



A family friendly
ski club for
skiers of
all abilities!

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



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Member of



Cleveland Metro Ski Council



Meeting Schedule

Summer Break for SCSC Meeting

Meetings scheduled to resume in September



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.

STARK COUNTY SKI CLUB MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Please Print Clearly

Name:

Current address:

City:

State:

ZIP Code:

Home Phone #:

Work Phone

Cell Phone #:

Email Address:

(PLEASE PRINT LEGIBLY)

Alternate Email Address:

Select Type of Membership

(Membership year June 1st, 2020 to May 31st, 2021)

*If you were not a paid member last year you are **NOT** a Renewal this year.*

(Renewal Price is for Consecutive Years)	Renewal Member Member last year	New Non-member last year
Single Member <input type="checkbox"/>	\$20	\$30
Couple Membership (2 people who share the same address)	<u>\$25</u>	\$40
Family <input type="checkbox"/> Share the same address	\$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?



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: _____

(Couple Membership Requires Both Signatures)
(Family Membership Requires Parental Signature)

Or send this application via email to: dscherer680@gmail.com and mail your check to:
(MEMBERSHIP BENEFITS BEGIN UPON PAYMENT RECEIVED)

DEBBIE SCHERER, 355 Beucler Ave. NW, Bolivar, OH 44612-9204

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?

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DO NOT SEND TRIP APPLICATION IN WITH MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Stark County Ski Club

View From The Top By: Mike Bishop

H E L L O !!! Stark County Ski Club "Never again"... a statement of mine from 2005. Well, it took an actual change of heart but I'm back and, this time I have lots of help. The last time I was president the top two positions did all of the club trip schedules, social events, parties, etc. So thank you to not only last year's officers & volunteer position holders but all of the past officers and volunteers for building the club's support network that our SCSC now utilizes.

My motto back in 2005: "If you're not living on the edge, you're taking up too much space". Back then I would have been referring to my ski edges, cornice jumping, living life in constant motion... go... go... go. Now! Right now in 2020 after many weeks of isolation, our house & my woodshop are so clean I don't want to mess anything up. So well organized, that I can't find anything I misplaced before so I can put away again. I sit on the edge of my couch clinging to the remote with the occasional glance out the window watching the grass grow. The sound of the mail truck causes a knee jerk reaction launching me to my feet. The trek down the driveway to retrieve the mail and newspaper is now a daily highlight. Why have the Covid-19 precautions done this to me? Probably so I would volunteer to be SCSC president again.

This season looks to be one of the most challenging seasons ever for the SCSC. Covid-19 has thrown the world into a different mindset that we all now are asked to adapt to. I get a feeling that future social normalcies will be formulated to include a constant self-awareness of social contact. The thought of a welcoming hug, a handshake, or other social gestures within 6' that could put one's life in peril is paralyzing society to those of us at least schooled in germology. My magic 8 ball has yet to give me a straight answer to the effect reopening of Ohio, the United States, let alone the return to skiing will have on us all? Until a vaccine is discovered I think we'll have to adjust to a new normal however it presents itself. Until then please remain vigilant with your self-care, remain current to the Covid-19 guidelines, and continue to be patient while watching out for your fellow man.

Thank you to those members who took the time to complete the 2020 Ski Survey. The executive board and trip committee are already digging into the **what-ifs** for next season. Will airplane travel seating change? Will we need to social distance on airline & bus travel at a premium to the trip cost? Will self travel to our typical local ski resorts temporarily replace the bus? What will the lift lines look like next season and that's being optimistic that we will have lift lines? We will make every effort to keep you all informed of how the ski season develops.



"I'm going to wear out before I rust out and, I've already got my first replacement part".

SCSC trip sign up policy

If you are not a paid-up current member at the time you file a SCSC trip application the application will be held for a minimum of 30 days before processing. SCSC trip application processing will begin only after the SCSC membership application and payment have been received. Membership must remain current throughout the ski season travel period.

Mike

June 2020

Stark County Ski Club

Trip Committee Chair John Masalko

A big thanks to Scott Hunsinger for doing a fantastic job the past two years as the trip committee chair!

And I would like to thank those of you for your warm welcome! I know I have big shoes to fill, and I will do my best to do that. I have seen the surveys and thank all of you that participated in that! That will help us have a better understanding of what everyone is looking for through this pandemic. We are talking with a couple of tour operators for our March week-long trip. We are looking at a direct flight to Denver, and skiing close to Denver in the areas of Keystone, Breckenridge, Beaver Creek & Vail using Vail Resorts (Epic pass). This will keep us from making connecting flights to other parts of the country. Sorry to say that it's not looking like we will have an East trip this year. The H&H is still ago, and we are looking into Snowshoe as a two or three-day trip, and also possibly Timberline, Canaan Valley & Wisp, etc.

