

Tips & Tails 2025 April

Year-round activities feature biking, kayaking, camping, monthly socials, volunteering, and more!

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StarkCountySkiClub.org



Member of:
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What You Missed ! [Meeting Minutes](#)

*The difference between try and triumph is a little umph. -
Marvin Phillips*

**Last Meeting 'til September!
April 15th Bogey's Pub and Grill
1211 39th St NE, Canton, OH 44714
Social 6p, Meeting 7p**



[CLICK HERE TO VOTE](#)

Cast your vote between April 1-15th

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.

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CSMC Update Links

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](#)

SCSC/CVSSC Members Discount at The Ski Shack!

Hours of Operation: Off season hours.
Call for appointment!

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



10% off any merchandise/ any
time for SCSC/CVSSC 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’ll do one more run of tune-ups mid-April, so call to make arrangements for getting them to the shop. Thanks for your past business! Have a great summer and 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.

And just like that it's over. There still may be a chance to chase the snow out West where there is still decent coverage, but for most of us, its time to put the skis away for the year.

Its has been a great season with good snow and conditions, I was able to make the last club trip of the year and had fun sliding around a resort we have not visited in the past. It was a great family ski destination with a indoor water park, game room and bowling alley.

I would like to give my personal thanks to my Vice President who lead all the meetings this year as my new work schedule would not allow for me to be present at the meetings. Our incredible Trip Committee who plans out all our trips and the logistics of getting our groups to and from our destinations safe and soundly. And to the rest of the officers and leaders who step up to make the club operate.

Elections are up next, voting will be from April 1st through April 15th, with results announced at the April meeting. To vote go to our website and follow the voting link.

Thank you in advance for those who have stepped up and accepted nominations. Now get those Kayaks, bicycles, and golf clubs ready for all the fun spring, summer and fall activities.

-Jason S.



Don't Forget to Vote!
[CLICK HERE TO VOTE](#)

VP Report & Merchandise– Gail V.

Vice Pres.

We are going to be collecting travel size toiletries for Hope House associated with Cleveland Clinic's Cancer Unit.

Hope House supplies lodging to family members of the clinic's patients. Rocky stayed there during Eleanors' treatment, and they will be able to stay there when she has her follow up procedures. He said that there were travel-size toiletries available for those who forgot, ran out, or just needed something to get them through their stay.

We would like to help with that supply as a club, by donating to the stash. Single toothbrushes and any travel size toiletries would be appreciated.

Please bring items to the meeting in April or the social.

We are losing our meeting place. They are looking to use the space to focus on more restaurant business.

Our last meeting in April will be at Bogey's. We will keep you updated on our progress on finding a new venue. Suggestions are welcome to find a new place.

Merchandise

Ski Club Buffs - 5.00

Club Bandanas - 5.00

-Gail V.

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

Sadly, the 2025 ski season is a wrap. We had fun while it lasted with trips to Snow Trails, Kissing Bridge & Holiday Valley, Lake Placid, Mammoth Mountain, and Camelback. More info about those last two trips may be found in the following trip reports.

Looking ahead, our next scheduled trip is to an all-inclusive resort in Puerto Plata October 19-25, 2025. Please see the trip flyer for additional details.

Due to the popularity of the fall wine tour last year, I hope we can schedule something similar this year.

Our next Kissing Bridge/Holiday Valley trip is scheduled January 14-16, 2026.

We will be visiting EPIC resorts in 2026. Our eastern trip is tentatively scheduled February 8-13, 2026. The plan is to take a train to Albany then bus to Mt. Snow, Stowe, or Okemo. Our western trip will be to Heavenly March 21-28, 2026. For those interested, we will provide a portal to purchase EPIC passes.

