

Tips & Tails



2024

STARK COUNTY SKI CLUB

Since 1981



◆◆ 40++ YEARS ↑

● Skiers of All Abilities ↗

● Family Friendly →

Member of
Cleveland Metro Ski Council



[Membership App](#)

StarkCountySkiClub.org

Facebook.com/StarkCountySkiClub

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

In Person Meetings
3rd Tuesday September-April

Come out & Join us with Biking, Kayaking, & Volunteer as we prep for the 2024-2025 Ski Season!

What You Missed ! [Meeting Minutes](#)



[Membership Renewal](#)

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 Contact List

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CSMC Update Links

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

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

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

Off Season-Call for Appointment !!

SCSC Members Discount at The Ski Shack!

Hours of Operation:

Off Season-Call for Appointment

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



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

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

“We’re closed for the season but available by appointment. Thanks for your support this season! Have a good summer on the bike trail, golf course, or water. See you in the fall! Joyce”

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**

View from the Top– Jason S.

Skiers and Riders,

Wow what a great start to summer fun activities, the Hunsinger Open social golf outing was a smashing success, soon summer biking and kayaking will kick off. We were approached by Cuyahoga Valley Ski and Social club who also bike to see if we would want to share biking schedules and have an invite from them to join their biking and we will reciprocate with sharing our biking schedule as well as our Kayaking schedule.

Your club's trip committee and leadership team have been hard at work, with attending the Paul Webber ski show, and looking at planning some summer trips and activities and next season's trips. We are now live on our website with the trip application for the Mammoth Mountain trip. We have also been looking at some spring summer and fall trips, I will let you read the trip committee chairman Matt's report to find out what they have been up to.

We have also looked at last season's meeting space and evaluated how well the space worked for the club, while we really enjoyed the new venue and the prices were great, we have decided to go back to a new old haunt. This upcoming season we will be meeting back at Bogies Pub and Grill, the Old Rafters at Meadowlake. We have met with the management of the restaurant and have held an executive committee board meeting to work on the upcoming seasons fun and sample their food offerings. The bogies management team has let us know they are happy to have us, and have updated the kitchen, and will have a separate bar in the back room for us when we meet and will be offering a limited menu. Prices are reasonable and it's a familiar meeting place for us all and our hope is attendance comes back up to our past levels.

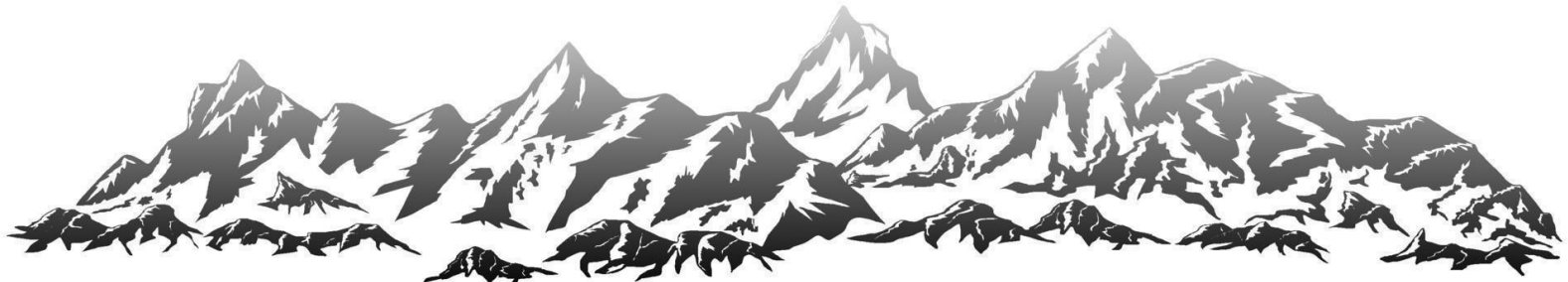
- Jason S.

VP Report & Merchandise – Gail V.

Merchandise

Picked up some great ideas for logo items at Paul Webber's spring show. I am working with the trip committee on an item that will be given to attendees of the large trips.

-Gail V.



“But tomorrow may rain, so I’ll follow the sun.” - The Beatles

A word from the Trip Committee... Matt S.

