

Tips & Tails November 2021



 40 YEARS 

 Skiers of All Abilities 

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[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

Zoom Meeting

(Members invite sent out one week before meeting)

November 16th 7:00pm



[Meeting Minutes](#)



Zoom Meeting

I will be holding the SCSC monthly meetings via Zoom until further notice.

We will continue to monitor the current CDC guidelines as they update with the Covid variants.

Snow Trails Unlimited Ski Pass Auction

Nov 1st until November 30th

Minimum starting bid \$100.00. Retail Value \$630.00



<https://starkcountyskiclub.org/snow-trails-season-pass-auction>

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Stark County Ski Club

View From The Top By: Mike Bishop

I guess the unusual weather pattern we experienced in October had some of you a little behind in your ski trip planning. As a result, we sent out a couple of email reminders of important deadlines that have now passed (SnowTrails Pass / Mt. Snow Air). For those who are 70+, you can still get the Senior Weekday Limited Pass and the Senior Gold Pass throughout the season at www.SnowTrails.com. Now, if you do not have enough years under your belt, I have one more Snow Trails Season Pass option for you. You can bid on an all-inclusive Season pass; this includes unlimited slope access, free rentals, and free lessons with a retail value of \$630.00. All you have to do is go to the link on the front page of this newsletter to get started. The bidding starts at \$100.00 on November 1, 2021, and the proceeds will go towards the Adaptive Ski Program at Snow Trails . You can shop Black-Friday and Cyber-Monday but you will not find a deal like this. The bidding concludes on November 30 @ Midnight. The highest bid will win the pass prize, and membership is required to claim the prize. Bill & I will do our best to keep the highest bid posted to the SCSC website.
(We will use a digital time stamp to decide authentication)

Now that the Mt. Snow has passed the 90-day utilization point of the trips contract, if anyone is interested in Mt. Snow, you will have to contact Gloria (gloria@ski.com), or by phone at 970-925-9500 ext.3028. If space is available, the pricing will be based on the current going airfare rate, and how nice Vail Resorts wants to play for rooms.

We have experienced a couple of excited members jumping in to pay their membership a second time. If you have any questions regarding the status of your membership, please contact Debbie at dscherer680@gmail.com or Mike at president@starkcountyskiclub.org for verification. The extended deadline for membership renewal ended at the September meeting. The Membership renewal will open again in April 2022. Until then, everyone is a new member, if not a current member now. If you have any questions, concerns, or complaints, please contact me.

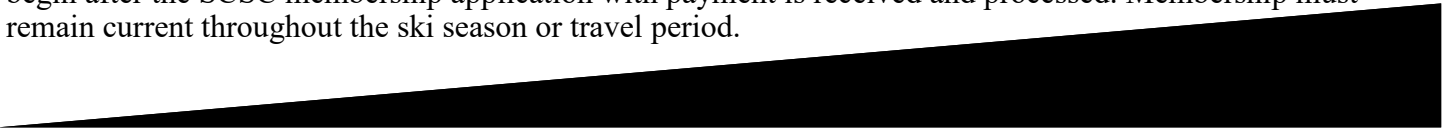
The Cockaigne trip has been moved to Saturday, January 29, after Cockaigne announced their seasonal operating schedule. The original date would have allowed you plenty of time to get there, but a cold dark drive home late depending on how long you skied (Tuesday - Friday hours are 3:00-10:00 pm).

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

“It’s never wrong to do the right thing” - Mark Twain

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Vice-President Gail Vogt

Towpath 101

While supporting the water stop for the Huntington Towpath 101 bike ride, we got a chance to engage in a wide variety of conversations with riders who stopped, which is always a good plug for our club. One of them contacted me and requested help with a fundraiser ride for May 2022. This ride will be a fundraiser for cancer care, and the exact Saturday in May is still pending. We will be located at Craig Pittman Trail Head again, and the ride will have a combination of 3 different mile segments for riders. Volunteering at these events is great for promoting our club and its activities.

Gail glv2354@gmail.com 330-323-8211

Physical Meeting for November??????????

We want to hear from you about holding an in person meeting. We will continue to look at this month to month. Tune in to the Zoom meeting at 7:00pm on Nov 16th.

Gail glv2354@gmail.com 330-323-8211

Merchandise

I will continue to accept personal items for SCSC logo embroidery. **All personal items to be embroidered, must be new, no items that have been worn.** 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.