We have an Alaska cruise and land tour coming up June 20-30, 2026. Please see the flyer for that trip in this newsletter. A trip to Alaska is one of those once-in-a-lifetime experiences. We have enough cabins to accommodate 32 people reserved. Interest in this trip has been strong. Sign up quickly so you don't miss out,

My term as Trip Committee Chair is coming to an end. It's been a privilege to serve you, the club members. I would like to thank the elected and volunteer Trip Committee members, John Masalko, Jesse Boron, Roberta Graham, Drew Gonyias, Rich Ramsey, and Mike & Kelly Lockhart for their service and support. I'm looking forward to passing the baton to the new committee who you will be electing. I'm sure they'll do a great job.

AS ALWAYS, IT IS HIGHLY RECOMMENDED THAT YOU PURCHASE TRIP INSURANCE!

Thanks,
Matt

Socials – Janet S.

Hey ski club friends,

Our March social was at Erie Street Pub. 25 club friends gathered together for food, drinks, and conversation.

EUCHRE TOURNAMENT

Our April social will be our annual euchre tournament. We will meet at Emerald Estates club house at 9634 Agate, Massillon. Social time will start at 6:00 PM Saturday April 26. The euchre tournament will start at 7:00 PM. Please bring a small dish or snack to share. We have access to a full kitchen. I will need RSVP's from anyone who wants to participate in the tournament. Please text to 330-340-4105 or email to janetstear@yahoo.com. If you don't want to participate in the tournament come to socialize. Bring your favorite board games. Euchre players will pay \$3 each to go toward prize money.

Our May social will be held at Towpath Tavern, 225 Canal Street, Bolivar. We will start at 5:30 PM Tuesday May 13 but, you can arrive earlier if you like. Towpath has an extensive menu and great reviews. Weather permitting, we will be on the patio.

Hope to see you!

Thanks,
Janet



Treasurer & AVI Updates– Donna B.



Member Volunteer Events Tom Benson HOF Stadium



Donna Brancifort – Coordinator

If you are still expecting any Trip Discount Vouchers , please reach out to me to arrange for a meet up.

It's time to start thinking about our 8th year of volunteering in the concession stands for AVI at Tom Benson HOF Stadium. Because we have had waning interest, we will try something different this year and we will see how it goes! Most often, we will be on the Club Level (inside) and will only need 2-4 people. We may also be asked if we want to fill in occasionally, if needed, but that may be a last-minute request.

I will remain the coordinator again this year. Because there won't be much activity and there will be less people needed, Greg Dyer & I talked and decided I would just keep doing it for the time being. Thanks, Greg, for being willing to step in to help, if needed.

Here's what I am thinking for this year.... **If interested in working at any of the events, send me your name, email and mobile number, if you want to get future information and communications.** I will only send a few notes to the entire club list. All other communication will be through email or text to the smaller list. I will publish the list of available events. Please respond with your availability for each event. Once we have everyone's schedules, we will allocate the shifts as evenly as possible. Admittedly, it was more fun to work as a large group, but I think that ship has sailed, at least for now. Although there will be less, you will still receive a Trip Discount Voucher for each time you participate.

Contact Donna Brancifort at dnbranci@gmail.com or 330-705-8143 with interest, availability, schedule, questions, etc.

Date	Event	Approx Check-In Time	Needed
Sat May 3	Tacos & Tequilla Music Fest	2ish? ?	(Not Club-Waiting if they need us)
Mon Aug 4	DCI	4:00 PM	4
Fri Aug 29	McKinley vs N Highland	4:30	2
Fri Sept 12	McKinley bs GlenOak	4:30	2
Fri Sept 26	McKinley vs Green	4:30	2
Fri Oct 10	McKinley vs Lake	4:30	2
Sat Oct 25	McKinley vs Massillon	4:30	2
Thur Dec 4	OSHAA State Final Game	4:30	?
Fri Dec 5	OSHAA State Final Game 1	8:30 AM	?
Fri Dec 5	OSHAA State Final Game 2	1:00 PM	?
Fri Dec 5	OSHAA State Final Game 3	5:30 PM	?
Sat Dec 6	OSHAA State Final Game 1	8:30 AM	?
Sat Dec 6	OSHAA State Final Game 2	1:00 PM	?
Sat Dec 6	OSHAA State Final Game 3	5:30 PM	?