We are looking into self-drive trips where the club negotiates group rate lodging and lift tickets, or tentatively using smaller buses with the option to upgrade to a 55 passenger bus.

The trip committee has been working through the pandemic, lining up air and negotiating pricing to these resorts in the West and a big THANKS goes out to the behind the scenes trip members that are doing that.

Please bear with us while we work through these troubled times and watch the future newsletters for more updates...



Stay safe! Thank, John

Stark County Ski Club

Membership Reminder

At the January 2020 SCSC meeting, the updated SCSC Constitution was approved. One of the main changes was to configure the membership dues schedule around the fiscal year. While this has been accomplished we want to remind our loyal members of how this will affect them in the upcoming season. The executive board determined during the review to extend those memberships paid on time in 2019 by 6 months at no extra charge.

Those paid up members as of October 31st, 2019 will have their membership extended from November 1st, 2020 to May 31st, 2021 at no additional cost.

For all **NEW** memberships, the SCSC approved membership year will start June 1st., 2020 through May 31st, 2021.

Stark County Ski Club

Vice-President Gail Vogt

One of my responsibilities is being the contact with CMSC, and those physical meetings were canceled up to May. In May we held our meeting through Zoom, which went over great. We didn't have enough clubs logged into the meeting to hold an official reporting meeting from clubs active on the meeting site.

Messages from the CMSC officers:

The August picnic will not be held this summer.

Spring travel show was not held and missed by all

CMSC is looking for people to take on officer positions:

Secretary

Vice President

Treasurer

Trustee - 2 positions are open

If you would be interested in any of these, please contact me. The compensation for officer positions is a highly discounted trip sponsored by CMSC.

Ideas for our ski season kick-off party to increase the number of members attending are welcome. Thoughts on holding at an earlier date, past has been the Sunday evening after Thanksgiving. I would like to keep the Barrel Room as the place we hold our event, as a support for the wonderful treatment they have shown us.

Change of food type supplied by the club?

Hold at an earlier time of day?

I would love to have your ideas.

gail

Stark County Ski Club

Merchandising Gail Vogt

With the unexpected future of physical meetings, we are not ordering logo merchandise for sale to members. We will continue to accept your personal items to be embroidered with the club's logo. If you have items you would like embroidered, please contact me, and we can make arrangements to meet. Items will be held till there are at least 16 to save the embroidery setup time, and me run time. So watch for those sales.



STARK COUNTY
SKI CLUB

ANDY BAIL

Great ready for the 2020 Ski Season with a Stark County Ski Club Name Tag. This is a great way to let others know who you are! The tags have a purple background with white lettering, and are $1 \frac{3}{4} \times 3$ inches with a magnetic clasp. The cost is \$7.50. To order one, email Gail Vogt at glv2354@gmail.com with the name you wish to have on the nametag. You can pay her when you pick up the nametag.

Gail Vogt

Stark County Ski Club

Summer Biking—Bill Bail

Description of the biking program

Our summer biking group meets on Tuesday evenings through August and we ride a section on the Ohio Erie Towpath between Akron and Navarre weather permitting. You ride at your own pace and go as far as you are comfortable with. Our rule of thumb is we ride out for 45 minutes, take a short break then return making the ride about an hour and a half long as a guideline. I send out an email a day or two ahead of time to let you know where we will be meeting at to start.

Our norm has been that we would also meet after the ride for a social dinner/snack and beverage at a restaurant close to the trail. With the “new norm” just in its infancy starting back up, I won’t be making any plans for dinner but everyone is free to decide on their own in small groups at this time.

The rides will be on Tuesday evening starting at 6 PM weather permitting. The minimum temperature requirement is 60 degrees and of course, not raining. You do not need to be Stark County Ski Club member to ride with us. You do not even need to be a rider as you are welcome to join us and just take a walk on the trail.

If you want to be added to the email list to receive weekly information on where we will be riding, send an email to scsbikers@outlook.com.

[Bill Bail](#)
[Stark County Web site](#).

Stark County Ski Club

Got an Interest ? - Gail Vogt

Kayak Group - Interested?

There is a large group of our club members that own kayaks. We are looking at putting together some river or lake paddle days for this summer. We have some great places to drop in on the Tusc river, Craig Pittman, Canal Fulton, and willing to explore more. There are also some beautiful lakes to paddle around. Ideas for new places are welcome.

If your interested please contact Gail, glv2354@gmail.com, so we can compile the list to be shared within the group only.

Brewery and Wine Tour

Watch for more information coming. Date is Saturday, October 3rd. Plans are to visit 4 breweries and 3 wineries, traveling West, starting in Wooster. We are also looking at having a special tee shirt for all participants, tee shirt will be included price of trip.

Stark County Ski Club

Socials - Diane Marzec

Stark County Ski Club (SCSC) Social Events

Summer is almost here and it's time to start thinking about getting together with our friends. We've come up with ideas in June that still allow for acceptable "Social Distancing". Please feel free to invite your friends.