JUNE 2024 TRIP COMMITTEE REPORT

RESULTS OF SPRING/SUMMER/FALL TRIP SURVEY:

- Twenty people replied.
- Only 3 people indicated an interest in a rafting trip so, we will not pursue this any further.
- 13 people expressed an interest in a fall wine tour so, we are working on getting quotes.
- 15 people were interested in Alaska so, we are working with Bill Fry to put this trip together.

A list of all confirmed and planned upcoming trips can be found in this newsletter. Please check them out.

We would like to know if anyone would be interested in a bus trip to Wright-Patterson AFB. Tentative schedule would be a Saturday sometime around Veteran's Day. Target cost would be about \$89 per person. To cover the cost of the bus, we need 40 participants so, **LET US KNOW IF YOU ARE INTERESTED.** Unless interest is indicated, we will not reserve a bus.

We started taking applications for the Mammoth Mountain trip May 21. The trip sold out May 25. We have asked the tour operator if we can add more people but, have not yet received an answer. We will continue to take applications and add people to a standby list in the order in which applications are received. **IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN GOING ON THE MAMMOTH TRIP, PLEASE SUBMIT AN APPLICATION AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.** If we can add more people, we will use the quantity on the standby list as an indication of how many more spots we would like to get.

PLEASE REMEMBER TO SEND A COPY OF YOUR DRIVER'S LICENSE WHEN YOU MAIL YOUR DEPOSIT.

Rich's Report:

The Lake Placid/Whiteface trip is now live in this newsletter. The Mammoth trip sold out quickly, We expect this trip to fill up fast as well. We will be driving to Lake Placid and staying at the High Peaks Resort Lake Placid on Main street in the center of the village. Lake Placid is the home of the 1932 & 1980 Olympics. Village activities and night-clubs are located within walking distance. Lake Placid also features Bobsledding, Luge, Ice Skating, Olympic venues and more.

Planning and managing club trips is a never-ending process. Let us know if you would be interested in helping out. We have already begun planning our 2026 ski trips. RFQ's have been sent out to tour operators.

AS ALWAYS, THE PURCHASE OF TRIP INSURANCE IS HIGHLY RECOMMENDED! If you plan to go on multiple trips of any kind in a year, an annual trip insurance policy may be a more cost-effective option. The one-year term of such a policy can start any time you choose.

Thanks,
Matt



Treasurer & AVI Updates– Donna



AVI Tom Benson HOF Stadium



And we're off! The summer season of events for volunteering for AVI is approaching fast! I can't believe it will be our 13th season of doing events at Blossom Music Center and now at Tom Benson HOF stadium! Thanks to all those that have come to help in the past. We welcome new volunteers who might be interested in getting involved! If you'd like to know more about what we do, contact Donna or any of the volunteers. If you like to people watch, you would love it! We represent Stark County Ski Club, the city of Canton, Stark County, the Pro Football HOF HOF Village as we welcome guests from near and far!

The coordinators got a note from AVI John last week. They are going to test the waters going cashless. He says only one register in each stand will have cash! Interesting! Let's bet if all the clovers will be functioning! We try to have an on-deck list in case we need extra people for some reason. John may add staffing or things happen. If you need to cancel, please do it with as much notice as possible. When you sign up, please consider it a commitment, but we realize that there are unforeseen circumstances. Please do not come to the stadium if you are ill. If you need some leeway with the Check-in time, because of work, please let Donna know.

You will receive a Trip Discount Voucher for each event you volunteer for, which will help you pay for your trips with SCSC! **Newbies are welcome!**

			Check-In <u>Time</u>	Gates Open	Event <u>Start</u>	Requested <u>Staffing</u>
Thur	June 20	Bert Kreischer Comedy Show	3:45pm	5:30pm		20
Thur	Aug 1	HOF Game – Texans vs Chicago	4:00pm?		8:00pm	
Sat	Aug 3	HOF Enshrinement of the 2024 Class				
Sun	Aug 4	Concert for Legends				
Mon	Aug 5	DCI - Innovations in Brass				

Send your comments or questions to Donna Brancifort at dnbranci@gmail.com or text or call 330-705-8143.

If anyone is interested in being the coordinator for this effort, please contact Donna!