Possibly more events will be added to this list.

Pedal, Paths, Paddles & Putts Tour-All in One!

Pedal Power – We’re *gearing up* for an exciting season, but first, it’s time to *knock out* those critters who thought your gear was the perfect winter retreat! Thanks to the Cuyahoga Ski and Social Club, we’ve got an amazing pedal tour planned with scenic routes worth every spin. [Tim Lavey](#) is heading this sector up! See [page 11](#) for more details!

Pathway Prowess – Hiking lovers, get ready! We’re adding a series of hikes to the calendar, so lace up those boots and stay tuned for details. Time to *step up* and hit the trails! Check out [page 7!](#) There is a Spring Wildflower Walk that is taking place on April 19th, see [page 10](#) for details!

Paddle Prep – The season is in *full swing!* Be sure to air out those life vests (*trust us, your nose will thank you*), and maybe give those water shoes a rinse – a little *freshness* never hurt anyone. There is the Madhatter’s Race on April 19th, that you must register for! Check out the flyer on [page 9](#) and/or register through [here!](#) We’ve got a packed paddling schedule, capped off with a *glowing* finale: our much-anticipated Glow Paddle! And let’s not forget the River Sweep on **May 17th (10 AM - 3 PM)**—a chance to *clean up* approximately 1.5 miles of the Tusc. River. Sign up so we can get a headcount! There will be a few floats I won’t personally be able to join, so if anyone is willing to *captain the crew* from launch to landing, it’ll help keep things running *smoothly!* [River Sweep Sign Up](#)

Putting Around – Mark your calendars because we have a date for **The Outing Scramble!** Time to *tee up* with your best *birdie buddy* and bring your *eager eagle* to this fun-filled event. More details to come, so get ready to *par-tee!* The application for this one is on [page 12!](#) There will be a Hun’s 2nd Annual Scramble, stay tuned for more details coming in May!

Let’s make this season one to remember—whether you’re pedaling, hiking, paddling, or putting, we’re *fore-tunate* to have



SAVE THE DATE!!
Cleveland Metro Ski Council presents:
“The Outing”
Four Person Golf Scramble



Date and time: July 27, 2025, on Sunday at 2PM
Place: Mayfair County Club, 2225 Raber Road, Uniontown Ohio
Price: TBD
Price Includes: 18 holes of Golf, lunch before golf, dinner, prizes, and great fun.
Format: Four-person scramble composed of four people: Rules to follow in the application.



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

Bill Bail is looking for someone to take on this role as Webmaster, If interested, please reach out to [Bill Bail](#). “In Wordpress you build individual pages. Each page when published becomes a link on the website. The page can contain text, graphics, pictures or links to other pages on the same webserver or anywhere on the internet. On our website, we have a main home page, different pages that list ski trips, social functions, club documents and forms for membership and trip applications. The job now is to keep the pages updated with current information and create new pages or links to new documents that are uploaded. That usually occurs along with the new newsletter. So the busy time is at the end of the month when the newsletter and documents are uploaded to the website. The other busy time is uploading and building new application forms for ski trips.” - [Bill B.](#)

Paths & Camping-Roberta G

Pathway Prowess: Step Into Adventure for Monthly Monday Miles!

Lace up those hiking boots and join us for an evening of fresh air, scenic views, and good company! We'll meet at **5:30 PM** and start strolling at **6:00 PM**. Whether you're here for the steps, the sights, or the socializing, these hikes are a *walk in the park!*

Upcoming Treks:

May 19 – Tam O'Shanter Park (5055 Hills and Dales Rd NW, Canton, OH 44708)

Where history meets nature! Expect rolling trails, peaceful greenery, and a *trail mix* of adventure.