Gail glv2354@gmail.com 330-323-8211

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

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

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

Stark County Ski Club supporting water station at Butterbridge Rd for **Haunted Forest Marathon**.

Thanks to Jason and Jenny Stephan, and Gail Vogt.

Lots of Thanks from runners for being there for them



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 wishes 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

Trip Committee Chair John Masalko

Autumn leaves are turning, and soon, there will be a nip in the air, and the ski slopes will start opening up. Because of the early, heavy snowfall out West in the mountains, a handful of resorts have opened. Are you ready for the first snowflake? It is time to start signing up for trips. Vail Resorts are projecting opening their resorts in late November, and when that happens, the rest will follow.

2022 trips have been planned and scheduled, they are:

Peek-N-Peak-January 7th (2 have signed up)

Holiday Valley-Holimont-(H & H)-January 12th-14th (bus trip) -(37 signed up)

Cockaigne-January 29th – (5 have signed up)

Mt. Snow-February 6th-11th (25 people signed up) **(limited air spots left!) Final payment due on 12/23/21**

Snow Trails Family Fun Day-February 19th

Timberline/Canaan-February 27th-March 1st – (7 have signed up)

Park City-March 26th -April 2nd – (25 have signed up)-the second payment is due December 10th.

Stay safe,

John

jmasalko02@gmail.com



WINE AND BREW TRIP RECAP



25 of us loaded the bus at the Faircrest steel plant, leaving the lot at 10:30. Heading Wooster way, our first stop was the Blue Barn winery. Touring the facility and learning how they make their wine with tasty samples and slushies. Then heading to JAFB Brewery, where we were surprisingly met by Karen Udell, her and Gail were able to surprise us with anniversary/birthday cake for John and Eleanor's anniversary and Kelly Gonyias' birthday. (Thank you, Gail and Karen!!)

Boarding the bus towards Loudonville, stopping at the wineries along the way, had some bar-b-que at the Ugly Bunny, ending up at Millersburg Brewery in Millersburg, Ohio, where we ate dinner.

Departed Millersburg to home. Turned out to be a perfect day, and fun was had by all.

Thank you,

John

Your Trip Leader

SCSC Halloween Social Shale Brewing Company Recap

We had about 22 people join us for this social.

1st Place - Individual Prize - Rich R. (Slasher) - \$25 Gift Card

1st Prize - Group or Couple - Bill & Cindy Bail

(Jack Sparrow & Elizabeth) - Mr. & Mrs. Halloween Mug/Bowls

Everyone who dressed up either got a mug or a witches pot of candy. etc.

Social Director - Diane



Socials - Diane Marzec

SCSC FALL SOCIALS

Fall colors are beautiful and it's a great time to get together with friends before ski season. Feel free to bring friends or family to any of these events. Non-members are always welcome to join our socials.

NOVEMBER SOCIALS

SHOPPING & DINING IN ALLIANCE

The Ski Shack SCSC Appreciation Sale

Saturday November 6, 2021

1:30-4:30 PM

265 N. Freedom Ave.
Alliance, OH 44601
(330) 821-1220



To thank the ski club members for your past support, The Ski Shack is having a special one-day sale of 20% off all merchandise! Get in the mood for the holidays and ski season!

Join your friends after shopping for some good food & spirits at Don Ponchos in Alliance.
The group will gather from **5:00 pm – 7:00 pm** for dinner.

Don Pancho's

2105 W. State St.
Alliance, OH 44601
<http://www.donpanchohstxmexcafe.com/>

To RSVP for dinner or questions call/text Joyce Tolerton 330-581-9278
or email her at skis@copper.net



Remember 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 contact Diane Marzec at DLMarzec@gmail.com

Warren Miller's "Winter Starts Now" Movie & Ski-fest

Akron Civic Theatre

Sunday November 21, 2021

2:30-5:30 PM (Ski-fest starts at 2:30pm. Movie starts at 3:30pm)

Cost: \$15 plus Tax and Fees (About \$20.75)



This is a great way to kick off the Winter Ski and Board Season!
Bring your friends to this annual event and experience winter in a whole different way.

