NASA Lewis Ski Club Naski Tips

November 2007



Next Meeting: Tuesday, November 6 BW-3 Rocky River 20412 Center Ridge Road 440-356-7325

5 pm: Happy Hour 6 pm: Meeting Next Board Meeting: November 20

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November Speaker:

Rick Cunningham, Director of Alpine Valley Ski School, will be discussing skiing skills!!

Renew Your Membership NOW!

Memberships Expired on September 30. The Renewal Form is on Page 11. Renewal rates for current members increase by \$5 after November 15.

January BW-3 Meeting:

Since the 1st Tuesday in January is New Year's Day, the January BW-3 meeting will be held Tuesday, January 8.



President's message...

Fall events are in full-swing as we continue to roll toward the ski season. Activities V.P. Therese Telzrow continues to head up ski conditioning activities for the club as she coordinates the transition from in-line skates to ice skates (see the activities section for details), while Bernadette Kan led the club on a beautiful fall hike in the CVNP on Oct 20.

Other recent events include the Boston Mills Open House and the Kissing Bridge Cleveland Party at the Arcade & Hyatt downtown. The CMSC Ski Queen Pageant is Sat., Nov. 3 at Ampol Hall and the new Warren Miller movie will again be at the Akron Civic Theatre on Sat., Nov. 17. Therese Telzrow and NASA Ski Queen Barb Baldizzi are selling tickets for

the Queen Pageant for \$25. Tickets will also be available at the door for \$30. Let's have a great turnout from the club to support Barb! Karen Fashimpaur has a limited number of discounted tickets for the Warren Miller movie. She'll be selling them at the November meeting for \$10.

I want to thank all the club members who signed up and came out to help promote the club at the Boston Mills Open House. Many people came to the Open House and learned about our club. We sold 60 Pick-a-Day packages through the club, so three of those skiers will be getting complimentary Pick-a-Day passes this season. The three complimentary passes will be raffled off among those who signed up for Pick-a-Days at the November meeting.

Also, "Thank you!" goes out to John Buchanan from Geiger's who came to our October meeting on very short notice and gave an informative talk on all the new technology going into the new Head skis this year. Unfortunately, the dietician, Judy Zangmeister, had to cancel at the last minute. We'll try to get her to come to another meeting in the future.

The November meeting promises to be a good one. Rick Cunningham, Director of the Ski School at Alpine Valley, will be there to discuss skiing skills, something we all can improve upon, whether we're willing to admit it or not! Also, Kathleen Moran will again be selling tickets for the one-day ski trip raffle. Barb Baldizzi won the trip at the October meeting and Therese Telzrow won a \$25 gift certificate from Dick's.

Both our week-long trips sold out weeks ago and have started waiting lists. We're starting to advertise our one-day trips in this newsletter, so, sign up early or you'll be left out!

Finally, if you haven't already done it, RENEW YOUR MEMBERSHIP NOW! Renewal fees go up after Nov. 15!

See you at the meeting! Gene

Officers of Lewis Ski Club

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April Kwiatkowski	Nov 1	Jim Slifka	Nov 17
Jonathan Slifka	Nov 1	Emil Bagi	Nov 18
Daniel Shook	Nov 2	Perry Gerbino	Nov 18
Barb Baldizzi	Nov 4	Lou Cayet	Nov 19
Linda Elonen-Wright	Nov 5	Charles Snyder	Nov 20
Roger L'Hommedieu	Nov 5	Barbara Gerbino	Nov 21
Erica Carlberg	Nov 9	Tom Vannuyen	Nov 25
Milan Tanasijevic	Nov 9	Walter DeBlasi	Nov 26
John Walker	Nov 10	Nadine Gerhardstein	Nov 26
Colette Willins	Nov 10	Eric Carlberg	Nov 27
Tom Jones	Nov 14	Brian Vannuyen	Nov 29

Come to the CMSC Queen pageant and cheer for our Queen, Barbara Baldizzi Saturday, November 3

In addition to showing her our support, stay for the food and dance to one of the best DJ's in Cleveland, DJ Delight. The queens will be on the stage for their interviews at 7pm so come early. Doors open at 6:30 pm. The event is at Ampol Hall, 4737 Pearl Rd, Cleveland (just north of I-480). Directions: from the State Rd exit of I-480 head north, turn left on to Oak Park, then right on to Pearl. Tickets are \$25 presale and \$30 at the door. Contact Therese Telzrow (216.226.6013) for presale tickets; otherwise just buy them at the door.