June 2 – Jackson Bog State Nature Preserve (7984 Fulton Dr. Massillon Oh 44646) A unique wetland wonderland! Just a heads-up—**no dogs allowed** per park regulations. But don't worry, you'll still have plenty of wildlife to chat with!

July 14 – Quail Hollow (13480 Congress Lake Ave NE, Hartville, OH 44632)

Forests, meadows, and a touch of magic—this spot is a hiker's dream. Bring your best *trail tales* to share!

August 18 – Fry Family Park (2533 Farber St SE, Magnolia, OH 44643)

A hidden gem with rolling hills and stunning views! Let's *take a hike* in the best way possible.

Each hike promises a mix of adventure, laughs, and good vibes. So grab your water bottle, invite a friend, and let's hit the trails!

ANNUAL SCSC CAMPING TRIP:

Now Taking Reservations

Camping/Canoeing/Kayaking/Biking

Friday, July 18th – Sunday, July 20th

Camping at Mohican Reservation

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

Cost: Approximately \$26-30 per person (Teens 12 -17 \$10 & 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.

2025 Theme: Groovy Vibes Embracing the Hippie Spirit

Join us for games, food, and lots of laughs. Stay for a groovy dance party in the woods.

To make reservations contact [Roberta Graham](#). Payment must be received no later than

July 7, 2025.



2025 SCSC Paddle Schedule

SCSC FRIDAY NIGHT FLOAT 2025 SCHEDULE

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

Date	Location	Launch Location
Friday, May 30, 2025	<u>WINGFOOT LAKE</u>	<u>FARR LN</u>
Friday, June 6, 2025	<u>MOGADORE RESERVOIR</u>	<u>THE BOATHOUSE</u>
Friday, June 13, 2025	<u>NIMISILA RESEVIOR</u>	<u>C6 CHRISTMAN RD</u>
Friday, June 20, 2025	<u>DEER CREEK RESERVOIR</u>	<u>PRICE ST</u>
Sunday, June 29, 2025	<u>West Branch- 9 AM</u>	<u>West Boat Ramp</u>
Friday, July 4, 2025	NO PADDLE HOLIDAY	
Friday, July 11, 2025	TUSC. RIVER	<u>DOVER CANAL PARK</u>
Friday, July 18, 2025	MOHICAN CAMPING WEEKEND	
Friday, July 25, 2025	<u>MOGADORE RESERVOIR</u>	<u>THE BOATHOUSE</u>
Friday, August 1, 2025	<u>DEER CREEK RESERVOIR</u>	<u>PRICE ST</u>
Friday, August 8, 2025	<u>NIMISILA RESEVIOR</u>	<u>C6 CHRISTMAN RD</u>
Saturday, August 16, 2025	<u>LEESVILLE LAKE 9AM</u>	<u>SOUTH FORK MARINA</u>
Friday, August 22, 2025	<u>ATWOOD LAKE</u>	<u>ATWOOD EAST MARINA</u>
Friday, August 29, 2025	<u>SIPPO LAKE</u>	<u>TYNER ST</u>
Friday, September 5, 2025	<u>WINGFOOT LAKE</u>	<u>FARR LN</u>
Saturday, September 13, 2025	<u>Guilford Lake State Park-9AM</u>	<u>Guilford Lake State Park Beach</u>
Sunday, September 21, 2025	<u>Salt Fork- 10AM</u>	<u>SugarTree Marina</u>
Saturday, September 27, 2025	<u>SIPPO LAKE- Glow Paddle</u>	<u>TYNER ST</u>

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

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

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



LAKE METROPARKS Madhatters Canoe & Kayak Race



Presented by
 **Ken Ganley**
 SUBARU WICKLIFFE

Saturday, April 19, 2025
Boats depart 9 to 10 am
NO SAME-DAY REGISTRATION

NO REGISTRATIONS ACCEPTED AFTER APRIL 13 at midnight

Race begins at Ashtabula County Metroparks' Harpersfield Covered Bridge Metropark and ends at Lake Metroparks' Hidden Valley Park in Madison. Race course is 8.5 miles.

