## Lewis Ski Club Naski Tips

Next Meeting August 3, 2004 Picnic W.J. Green Lodge, Metroparks

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### From the Prez

Dear Ski Club Members. Have you signed up, yet, for our canoeing and camping trip to Mohican? Last year, it was a blast! Please check out the trip flyer for this trip, and while you're at it, check out all of the other exciting summer activities we've got in store for PICNIC! It's coming you. up FAST! We'll have a short club meeting at the picnic where we hope to announce our SKI TRIPS for this next year. The rest of the picnic will be primarily to meet with friends old and new, eat some good food, play and party! Please come. See the picnic flyer for details on tickets and buy yours TODAY!

I'm sorry to say that our trip to Stratford has been cancelled due to lack of interest. We tried. You just weren't interested. If there is a trip you would be interested in having happen, please talk to one of the officers. We're here to make things happen for you and with you!

One of my very, absolute favorite things is supporting the CMSC Ski Queen competition. It is that time of year to find a new queen candidate for this year!!! The Winter Adventure Expo (old Ski Fair) will be held this year in No-

vember. Exact dates will be announced later. Last year, our queen candidate was Victoria Briscoe. All interested candidates, please see Victoria for the scoop on being a candidate. Or, see Karen Fashimpaur and/or Elise Allen-Franken-

field. More on this in future issues.

See YOU at the

PICNIC!

Skiingly yours, Linda Elonen-Wright

## **Nordic News**

The proposed five night trip to Quebec City is taking shape, and would offer excellent alpine skiing, as well as world class Nordic trails. Keep a look-out for this trip in the Newsletter, because it will likely fill up fast once it is formally announced. I also would like to hitch-hike a Nordic outing onto one of our Day Trips to Western New York. Please let me know if you are inter-

ested in supporting such an event. The Club will be negotiating with bus companies for the entire '04 - '05 ski season over the next few months. If we are going to have an out-of-state Nordic trip, we have to decide before the bus contract is signed. It will be very difficult to initiate any new bus trips after August. 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 <a href="mailto:Thomas.W.Haag@grc.nasa.gov">Thomas.W.Haag@grc.nasa.gov</a> if you are interested in helping, or if you just want to ski.

Tom Haag Nordic V.P.

# **Birthdays**

Heidi Baltzly July 2 Margaret Proctor July 3 Dale Arvay
Sandra Mills
Thomas Wallet
Therese Corrigan
Carrie Hoffman
Lorraine Lipinski
July 5
July 11
July 12
July 13
July 13
July 16

Lee Lam	July 20
Kathy Schubert	July 21
Fred Wolff	July 23
Susan Brachna	July 25
Esther Romanowski	July 30
Steven Mainger	July 31

# **2004 Summer Activities**

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The summer activities are in full swing! 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. There is still time to contact Tom and sign-up to join the canoeing/camping fun at Mohican!! Plans for the summer picnic are in full swing. Tickets for the picnic will be available soon. If you would like to get involved with any of these ideas or have an idea for another activity that the club would enjoy, please contact me.

**Event Date Contact** 

**Back Yard Volleyball** Starts June 11<sup>th</sup> & every other Friday Tom Palisin(w)[216-433-6572]

Tom is again setting up the net for some back yard volleyball. Come join the fun! Contact Tom for details/directions.

**Mohican Family Canoe Trip** July 9<sup>th</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup> Tom Vannuyen(w)[216-433-3851]

Plans are made for Saturday canoeing, camping and fun on the Mohican River. Flyer included in newsletter!!

CMSC Golf Outing July 24<sup>th</sup> Tom Wallet (w)[216-433-3673]

This event is at Punderson, an excellent golf course!! Tee it high and let it fly. Look for more information soon.

**Lewis Ski Club Summer Picnic** August 3<sup>rd</sup> Tony Shook (w)[216-433-6373]

The W.J. Green Lodge in the Cleveland Metroparks is reserved for our summer picnic. Come with a BIG appetite!! Flyer included in newsletter.

Kelly's Island Day Trip August 7th Jan Burton [440-237-2084]

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.

**Hemisphere Adventure Race** September 5<sup>th</sup> Tim Kurtz (w)[216-433-2760]

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!

**Stratford Theatre Festival Trip** September 24<sup>th</sup> -26<sup>th</sup> Linda Elonen-Wright (w)[216-433-9370] \*\*\*\*CANCELLED DUE TO LOW SIGN-UP\*\*\*

Paint Ball Wars Oct/Nov om Palisin(w)[216-433-6572]

Join Tom and his comrades in arms for some friendly fire. More details to come.

