



August 2004

Lewis Ski Club
Naski Tips

Next Meeting
August 3, 2004
Club Picnic at the
W.J. Green Lodge in the
Cleveland Metroparks

**THE PICNIC
AND KELLY'S
ISLAND TRIP
ARE THIS
MONTH!!!!**

From the Prez...

Dear Ski Club Members,

We're having fun this summer! Check out the Activities schedule for this summer and fall! Canoeing, baseball, golf, adventure racing, island hopping... Those are just some of the activities planned. We're getting big turn outs to some of these events - THANKS! That's great. That's why we run these events - IT IS FOR *YOU*!

Don't forget to come to the picnic on Tuesday, August 3rd. Tony and co. have pulled together another great picnic full of fun and games (and a very little business!) I hope to see you there. We'll cover our trip schedule and we all can start making our plans for next ski season.

For our October meeting, we've been toying with the idea of having a charity auction of some sort to benefit the Special Olympics or another equally as worthy cause. Think about what you might donate and if you know how to run one of these things, please let me know! We need help!!!! Thanks!

OK, enough BS from me. I'm outta here and headed for some fun! See you at the picnic!

Skiingly yours,
Linda Elonen-Wright

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Summer Fun at the Ball Park

The Lake County Captains did it again! The Captains have two wins and zero losses when the Lewis Ski Club shows up to root for them. Over half of the group of 38 was able to get to the game early and

join the tailgate party. Joe Gruden provided a fresh batch of home brewed beer that got the party rolling. The game was a sell out and the team provided some exciting baseball. The large crowd forced our group to be seated in various small groups that were close, but not all together. The seats were only a couple of rows from the

field and gave us several close calls on foul balls. Following the game, we enjoyed a huge fireworks display that was right over head from our box seats. Go Captains!

Tony Shook

Nordic News

I am looking for someone who can work with an Alpine trip coordinator to carry out a joint Nordic/Alpine ski trip. Options include Wilderness Lodge, Art Roscoe, and even Holiday Valley. Nordic ski outings



are usually easy to run, and a Joint Trip would be even easier. Telephone me at (216)977-7423, or Thomas.W.Haag@grc.nasa.gov if you are interested in helping, or if you just want to ski.

Tom Haag
Nordic V.P.

Birthdays

Jerry Montague Aug 2
Joseph Gruden Aug 3
Bob Denington Aug 4
Joseph(Jay)Pickett Aug 4
Charles Gregory Aug 5

Michael Duerk Aug 8
Mark Hyatt Aug 8
Mila Mandic Aug 11
Veronica Pavia Aug 12
Andy Provenza Aug 12
Michael Kaltenstein Aug 14
Kerry Carr Aug 18
David Anderson Aug 20
Roger Svehla Aug 20

Larry Craig Aug 22
Steve Holland Sr. Aug 22
Randall Dunn Aug 24
Cheryl Dickerson Aug 25
Judy Traxler Aug 25
Patricia Walters Aug 26
David Newman Aug 29
Mike Senchak Aug 29
Sue Stanton Aug 31

2004 Summer Activities

August 2004

Summer is here and it is picnic time! Come share some ski stories and see old friends at the summer picnic. Tickets are available now, See the flyer for more information. There are still some other activities planned that will be a lot of fun. Try to save some time to join in on any of these activities that interest you. Many of these activities have flyers that are available in the newsletter or on the web site. If a flyer is not available, please contact the activity coordinator for more information.

We had 38 baseball fans join together to root on the Lake County Captains. The group enjoyed a great baseball game, perfect weather, a fun tailgate party, and a HUGE post-game fireworks display. The Mohican canoeing/camping trip was a huge success. Over forty people join in the river and campfire fun! Do not let the rest of summer slip by without joining your ski club friends for some fun.