Note from the Treasurer

SCSC is still looking for a Treasurer! I did not know I was going to be on the ballot, but I wouldn't strand the club either. If anyone would like to know more about what is involved in being the Treasurer, please contact me! Auditing "the books" would be a great way to get familiar with what the Treasurer deals with! We need someone to do the audit even if they are not interested in being the Treasurer.

Pedals, Paddles & Putts Tour

All,

We're thrilled to announce an exciting lineup of activities to keep you on your toes and in top shape, both physically and mentally.

Embrace the thrill of the outdoors with biking, kayaking, golfing, and volunteering opportunities galore! Whether you're hitting the trails on two wheels, paddling through tranquil waters, perfecting your swing on the green, or making a difference in your community, there's something for everyone to enjoy.

But the excitement doesn't stop there! Stay in the loop and never miss a beat by following us on Facebook and joining our GroupMe for regular updates, event announcements, and more. It's the perfect way to stay connected with fellow enthusiasts, share your experiences, and get the latest scoop on all things related to staying active and preparing for the upcoming ski season.

So, dust off your gear, lace up your shoes, and get ready for a year filled with adventure, camaraderie, and endless possibilities. Let's make this season one to remember together!

-Alyssa G.

Biking– Roberta G.

SCSC Biking Schedule 2024

Tuesday Evening Rides starting at 6PM

Date	Meet Location	Optional Dining/ Drinks
June 4th	John Glenn Grove Trailhead	Erie Street Pub
June 11th	Bison St Burgers & Brews	Bison St Burgers & Brews
June 18th	Ernie's Bike Shop	T. J Dillon
JUNE 25th	Rain Date	
July 2nd	Helina Park Canal Fulton	Miller Doan Tavern
July 9th	John Glenn Grove Trailhead	Erie Street Pub
July 16th	Bison St Burgers & Brews	Bison St Burgers & Brews
July 23rd	Ernie's Bike Shop	T. J Dillon
July 30th	Rain date	
August 6th	Helina Park Canal Fulton	Miller Doan Tavern
August 13th	John Glenn Grove Trailhead	Erie Street Pub
August 20th	Bison St Burgers & Brews	Bison St Burgers & Brews
August 27th	Rain date	

Roberta Graham

330-418-2613

skiingdef@gmail.com

SCSC FRIDAY NIGHT FLOAT 2024 SCHEDULE

EVERY FRIDAY EVENING MEET AT 6:00PM SPLASH TIMES ARE 6:30PM
 WEATHER PENDING STAY POSTED VIA FACEBOOK & GROUPME

DATE	LAKE/RESERVIOR	LAUNCH LOCATION
May 31, 2024	WINGFOOT LAKE	FARR LN
June 7, 2024	MOGADORE RESERVOIR	THE BOATHOUSE
June 14, 2024	SIPPO LAKE	TYNER ST
June 21, 2024	ATWOOD LAKE	ATWOOD EAST MARINA
SUNDAY June 30, 2024	LAKE MILTON 9AM	LAKE MILTON STATE PARK MARINA
SATURDAY July 6, 2024	LEESVILLE LAKE 9AM	SOUTH FORK MARINA
July 12, 2024 Camping Weekend	MOHICAN CAMPING WEEKEND	CONTACT DIANE FOR DETAILS
SATURDAY July 20, 2024	Tuscazoar Showcase	Tuscazoar Park 10a-4p
July 26, 2024	MOGADORE RESERVOIR	THE BOATHOUSE
August 2, 2024	DEER CREEK RESERVOIR	PRICE ST
August 9, 2024	NIMISILA RESEVIOR	C6 CHRISTMAN RD
August 16, 2024	WINGFOOT LAKE	FARR LN
SATURDAY August 24, 2024	Tuscarawas River Paddle- 9a Meet	Craig Pittman Park to Tusc. River Park
August 30, 2024	SIPPO LAKE	TYNER ST
September 6, 2024	TBA	TBA
September 13, 2024	TBA	TBA

IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO JOIN US FOR A FNF PLEASE LET [ALYSSA](#) KNOW, SO WE DON'T LEAVE ANYONE ON SHORE SOLO.