JUNE SOCIALS



SCSC Golf Scramble

Sunday, June 14th

2:00 pm – 6:30 pm

The Sanctuary Golf Club

2017 Applegrove St. NW,
North Canton, OH 44720

Cost: \$45 per person

Includes 18 holes golf, cart, & hot dog and soft drink at the turn

Calling All Golfers & Fun Seeking Friends

Join your friends for a fun day on the golf course. We'll be playing 18 holes of golf in a scramble format. There may be prizes depending on the number of participants. You don't have to be a good golfer to join in this outing. Scrambles provide entertainment for all skill levels of golfers.

Optional Outdoor Cook-Out at Colleen Logan & Pete Martin's House Afterwards

Sign up Today by contacting Diane Marzec at DLMarzec@gmail.com or (330) 497-4261.



Dinner on the Piazza

Thursday, June 25th

5:30 PM – 8:00 PM

Gervasi Vineyards
1700 55th Street NE
Canton, OH 44721

Join us for a relaxing evening of outdoor dining and live music. Due to new COVID-19 Safety procedures, the Piazza now operates under a full service dining model including table service and full menu. They do not take reservations but if you let me know who is attending, we can do our best to get enough tables as we arrive. You can contact Diane via email at dlmarzec@gmail.com or text or call (330) 497-4261.

Stark County Ski Club

Socials - Diane Marzec

Now Taking Reservations:

Camping/Canoeing/Kayaking/Biking

Friday, July 17th – Sunday, July 19th

Camping at Mohican Reservation

Check out the website: <https://www.mohicanreservation.com/index.php>

Cost: Approximately \$25 per person (Kids under 12 free)

(Dogs are allowed!)



Biking, Canoeing, Kayaking, Zip Line or just relaxing will be on the agenda that weekend along with a lot of laughter and storytelling. **Limited spots available.**

Make your reservations today. See Trip Flier for more details on cost and how to register.

2nd Annual Portage Lake's President's Cup Pub Paddle

Sunday, July 26th

11:00 AM Sail Time



Stark County Ski Club's portage lakes pub paddle and poker run Sunday, July 26th meet at portage lakes old state park dock at 10:30am for registration and put in, park is off 619 state park drive just past the upper deck on the left side of the road. We'll set sail at 11:00am. First stop Upper Deck for brews and quick lunch, travel to northern part of the lake to Pick's at PLX, then short stroll across the waterfront to Harbor Front, paddle back to the park for pull out, Last stop will be a short drive to P.L.B.C Brewery across from the clock tower. Bring your Kayak, Canoe, or paddle board. Don't own a kayak or canoe?? rent a kayak, canoe or paddle board from Killinit Kayaks at reasonable rates <https://killinitkayaks.com/>



Please email Jason Stephen at jdstephan5858@gmail.com with any questions.

Non-members are always welcome to join our socials. It's a great way to introduce them to SCSC and all the fun people!

For more information email Diane Marzec at dlmarzec@gmail.com

Stark County Ski Club

Mohican Camp-Out - Diane Marzec

Annual SCSC Summer Camp-Out at Mohican!

Friday, July 17th – Sunday, July 19th

Camping at Mohican Reservation

<https://www.mohicanreservation.com/index.php>

Camping Cost: \$25 per person (Adults – Kids under 12 free)

Limited campsites reserved - First come, first serve!

Riverfront Tent Camping w/water & electric

(Dogs are allowed!)



Saturday July 18th

Join club members on Saturday July 18th for a relaxing summer day doing one of the below activities...Riding the trails, Zipping through the tree line, floating down the Mohican River in a canoe, kayak or raft!

FLOATING DOWN THE MOHICAN

Float your cares away in a **canoe or kayak or on a raft**. Don't forget to bring your coolers & water guns! The Livery will pick up the group at Mohican Reservation campground and will take us to our drop off point. The trip will end back at the campground.



RENTAL: Canoe or Kayak is \$20 per person for 9 Mile trip. Kids under 12 are free in the canoe with 2 adults. Anyone interested will register and pay at the campground when they check in.

RIDING THE TRAILS

Not a fan of water...**Bikers** may want to ride one of the great trails in that area.

The Kokosing Trail <http://www.kokosinggaptrail.org/TRAIL/aatrail.htm>

or the Ohio B&O Trail <http://www.ohiobikeways.net/bno.htm>



ZIP LINE THROUGH THE TREES



If **Zip Line** is more to your liking, feel free to make a reservation with Tree Frog Canopy Tours

<http://www.treefrogcanopytours.com/>

NOT A CAMPER: Please join us for the day in any activity.

Contact Diane Marzec at DLMarzec@gmail.com to reserve your spot. Payment is due at the time of the reservation.

Please make checks payable to Diane Marzec and mail to:

2716 Marsh Ave. NW, Canton, OH 44708.