SKI TRIPS for 2008

Jan 4	Friday	HoliMont	Joe Gruden	440-944-8327	josephgri
			Joe Roche	440-546-9081	
Jan 18	Friday	Holiday Valley	Linda Elonen-Wright	216-433-9370	linda.c.elo
			Dianna Hosta-Stickney	440-785-6800	diannasel
Feb 1	Friday	Seven Springs	Lisa Ferenc	216-433-6592	lisa.m.fe
			Tom Jones	216-433-3718	thomas.a
Feb 2 - 9	Week	Ski Summit, CO	Tom Vannuyen	216-433-3851	thomas.v
			Paul Solano	216-433-6518	paul.sola
Feb 19	Tuesday	Ski Denton, PA***	Bruce Frankenfield	216-433-6456	bruce.j.f
			Nancy Piltch		npiltch@
Feb 29	Friday	Holimont	Gene Addy	216-977-7467	gene.add
			Cheryl Alden	440-582-2174	skier117
Mar 2 - 9	Week	Winter Park, CO	Jim Slifka	440-232-3331	djslif@sl
			Judy Traxler	330-483-4455	jatraxler
Mar 14	Friday	Holiday Valley	Therese Telzrow	216-226-6013	TTelzrov

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Off-Snow Activities

If you'd like to volunteer your ideas or to lead an activity, call me at 216.226.6013. Therese Telzrow.

Weekly Ice Skating - Winterhurst Ice Rink 14740 Lakewood Hts Blvd at the intersection of I-90 and Warren Rd just minutes north of the W 150th St exit of I-71 and I-480. Join us for the adult only sessions **every Thursday from 8:30 to 11:00pm beginning on September 20th.**

Warren Miller movie "Playground" at the Akron Civic Theatre - SkiFest at 7 pm movie at 8 pm. See the Sitzmark and write-up below for details. Saturday, November 17th.

Nordic News

By Nancy Piltch

The Ski Denton trip is taking shape. Nordic skiers can ski on the Susquehannock Trail System accessible from Denton Mountain. Come prepared to ski on ungroomed trails (not suitable for skating), and remember how much fun it can be to explore the winter forest on skis.

If you have children interested in Nordic skiing, you might consider enrolling them in the Hilltoppers youth development program. See http://www.ohionordic.org/hilltoppers/index.htm for details.

Anyone interested in racing should monitor the Ohio Nordics web site, http://www.ohionordic.org/index.html for information on weekly races, the annual Nordic Flurry, and the Michigan Cup race series.

Discounts & Fun at Buckeye Sports

On Tuesday, November 13th at 7:30 pm, the Snowballers have extended an open invitation to all CMSC ski club members at Buckeye Sports (888-691-2267) on Route 8 in Peninsula (The Snowballers hold their meeting during this in-store event). For more information call Frank Houdek at 440-834-9618 or email skiwithsnowballers@yahoo.com.

Buckeye Sports has the new \$100,000 "WinterSteiger Robotic Tuner, the only one in Ohio" for tuning skis!

Warren Miller's "Playground"

Saturday, November 17 at Akron Civic Theater, 182 S. Main St. in Akron (see www.akroncivic.com for directions and parking.) Tickets are \$11 in advance, \$13 day of show. SkiFest in lobby at 7p.m. Movie at 8p.m. Playground is Warren Miller's 58th annual film!! More info in Sitzmark or at www.akroncivic.com or call theater at 330-253-2488. Karen Fashimpaur will have a limited number of \$10 tickets at the November meeting.

CMSC News - Key dates for CMSC:

Queen Pageant
Warren Miller
Learn to Ski Day @BM
Holiday Party
CMSC Race Qualifier

November 3, 2007 November 17, 2007 December 16, 2007 December 27, 2007 January 2, 2008





Recap of Ledges Hike in Cuyahoga Valley National Park Saturday October 20th

by Bernadette Kan

The Cuyahoga Valley in Ohio has beautiful scenery and glacial formations. Seven hardy skier/hikers, John Walker, Fred Merchant, Thomas Kan, Steve Stevenson, Don Kanta, Jim Slifka and I took to the trail to check out the views on a Saturday afternoon. The leaves were finally turning colors, the sky was brilliant blue, and the wind kept us cool. We explored the ledges, caves and the rock carvings. The experienced cross country skiers thought the Boston Run trail looks as though it would be a good trail with snow. It was quite a workout, about 6.5 miles, and a great way to keep up our conditioning routines for the ski season.

My thanks to Fred for trying to teach us how to juggle!

