nov 1, 2016

Make all checks payable to **STARK COUNTY SKI CLUB**

Mail to:

Art Pokopac

3956 Troon Drive

Uniontown, Oh 44685

Contact Information Email: pokieman@aol.com

Phone: 330.697.7491

* All prices stated are per person rates based on 40 skiers.

Price is subject to fuel surcharges.

Optional trip insurance is recommended – contact trip leader for details.
A signed trip agreement/application is required for each person on this trip.

STARK COUNTY SKI CLUB PRESENTS . . .

A NEW TRIP to BEAUTIFUL WEST VIRGINIA!



Sunday, February 12 – Tuesday, February 14
Ski Monday at Timberline & Tuesday at Canaan Valley
Staying two nights in the luxurious
Canaan Valley Resort & Conference Center
Price also includes 2 breakfasts and Monday dinner



Cost - \$245

Based on Dbl occupancy

Send Trip Applications and \$100 Deposit to:

Trip Leaders: Gary & Jeri Johnson

Email: gejohn432@gmail.com Phone: 330-495-9260

1312 Woodward Pl NW

Canton, OH 44709

Final payment due on or before: February 3, 2017

See SCSC Newsletter for more details!

<http://starkcountyskiclub.org/newsletters>

WINTER FAST APPROACHING!

SNOW FALLING ON FINGER LAKE RESORTS

Oct. 27, 2016 – The season's first snowfall left snow coating on ski slopes at Bristol Mountain Resort, NY

BRISTOL MOUNTAIN AND SWAIN SKI TRIP

February 26-28, 2017

2 NIGHTS AT THE INN ON THE LAKE, CANANDAIGUA, NY

Located on the Finger Lakes, the Inn offers 134 rooms and suites, the Shore Restaurant, Sand Bar Lakeside Bar & Grille, a Lounge, Fitness Studio, Indoor Pool, with Historic Downtown Shopping close by.

Area Dining - Here are a few restaurants nearby: Nolan's Steaks and Seafood, MacGregor's Grill & Tap Room, Sakuru Sushi, Upstairs Bistro, with many area wines to choose from!

Bristol Mountain Resort - About the Mountain

1,200' of vertical, 6 lifts; 2 high speed quads, 35 trails on 138 acres of skiable terrain, 3km Nordic trails, State-of-the-art snow making on 100% of ski area.

Resort Dining – There are many options for food and drink on the slopes including two base lodges, cafeterias, grilles and even a *ski-up waffle house!*

Bristol Eateries: Rocket Lounge, Satellite Lounge, Morning Star Café, and Summit Grille

Swain Resort - About the Mountain

33 Trail, 5 Lifts and 2 Terrain Parks, 650" vertical on 120 acres of skiable terrain with the longest run 5,280 feet long.

Swain Dining: Mercer's Café and Shawmut Grille

SIGN UP NOW!

Trip Price - ONLY \$262.00!!! (before vouchers!)

Send Trip Applications & \$100 Deposit to:

Trip Leader: David Hershey
1415 Harding Ave.
Orrville, OH 44667

Email: ProDrumStudio33@gmail.com

Phone: 330 465-6076

STARK COUNTY SKI CLUB PRESENTS



Saturday March 4, 2017 – Friday March 10, 2017
Member price \$999* Hotel double occupancy

FEMALE SKIER WANTED

Trip Includes:

NONSTOP FLIGHTS FROM CLE, UNITED AIR
(times/flights subject to change)
CLE 9:50A DEN 8:59A DEN 4:05P CLE 8:59P
ROUND TRIP BUS DENVER AIRPORT, GROCERY STOP
6 NIGHTS LODGING AT VINTAGE LODGE – SHORT SHUTTLE
OR CABRIOLET (STANDUP LIFT) TO THE VILLAGE
4 DAYS SKIING
WELCOME RECEPTION WINE AND CHEESE PARTY

Payment Schedule:

HOTEL

\$200 deposit due with signed application

\$270 second payment due by Sept. 16, 2016

\$250 third payment due by Nov. 15, 2016

\$279 final payment due by Jan 17, 2017

Full trip cost of \$999 due after Jan 17, 2017

Make all checks payable to STARK COUNTY SKI CLUB

Mail to:

Scott Hunsinger

1532 Tremont Street,

Dover, Oh 44622-1071

Contact Information Email: huns@roadrunner.com

Phone: 330-340-7548

* All prices stated are per person rates based on 34 skiers.

