

Tips & Tails

July 2021



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Skiers of All Abilities ↗

Family Friendly →

[Membership App](#)

StarkCountySkiClub.org

Facebook.com/StarkCountySkiClub

Member of



Cleveland Metro Ski Council

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

Meeting Schedule

Summer Break

for SCSC Meeting

Meetings scheduled to resume in September

● [Meeting Minutes](#)



Meeting Location
Restaurant and Pub

Phone (330) 493-8239
(2021/22 Tentatively Scheduled)

Membership Renewal

[\(Membership RENEWAL Constitutional deadline August 1\)](#)

SCSC trip sign up policy

If you are not a current paid-up member at the time of your SCSC trip application filing; the trip application will be held for a minimum of 30 days before processing. The SCSC trip application processing will only begin after the SCSC membership application with payment is received and processed. Membership must remain current throughout the ski season or travel period.

Stark County Ski Club

View From The Top By: Mike Bishop

As the SCSC celebrates its 40th year, the planning continues, and we would like a little feedback. Gail is looking into event planning options and would like some suggestions from the membership. Though there is an appearance of normalcy as the country reopens, we would like to measure our membership's comfort level as it relates to venues & dining options. Please send us your emails about how you are dining these days. How you are approaching group gatherings, what you feel about the vaccinations, or anything else on your mind about the club socializing. You may email either Gail or me with your comments. For all those who continue to email me directly, I will continue to champion your opinions as if they were my own.

Though I have already set up a tentative meeting scheduled with Mulligan's that would start in September, we are also looking into other venues. Mulligan's now has a minimum \$400.00 expenditure from the meeting group as a requirement to using the meeting room. I believe we can meet that requirement. I expressed my opinion that this minimum is proportional related to the service of the waiting staff. I have also received emails voicing concerns with the recent news publicity Mulligan's has received. I would like to know the opinion of the membership, and I will work towards the majority's comfort level. Though I have my transplant protocol that I have worked around to attend the SCSC socials, I will continue to work towards what is best for the majority of the club members through the email responses.

As we plan for the upcoming season, the new requirement of none refundable deposits for the week trips is unavoidable. We highly recommend purchasing the trip insurance and read the liability waivers as they have changed following the 2020 year. If you have trip vouchers to use you must make your initial deposit through the tour operator/website first. Once your membership is verified you may apply your vouchers by contacting the trip leader. Please refer to the rest of the newsletter for more information and instruction.

I want to continue to promote our new online payment system for the membership. I know many of you have utilized this quick, convenient, and easy to use service. As you should know, this is only a warmup for things to come from the SCSC website. I think webmaster Bill may have more instore at a later date when it comes to local trip payments. I know my work to move the newsletter to the website will start shortly. I am certainly looking forward to assembling all of our information into one central location.

Feel free to contact me with any SCSC questions. President@StarkCountySkiClub.org

“I have no special talent. I am only passionately curious.” ~Albert Einstein

Membership Privacy Note:

As part of the SCSC membership, we do not share personal membership information with anyone without their permission. If any of our members have a personal event happen (illness, injury, etc.) and a family member, partner, or spouse wish to inform the membership, you may contact any officer. The SCSC will only allow information held by the club to be released upon the written permission (digital format accepted) this includes but is not exclusive to email addresses, home address, phone number, etc.

Membership period June 1st— May 31st

Stark County Ski Club

Vice-President Gail Vogt

Ski Club 40th Year Celebration

I am planning for our 40th year celebration this year, and looking for membership input, please let me know. Looking at places to do a catered event, plus looking for pictures from past trips, events, parties, or socials. Date will be late November or early December.

Please contact me, Gail

glv2354@gmail.com

330-323-8211

Merchandise

I will continue to accept personal items for SCSC logo embroidery, but I need a min of 12 for them to do an economical set up.

