

NASA Lewis Ski Club

May 2010



Next Meeting:

Meet & Greet

Tuesday, June 1, 2010

100th Bomb Group

20920 Brookpark Road

Cleveland, Ohio

Happy Hour @ 5 PM Meeting @ 6 PM

Next Board Meeting:

Tuesday, May 18th @ 5:30 PM

Panera Bread, Brooklyn

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Meeting Activity:

No May Meeting

Next Meeting June



If April
showers bring
may flowers,
what do may
flowers
bring?
Pilgrims

NASA Lewis Ski Club

Summer Activities Pay Dividends

Next Ski Season



President's message... Thank you for electing me President of the Lewis Ski Club. I am very excited about this upcoming year, as the leadership and membership of this club promise to make it an epic one! I have only been with the club a short time, since I moved to Ohio in fall of '08 to work at NASA, and my first trip with the club was to Steamboat Springs. In addition to that trip, I have gone on a second week-long trip this past winter (to Telluride-beautiful!), and I have served as both the club's Alpine Vice President and Ski Queen this last season. I had no idea how involved I would get with the club when I went on that first trip, but the friends and memories I have made with this group are worth every minute.

I would like to thank my very good friend and mentor, our past president Lori Manthey. She did a wonderful job leading the club this last season, and has 'taught me everything I know' about the Lewis Ski Club. She isn't leaving us, though, since she has been elected to serve on our new leadership team as a Trustee. Also on the team are the continuing Trustees, Mark Hyatt and Annie Easley, continuing VP Activities, Therese Telzrow, and continuing Publicity Director Eric McFarland. I would like to welcome our new board members, Paul Senick (VP Alpine), Allen Porter (VP Nordic), and Barb Knipple (Recorder). Although she served as our Recorder last season, we also welcome Janet Dubas into her new position as Treasurer. Finally, we would like to give a big Thank You! to our outgoing Treasurer, Jan Neumann, our outgoing VP Nordic, Teresa Monaco, and our outgoing Trustee, Mike Kaltenstein. I don't want to run on any longer, but I also don't want to forget our committees! Remember, there are many people behind-the-scenes who help the club run smoothly, and many opportunities for you to get involved in the committees. See our web site & constitution for details!

On a final note, we may be a Ski Club but remember there are a lot of fun summer activities to participate in! Many are listed here in this newsletter, so read on for more information. Also, *coming soon to a social networking site near you...* The NASA Lewis Ski Club Facebook Page! We won't put up any information that isn't already in the newsletter, but it is a great way to keep in touch with all the friends you've made here.

Looking forward to a fantastic year as your President, Stacey

Officers of Lewis Ski Club

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NASA Lewis Ski Club Activities

Summer Activities

Our brainstorming session was a success! See all the great adventures we've put on the agenda. We didn't work out all the details but we did set the dates. Look to our upcoming newsletters for more details and be sure to save the dates. You don't want to miss out on the fun.

We are still looking for a leader for an art walk/dinner in either Tremont or Little Italy. Linda Elonen-Wright is working on a raft trip - If you're interested please let her know - your interest will make it happen. Details and dates for the MLK Garden Tour to follow in our next newsletter.

Weekly Bike Rides in the Rocky River Reservation - Meet at the Rocky River Nature Center parking lot at 24000 Valley Parkway, North Olmsted. Every Thursday at 6:00 pm. Contact Allen Porter.

Friday Night at the Movies - May 7th Meet at the Luxe restaurant at 6606 Detroit Rd at 5:45 pm for dinner and the movie, Iron Man 2, at 7:30 pm at the newly refurbished Capitol Theater, 1390 W 65th Street. Enjoy the film and cocktails in this state of the art theatre. Gated parking is available behind the theatre off W 65th. The Detroit Shoreway Development Organization and the Gordon Square Arts District have been hard at work re-developing this area - come and see all they've done or visit <http://gordonsquare.org/capitol.html>. Please RSVP to Rosemary Toole at 216.741.5711 especially if you're joining us for dinner. This is the opening night of this movie so avoid missing out on it and buy your tickets early - go online to www.clevelandcinemas.com and follow the prompts to Iron Man 2 then pick the Capitol Theatre for the 7:30pm showing

Travel Show May 8th Cleveland Marriott W150th. You must be pre-registered to attend. Contact Stacey Bagg for details.

