

# Tips & Tails

# January 2022



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Skiers of All Abilities ↗

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[Membership App](#)

[StarkCountySkiClub.org](http://StarkCountySkiClub.org)

[Facebook.com/StarkCountySkiClub](https://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)

**January 18<sup>th</sup> 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.

# No Physical Meeting Scheduled

## SCSC trip sign up policy

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# Stark County Ski Club

## View From The Top By: Mike Bishop

### “SKIING... IS THE EASY PART.”

I trust that you all have remained vigilant throughout your Holiday gatherings with friends and family as the Omicron variant makes its mark throughout the country. I continue to review the [CDC domestic travel](#) recommendations in preparation to travel to the resorts. Anywho, if you are still formulating your New Year's resolution, why not “become better informed.” As some of us begin our ski season, I encourage you to get vaccinated, get boosted and continue to mask-up while traveling by bus, train, plane (Fed Reg.), and all indoor venues. As a SCSC member representative, we encourage you to follow all of the local Covid regulations and some of those may require vaccination.

All of my ski trips either are insured or have full cancelation refunds by a contracted date. My shadow and I have had three [\(microchip?\)](#) vaccine injections, with my fourth possibly coming in February. We have our sanitizing grab-n-go bag stocked with N95 respirators for traveling and specific skiing respirators with check valves for outdoor lift lines. We do this because our hospitals resemble a weekend lift line that I am trying to avoid. As the resorts ramp-up to accept skiers under whatever flavor of protocol, do you ever wonder where we would be if everyone just drank the free water? Again, I would recommend getting vaccinated to avoid any potential indoor issues with restaurants or other potential last-minute Covid mandates as you travel in general, especially if you are visiting Vail Resorts.

You may not have to go through the preparedness that I have to, but as I once announced in Jackson Hole many years ago, “Boys’ we’re going BS skiing.” After nearly two years, we still find ourselves not much farther ahead in this pandemic, and I consider that BS. Thankfully, our neighboring states do not have the Covid penalty policies from last season in place. With that said, please do not get offended if Shelby & I avoid close contact with you on the mountain or indoors.

Now for some important notes:

**PNP:** 9:30 AM Club Room #5 Lift Ticket Handouts

**H&H:** (NY Regulation until Jan 15.2021) Wingate and local Restaurants require facemasks while indoor. Breakfast, Pool, and Hot Tub are open.

**Cockaigne:** 7 More needed for the group rate (15)

**Snow Trail Family Day:** 15 Members without season passes needed for a group rate

**Vail Resorts Mask Policy Change (12.29.2021)** [Epic Pass Safety Measures](#)

With the most recent uptick in Covid infections, along with a meek response to our inquiries, there will not be any physical meeting scheduled anytime soon. Those who still want to get together please look for Diane’s social list later in the newsletter. These socials are tentative and may be affected by the infection path of the pandemic.

Feel free to contact me with any SCSC questions. [President@StarkCountySkiClub.org](mailto:President@StarkCountySkiClub.org)

### “Skiing is the easy part” - Aspen Extreme 1993 Movie



“It’s your outlook on life that counts. If you don’t take yourself too seriously, pretty soon you can find humor in our everyday lives. And sometimes it can be a lifesaver.” - Betty White

#### 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

# Vice-President Gail Vogt

## Physical Meeting Idea:

A physical meeting is a **no go**. Very few people took the time to respond, some expressed they did not want a buffet, and a room charge for a small number to attend is just not a good idea at this time. The places that were offering buffet, I totally understand, and they don't have the staff to support a group ordering individual meals. We are playing it safe for now.

Gail [glv2354@gmail.com](mailto: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, and no items that have been worn.**

I need a minimum of 12 for them to do an economical set up. Please help me on this, for 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 themed bike, ski, hike, or kayaking related, contact me. Text is the fastest way to get my attention, and I would really appreciate the input and help.

Gail [glv2354@gmail.com](mailto:glv2354@gmail.com)

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](#)

# Trip Committee Chair John Masalko

H&H - final payment was due December 16<sup>th</sup> to trip Leader Drew Gonyias  
The final signup was December 23rd @ noon, and the trip is now **closed** for signups.

Park City - final payment due on 1/28/22 to:  
<https://www.sportsamerica.com/online/starkcountypc>.

The H & H bus trip is **FULL**,  
Timberline/Canaan **Deadline is January 20, 2022. Action needs to be taken!**

2022 trips have been planned and scheduled, they are:

- Peek-N-Peak-January 7<sup>th</sup> (15 have signed up) Need 15 to keep a group rates!
- Holiday Valley-Holimont-(H & H)-January 12<sup>th</sup>-14<sup>th</sup> (bus trip) -(63 signed up)
- Cockaigne-January 28<sup>th</sup> – (8 have signed up) Need 7 for group rates!
- Mt. Snow-February 6<sup>th</sup>-11<sup>th</sup> (26 people signed up)

**SOLD OUT- Final payment was due on 12/23/21**

- Snow Trails Family Fun Day-February 19<sup>th</sup>
- Timberline/Canaan-February 27<sup>th</sup>-March 1<sup>st</sup> – (20 have signed up)

**DEADLINE- January 20, 2022**

- Park City-March 26<sup>th</sup> -April 2<sup>nd</sup> – (36 have signed up)

**SOLD OUT- the Final payment is due 1/28/22.**

See you on the mountain!