Please help me on this, I am always on the lookout for items that can be used for door prizes at meetings and club sponsored events. If your are out and see something bike, ski, hike, kayaking related, contact me. Text is the fastest way to get my attention, I would really appreciate the input and help. 330-323-8211

CMSC Sitzmark: <https://skicleveland.com/publications/>

CMSC Meeting Minutes go to: <https://skicleveland.com/cmssc-meeting-minutes/>

CMSC Trips: [Ski Trips - scroll down to see list - Ski Cleveland Metro Ski Council](#)

As you might know, a dedicated SCSC member, Bill Demsky, has been battling Multiple Myeloma. He recently had a stem cell transplant. In preparation for this procedure, chemo treatments were necessary, which caused Bill to lose his hair. For fun, and with Bill's blessing, we are having a contest to see who can guess what COLOR & TEXTURE his hair will be when it grows back!

Some sort of a prize will be awarded to one person at our meeting in September. Ties will be broken with a drawing.

Guesses should be sent to Donna Brancifort dmbranci@gmail.com



Get ready for the season at The Ski Shack!

SHAPED SKI PACKAGES FROM \$350.00
(Skis and Bindings)

SNOWBOARD PACKAGES FROM \$350.00
(Board and Bindings)

SNOWBLADES FROM \$350.00

SKIS: Dynastar-Volki-Blizzard-Elan
BINDINGS: Marker-Look-Tyrolia
BOOTS: Head-Lange-Roxa-Dalbello
SNOWBOARDS: Nidecker-Flow



Summer Hours

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

Before you put your skis away for the summer, now would be a good time to bring them in for an end of the season tune-up. That way they'll be ready for the first outing next season. Another reason is that my tune-up guy is going to have surgery this fall so he will probably be out of commission until January. He'd like to do lots of tune-ups this spring to get ahead of the game and not cause any delays when it's time to ski again. As of April 1, **I won't have regular hours at the store so just call my cell, 330-581-9278, to arrange a time to come in.**

Joyce

Trip Committee Chair John Masalko

The trip committee met on June 16, 2021, and at that meeting, we altered some of the trips.

Please save the dates!

Peak -N- Peek-January 7th-Roberta Graham-trip leader

Holiday Valley-Holimont-January 12th-14th-Drew Gonyias trip leader

- This trip will leave at 3p.m. on January 12th, arriving earlier in Ellicottville.
- The trip committee decided on making this a bus trip.
- We will be leaving to travel back to Canton at 4:30 p.m., January 14th, with **NO** dinner stop.
- Prepare accordingly or have dinner at the resort.

Cockaigne-January 28th-Gary & Jeri Johnson trip leaders

Mt. Snow Vermont-February 6th-11th-Art Pokopac-trip leader (ski.com tour operator)

Snow Trails Family Fun Day-February 19th-Andy Findlay

Timberline/Canaan -February 27th-March 1st-Scott Hunsinger-trip leader

- 3rd day option for skiing and hotel stay option

Park City Utah-March 26th-April 2nd-John Masalko-trip leader (Sports America tour operator)

Wine and Brew trip-October 2nd -details are being established.

We have also decided to establish a couple of club meet up dates for skiing-for example: meeting up at any of the other Ohio resorts here or Pennsylvania, etc.

Mt. Snow Vermont is a Vail resort and we will be using SKI.COM as our tour operator for this trip, you may order your epic pass through ski.com in order to receive a discounted rate on this trip. Please go to the hyperlink at: Stark-county-sc-pass.event.ski.com or you have the option of just purchasing a three or four day lift ticket if you do not want to purchase the Epic pass. Please see flier in the newsletter.

You may start registering for this trip. ***Please review the flier.***

Park City Utah is also a Vail resort and we will be using Sports America as our tour operator for this trip. You may order your epic pass through Sports America for discounted rates on this trip.

Please go to the hyperlink at: Sportsamerica.com/epic-stark (we are still waiting on airline prices for this trip, which will be in late August. Once we get the airline prices, the flier will be published in the September newsletter.)