CANOE & KAYAK RACE ENTRY FEE

\$25/person (service fee applies)

ON-LINE REGISTRATION ONLY. VISIT LAKEMETROPARKS.COM AND CLICK ON THE RACE LINK.

Packet pickup available on Friday, April 18, 3 to 7 pm in the Environmental Learning Center at Jordan Creek Park, 7250 Alexander Rd., Concord Twp. 44077. Race day packet pickup also available at Harpersfield Covered Bridge beginning at 7:30 am.

For more information, contact Brian Davidson at 440-256-2118 x4110 or bdavidson@lakemetroparks.com.

MADDEST HAT CONTEST

Are you mad? (All racers qualify!) Design a hat (or some sort of river-worthy headgear) and wear it April 19. The "maddest hat" wins a prize! The more creative, the better— just go crazy! Hats must be worn during the race and fit under bridges (clearance approx. 140 ft.).

For race day conditions and information, call the SPORTS HOTLINE: 440-256-2118 x4178

Registration ends at midnight on April 13.

- No pro or ICF boats
- Ages 10 & older, younger than 18 with an adult
- No riders not paddling in race. Maximum two people per boat.
- Prior experience is mandatory.
- Life jackets must be worn at all times or racer will be disqualified. No inflatable life jackets. No Type II life jackets.
- All canoes and kayaks must be registered with the state of Ohio as ODNR Parks & Watercraft may inspect boats.
- Lake Metroparks reserves the right to cancel, postpone or alter the race for the safety of all racers and spectators.
- Grand River Canoe Livery: 440-813-0413 & 800-ME-CANOE, Raccoon Run Livery: 440-990-0420
- Race directors reserve the right to combine or eliminate classes.
- Shuttle provided to and from start to finish lines; runs 7:30 am to 2:30 pm (or race completion). Racers only—no transportation for boats.
- Awards will be made available for pick up at the Lake Metroparks Environmental Learning Center starting Monday, April 21. First, second and third in each category will be awarded.

PLEASURE CANOE

- Pleasure (all canoes, non-racing type)
- Over & Under (one participant is age 15 or younger, the other participant is at least 18 years older than the first.)
- Coed
- Master (age 40 and older; 10 second handicap will be deducted for every year over 40)

KAYAK CLASSES

- Women's Solo Kayak (all kayaks):
 Ages 29 & younger Ages 40 to 49 Ages 60 & older
 Ages 30 to 39 Ages 50 to 59
- Men's Down River Kayak longer than 14 ft.:
 Ages 34 & younger Ages 35 & older
- Men's Kayak 14 ft. & shorter:
 Ages 29 & younger Ages 40 to 49 Ages 60 & older
 Ages 30 to 39 Ages 50 to 59
- Double Kayak (All)
- Non-conforming class*
 *(Race for time only, no awards)



Official Race Timer



Race results posted at:
GCXCRacing.com

LAKEMETROPARKS.COM

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YOU ARE INVITED TO

SPRING WILDFLOWER WALK

MEDINA COUNTY'S RIVER STYX PARK
8200 RIVER STYX RD, WADSWORTH, OH 44281

APRIL 19, 2025
MEET AT 12:30P START WALKING 1:00P

**THEN TO HUBBARD VALLEY &
DOLCE AT THE STRAND 123 BROAD ST.
FOR GELATO & COFFEE.**

QUESTIONS? CALL TIM AT 330.825.9538
AND LEAVE A VOICEMAIL.

CVSSC Biking Schedule– Tim L.

Gearing up for more chaos than their kickstands can handle! One of our sister clubs has been generous share their peddling schedule.