Price is subject to fuel surcharges.

Optional trip insurance is recommended – contact trip leader for details.
A signed trip agreement/application is required for each person on this trip.



March 11-12 stay 1 night at Seneca Allegany Casino

Price \$145.00

based on dbl occupancy

- **With an option to ski Holiday Valley additional price**

Trip Leader: Gail Vogt, 324 – 15th St NW, Massillon, OH 44647,
gail.vogt@timken.com, 330-323-8211

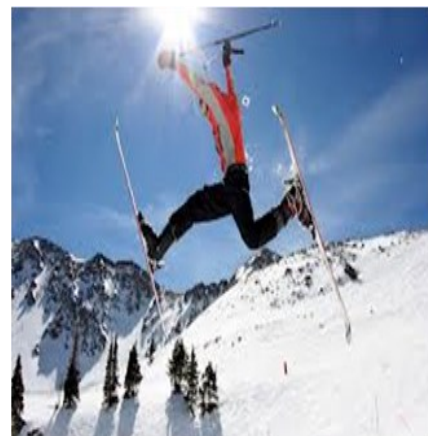
Load Bus Saturday 5:30 AM, Depart Faircrest parking lot at 6:00 AM

Enjoy the Casino Saturday upon arrival until Sunday @ 3:30 pm

Ski Saturday @ Holiday Valley and Sunday until 4:00 pm

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

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



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 per trip and must be paid and submitted along with this signed "Trip Agreement and Application" (below). 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. 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 & TimkenSteel are 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 SCSC 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.

.....**CUT OUT AND SUBMITT APP**.....

TRIP APPLICATION

Name of Trip _____		Date of Trip _____	\$ _____ (Payable to Stark County Ski Club)
		Deposit Amount _____	
Date of Application _____	Yes _____ No _____ Member of SCSC?	Yes _____ No _____ Trip Insurance? (Week Trips Only)	Roommate Preference (if not on this application) _____
First Participant Name – As On Travel Documents _____		Home Phone _____	Cell Phone _____
Second Participant Name – 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 (NO traveling companions) _____		Relationship _____	Phone number(s) _____

For Week trips—Please send a copy of Drivers License or Passport with Your Trip application

DO NOT SEND TRIP APPLICATION IN WITH MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION



Early Signup Trip Discount Coupon Intention & Rules

Thank the "Blossom Volunteers" for making the Early Signup discount available for you to reduce your trip costs & help Stark County Ski Club fill bus trips!

Take note a change: Offer expires Dec 1, 2016.

Rules: Must be SCSC Member

Only available on the trips listed on coupon.

Discount is per person on application. Fill out a coupon for each participant.

Must be submitted with trip applications. (**BEFORE Dec 1, 2016**)

No limit on the number of coupons a member can submit. (One coupon per person per trip.)



Early Signup Trip Discount Coupon

Name: _____

Trip: _____ Date Application Sent: _____

Circle One: **\$10** for any 1-Day Trip

\$20 for Jan 11-13, Feb 12-14, Feb 26-28 & Mar 11-12 Trips

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Constitution proposed changes

The executive committee of the Stark County Ski Club is proposing changes to our Constitution. In the pages 9-12, under Article IV, Government and in Section C, Duties of Officers, you will find the proposed changes and insertions in **RED** font. In **BLUE** font, you will find the passages the we would propose to delete.

Our purpose is three-fold. One is to change the compensation schedule basis to the dollar amount of total paid memberships in the club rather than just a numerical figure of total member enrollment. We believe this is a more sensible position than the previous method. On the second part, we propose eliminating free membership for all but the President, Vice President, Treasurer, Secretary and Past-President (the Executive Committee) thereby increasing our membership income. This simplifies the process for the Membership Coordinator. In the third part, we are proposing a slight increase in compensation credit for Board of Director positions and for the officers, as well as adding a Merchandise Manager, Marketing Manager, and Social Events Manager positions to the compensation credit list.