Stay safe,

John, Trip Chair jmasalko02@gmail.com

STARK COUNTY SKI CLUB PRESENTS



Sunday February 6, 2022– Friday February 11, 2022

Member Base price \$1130*

Base Trip price Includes:

- Roundtrip on United flights from Cleveland, OH to Albany, NY (subject to change)
 - Roundtrip ground transportation: Albany Airport to Mt Snow Resort
 - 5 nights' accommodations at the Grand Summit Hotel rooms, (2) queen beds per room, Double Occupancy **SKI-IN & SKI-OUT**
 - Mount Snow 3 day Adult Lift Ticket
- Web page: click [GRAND SUMMIT HOTEL](#)

Added Cost your choice:

- EPIC 4 DAY, MNT.SNOW 4 DAY, EPIC NORTHEASTERN, EPIC LOCAL WITHIN TRIP ONLINE LINK. EPIC PRICE WILL CHANGE WHEN EPIC CHANGES PRICES.
- TRIP INSURANCE (**HIGHLY RECOMMENDED**) DUE TO CONTRACTUAL OBLIGATIONS, THERE WILL BE A \$77 NON-REFUNDABLE IF YOU DECIDE TO CANCEL OR IF TRIP DOESN'T GO. Two choice of insurance on application from tour operator or your choice elsewhere

United Air Flights (subject to change):

Departures:

06 FEB SU UA 1740T CLE ORD 6:15A 6:40A
UA 2277T ORD ALB 8:56A 11:51A

Return:

11 FEB FR UA 404V ALB ORD 1:15P 2:45P
UA 1525V ORD CLE 7:30P 9:57P

APPLICATION MUST BE RECEIVED BY OCT 30, 2021 IN ORDER TO SECURE YOUR AIR.

ALL PRICES STATED ARE PER PERSON RATES BASED ON 36 SKIERS. PRICE IS SUBJECT TO FUEL SURCHARGES

Ski.com regulations will prevail for this trip, please read when filling online application

Register for this trip online at Ski.com

<https://meetups.ski.com/stark-county-ski-club-2022>

All Payments to Ski.com with the exception of payment of vouchers

Non-members must include completed membership application and dues payment to SCSC.

Payment Schedule:

1. \$300 Deposit due at your booking
Plus, insurance payment, you picked
2. \$300 on or before 10/10/2021
3. \$300 on or before 11/23/2021
4. \$230 Final balance on or before 12/23/2021

Balance can be paid off in increments or paid in full to Ski.com.

Methods of payment:

Paying by credit card but be aware that there is a 3.3% processing fee.

Paying by check, make checks payable to Ski.com. Allow at least 8-days for delivery or more.

Mail to:

Ski. Com
1512 Grand Avenue Suite 212 Glenwood Springs CO, 81601
Include account number on check # 13526GLO.

Paying by Phone with check number to 800-837-0155
Gloria

If you are going to use Vouchers, please mail to the Trip leader for credit towards your trip.

If trip gets cancelled and you paid with Vouchers, they will be returned as Vouchers.

TRIP LEADER (QUESTIONS)

Art Pokopac, 3956 Troon Drive Uniontown, Oh 44685

Contact Information Email: pokieman@aol.com

Phone: 330.697.7491

* Base Price includes lodging, air and transfers

Price on the trip will vary on your choice of lift tickets and insurance which is HIGHLY RECOMMENDED.

Recommended lift is 4-day Epic (Restricted) with insurance.

Terms and conditions of trip are governed by Ski.com, please read on registration.

Pick lift tickets with Ski.com:

4-day Epic, discount on lodging \$25;

Epic Local discount on lodging \$40

Epic, discount on lodging \$50 which will be refunded after payments.

Save the Date: February 6-11, 2022

Mount Snow, Vermont



Staying at click [GRAND SUMMIT HOTEL](#) to look at the base lodging
Skiing at the mountain click [TRAIL MAP](#)
Flying into Albany transfers around two hours to the resort.
More details to follow.

Please use the link below to book Epic products thru **Ski.com**:

stark-county-sc-passes.events.ski.com

Land package discounts will apply

\$50 land package discount if purchasing Full Epic pass

\$40 land package discount if purchasing Local Epic pass

\$25 land package discount if purchasing a 3 or more-day Epic day product

Save the Date: March 26- April 2, 2022

Park City, Utah



Staying at click [PEAKS HOTEL](#) full breakfast and shuttle to lifts

Skiing at the mountain click [TRAIL MAP](#)

Flying into Salt Lake City transfers around one hour to the resort.