Tuesday rides begin at 5:30pm. Except for the ride on July 29 which starts at 4:30pm
Saturday and Sunday rides begin at 10:00am

For additional information, please reach out to Tim Lavey presidentgsci@gmail.com

2025 Towpath Tour

Date	Trailhead	Section	Après/Dining Option
Tues. May 27	St. Helena Park 123 Tuscarawas St. NW, Canal Fulton, Oh	St. Helena Park/Towpath Court	The Barrel Room 129 N Canal St.
Tues, June 3	John Glen Grove 8000 Warmington Rd. SW, Navarre, Oh	Towpath Court/Wooster St.	Erie Street Pub 2700 Erie St South.
Tues. June 10	Craig Pittman Park 8062 Hudson Dr, Navarre, Oh	Wooster St/McDonnell	Kozmo's Grille 37 First St SW
Sun June 22	Fort Laurens Park 11064 Fort Laurens Rd NW, Bolivar Oh	McDonnell/Canal Lands Park	Lockport Brewery 10748 Wilkshire Blvd. NW
Tues, June 24	Vanderhoof Rd. Trailhead, 2445 Vanderhoof Rd	Vanderhoof Rd/St. Helena Park	Winks, 75 Fifth St. SE, Barberton.
Tues. July 1	Wilbeth Rd. 380 W Wilbeth Rd, Akron Oh	Wilbeth Rd/Vanderhoof Rd	The Upper Deck 357 W Turkeyfoot Lake Rd
Tues. July 8	Memorial Parkway 499 Memorial Parkway, Akron Oh	Memorial Parkway/Wilbeth Rd	Lock 15 Brewing Co. 21 W North St
Tues July 15	Ira Trailhead 3801 Riverview Rd, Peninsula Oh	Ira/Memorial Parkway	Musketeers Bar & Grille 3027 Brecksville Rd
Tues July 22	Ira Trailhead 3801 Riverview Rd, Peninsula Oh	Ira/Boston Store	Musketeers Bar & Grille 3027 Brecksville Rd
Tues July 29 4:30p Start Time	Boston Overflow Lot 1508 Boston Mills Rd	Boston Store/Fraze House	The Brew Kettle 11 Atterbury Blvd.
Tues Aug 5	Lock 39 8000 Rockside Rd, Independence Oh	Fraze House/ Harvard Ave	Yours Truly 8111 Rockside Rd
Sat Aug 16	Harvard Ave 997 Harvard Ave	Harvard Ave/Canal Basin Park	Das Schnitzel Haus 5728 Pearl Rd



**CLEVELAND METRO SKI COUNCIL
PRESENTS:
2025 CMSC "THE OUTING, A 4 PERSON
SCRAMBLE" GOLF OUTING**



Golf Course, date & time: Mayfair County Club, 2229 Raber Road, Uniontown, Ohio 44585
July 27, 2025, Sunday @ 2pm shotgun starts.

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 (foursomes are welcomed)! **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 65, 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 flight A and B, prize for DFL and drawing for prizes.

Options: For Golf only the cost is \$60 OR For Dinner only the cost is \$25.00.

Schedule at the course: Registration is between 12:00 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 12:00 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 \$85 Golf Only \$60

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

Circle one: Golf Package \$85 Golf Only \$60

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

Circle one: Golf Package \$85 Golf Only \$60

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

Circle one: Golf Package \$85 Golf Only \$60

Person: Name: _____ Name: _____

Dinner only \$25

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, 2025, with payment and app
Come out for the fun and be a part of "The OUTING"**

Trip Recap– Mammoth

We had a total number of 29 people make the trip to Mammoth. 25 of us flew from CLE to RNO. A few of us got the party started early by spending the night before the flight in Cleveland. Although CLE was very busy on the morning of our departure, everyone made it to the gate with plenty of time to spare. Our boarding passes had Priority Access status so, we got to go through the security fast lane. With that extra time, we were able to enjoy a leisurely breakfast at Great Lakes prior to boarding. Steve and Joyce flew out early and toured Death Valley on their way from Las Vegas to Mammoth. Mike and Dan got off of a cruise ship in Florida and onto a plane to RNO. Unfortunately, their flight was delayed. They arrived later than planned but, safe and sound.