RENTALS MAY BE RESERVED PER THE PARK'S WEBPAGE AVAILABILTY
 WILL VARY PER LOCATION

[Sign up here for email/text reminders.](#)



CMSC Metro Cup– Art



CLEVELAND METRO SKI COUNCIL PRESENTS: 2024 CMSC “METRO CUP” GOLF OUTING Golf Package is \$80



Golf Course, date & time: Mayfair County Club, 2229 Raber Road, Uniontown, Ohio 44585
July 28, 2024, Sunday @ 2pm shotgun start.

Four Person Scramble Play Typical format – Each person drives their ball on each hole; locate the ball in the best position. Move all balls to the best ball position and hit the next shot from there. Continue this process until the ball drops in the cup. Record your score as a team.

Format: The intent is to have 2 persons from one club paired with 2 persons from another club as one team to promote camaraderie between clubs! **Accepting one, two or four from a club to play.**

If you have a golf handicap for 18, please write it down in app, no handicap places a “N”.

Golfers on the following tees: *Red Tees for the ladies, Black Tees over 70, and all others off the White*

The Golf Package includes: 18 holes, cart, lunch, BBQ dinner, course refreshments (on your own at reduced rate). Prize for first place, prize for DFL and drawing for prizes.

Options: For Golf only the cost is \$53.00. OR For Dinner only the cost is \$25.00.

Schedule at the course: Registration is between 12:30 PM to 1:30 PM near the Pro Shop; Team organization is 1:45 PM to 2:00 PM; and shot gun start is at 2:00 PM. Lunch is being served from 12:30 PM to 2:00 PM and Dinner plus awards and prizes after golf at the course in the banquet room.

Contact information or questions: Call Art Pokopac 330.697.7491 or email at pokieman@aol.com CMSC Golf Chair.

Fill in application and sent in payment below:

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Player 1: Name: _____ Email: _____ Phone: _____ Handicap: _____

Circle one: Golf Package \$80 Golf Only \$53

Player 2: Name: _____ Email: _____ Phone: _____ Handicap: _____

Circle one: Golf Package \$80 Golf Only \$53

Player 3: Name: _____ Email: _____ Phone: _____ Handicap: _____

Circle one: Golf Package \$80 Golf Only \$53

Player 4: Name: _____ Email: _____ Phone: _____ Handicap: _____

Circle one: Golf Package \$80 Golf Only \$53

Person: Name: _____ Name: _____

Dinner only \$25

Make check payable to CMSC.

Send check and app to:

Art Pokopac, 3956 Troon Dr, Uniontown, Ohio 44685

Due on or before July 5, 2024, with payment and app

Come for the fun and be a part of “The Cup”

2025 Stark County Ski Club Trip List

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. The trip application form is available by clicking on the designated trip’s Application Link. **Checks to be written to: Stark County Ski Club.**
Secure your spot with the designated trip leader, deposits hold your spot(s)!

Fall Wine Tour Date: TBD Trip Leader: John “Rocky” Masalko Email: jmasalko02@gmail.com Address: 3925 Dueber Ave SW Canton, Ohio 44706	Members’ Cost: TBD	Bus Phone: 330-949-6016
Snow Trails Mansfield OH Family Day Date: January 11 Trip leader: Roberta Graham Email: skiingdef@gmail.com Address: 8760 Appleknoll St NW Massillon, Oh 44646	Members’ Cost: Varies	Self-Drive Phone: 330-418-2613
Kissing Bridge & Holiday Valley Ellicottville NY Multi-Day Wednesday January 15-17th Trip leader: Drew Gonyias Email: gonyiasd@gmail.com Address: 1034 Janet Ave. NW, North Canton, OH 44720	Members’ Cost: TBD	Bus Phone: 330-936-7301
Lake Placid NY/Whiteface Mountain Dates: February 2– February 7 Trip leader: Rich Ramsey Email: ramsey-88@hotmail.com Address: 1735 Jefferson Rd NE, Massillon, OH 44646	Members’ Cost: \$849	Self Drive Trip Application Phone: 330-327-3720
Mammoth Mountain Full Trip-Waitlist Dates: February 22— Wednesday March 1 Trip leader: Matt Stear Email: SCSC.tripchair@gmail.com Address: 2235 Oak Tree Dr NW. Dover Ohio 44622	Members’ Cost: \$1539+ Lift Tickets	Fly Trip Application Phone: (330) 316-2874
Camelback/ Blue Mountain Dates: March 8– March 11 Trip leader: Mike Lockhart Email: marinelock@gmail.com Address: 1151 Melscheimer Rd. SW., East Sparta OH 44626	Members’ Cost: TBD	Self Drive Phone: 330-704.0360
Alaska Cruise Dates: End of May 2025 Trip leader: Matt Stear Email: SCSC.tripchair@gmail.com Address: 2235 Oak Tree Dr NW. Dover Ohio 44622	Members’ Cost: TBD	Fly Phone: (330) 316-2874