<u>Event</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Contact</u>
Back Yard Volleyball	Starts June 11 th & every other Friday	Tom Palisin(w)[216-433-6572]
<i>Tom is again setting up the net for some back yard volleyball. Come join the fun! Contact Tom for details/directions.</i>		
Lake County Captains Baseball Game	June 25 th	Tony Shook (w)[216-433-6373]
<i>This is a new Cleveland Indians minor league baseball team that starts its second season in a new ballpark in Lake County. 38 fans have tickets to root on the Captains, while enjoying baseball and fireworks.</i>		
Mohican Family Canoe Trip	July 9 th , 10 th	Tom Vannuyen(w)[216-433-3851]
<i>Plans are made for Saturday canoeing, camping and fun on the Mohican River. Flyer included in newsletter!!</i>		
CMSC Golf Outing	July 24 th	Tom Wallet (w)[216-433-3673]
<i>This event is at Punderson, an excellent golf course!! Tee it high and let it fly. Look for more information soon.</i>		
Lewis Ski Club Summer Picnic	August 3 rd	Tony Shook (w)[216-433-6373] Linda Elonen-Wright (w)[216-433-9370]
<i>The W.J. Green Lodge in the Cleveland Metroparks is reserved for our summer picnic. Come with a BIG appetite!! Flyer included in newsletter.</i>		
Kelly's Island Day Trip	August 7 th	Jan Burton [440-237-2084]
<i>Enjoy a summer's day of biking, hiking and swimming. Check out the glacial grooves, winery, local museums and island shops. See the flyer included in the newsletter for more information.</i>		
Hemisphere Adventure Race	September 5 th	Tim Kurtz (w)[216-433-2760]
<i>The Hemisphere Adventure Race at Fairport Harbor Lakefront Park [Cleveland, Ohio] consists of mountain biking, canoeing/kayaking, coasteering (navigation hike around a body of water, not too close to water that you get wet but not so far from it that you get stuck in brambles) trail running, orienteering, and special race challenges. Total race distance is about 20 miles. If this sounds like fun, let Tim know to join the team and GET IN THE RACE!</i>		
Stratford Theatre Festival Trip	September 24 th -26 th	Linda Elonen-Wright (w)[216-433-9370]
CANCELLED DUE TO LOW SIGN-UP		
Paint Ball Wars	Oct/Nov	Tom Palisin(w)[216-433-6572]
<i>Join Tom and his comrades in arms for some friendly fire. More details to come.</i>		

Tony Shook

NASA LEWIS SKI CLUB ALPINE TRIPS FOR THE 2004-2005 SEASON (Tentative)

<u>Location</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Days</u>
Breckenridge	12/16-23/2004	Thur-Thur
Holiday Valley I	1/1/2005	Saturday
HoliMont I	1/7/2005	Friday
Holiday Valley II	1/21/2005	Friday
Seven Springs	2/4/2005	Friday
Quebec	2/6-11/05	Sun-Fri
HoliMont II	2/18/2005	Friday
Kissing Bridge	3/4-5/05	Fri-Sat
Cockaigne	3/19/2005	Saturday
Jasper/Banff	3/14-22/05	Mon-Tues (8 da.)

Officers of Lewis Ski Club

SKI CLUB OFFICERS

President: Linda Elonen-Wright (216-433-9370)
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TRUSTEES: Annie Easley (440-816-1215), Gene Addy (216-977-7467) & Malcolm Wood (440-331-1349)

MEDIA HYPE SECTION: DEADLINE FOR NEWS ITEMS FOR NEXT ISSUE:

(August 24th, 2004)

Lewis Ski Club Summer Picnic 2004



Tuesday, August 3rd, 2004

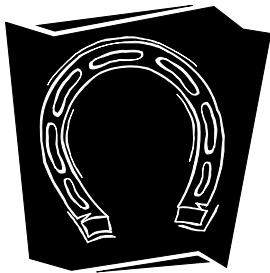
W.J. Green Lodge in Cleveland Metroparks

[located off Parkway between South Quarry and Eastland]

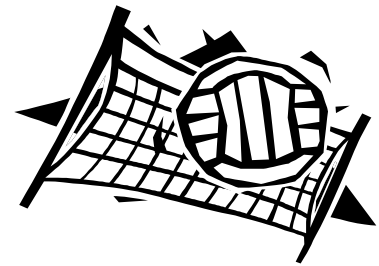
4:00 – 10:00 pm [dinner served at 6:30]

**Grilled Steak or Chicken
Baked Potato, Salad, Rolls and Dessert
Beer, Wine and Pop**

*You Can't Beat the Price!!
Club Members- \$5.
Guests- \$10.
Kids hotdog meal- free*



**Come play volleyball,
throw horseshoes or
just socialize with
your friends**



KIDS GAMES

Ticket Deadline is Friday, July 30th, 2004

For tickets or more information, contact-

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Kelly's Island Trip

Saturday, August 7th



Enjoy a summer's day at Kelly's Island with Lewis Ski Club. We'll catch the ferry in Marblehead at 9:30 am and leave the Island around 9 pm or at your convenience. There's a lot to do such as biking, hiking, swimming and relaxing on the beach. Check out the glacial grooves, winery and local museums. We'll meet for dinner at the end of the day (details to follow). It's sure to be a great time!

We'll meet at 7:45 am to carpool to the ferry docks (location TBD)

Kelly's Island Ferry Rates (roundtrip):

Adults \$11

Children (6-12) \$5 (Under 5) free

Bikes \$4

If we have a group of 25 or more the rates for adults and children will be \$1 less. Tickets will be purchased at the ferry dock.

For more information on Kelly's Island- <http://www.kelleysislandchamber.com>

For more information on the trip contact Jan Burton at 440-237-2084 or email janetteburton@sbcglobal.net