Learn to Ski or Snowboard

December 16, 2007 at Boston Mills
Group lessons at 10 a.m. & 1 p.m.
\$40 for area lift ticket, rental equipment & group lesson
Apres Ski with CMSC - Hot Chocolate Welcome Reception after your lesson

Rain Date - Dec. 23

Both the Summit County, CO and Winter Park, CO trips have sold out.

Contact a trip coordinator to be put on a waiting list.

Summit County, CO:

Tom Vannuyen 216-433-3851 work
440-846-1736 home
Thomas.Vannuyen-1@nasa.gov
Paul Solano 216-433-6518 work
440-590-0048 home
Paul.Solano@nasa.gov

Winter Park, CO:

Jim Slifka 440-232-3331 home 440-292-5300 cell djslif@sbcglobal.net Judy Traxler 330-483-4455 home 330-421-7733 cell jatraxler@aol.com

November						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				I Ice Skating 8:30 to 11pm	2	3 Ski Queen Pageant
4	5	6 BW-3 5 pm	7	8 Ice Skating 8:30 to 11pm	9	10
11	12	13 Snowballers at Buckeye Sports	14	15 Ice Skating 8:30 to 11pm	16	17 Warrren Miller Movie
18	19	20	21	22 Happy Thanksgiving !!	23	24
25	26	27	28	29 Ice Skating 8:30 to 11pm	30	

2008 Adult Race Schedule

DAT	ES	SPONSORS	EVENTS	VENUE
Wed	Dec 27		Qualifier	Boston Mills
Sat	Jan 5	TBD	Giant Slalom	Holiday Valley**
Sun	Jan 6	TBD	Slalom	Holiday Valley**
Sat	Jan 12	TBD	Slalom	Kissing Bridge
Sat	Jan 19	TBD	Giant Slalom	Bristol Mt.
Sun	Jan 20	TBD	Slalom	Bristol Mt.
Sat	Jan 26	TBD	Slalom	PeekN' Peak
Sun	Jan 27	TBD	Giant Slalom	Cockaigne
Sun	Feb 3	TBD	Slalom	Boston Mills
Sat	Feb 9	TBD	Giant Slalom	Swain
Sun	Feb 10	TBD	Slalom	Swain
Sat	Feb 23	TBD	Super-G, Giant Slalom	Bristol Mt.
Sun	Feb 24	TBD	Slalom	Bristol Mt.
Sat	Mar 1	TBD	Dual Slalom	Holiday Valley
Sat	Mar 8	TBD	Dual Giant Slalom	Swain
Sun	Mar 9	TBD	Open Eliminations	Swain

^{****}Snowboard races have not been decided yet. More information is available at www.skicleveland.com.

HoliMont I Ski Trip



Total Payment \$____

Start the New Year off right Ease back into the full work week with a Friday of skiing on January 4, 2008

This bus trip is brought to you by the Lewis Ski Club, Inc.

PRICE (lift ticket and bus): \$63.00. Membership Required Bus only \$30

Package includes: Round-trip transportation from Cleveland to Holimont including an evening trip to Ellicottville, where you are on your own for dinner. We will also provide breakfast snacks on the bus. Itinerary:

6:00 AM Leave NASA DEB Parking Lot (North side of Brookpark Rd)

6:30 AM East Side Pickup - Home Depot parking lot on Wilson Mills Rd, 1/2 mile west of I-271.

DO NOT PARK AT DENNY'S

10:00 AM Arrive at Holimont Ski Area
4:45 PM Bus leaves for Ellicottville for dinner (\$\$ of dinner not included)
7:00 PM Bus Leaves for Cleveland
10:30 PM East Side Drop-off
11:00 PM Bus Arrives at NASA

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Club membership is required: New members: single \$10 / family \$15 Name:	
Address :	
Phone w/area code : (H) ()	
(W) ()	
Email	
In case of an emergency, contact: Name	
Phone: ()	
Lewis Ski Club Member? Yes / No If no, then please add membership fee*	
Bus Pickup East / West (circle one)	
If west side pickup- your license plate # is needed for NASA security	

- Reservations are 1 st -come, 1 st -served with payment in full.
- (Please make checks payable to "Lewis Ski Club, Inc.")

No refunds will be made for your bus seat, unless your spot is filled.

Every skier must sign a trip agreement form.

Please download from the website: www.lewisskiclub.org

Minors without parent must have a release form signed by a parent or legal guardian and be accompanied by an adult. Participants less than 18 years old as of the date of the trip are considered minors.