Fat Head Brewery - Friday Night Out - May 14th 6 pm 24581 Lorain Rd. North Olmsted. Socialize while you taste some excellent beers and incredible food. They have a beer tasting menu if you want to sample several varieties. Hosted by Jan and Ray Neumann. See Flyer in newsletter for more info.

Presque Isle "Bike Around the Bay" - Saturday May 22nd at the Intermodal Transportation Center on the Bay-front Parkway, Erie PA. Join members of the Erie Ski club and many others on this 8th annual bicycle ride that benefits the Lake Erie -Allegheny Earth Force. Sign in from 7:30 to 9 am. Rides begin at 8 am or 9am, picnic from 10:45 to 3:00 pm. Contact Rae Getson at Erie Ski Club. For more info go to web site http://www.earthforce.org/section/offices/lea/leaevents/leaspecial_events

"Rockin on the River" Friday June 4th from 5:00 -11:30 pm Cuyahoga Falls River Square. Opening bands start at 5 pm with headliner, Blue Moon Swamp, at 8 pm (a John Fogarty /Creedence Clearwater Revival tribute band). All kinds of food and drinks are available. Cuyahoga Falls has offered this free concert series for the last 24 years and they really know how to offer something for everyone. Contact Jan and Ray Neumann.

4th Annual Brew/Bike Tour Friday June 11th 5:45 or 6:30 pm Meet at Lake Isaac by 71 and Pearl. Save the date. See flyer.

Fly-In at the Columbia Airport - Saturday June 26th. 27410 Royalton Rd- located 2 miles west of Columbia Road on Rt. 82 on the North Side (if you get to the railroad tracks headed west you've gone too far). Pancake breakfast in the am, children ages 11-18 can get a free airplane ride. Contact is Sandra Maurer 440.236.8552.

Lake Erie Edgewater/Lakewood Bike Tour - Sunday June 27th 11 am. Meet at Edgewater Park lower level parking lot by the pier. We'll get on our bikes and take the scenic route to Lakewood Park and then ride back again. To end the tour we'll stop for lunch at Whisky Island's Sunset Grill. Please rsvp to Therese Telzrow.

Activities ,...continued

2010 Cleveland Tall Ships Festival July 7-11th - Presented by the Port of Cleveland and the Rotary Club of Cleveland on (Wed-Sun) 7/7 - 7/11. See the website www.clevelandtallships.com for more information. Volunteers are needed and are to sign up within the next few weeks. Volunteers have to commit to two time slots @ 5 hrs. each.

Goodtime III Happy Hour Cruise - Friday July 16th 825 E 9th St Pier in Downtown Cleveland. Boat boards at 5:30 with launch no earlier than 6pm. There's no better way to enjoy the summer and beautiful Lake Erie. See the flyer. Contact Therese Telzrow.

Cleveland Cultural Gardens (located near MLK drive) Walking Tour -Saturday, July 24 at 10:00am. Rain out date Sunday 25, at 4:00pm. "Exercise your body, enrich your mind". Contact Paul Burik paulb54@centurytel.net and 440-934-4420.

Save these dates - more details to come:

Sunset Kayak Tour along a Cleveland river either Wed July 28 or Thurs July 29th (keep those dates open). More details to come. Contact Allen Porter or Jim Slifka for details.

Annual Club Picnic and Meeting in the Cleveland Metroparks - Tuesday August 3rd from 4 to 10pm, dinner at 6 PM Tentatively to be held at Albion Woods. Volunteers needed. Contact Stacey Bagg.

Mentor Headlands Beach Party Saturday August 7th The state park is located at 9601 Headlands Rd in Mentor. Contact Allen Porter.

Bike/Train Ride in the Cuyahoga Valley National Park via the Cuyahoga Valley Scenic Railroad and their Bike Aboard program. Sunday August 29th. Contact Allen Porter.

Beer Tasting Friday September 10th. Tentatively at the Great Lakes Brewery. Contact Ray Neumann for details.