Akron Civic Theatre
182 S. Main St. (King James Way)
Akron, Ohio 44308

For more information on purchasing tickets and mask mandates visit: <https://www.akroncivic.com/shows/380>

2022 Stark County Ski Club Trip List

Not all the trips are being facilitated thru Stark County Ski Club

WEEK TRIPS ARE BEING RUN BY THE TOUR OPERATOR, USE THE DESIGNATED LINK FOR EACH WEEK TRIP TO REGISTRAR

For SCSC local trips, fill out an "On-line Trip Application & Read Trip Agreement" and follow the appropriate payment process, or mail check to the Trip Leaders address listed. **Checks to be written to: Stark County Ski Club.** The trip application form is available by clicking on the designated trip under [click here for on-line trip application](#) and on the website starkcountyskiclub.org/club-documents

One Day Trip Friday Jan 7 Self-Drive

[Peek n Peak, NY](#) (click name for flyer) **Members Cost: \$58.00**

Trip leader: Roberta Graham **Email:** skiingdef@gmail.com **Phone:** 330-418-2613

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

https://starkcountyskiclub.org/Peek_n_Peak **(with Club Room Included)**

2 Signed Up

Multi-Day Wednesday – Friday Jan 12 – 14

[Holimont & Holiday Valley, NY](#) (click name for flyer) **Members Cost \$314.00**

Trip leader: Drew Gonyias **Email:** gonyiasd@gmail.com **Phone:** 330-936-7301

Address: 1034 Janet Ave. NW, North Canton, OH 44720-1835

Ski Holimont & Ski Holiday Valley

Load bus Wednesday at 2:30 PM, Depart Faircrest lot at 3:00 PM

Depart Ellicottville Friday 5:00 PM - Home around 9:00PM

https://starkcountyskiclub.org/H_and_H

37 Signed Up

One Day Trip Saturday January 29

 **NEW DATE**

Self-Drive

[Cockaigne, NY](#) (click name for flyer) **Members Cost: \$45.00**

Trip leader: Gary & Jeri Johnson **Email:** skierjkj@gmail.com

Phone: 330-495-9260 (Gary) or 330-280-3635 (Jeri)

Address: 2540 Kingswood St. NE, Canton, OH 44721

<https://starkcountyskiclub.org/Cockaigne>

5 Signed Up

Week Trip Sunday - Friday February 6 - Friday February 11

[Mt. Snow, VT](#) (click name for flyer) **Members Cost: \$1130.00** * (Ski In / Ski Out)

Trip Leader: Art Pokopac **Email:** pokiemana@aol.com **Phone:** 330-697-7491

Address: 3956 Troon Dr, Uniontown OH 44685

Register for the trip with Ski.com by clicking on link

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

*Base price includes lodging, transfers, and air

25 Signed Up

One Day Trip Friday Feb 19

[Snow Trails Family Day, OH](#) (click name for flyer) **Members Cost \$TBA**

Trip leader: Andy Findlay **Email:** amyandandy19@charter.net **Phone:** 330-437-6169

Address: 3310 Overhill Dr. NW, Canton OH 44718-3270

Meet @ Resort 10:00 am ?

Multi-Day Trip Sunday February 27— Tuesday March 1 Self-Drive

[Timberline/Canaan Valley](#) (click name for flyer) **Members Cost: \$215.00**

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

Address: 1532 Tremont Street, Dover, OH 44622-1071

<https://starkcountyskiclub.org/TimberCanaan>

7 Signed Up

AN EXTRA DAY IS AVAILABLE — CONTACT YOUR TRIP LEADER FOR PRICING

Week Trip Saturday March 26 - Saturday April 2

[Park City, UT](#) (click name for flyer) **Members Cost: \$1100.00***

Trip leader: John Masalko **Email:** jmasalko02@gmail.com **Phone:** 330-949-6016

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

Register for the trip with Sports America by clicking on link below

<https://www.sportsamerica.com/online/starkcountypc>

*Base price includes lodging, transfers, air

25 Signed Up

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**
- Web page: click [GRAND SUMMIT HOTEL](#)

Added Cost your choice:

- EPIC 4 DAY, MNT.SNOW 3 or 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. 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.