More details to follow.

To receive trip discounts guests should purchase their pass products via the following **Sports America** purchase link:

<https://www.sportsamerica.com/epic-stark>

Land package discounts will apply

\$50 land package discount if purchasing Full Epic pass

\$30 land package discount if purchasing Local Epic or Tahoe Local passes

\$20 land package discount if purchasing a 4, 5, & 6 day Epic product

SCSC UPCOMING “COVID-19 APPROVED” SUMMER SOCIALS & ACTIVITIES

I hope everyone is enjoying their summer. It's been great seeing people again. Please join us and feel free to bring friends or family to any of these events. Non-members are always welcome to join our socials. It's a great way to introduce them to SCSC and all the fun people!

JULY SOCIALS

Camping/Canoeing/Kayaking/Biking Friday, July 16th – Sunday, July 18th

Camping at Mohican Reservation: ALL CAMPING SPOTS FILLED

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

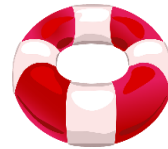
Daily Visitor's Welcome \$3 Guest Fee

Our camping spots are filled but we'd love to see you on Saturday July 17th Biking, Canoeing, Kayaking, Zip Line or just relaxing will be on the agenda that weekend along with a lot of laughter and storytelling. Please email Bill Bail scsbikers@outlook.com if you will be joining the bike ride; Diane Marzec DLMarzec@gmail.com if you will kayaking or just coming to sit in the river and enjoy the day.

Jason Stephen jdstephan5858@gmail.com will be coordinating a kayak river run for those that want to bring down their own kayak. Please let Jason know if you'll be joining him that day.

Kayak and canoe rentals are also available through Mohican Reservation.

Don't forget inner tubes are also a great way to float down the river.



The Granite Grille (Located at the Quarry Golf Club)

Monday – July 26th
5:30 pm – 8 p.m.

DINNER RESERVATIONS REQUESTED!



Join your friends for an evening of outdoor dining and entertainment at this beautiful restaurant situated just minutes from Downtown Canton located in East Canton off of Route 30! **To reserve a spot for dinner with the club please email me at DLMarzec@gmail.com or call (330) 497-4261.**

Golfers might want to take advantage of their golf course built on an old quarry dating back to the 1800's.
To make golf reservations contact:

The Quarry Golf Club
5650 Quarry Lake Dr SE
Canton, OH 44730-9487
(330) 488-3178

<https://www.quarrygolfclubggp.com/grille>

Annual SCSC Summer Camp-Out at Mohican!

Friday, July 16th – Sunday, July 18th

Camping at Mohican Reservation (*Dogs are allowed!*)

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



Camping Cost: \$25 per Adult

\$15 for Teens 13-17 – Kids under 12 free

We have room for 8 tents and/or campers. ALL SPOTS FILLED!

Daily Visitor's Welcome \$3.00 Guest Fee

Saturday July 17th

Join club members on Saturday July 17th 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 or just chillaxing in the river!

FLOATING DOWN THE MOHICAN in a **canoe or kayak or on a raft**. Don't forget to bring your coolers & water guns!

We have 2 options this year:

1. 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.

2. Now that we have a fairly large Kayaking group in the club, we've had discussions of bringing our own kayaks and starting our float at the campground and finding a take-out point down river. Benefits of this are: No rental fee and hopefully no crowds. Downside is there are no bathrooms and no bars along the way.

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> will be a scheduled ride that will include our biking club.

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.

Contract Diane Marzec for more information and to make reservations. dlmarzec@gmail.com or call (330) 497-4261. 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.

AVI / Tom Benson Hall of Fame Stadium News:

We are approaching a busy summer with AVI at Tom Benson HOF Stadium! See the schedule below to start saving dates. We will be asking for volunteers through emails as we confirm information about check-in time & parking.