Therese Telzrow Activities VP 216.226.6013. - 216.548.0359 (cell)

Calling All Queen Candidates! Run for Queen of our ski club and if you win go on to compete in the Cleveland Metro Ski Council's (CMSC) Queen Pageant to be held in early November. We are taking nominations now. We will vote for our Queen at the June meeting and crown her at the annual picnic on August 4th. Contact Therese Telzrow at 216.226.6013 if you are interested in running for the Queen or to nominate someone else.

Racing News

The CMSC Racers Banquest was held Saturday April 24, at Reinecker's Party Center. Creative costumes, fancy duds, and reveling racers galore made for a fun time for all who attended. A festive social hour followed by the usually sumptuous buffet, including desserts had us all planning on working off the calories on the dance floor.

Before the party really got rolling, there were trophy presentations to make, and recognition of our outgoing Race Chair, Frank Houdek. Elise Frankenfield earned her Second place overall finish in CCVW. Elise, your trophy will be held hostage until the picnic! The Geigers Rookie Racer Challenge grand prize of \$500 went to Steve

Orzel of the Snowballers. The winning ticket was drawn by yours truly, as compensation for the slight of our mighty little race team in the reading of the season points totals in Division 2. In case you missed it, WE FINISHED 5TH!!! The tentative race schedule for 2011 was released as well, and is included here. Start planning your race days now! Our Racer of the Year award will be

Day	Date	Event/Location
Wed	1/5/11	Qualifier at Boston Mills
Sat	1/8/11	Race Clinic at Kissing Bridge
Sun	1/9/11	Kissing Bridge
Sat Sun	1/22-23/11	Holiday Valley
Sat	1/29/11	Cockaigne
Sun	1/30/11	Peek n Peak
Sat Sun	2/5-6/11	Swain 1
Sat	2/12/11	Snow Trails
Sun	2/13/11	Boston Mills (Tentative)
Sat Sun	2/26-27/11	Bristol Combined
Sat Sun	3/5-6/11	Swain 2

given out at the Club picnic, hope to see all our members there to cheer our winner! Article by Mark Hyatt.

Yuri's Night Cleveland 2010



We celebrated the 49th anniversary of human space flight on April 10, at the Great Lakes Science Center, and it was a BLAST! There were two great IMAX films, and guests got to choose from wandering amongst the great Science Center and NASA exhibits, or dancing with EVA the inflatable astronaut on the dance floor!

This year there were over 250 guests, including the NASA Glenn Acting Center Director, Ray Lugo. We also got to hear from the Administrator and Deputy Administrator of NASA through a video message about Yuri's Night, and greetings were made from the International Space Station. We are looking forward to a cosmic time next year, which marks the 50th anniversary of human space flight! Article By Stacey Bagg



Park City Utah trip March 20-27, 2010

We left Cleveland very early Saturday morning, had a long layover in Cincinnati, and made our way to Salt Lake City actually arriving ahead of schedule. Everything went very smoothly with no lost luggage or delays. Even the long layover passed quickly with socializing, games and a long lunch for some of us at Wolfgang Puck's.

We arrived at the Yarrow hotel in Park City and were quickly checked into our rooms. The rooms at the Yarrow were very nice and the hotel had terrific services and amenities. A complimentary hearty breakfast was provided each morning and a large grocery store was located next door, which was a huge convenience. Saturday evening we had a welcome reception with free drinks, pizza and veggies. An unexpected surprise was a quick presentation by a rep from The Canyons resort to give us some overall information and free mountain tour the first day we skied there. He also donated some nice gifts (shirts, chapstick, can openers, etc.) which we passed out to members.

Sunday began our first day of spring skiing at Park City Resort. We all enjoyed a great day of fine snow and sunny spring conditions.

Monday we enjoyed skiing at the Canyons, followed by Tuesday at Snowbird - quite possibly the highlight experience of the week! We had over a foot of new powdery snow and a snowstorm at the top of the mountain with strong winds and very low visibility. An amazing adventure, probably not for the faint of heart! The soft powdery snow and amazing vistas made for a hallmark day.

A few of our group managed to make a trip to Deer Valley on Wednesday while the remainder of us had a well needed rest. It was a great day for shopping and site seeing including downtown Park City where the Olympic Torch from the 2002 games is on display.

Thursday had us back at the Canyons for a beautiful day and wrapping up the week Friday again at Park City. More snow throughout the day Friday made for perfect ski conditions yet again.