NO smoking on the bus

Mail payment to Trip coordinators:

Name: Joe Gruden

Address: 420 E 326 St

Phone: H 440-944-8327 C 440-487-7273

Brecksville OH 44141

H 440-546-9081

Email: <u>Josephgruden@sbcglobal.net</u> NASA mail drop 86-15



Holiday Valley Ski Trip Friday, January 18, 2008



This bus trip is brought to you by the Lewis Ski Club, Inc.

www.lewisskiclub.org

PRICE (lift ticket and bus): \$63.00. Membership required

<u>Package includes:</u> Round-trip transportation from Cleveland to Holiday Valley including an evening trip to Ellicottville, where you are on your own for dinner. We will also provide breakfast snacks on the bus.

Itinerary:

6:00 AM Leave NASA DEB Parking Lot (North side of Brookpark Rd)
6:30 AM East Side Pickup – Home Depot parking lot on Wilson Mills Rd, 1/2 mile west of I-271.
10:00 AM Arrive at Holiday Valley
4:45 PM Bus leaves for Ellicottville for dinner (\$\$ of dinner <u>not</u> included)
7:00 PM Bus Leaves for Cleveland
10:30 PM East Side Drop-off
11:00 PM Bus Arrives at NASA

Trip Application

Name:	In case of an emergency, contact:
Address:	Name:
	Phone w/area code:
Phone w/area code: (H)	
(W)	
Email	-
Lewis Ski Club member? Yes / No If no, then plea	
Bus Pickup East West (circle one) If west side pickup- your license plate # is needed for	NASA security

- Reservations are 1st-come, 1st-served with <u>payment in full</u>. (Please make checks payable to "Lewis Ski Club, Inc.")
 - No refunds will be made for your bus seat, unless your spot is filled.

Rentals and Lessons available. Call for details.

- · Every skier must sign a trip agreement form. Please download from the website: www.lewisskiclub.org
- Minors without parent must have a release form signed by a parent or legal guardian and be accompanied by an adult. Participants less than 18 years old as of the date of the trip are considered minors.

Total Payment \$_

NO smoking on the bus

Mail payment to **Trip coordinators**:

Linda Elonen-Wright
2256 South Overlook Rd.
Cleve. Hts., Ohio 44106-3105
(H) 216-791-5038
I.elonen-wright@grc.nasa.gov
(at NASA, mail to: L.Elonen-Wright, M.S. 6/2)

Dianna Hosta-Stickney 14308 Revere Circle Middleburg Hts., Ohio 44130 (cell) 440-785-6800 diannasellshomes@aol.com

Ski Denton



<u>Tuesday</u>, February 19, 2008 (the day after President's Day)

PRICE (lift ticket, brunch and bus) \$59.00

Are your same New York ski destinations getting old?

Is it time to try a new ski destination?

Trip includes Brunch stop at Sprague's Maple Farms Pancake House!

<u>Ski area description</u>. The Ski Denton is located near Coudersport, Pennsylvania (county population of 18,000), about 15 miles south of the New York border and in the heart of Northern Pennsylvania's heavy snow country.

Ski Denton is best known for its "park like" setting and uncrowded slopes; in fact the ski resort is actually a PA state park.

Ski Denton is similar in size and character to New York's Swain Ski Center, with a vertical drop of 650 feet.

Ski Denton allows both skiing and snowboarding on a variety of trails, from gentle beginner slopes, to trails that are advertised as the "Steepest in the East." Ski Denton has a full service dining lodge, ski/rental shop and ski school.

- · Excellent nordic skiing opportunities available at adjacent Susquehannock Trail System.
- Low cost opportunity to try snowboarding.

<u>Package includes:</u> Round-trip bus transportation from Cleveland to the Ski Denton, including a brunch stop at Sprague's Maple Farms near Olean, NY, and lift ticket, with skiing hours between 1pm-5:30pm. We will also provide <u>post-skiing beverages</u> on the bus. Ski rental is \$10 additional and snowboard rental is \$15 additional.

Itinerary:

6:30 AM - Leave NASA DEB parking Lot (North Side of Brookpark Rd.)

7:00 AM - East Side Pickup - Home Depot parking lot on Wilson Mills Rd., ½ mile west of I-271

10:00-11:30 AM - Stop at Sprague's Maple Farms Pancake House for brunch. (brunch cost included)

12:30 PM - Arrive at Ski Denton.

5:30 PM - Bus leaves Ski Denton for Cleveland.

10:00 PM - East Side Drop off

10:30 PM - Bus arrives at NASA

THE FINE PRINT:

- * Membership in Lewis Ski Club, Inc is required.
- * Reservations are 1st-come, 1st-served with payment in full. (Please make checks payable to "Lewis Ski Club, Inc.")
- * No refunds will be made for your bus seat, unless your spot is filled.
- * Minors traveling without a parent must have a release form signed by a parent or legal guardian and be accompanied by an adult.
- * Every skier must sign a trip agreement form. Please download form from website NASA Lewis Ski Club Home Page.
- * No Smoking on the bus.