Upon arriving in RNO, the bus was ready and waiting so, we were able to get on the road promptly. We made a grocery stop in Carson City on the way to Mammoth. Nearly everyone was able to stock up in the slotted 30 minutes that we had to shop. We definitely did a good job of contributing to the local economy. The chance to procure beverages made the scenic drive to Mammoth even more enjoyable. We arrived at Juniper Springs resort at about 5:30. Unfortunately, our hosts weren't expecting us until 10:00 and some of the room assignments were incorrect. We were able to work through those issues pretty quickly so we could get settled into our rooms. The accommodations were very nice.

The morning after we arrived, Mammoth staff members hosted a welcome reception and breakfast. We were given an orientation and were able to get any questions we had answered. We all received a \$100 resort credit card that we were able to use for food, drinks, rentals, and souvenirs. After breakfast, we split into four groups for complimentary guided mountain tours. Those were both very nice perks. Those who had Mammoth lift passes had trouble accessing the lifts. It turns out that those passes were dated for the following month. We were able to work through that little wrinkle, too.

The skiing was good and the weather was great for sitting outside for lunch and apres ski. Mammoth is a great mountain and well-named because it is huge. There were many nice options for dining and drinking around the mountain, in the village, and in the town of Mammoth Springs. Transportation was very convenient and easy to use. Some of us skied every day. Others took some time off for local sightseeing.



We had three new club members join us on this trip: Jenn Morrison and Chad and Chrissy Kemp. They fit right in with the rest of the group and, I believe, had a great time. We look forward to enjoying many more trips and socials with them.

Everyone received a SCSC bandana that we tied to our legs to make it easier to find each other on the slopes. Many of us were stopped by people asking about our “colors” including a former Timken Ski Club member. Thanks Gail for providing those bandanas.

This was the first ski trip that had a dedicated GroupMe chat group set up. It worked great! Thanks Alyssa. It made communication of trip details to the entire group (with one exception) much easier and more effective. It allowed us to set up ad hoc meetings for skiing, lunch, après ski, dinner, cards, et cetera. It also made the trip more fun because we were able to just banter back and forth and post trip photos.

We gathered at the end of each ski day in our own “private” hot tub. It really wasn't reserved for us but, we were able to monopolize it for our group. In the hot tub, we were able to recap the days' events and plan impromptu get-togethers.

We were able to help Jodi celebrate her 60th birthday. A bunch of us took Jodi out for dinner at a nice steakhouse. Gail got a Mammoth t-shirt for Jodi on which we were able to write signed birthday greetings. I'm pretty sure Jodi enjoyed her celebration. I know I did.

On the day of our return, we flew back from the Bishop regional airport. That was a memorable experience. While we waited for the TSA officer to show up, we were able to bask in the sunshine in Adirondack chairs, right next to the outdoor baggage claim shed, and finish off the last of our beverages. Fortunately, we again had Priority Access so, we were able to get through security pretty quickly. Although the plane was fairly large, an Embraer 175 that seats about 80 people, our ski bags could not be loaded onto the plane due to weight restrictions. We got back to CLE on time without any further incidents. Everyone got their skis within a day or two.

We shared a lot of photos, had good times with great friends, and have many good memories about a great ski trip to share for some time to come.

-Matt

Trip Recap– Mammoth Pics.



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)!