In the past several years, our membership dollars greatly exceeded the expense of compensation credit. We believe that will continue to be the case for years to come.

These proposed changes will be discussed with the membership at the October meeting. After discussion, we will vote whether to accept those changes. The Executive Committee welcomes your comments.

Jim Kovach, Past-President

Section C-2 (Vice President):

(i) The Vice President's duties are to include but not be limited to:

- a. Assisting the President in carrying out the duties of the office of President
- b. Presiding at General Meetings in the absence of the President
- c. Acts as the publicity chairperson for the *Club* and coordinates with the Marketing and Merchandise managers to promote the Club in as many ways as possible
- d. Generally promotes the name and goodwill of the *Club*
- e. Should the President be unable due to absence or calamity, unwilling because of personal reasons or preferences, the Vice President shall be authorized to sign binding contracts in the best interests of the *Club* as determined by a vote of the Executive Board
- f. In the event of the resignation, death, severe illness, or revocation of the current President's membership by the Board, the Vice President shall become "acting President" until such time as an elections can be held to elect a new President and any other officer should an office be vacated by the election of the new President. This special election will be held at the next scheduled *Club* meeting
- g. Represents the *Club* at Cleveland Metro Ski Council (CMSC) meetings

Section C-3 (Secretary):

(i) The Secretary's duties are to include but not be limited to:

- a. Recording/preparing the minutes of all Board and General Business meetings
- b. Keeping the Constitution and all official records of the *Club*
- c. Advising the *Ex. Comm.* and members of any acts in conflict with the Constitution and Supervises the Newsletter distribution
- d. Preparing letters for general *Club* business and maintains a file of important correspondence
- e. Presiding at General Meetings in the absence of both the President and Vice President
- f. Maintains all past trip documents and minutes files.
- g. Sends sympathy, birthday, get well and other appropriate cards to members as deemed necessary.

Section C-4 (Treasurer):

- (i) The Treasurer's duties are to include but not be limited to:
 - a. Accounting for accurate and current financial records
 - b. Reconciling of the *Club* bank statement monthly
 - c. Receiving monies from membership and committee chairs paid to the *Club* for participation in activities
 - d. Depositing all funds received and handles all transactions related thereto
 - e. Preparing monthly reports of receipts and expenditures
 - f. Keeping all financial records and maintaining an inventory of all *Club* financial property for a minimum of seven (7) years.
 - g. In a timely manner, preparing and filing all required Federal, State, local tax and information returns
- (ii) The President may appoint *Club* member(s) or an organization to audit the Treasurer's records and other *Club* accounts at least once per year. The Treasurer shall cooperate with this audit.
- (iii) Notwithstanding anything to the contrary the past or departing Treasurer continues as Treasurer during the appropriate transition period.
 - a. The past Treasurer will coordinate the new bank signature card and mailing address change.
 - b. There should be three check signers from amongst the Officers, two of them must be the Treasurer and the President.

Section C-5 (Combinations):

Officers may not hold more than one office at the same time. Officers, including the President and Vice President, may hold the same office in consecutive terms. The President and Vice President offices are limited to two consecutive terms.

Section D: Trip/Activity Committee

- (i) The Trip Committee shall consist of 5 members: a Trip Chairperson and 4 other Club members, each in good standing.
- (ii) Elections for the Trip Committee members shall occur at the regularly scheduled meeting in November each year. All Club members present at that meeting may vote.
- (iii) Votes will be tallied by the Election Committee, Club Officers, or delegates. The candidate receiving the most votes will be designated the Trip Chairperson. The candidates receiving the four next highest numbers of votes shall be designated as members of the Committee.
- (iv) Trip Committee Chairpersons term shall be 2 years. All other committee member terms are for one year. A person may be Chairperson more than once, just not consecutive terms.
- (v) (The President and Vice President) All current officers and the past-president are *defacto* members of the committee for input, aid with decision making, and tie-breaking purposes. Other officers are eligible to run for position on the committee.
- (vi) Duties of the Trip Committee are to plan, budget, and schedule trips and activities in the best interests of the Club. The Executive Committee must approve all trips planned by the Trip Committee prior to scheduling or contracting any services.
- (vii) The Trip Committee has first option to lead all trips. They shall seek volunteers, draft or delegate club members, including officers, to run any trips they choose not to run themselves.