White Water Rafting (WV) Aug/Sept TBD
4-Wheel Adventure (WV) Aug/Sept/Oct TBD

We are working on these two trips with overnight camping. Details will be available SOON!

Tony Shook

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

<u>Date</u>	<u>Days</u>
12/16-23/2004	Thur-Thur
1/1/2005	Saturday
1/7/2005	Friday
1/21/2005	Friday
2/4/2005	Friday
2/6-11/05	Sun-Fri
2/18/2005	Friday
3/4-5/05	Fri-Sat
3/19/2005	Saturday
3/14-22/05	Mon-Tues (8 da.)
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#### Officers of Lewis Ski Club

**SKI CLUB OFFICERS** (Phone/NASA Mail Stop)
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#### **COMMITTEE CHAIRS**

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Web Curator: Lee Lam (216-433-3058) Trip: Annie Easley (440-816-1215)

TRUSTEES: Annie Easley (440-816-1215), Gene Addy (216-977-7467) & Malcolm Wood (440-331-1349)

Address: <Name, Mail Stop#>NASA GRC, 21000 Brookpark Road, Cleveland, OH 44135

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

(July 16th, 2004)

# Mohican Canoe/Camping Trip Friday July 9 and Saturday July 10, 2004

I will be camping Friday night and Saturday night. You are welcome to do both or Saturday only.

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Friday July 9, 2004 Head out to Mohican Canoe Livery and Fun Center. (Transportation is on your own, contact me for carpooling)

5:00-9:00PM Set up camp (I recommend getting down there before 7 so you will have daylight to set up tents)

Friday night campfire!!!

Saturday July 10, 2004

10:00 AM Go to Mohican Canoe Livery and Fun Center across the street.

10:30 AM Get canoes for a 2-3 hours trip down the river.

3:00 PM Miniature golf, go carts, biking, hiking, swimming in the lake etc.. We can meet as a group or you can be on your own.

8:00 PM Group get together: campfire, ghost stories, jokes, etc..

I will provide jiffy pop popcorn, marshmallow, graham crackers, and chocolate for SMORES during campfire and will buy wood for our campfire there. If you would like to bring extra wood for the campfire, that will be great too!

Sunday July 11, 2004

Check out by noon and head home.

#### **RENTALS**

•	Camp ground (primitive campground) no electricity or running water This is for 2 adults and 2 children.	\$27.00/night
	(For each additional adult it will be \$8.00 extra and each additional child \$4.00) if we get 20 or more we would pay a group camping area and pay	
•	\$6/adult and \$5/child (10 and under) Full hook up campsite (electricity, water, and sewer hook up)	\$30.00/night
•	This is for 2 adults and 2 children.	\$30.00/Hight
	(For each additional adult it will be \$8.00 extra and each additional child \$4.00) <b>Canoe Rental</b>	
•	7 miles canoe trip ~ 2 hours (based on 2 adult paying per canoe) (if we have 11 or more adults the cost will be \$13.00)	X \$17.00/person
	The canoe can hold 3 adults or 2 adults 2 children.  Children under 12 are free ( the children will be based on size)when riding with	2 naving adults
	The \$13.00 is based on 2 adults rental, so if you are by yourself, let me	
•	Fun pack:	a. This includes a 7 mile 2
	Mohican offers a fun package that will give you a full day of fun for one low price hour canoe trip, 2 Family Track Go-Kart rides, & 18 holes of Miniature Golf (Le person. For groups of 12 or more people, \$23/person. To receive Group rates pay for the group together.	vel Skill Course) all for \$27/
		Fun pack X \$27/person
		Total
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#### THE FINE PRINT:

- No membership required for this trip.
- \* We need checks for campground reservation and canoe by Friday, July 2, 2004.
- \* Please make checks payable to "Lewis Ski Club, Inc."
- \* Everyone must sign a trip agreement form.
- \* In the event of cancellation by the Lewis Ski Club due to weather or other reasons, you will get the full refund. If you need more information, please contact the trip coordinator or check out this website: http://www.mohicancanoe.com/

Trip coordinator: Thomas Vannuyen W (216) 433-3851 Email: Thomas.VanNuyen-1@nasa.gov

# 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-Tony Shook(216)433-6373 Mike Kaltenstein (216)433-3104 Linda Elonen-Wright(216)433-9370 Gloria O'Donnell (216)433-3194 Tom Haag(216)977-7423

# Kelly's Island Trip

# Saturday, August 7<sup>th</sup>



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- <a href="http://www.kelleysislandchamber.com">http://www.kelleysislandchamber.com</a>

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