Mail payment and Trip Application and Agreement form (last page of newsletter) to the Trip Coordinator:

<u>Trip Coordinator</u>: Bruce Frankenfield

1351 Giel Avenue Lakewood, OH 44107

http://www.skidenton.com

Work phone: (216) 433-6456

Bruce.J.Frankenfield@nasa.gov Home phone: (216) 226-7148

Nancy Piltch – alternate Home Phone: (440) 235-1236

npiltch@earthlink.net

accordance with payment schedules established by Lewis Ski Club.

NASA Lewis Ski Club Trip Application and Agreement

*** MORE TRIP AGREEMENT FORMS AND THE MINOR RELEASE FORM ARE AVAILABLE AT www.lewisskiclub.org. Click on "Club Info" & then "Guides & Forms."

The undersigned participant applies to participate in the Lewis Ski Club trip described below, subject to the following terms and conditions:

1. DEPOSIT Advance trip deposits will vary from trip to trip. The required deposit for this trip is \$_____, and must be paid and submitted along with a signed Application and Agreement. Balance shall be due and payable in

	raw any trip from its schedule at any time; may refuse to for any reason; and may change the itinerary at any time.
	ly for the applicant and shall not be responsible or liable loss, injury, death, accident, delay, inconvenience or any s participation or lack of participation in any trip.
4. PASSPORT/PROOF OF CITIZENSHIP For trips out of and valid passport, visas and proof of identification and	the USA, participants are responsible for having up to date citizenship.
	eement must be co-signed by his/her parent or legal guard- parent or legal guardian or their designee who shall be nd well being.
6. PAYMENT All payment checks shall be payable to "Le	ewis Ski Club".
	ant means and includes: (a) failure to abide by the terms of cel; (c) participant's failure to make timely payments; (d) return of the trip.
Trip:	In case of emergency contact:
Deposit/Cost\$	Name
Applicant Name:	
Address:	Phone
Telephone number: (H) (W) Email:	
(Circle appropriate responses) Lewis Ski Club Member? Y/N (membership requi	red)
West Side Pickup (NASA Parking Lot on N. side of Broo East Side Pickup(Depot parking lot on Wilson Mills Rd., "No Smoking on the Bus"	
I have read and agree to all the terms of this Agreement	and waiver of liability, as of this data

Signed in agreement: ______ Date: _____

2007-2008 NASA LEWIS SKI CLUB MEMBERSHIP

(October 1, 2007 - September 30, 2008)

Name:(first)(last)	
Home Phone:	NASA Lewis Ski Club publishes a Member Directory containing names,
Work Phone:	addresses email addresses and phone
Home address: Street/Apt.:	copy only and made available at meetings and upon request of other club members only. Do you consent to having your contact information
City: St: Zip:	included?
NASA Mail Stop(If applicable):	YES NO
Your Birthday:/ (MONTH / DAY)	
Type of membership: Check TWO Types) Single(\$10) New Member *Family(\$15) **Renewal	Please list eligible Family Members: Name Age-Kids Birthday Only (M/D)
*A FAMILY MEMBERSHIP is defined as: "a member and spouse and/or DEPENDENT children".	
**Renewal rates for current members increase after November 15th to \$15.00 for single and \$20.00 for family. New members pay the lower rate no matter when they join.	
Email: We prefer to send the newsletter out via email s costs. If you would like to receive the newsletter via e	since it reduces our work and postage
email address:	(please print legibly)
Release: I/We, single/family membership, acknowledge the sponsored by the Lewis Ski Club, Inc., in particular particular and can cause damage, injury and death. In comember-ship I/we assume any and all risks of participating and death, and I/we release Lewis Ski Club, Inc., its member-ship I/we release shall remain in effect while I/we are any such activity, and even if Lewis Ski Club, Inc. is near the such activity, and even if Lewis Ski Club, Inc. is near the such activity.	cipation-type athletic activities, are dangerous and onsideration of becoming a member and/or renewing my ng in such activities, including the risk of damage, injury bers and officers, from responsibility and liability am/are a member(s) and when and while I/we participate

(Complete and return with dues to Lisa Ferenc, MS:49-5, NASA Glenn Research Center, 21000 Brookpark Road, Cleveland, OH 44135 - Make checks payable to: Lewis Ski Club, Inc.)