<https://www.mountsnow.com/Plan-Your-Trip/stay/details/grand-summit-resort?location=12580566>

STARK COUNTY SKI CLUB PRESENTS



Saturday March 26, 2022 – Saturday APRIL 2, 2022
Member Base price \$1100*

Base Trip price Includes:

- Roundtrip American from Cleveland, OH to Salt Lake City (subject to change)
- Roundtrip ground transportation: SLC to Peaks Hotel
- 7 nights' accommodations at the Peaks Hotel
Hotel rooms, (2) queen beds per room,
Double Occupancy **On shuttle route to resort**
- Full breakfast daily
Web page: click <https://www.parkcitypeaks.com/>

Added Cost your choice:

- EPIC 5 DAY, PARK CITY 3 OR 4 DAY, 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 \$45 NON-REFUNDABLE**
IF YOU DECIDE TO CANCEL OR IF TRIP DOESN'T
GO.
Choice of insurance on application from tour operator or
your choice elsewhere

American Air Flights (subject to change):

Departures:

AA 2331 26Mar22 (CLE) 7:30A (DFW) 9:40A
AA 2065 26Mar22 (DFW) 10:20A (SLC) 12:29P

Return:

AA 2069 02Apr22 (SLC) 2:16P (DFW) 5:50P
AA 4471 02Apr22 (DFW) 6:30P (CLE) 10:11P

**APPLICATION MUST BE RECEIVED BY NOV. 25, 2021,
IN ORDER TO SECURE YOUR AIR.
ALL PRICES STATED ARE PER PERSON RATES
BASED ON 28 SKIERS. PRICE IS SUBJECT TO FUEL
SURCHARGES**

Sports America regulations will prevail for this trip, please
read when filling online application

Register for this trip online with Sports America at

<https://www.sportsamerica.com/online/starkcountypc>

**All Payments to Sports America.com with the
exception of payment of vouchers**

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

Payments:

1. Deposit due at your booking
2. \$500 on 12/10/2021
3. Final balance on 1/28/2022

Balance can be paid off in increments or paid in full to Sports
America

Methods of payment:

Pay by credit card but be aware
that there is a 3% processing fee.

Pay by check, make checks payable to Sports America

Mail to:

Sports America

1512 Us Hwy 395, Suite 7-B, Gardenville, NV 89410

Allow 8-days for mail

Kayla @ Sports America 707-791-3212

**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)

John Masalko, 3925 Dueber Ave SW, Canton, Ohio 44706

Contact Information: Email: jmasalko02@gmail.com

Phone: 330-949-6016

* Base Price includes lodging, transfers and air

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 [Sports America](https://www.sportsamerica.com/), please read on registration.

Pick Epic lift tickets for this trip with Sports America and received the following:

4-day Epic, discount on lodging \$20

Epic Local discount on lodging \$30

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

AVI / Tom Benson Hall of Fame Stadium News:



Please keep reading the emails that are being sent for the latest information and the need for volunteers. We consider this a community activity, that happens to have a few benefits! Work events and help pay for your ski trips! You'll receive a minimum of a \$70 Trip Discount Voucher for each event you volunteer for! Each shift of the OHSA State Championships will be considered a separate event.

THANKS to all who have volunteered up to this point! Thanks in advance for considering volunteering in the future. You will get confirmation when you indicate you are willing to be at an event. Just wear black or khaki bottoms with a solid-colored top & comfy close toed shoes. At this time, we are required to wear masks, if you are "in the front", with the customers. New volunteers are welcome!

Check out the Emails for details for November & December events:

12/2/2021 OHSAA State Championship Game
12/3/2021 OHSAA State Championship Games (3 games)
12/4/2021 OHSAA State Championship Games (3 games)
12/17 or 12/18 Stagg Bowl

If you have any questions or want to volunteer, contact Donna Brancifort at dnbranci@gmail.com or text or call 330-705-8143.

Bill Demsky's Hair Regrowth Guessing Game

There is no clear winner as of mid-October. We will reevaluate in another month or so to try to determine who's guess is closest.....Stay tuned! Bill & Lin say Hi to all and can't wait to get together again!

Pre-season Sale at The Ski Shack!

Mon.—Sat.—11:00 AM-5:00 PM
Great deals for this season

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

SNOWBOARD PACKAGES FROM \$350.00
(Board and Bindings)

SNOWBLADES (with Bindings) \$380.00

SKIS: Dynastar-Volki-Blizzard-Elan
BINDINGS: Marker-Look-Tyrolia
BOOTS: Head-Lange-Roxa-Dalbello
SNOWBOARDS: Nidecker-Flow-M8TRIX



10% off any purchase /
any time for SCSC members.

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