Each evening almost the entire group met for dinner. We enjoyed some truly wonderful dining at local restaurants and breweries, plus the great company and socializing. Friday evening was capped off by a party in Tom and Dave's room where we provided pizza, wings, a deli tray, veggie platters, drinks and cookies. We watched some of Fred Merchant's videos from the week. Fred skied backwards and took some awesome footage of us going down the hills. Here is small sample: <http://tinyurl.com/ygwmexm>

We are grateful that everything went so smoothly and that there were no serious injuries despite some spectacular falls by a few of us!

Everybody proclaimed this to be one of the best trips ever and we want to thank everyone for participating in this great experience. We will be telling stories of this trip for years to come! Thanks again to everyone for a great time! Article by Dave Root and Tom Vannuyen.

Friday Night at the Movies



Friday, May 7th

*Meet @ 5:30 pm Luxe Restaurant
6605 Detroit Road*

*Movie Time: 7:30 pm Capitol Theater
1390 West 65th Street*

Movie: Iron Man II

Parking available behind the theater

Enjoy an independent film and cocktails in this state of the art theatre formerly a vaudeville and silent movie house in the 1920's.

Afterwards dine at one of the amazing new restaurants the area has to offer (Luxe, Rincon, Stone Mad).

See what the Detroit Shoreway Development Organization and the Gordon Square Arts District have done re-developing this area. Visit <http://gordonsquare.org/capitol.html>



Contact Rosemary Toole at 216.741.5711 to rsvp.

TGIF

KICK OFF THE WEEKEND

FRIDAY, MAY 14 AT 6PM

AT FAT HEADS SALOON AND BREWERY

24581 Lorain Rd. (corner of Columbia & Lorain)

In North Olmsted (formerly Danny Boy's)



Meet after work and unwind while tasting some great microbrews.

If you want to taste a variety of beers, 4.5 oz. samples are available for \$1.25 - \$1.50 each.

Stay for dinner at 7pm to continue the good time.

Check out the beer and food menu at www.fatheadscleveland.com

Please RSVP to Jan or Ray Neumann at 440-237-2084 (home) or 440-225-4130 (cell)

janetteneumann@sbcglobal.net

LEWIS SKI CLUB'S FOURTH ANNUAL BIKE/BREW TOUR

Join us on Friday, June 11th at 5:45 or 6:30 PM at LAKE ISAAC
Continue the tradition by participating in the fourth annual ride



From the Pearl Rd. (Rt. 42) exit on I-71 head north to the intersection of Pearl and Fowles Roads. Turn left on Fowles Rd. then left on Big Creek Parkway. On the right is Lake Isaac. Early arrivers (5:45) can ride the Lake to Lake Trail (2.4 miles each way). We will stop at Lake Isaac again at 6:30 to pick up the rest of the group. From there we will ride the parkway to Cornerstone Brewery in Berea and back to Lake Issac. We will conclude with dinner and/or beer at The Brew Kettle at 8377 Pearl Road.

Contact Jan Neumann at janetteneumann@sbcglobal.net to RSVP.

Ride Along the Shores of Lake Erie
Edgewater Park to Lakewood Park Tour

Sunday June 27th 11 am



Meet at the lower level of Edgewater Park by the Fishing Pier (close to the concession stand). Plenty of parking is available.

This easy paced ride will take you along the shores of Lake Erie. We'll explore beautiful avenues with lakefront homes in Cleveland and Lakewood.

To top off this great ride we'll stop for lunch at Sunset Grill on Whisky Island – just a short ride from Edgewater Park.

Contact Therese Telzrow at 216.548.0359

For more information about the Cleveland Lakefront State Park website
@

<http://www.dnr.state.oh.us/Portals/2/parkmaps/clevelandparkmap.pdf>

2009-2010 NASA LEWIS SKI CLUB MEMBERSHIP

(October 1, 2009 - September 30, 2010)

Name:(first)_____ (last)_____

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Work Phone:_____

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City:_____ St: _____ Zip:_____

NASA Mail Stop(If applicable): _____

Your Birthday: ____/____ (MONTH / DAY)

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YES _____ NO _____

NORDIC Skiers check box if you wish to be included on a notification list for impromptu nordic ski outings.

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