Stay safe,

John

[jmasalko02@gmail.com](mailto:jmasalko02@gmail.com)

# Socials - Diane Marzec

## SCSC JANUARY SOCIALS

Happy New Year and bring on the snow...PLEASE!

The January and February Socials are listed below as **TENTATIVE with a big ?** As of the writing of this newsletter the restaurants are still open to the public but COVID cases are again on the rise. Please watch your email on the Friday before the event for any updates, reminders or cancellations.

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### Fat Head's Brewery

**Tuesday, January 25<sup>th</sup>**

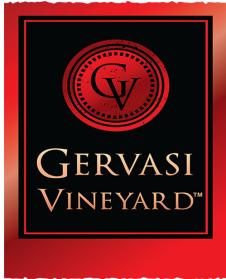
**5:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.**

Join your Ski Club friends for a night out at another local brew house. We will gather at one of their "Community Tables" for some food, adult beverages (if you choose) and just plain fun.

Address: 3885 Everhard Rd NW  
Canton, OH 44709  
Phone: (330) 244-8601  
<http://fatheads.com/canton.html>

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## UPCOMING FEBRUARY SOCIAL



### The Still House

**Wednesday, February 23<sup>rd</sup>**

**5:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.**

Designed as a coffeehouse and cocktail lounge, The Still House features *Gervasi Caffè* signature roast, *Gervasi Spirits*, craft cocktails, draft beers, award-winning wines, and a delectable appetizer menu.

The cocktails range from the classics of the prohibition era to the cutting-edge flavor combinations and flair techniques of today's mixologists. Gervasi Spirits feature three types of bourbon, spiced rum, vodka, gin and flavor-infused spirits including blood orange gin and rosé vodka – crafted to enjoy neat or as signature ingredients to our cocktails.

The Sin Room, is their heated outdoor lounge, featuring an incredible selection of cigars and an extensive bourbon list. In the evening, live music offers just the right vibe to transform to a swanky cocktail lounge. Whether you are naughty or nice, and like sweet or dry, The Still House is for saints and sinners alike.

Gervasi Vineyards  
1700 55<sup>th</sup> Street NE  
Canton, OH 44721  
(330) 497-1000  
<https://www.gervasivineyard.com/dine/the-still-house/>

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](mailto:DLMarzec@gmail.com)

## 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](http://starkcountyskiclub.org/club-documents)

### One Day Trip Friday Jan 7 Self-Drive

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

Trip leader: Roberta Graham Email: [skiingdef@gmail.com](mailto:skiingdef@gmail.com) Phone: 330-418-2613

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

[https://starkcountyskiclub.org/Peek\\_n\\_Peak](https://starkcountyskiclub.org/Peek_n_Peak)

**9:30 AM Club Room #5 Lift Ticket Handout**

**Need 15 Minimum  
for Group Rate**

15 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](mailto: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](https://starkcountyskiclub.org/H_and_H)

**Bus Full  
Sold Out**

63 Signed Up

### One Day Trip Saturday January 29 Self-Drive

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

Trip leader: Gary & Jeri Johnson Email: [skierjkj@gmail.com](mailto: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>

**Need 7 More (15 for group rate)  
for Group Rate**

8 Signed Up

### Week Trip Sunday 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](mailto: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

**Sold Out**

26 Signed Up

### One Day Trip Saturday Feb 19

**Snow Trails Family Day, OH** **Members Group Cost \$44.00**

Trip leader: Andy Findlay Email: [amyandandy19@charter.net](mailto:amyandandy19@charter.net) Phone: 330-437-6169

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

**Meet @ Resort 10:00 AM**

**Members without season passes needed for group**

**Need 15  
Minimum for  
Group Rate**

### 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](mailto:huns@roadrunner.com) Phone: 330-340-7548

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

<https://starkcountyskiclub.org/TimberCanaan>

20 Signed Up

**AN EXTRA DAY IS AVAILABLE — \$110 SINGLE \$55 DOUBLE— CONTACT YOUR TRIP LEADER**

### 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](mailto: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

**Sold Out**

36 Signed Up

## AVI / Tom Benson Hall of Fame Stadium News:



Thank You for a Great Year !!

Thanks to everyone who helped at Tom Benson HOF Stadium in 2021! It was a very successful year! We consider this a community activity, that happens to have a benefit! You receive a Trip Discount Voucher for each event you volunteer for, which will help you pay for your trips with SCSC!

### Some 2021 Fun Facts:

32 Shifts/Events  
From May 8th thru Dec 17<sup>th</sup> (8 Months)  
47 people volunteered  
384 Total "Man Shifts" were worked making the average number of workers per event at 12

More wrap up information will be given in the February newsletter. The HOF Village Powered by Johnson Controls is already planning a very busy 2022! If you did not volunteer in 2021, can I ask why you didn't? In case you haven't heard, many people are paying for entire SCSC trips! What's holding you back? Will you consider next year?

Send your comments or questions to Donna Brancifort at [dmbranci@gmail.com](mailto:dmbranci@gmail.com) or text or call 330-705-8143.

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# SCSC Members Discount 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