Puerto Plata Dates: October 19-25, 2025 Trip leader: Kelly Lockhart Address: 1151 Melscheimer Rd. SW., East Sparta OH 44626	Members’ Cost: \$1750-1900 3 Spots Remaining Email: Adagio268@gmail.com	Trip Application
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Wine Tour: TBD Dates: TBD Trip Leader: TBD	Members’ Cost: TBD	Bus: TBD
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Ellicottville NY Multi-Day Wednesday January 14-16, 2026 Trip leader: TBD	Members’ Cost: TBD	Bus: TBD
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Eastern Trip-TBD Multi-Day February 8-13, 2026 Trip leader: TBD	Members’ Cost: TBD
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Heavenly, Ca. Multi-Day March 21-28, 2026 Trip leader: TBD	Members’ Cost: TBD
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Alaska Cruise Multi-Day June 20-30, 2026 Trip leader: Matt Stear	Members’ Cost: See Flyer Email: SCSC.tripchair@gmail.com
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*Potential 2026 Trips
 Tahoe (Heavenly, Kirkwood, Northstar) —> Epic Pass*

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

LIFESTYLES HOLIDAY RESORTS PUERTO PLATA

OCTOBER 19-25, 2025

*ONLY 14 ROOMS AVAILABLE, SO THIS
WILL SELL OUT QUICK!*

DUE TO CHANGES IN AIRLINE
POLICIES, REGISTRATION
DUE **MARCH 1, 2025** TO GET
THIS PRICE. AFTER MARCH 1,
FINAL COST WILL BE BASED
ON AIRFARE.



\$1750.00 Per Person & Includes

- 7 Bedroom Villas
- Double Occupancy Bedroom with Private Bath (Rooms have King size beds, so roommates would need to share bed.)
- All Inclusive: Breakfast cooked in Villa, one private BBQ for the group, all food and drinks,
- Airport Transfers, Golf Carts to Share
- Private Beaches, 9 pools, 30 restaurants

\$1900.00 for Single Occupancy

Trip Application

Trip Leader:

Kelly Lockhart

1151 Melscheimer Rd SW

East Sparta, OH 44626

adagio268@gmail.com



PAYMENT SCHEDULE

**\$250 DEPOSIT UPON
REGISTRATION**

\$500 JUNE 10

\$500 AUGUST 10

REMAINDER SEPTEMBER 10

Optional trip insurance is HIGHLY recommended

ALASKA 2026!

CRUISE & LAND TOUR

June 20-30, 2026



Voyage: X619 / Denali Explorer
 Ship: Discovery Princess
 Entered Service 2022



Cabin Options: Inside stateroom - **\$3,206.22 per person**
 Deluxe balcony - **\$4,746.22 - \$4,796.22 per person**

Those prices include all taxes and port fees and all ground transportation, as well as meals in the main dining rooms and

Ports

- Ketchikan
- Juneau
- Skagway
- Glacier Bay
- College Fjord
- Whittier

They also include a Princess Plus package which provides:

- ◇ Wi-Fi for one device per guest
- ◇ Drinks, bottled water, specialty coffee, juice bar, cocktails, wine, and beer (up to \$15 each), and 25% off of bottles of wine.
- ◇ Crew appreciation (tip/gratuity)
- ◇ 2 Casual Dining meals per person
- ◇ Room service delivery and drink delivery anywhere onboard
- ◇ 2 fitness classes per person

Trip Leader: Matt Stear
 Email: SCSC.tripchair@gmail.com

The land package includes:

- ◇ Train to Denali Princess Wilderness Lodge
- ◇ Mt. McKinley

Flight Info: Cleveland —> Vancouver.
Return Anchorage —> Cleveland.

AIR FARE IS NOT INCLUDED IN CABIN COST
Passports are REQUIRED



If you choose not to include the Princess Plus package, you can deduct about \$400 per person. Please note that all guests in each cabin must elect to have the package or not; one person cannot use the package and the other decline the package.

These prices do **NOT** include air. Air will be extra but, we cannot get air prices at this time. We will use Princess Air. That way, if there are any delays, Princess is responsible. **Any excursions would be an additional charge.**

Optional trip insurance is HIGHLY recommended