Section E: Indemnification

Section E-1 (Coverage):

No Officers, Directors, Committee Chairpersons, Trip/Activity Leaders or other members of the *Club* will be personally or otherwise liable for their duly authorized actions or omissions when acting on or in behalf of the Stark County Ski Club.

Section F: Distribution of Assets

Section F-1 (Liquidation):

- (i) In the event of dissolution of the Stark County Ski Club, liquidation of assets and distribution of any funds remaining in the treasury shall be made as follows:
- Elimination of Outstanding Debt: All outstanding debts owed to any/all legitimate creditors shall be paid from the funds remaining in the *Club* treasury.
 - Liquidation of Physical Assets: All physical assets shall be collected and auctioned off during a regularly scheduled or special called meeting for the purpose of disposing of the same. Proceeds from such auction shall be deposited into the *Club* treasury. Any items not sold shall be donated to the Goodwill Industries or similar charity organization.
 - Liquidation of Liquid Assets: On dissolution, the assets of the *Club* shall be distributed to one or more regularly organized, qualified charity organizations(s) to be selected by the *Board*. The charitable organization should meet the criteria of a charitable entity as defined by the Internal Revenue Code.

Section G: Compensation/Trip Discount Vouchers

- (i) To encourage Club members to be active and participate in the government of the Club, members shall be compensated according to the following schedule:
- President \$500 credit towards trips and activities of the *Club* during their term and free membership during her/his term and for the next 2 years as Past President.
 - Vice President \$400 credit towards trip and activities of the *Club* during her/his term and free membership for that term.
 - Treasurer \$400 credit towards trips and activities of the Club during her/his term and free membership during that term.
 - Secretary \$300 credit towards trips and activities of the Club during her/his term and free membership for that term.
 - Trip Chairperson \$125 credit to be used for Club activities or merchandise. And, the opportunity to participate in the Mountain Travel Symposium and "FAM" trips, with or without full or partial reimbursement by the Club.
 - Trip Committee \$75 credit to be used for club activities or merchandise.
 - Webmaster \$125 credit to be used for Club activities or merchandise.
 - Newsletter Editor \$125 credit to be used for Club activities or merchandise.
 - Membership Chair \$125 credit to be used for Club activities or merchandise
 - Marketing Manager \$125 credit to be used for Club activities or merchandise

- k. Social Events Manager - \$125 credit to be used for Club activities or merchandise
- l. Merchandise Manager- \$125 credit to be used for Club activities or merchandise.
- m. Any additional appointees as determined by the President or the Board (e.g. Parliamentarian, Financial or Legal Advisor, Facebook Manager, Biking Manager, Merchandise Manager, Social Events Coordinator) shall receive one year of free Club membership. \$50 credit to be used towards club activities or merchandise.
- n. Trip/Activity Leaders:
 One day trip leaders will be fully compensated for the cost of trip; lifts, transportation and any travel fees. **Their trip is free.**

 Multi-day trip leaders (at least 2 days of skiing) will receive \$150 credit to be used toward club activities or merchandise. Per/bus to be reimbursed after trip is completed.

 Week trip leaders will receive a credit in amount equal to free lift tickets for the number of days skiing the trip has assigned. Minimum amount will be \$300. Reimbursement will occur after the trip is completed.

- (ii) Maximum compensation any member may receive for the season is \$500. If any officer runs a trip and would be entitled to a trip leader's compensation, the maximum total credit they could receive is \$500.
- (iii) No cash compensation will be paid to officers or trip leaders. At the end of the Club season, any unused compensation credit will be forfeited.
- (iv) Monetary compensations listed above are valid as long as active membership total remains at 190 or above. Should the membership total decline to less than 190 but more than 120, compensation shall be at 75% of the above numbers. Should the membership total decline to 120 or less, compensation shall be at 50% of the above numbers.
 Compensation or credits listed above are valid as long as they do not exceed the total amount of income from Club memberships in the given fiscal year. Should the membership income decline to less than the compensation outlay, the compensation formulae shall be changed so as to not exceed said income. The new compensation formulae shall be determined by the Executive Board and approved by the Board of Directors and the General Membership.