DATE	EVENT	Report Time	Doors Open	Event Start	Approx End
7/23/2021	Woman's Football Alliance Game 1	1:00 PM	?	3:00 PM	5:00 PM
7/23/2021	Woman's Football Alliance Game 2	5:00 PM	?	6:00 PM	9:00 PM
7/24/2021	Woman's Football Alliance Game 3	1:00 PM	?	3:00 PM	5:00 PM
7/24/2021	Woman's Football Alliance Game 4	5:00 PM	?	6:00 PM	9:00 PM
8/5/2021	HOF Game – Cowboys vs Steelers	?	?	8:00 PM	?
8/7/2021	Enshrinement 2020 Class			7:00 PM	
8/8/2021	Enshrinement 2021 Class			7:00 PM	
8/9/2021	Concert – Brad Paisley & Lynyrd Skynyrd			8:00 PM	
8/20/2021	McKinley vs Mentor			7:00 PM	
8/27/2021	McKinley vs Austintown Fitch			7:00 PM	
9/5/2021	Black College HOF Game			4:00 PM	
9/12/2021	Highway 77 Music Festival (will most likely be 2 shifts)			2:00 PM	
9/17/2021	McKinley vs Green			7:00 PM	

We'll be sharing more detailed information as we get closer to the events. In case you are new to the club & haven't heard about what we do..... we work in concession stands in the stadium. If you talk to anyone who has done this in the past, you will hear that it is a lot of work, but we also have a lot of fun. It has helped us bond together as we do this community service. We meet people from all over the country & we get to promote Stark County Ski Club! We are highly regarded as the "Go To" group by AVI, the concessionaire for HOF Village. They often tell us, "they couldn't do it without us." As a thank you for participating, you receive a minimum of a \$45 Trip Discount Voucher for each event you volunteer for, which you can use towards Stark County Ski Club Trips.

Email Donna Brancifort at dmburangi@gmail.com or text or call 330-705-8143, if you have any questions.

Stark County Ski Club

SCSC Summer Biking

Our Tuesday evening biking is back for the summer. The schedule is posted on the web so you no longer need to watch your email for where the starting location is. Let's hope mother nature is kind to us this year. You can find the information and schedule at <https://starkcountyskiclub.org/summer-biking>. See you on the trail!



SCSC Kayaking Friday Night Floats - Jason Stephan

ALL FRIDAY NIGH FLOAT SPASH IN TIMES ARE 6:30PM UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED	
JULY 2	DEER CREEK RESERVOIR
JULY 9	WINGFOOT STATE PARK
JULY 16	MOHICAN CAMPING WEEKEND
JULY 23	OPEN
AUGUST 6	DEER CREEK RESERVOIR
AUGUST 13	MOGADORE RESERVOIR
AUGUST 20	PLX NORTH RESERVOIR
AUGUST 27	NIMISILA RESERVOIR

SCSC Summer Kayaking

Our SCSC kayaking is going strong, and we have had a few weather-related cancellations and venue changes, but overall, the events are well attended, and with cross-promotion, with CMSC and Other Facebook kayak groups we have generated interest in our club, always good to see new looks, and likes on our Facebook page from folks who have joined us on a paddle. Most recently we have done the Paddle Aboard in CVSR and ended having 25 paddlers join in the fun on the river. All seemed to have a good time, though there were a few that chalked it up to a great learning experience that they would rather not wish to repeat. They did however say that they would join us on future lake paddles and if we decided to paddle the [Tuscarawas River](#) again.

We are planning a co-paddle with CMSC sister club Warren Ski Club, I will share the note I got from them.

Full moon paddle on Lake Milton July 24th Saturday night. We will start paddling at 7:30 pm from the Lake Milton Boat Club (address) 201 Red Dog Lane, Craig Beach. Call Ed @ 330 519 0133 to get in the gate. Please plan for set-up time. We are planning on paddling over to Halliday Winery, listen to some music, and paddle back under the Beautiful moon. Life jackets & a white light are a must after dark. If you have any questions call Ed Hahn at 330-519-0133.

As always, keep your eyes on the emails and our Facebook page for updates, changes, and additions to still look at some fun river paddles.

Jason