Potential 2026 Trips
Tahoe (Heavenly, Kirkwood, Northstar) —> Epic Pass

Optional trip insurance is *HIGHLY* recommended– contact trip leader for details.



Trip Application

Sunday February 2– Friday February 7, 2025
\$859 per Person (Includes Lift Tickets)
28 Spots Only (14 Rooms) Self Drive



Trip Leader:

Rich Ramsey

1735 Jefferson Rd NE, Massillon, OH
44646 Email: ramsey-88@hotmail.com
Phone: 330-327-3720

Payment Schedule

\$100 Deposit Required
within 10 Days of Trip
Application Submission

November 1, 2024- \$300
January 1, 2024
Remaining Balance

5 Nights Hotel Lodging High Peaks Resort 4 Days on the Slopes

- All rooms will either have a queen/queen or a king size bed, mini fridge, coffee maker, private balconies or patio with lake or mountain views.
- There are two indoor pools, two hot tubs, an exercise room, nightly happy hour and live entertainment in the lounge.
- Complimentary Snowshoes can be borrowed at Guest Services Desk
- Hot breakfast Daily (20 people min)
- Board Games and Air Hockey in Great Room

Free Lake Placid shuttle during the day only 4 day consecutive all area lift Whiteface Mt, February 3-6, 2025



Optional trip insurance is **HIGHLY** recommended– contact trip leader for details.



Trip Application

Saturday February 22, 2025– Saturday March 1, 2025
\$1539 + Lift Tickets – *28 Spots Only*

CURRENTLY FULL- WAITLIST IS IN EFFECT



Trip Leader:

Matt Stear

2235 Oak Tree Dr. NW, Dover, Ohio
44622 Phone: 330-316-2874

Email: SCSC.tripchair@gmail.com

Payment Schedule

Deposit \$100

October 12, 2024 \$500
November 23, 2024 \$500

January 11, 2024
Remaining Balance

IKON Base Accepted

Adult Lift Tickets

- 4 Day- \$433
- 5 Day- \$514
- 6 Day- \$617

Senior Lift Tickets

- 4 Day- \$356
- 5 Day- \$423
- 6 Day- \$507

Super Senior (+80) FREE

Lift Ticket Info!

Friends and family may also purchase discounted IKON passes through our link. Encourage anyone interested to join the club so they too can get the *\$50 trip discount*.

IKON passes allow you to go right to the lift. They also provide discounts on purchases at the resort as well as discounts with participating retailers. For a full description of IKON amenities visit <https://www.ikonpass.com>.

Juniper Springs Lodge Amenities

- *2 BDR Condos Ski-In & Ski-Out*
- Three hot tubs and a heated pool are located on the Lobby level for Juniper Springs Lodge guests only.
- Fitness Room - Open 24 hours with room key access for Juniper Springs Lodge guests.
- Ice Machines located on the second, fourth and fifth levels
- Machines are operated by CleanPay App. Laundry soaps and supplies available (additional fees apply). Open 24 hours.
- Each unit is assigned one (1) storage locker for ski and snowboard equipment located in the lobby.
- Elevation: 8,000 feet
- Welcome breakfast day after arrival
- Complimentary Group Mountain Tour
- \$100 Resort Credit May be used for on mountain gear, food and/or drink purchases



Optional trip insurance is HIGHLY recommended– contact trip leader for details.

Stark County Ski Club

FAMILY FUN

day



JANUARY 11, 2025

Start at 9:00 am

3100 Possom Rd, Mansfield Oh 44903

Trip Leader: Roberta Graham

skiingdef@gmail.com

More Details to Follow

As the Date Gets Closer