2016-2017 Seasonal Club Program Rates

Both the Super Flex and Season Freedom programs start opening day and continue until the end of the season. NON-TRANSFERABLE photo ID's are issued for these passes and need to be presented to receive a valid lift ticket each visit. Choose a season pass for a lift ticket only, or include rental equipment and/or lessons with your pass. There are no weekend/holiday restrictions for individuals.

No group bus transportation is to be scheduled during the holiday period
Saturday, December 17, 2016 through Monday, January 2, 2017.

Super Flex - Passes are valid one day each week.

Super Flex Pass	Oct. 15th \$30 off	Nov. 15th \$20 off	Regular Rates
Ski Pass Lift ticket only	\$ 165.00	\$ 175.00	\$ 195.00
Rental Lift ticket & rental	\$ 195.00	\$ 205.00	\$ 225.00
Non-Rental Lift ticket & lesson	\$ 190.00	\$ 200.00	\$ 220.00
Complete Lift ticket, rental, & lesson	\$ 220.00	\$ 230.00	\$ 250.00

Season Freedom - Passes are unlimited, valid every day all season long!

Season Freedom Pass	Oct. 15th \$30 off	Nov. 15th \$20 off	Regular Rates
Ski Pass Lift ticket only	\$ 235.00	\$ 245.00	\$ 265.00
Rental Lift ticket & rental	\$ 320.00	\$ 330.00	\$ 350.00
Non-Rental Lift ticket & lesson	\$ 280.00	\$ 290.00	\$ 310.00
Complete Lift ticket, rental, & lesson	\$ 365.00	\$ 375.00	\$ 395.00

ADD-ON OPTIONS:

Pass Refund Option (Cash refund in case of cancellation)	\$ 15.00
Unlimited Tubing (Special season pass for Vertical Descent Tubing Park)	\$ 60.00
Ski Check Pass (Valid for the entire 2016-17 season)	\$ 10.00
Season Helmet Rental (Valid for the entire 2016-17 season)	\$ 15.00
*Snow Buck Promo - \$50 for \$40 (One promo per passholder - must be purchased by Nov. 15th)	\$ 40.00



www.SnowTrails.com

Online Purchasing Procedure: Individual Participants

- Go to www.snowtrails.com or www.SnowTrails.com/seasonalclubs
- Click the "Seasonal Clubs" Banner located on the right side of the page. Make sure that you read the content then click the "Buy Now with your promo code" link
- Select "Seasonal Clubs" from the "Choose a Category" column
- Click on the desired attribute (Season Freedom or Super Flex) from the middle column, "Choose an Attribute", and then select the pass you want from the 3rd column, "Choose a Product" and add to cart (a description for each choice is shown below).
- To select an add-on, click "Group add-ons" from the category column then select the products that you want from the middle column. **Note: All add-ons must be done at this time. The system will not let you add them unless they are done on the same transaction.**
- "Add to Cart" (your cart will be located at the bottom of the page) and click the "next" button.
- From the "Please Select" drop down find your **group code** (example: W33-Bishop Hartley). They are in order by the 1st letter.
- Click the "assign" button.
- If you are a returning pass holder, search your name as you will be in the database.
- Review information for accuracy (not all information will be displayed for security reasons unless you created and remember your username and password). If you are new to Snow Trails select "add new guest" and fill out the required fields shown, click "next".
- Check to **make sure the product** selected is correct as well as the name and club code and click "next".
- Enter your **Promotion Code** which you should receive from your club leader, in the box provided and click "submit". This will reduce the price to the current rate.
- Read and check the "Terms and Conditions" and check the box then click "next".
- Click on the "Agreement" link and read as this is your waiver and will be kept on file, then check the box to the right. Below, check the appropriate choice as it pertains to you, the purchaser, and click "next".
- Check out:
- Enter information as it pertains to the credit card you are using.
- Click on "next"
- A confirmation will be sent to the email address that you registered.
- **Print off confirmation and keep for your records.**

Note: If you did not receive a confirmation, contact Snow Trails Guest Services to confirm your order.

Club Advisor – John Masalko

Group # **M37 – Stark County Ski Club**

Phone 330-949-6016

Promotion Code is **Seasonalclubs1617**

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