

NASA Lewis Ski Club

July 2011



No July meeting!

Board meeting: July 19, 5:30, Panera,
Tiedeman Road, Brooklyn

Next meeting

Ski Club Picnic, Aug. 2, see flier
for more information!

One of our club founders Annie
Easley passed away June 25, see
page 6 for a tribute.

While it may be summer, there are
still plenty of club activities! See
inside for more details.

Our 2012 week-long trips are also
filling up fast!

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**NASA Lewis Ski Club has a revamped website!
Check it out at lewisskiclub.org!**

President's message...

Summer, Summer Time, Sunny Summer Time!

It's officially summer, yet by looking at the ski club activity planning, it's hard to tell if it is a snow-season or a non snow-season. This summer, ski club social activities continue to help you enjoy the summer weather. Hopefully you are taking advantage of these fun social activities. Look for activities from festivals to bike rides to pub nights. A number of events are either on the calendar or in the planning phases. Continue to watch the club web calendar this summer season for future activities.



Waiting patiently for winter...

For the snow-season activities, week-long trips to CA and CO this year have been posted. Reserve your spot soon for the western snow slope trips, as spaces are filling fast. In addition, day trips and overnight trips are already in the planning phases. Be sure to pencil in tentative trip dates to your calendar and vacation schedule. These will be listed on the club's trips web page and updated when details are finalized. Looking at the schedule, I'm certain you'll find several trips that fit your schedule. Hopefully you will not stay awake a night worried about how to fit everything in.

Finally, don't forget about the club's annual picnic. The ski club picnic will be held on August 2nd in place of our regular club meeting. If you have not already done so, please let us know of your planned attendance to help simplify the planning efforts. As always, there will be fun for the entire family.

Special Thanks to Sam Jordan and See the World Tours for presenting at the club meeting. More information on services that Sam provides is available at <http://seetheworldtours.com>. As a ski club member, if you decide to join Sam on any of the trips, please let the club know. You may get a few of your fellow Ski Club friends to join you.

-Aaron

Web Curators Note

The web curators have been hard at work creating a new look for the club's web page. If you have not already noticed, be sure to visit <http://www.lewisskiclub.org> for a quick look. We hope you will find the new layout helpful and appealing. Don't forget to update your bookmarks and please be patient as content is added.

Call for Photos

The web page has two primary purposes: 1. Serve the current members and 2. Advertise to potential members.

As part of the new look to appeal to potential new members, we would like to invite members to submit a candidate picture for the club's main page. Members may submit up to two pictures for each of our two 'activity' seasons: one summer, one winter. A single photo will be selected from all the candidates for this year's main page. Images should capture what you believe the club is about. Please submit your pictures to the web curators by August 5th.

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NASA Lewis Ski Club Activities

Every Thursday evening - Metropark Bike Rides!

Meet up with Allen Porter in the parking area at the Rocky River South Nature Center @ 6:00 pm.

Friday, July 15th - After Work - Night Out on the Goodtime III - Rush Hour Party Cruise!

Board at 5:30 pm, Cruise from 6:00 pm to 8:00 pm.

Cost is \$13.00 & afterwards we'll be meeting at Stone Mad Pub!

See attached flyer or contact Therese Telzrow.

Sunday, July 31st - Sweet Corn Challenge Bike Ride!

8:00 am to 2:00 pm at the Village Square in Richfield.

Check out the flyer or contact Allen Porter for more info.

Tuesday, August 2nd - Annual NASA Lewis Ski Club Picnic! -

Friday, August 12th - Tremont Art Walk Festival!

Meeting time & place TBA

Contact Barb Knipple

Saturday, August 20th - Kelly's Island Bike Ride!

Meeting time & place TBA

Contact Janet Dubas



September - Beer Tour & Tasting (date TBA) - Details coming soon!

Saturday, October 8th - Fall Bike Ride at Cuyahoga Valley National Park!

Meeting time & place TBA

Contact Allen Porter

Friday, October 28th - Movie Night @ The Capital Theater!

Details coming soon!

Future Activities

Anyone interested in leading an activity this off season please call Ray Neumann at 440-225-4130 (leave a voice mail if I'm ignoring you)
There's nothing really to it. If you're planning an outing, bike ride, concert, ball game or whatever, it's like asking everyone else to come along! Not sure on what to do?

Here are some suggestions of things to volunteer for:

Bike Rides Summer Concerts Dancing Train Rides Camping Trips
Hiking Kayaking Wine/Beer Tasting Sporting Events Orienteering
Festivals Canoeing Summer Theater Star Parties Museums Dog Walks
Restaurant/Patio Socials

Suggested Events:

Taste of Tremont - July 17, 2011.

The 9th annual Taste of Tremont street festival will be held in the heart of Tremont's "restaurant district" and showcase the best of the best of Tremont's food, art and entertainment. Professor Street will be blocked off, inclusive of commercial areas of Literary, College and Jefferson. The best part is that admission is free! For more information, visit www.tasteoftremont.com.

Great Lakes Burning River Fest - July 23 - 24

JULY 23RD & 24TH AT THE HISTORIC COAST GUARD STATION ON WHISKEY ISLAND

Every summer, people from all over the Great Lakes region raise a pint at the Burning River Fest to salute the "watershed moment" that raised a new level of eco-consciousness—the 1969 burning of the Cuyahoga River. This year's party will feature live music, fresh food from local farms and eateries, educational environmental exhibits and a special appearance by Great Lakes Brewing Company's Christmas Ale!

SPARX City Hop - Downtown - Saturday, September 10

SPARX City Hop takes patrons by Trolley ride from location to location in the City of Cleveland. Tower City will have arts & crafts and a car show set up outside Tower City. The streets will be closed during the festival.

Remembering Annie Easley

The Lewis Ski Club reports with great sadness the loss of Annie Easley on June 25 at the age of 79. Annie was a founding member of the NASA Lewis Ski Club. She will be remembered and clearly missed.

Along with her involvement with this club, she was also involved with CMSC, Fagowees, Snowballers, Erie Shore Ski Club and Warren Ski Club.

Annie, a native of Birmingham, Ala. was a long-time NASA employee and started in 1954 when the agency was still known as NACA. She worked in the Launch Vehicles Division and co-authored many papers. An obituary can be found on the Plain Dealer's website. Members of this club and numerous others have shared their memories on our website and on her guestbook:



"Annie was also one of those rare people who lived a full life and spread happiness, laughter, and her opinion to everyone she met. What a great inspiration she has been to me over these past 25 years-and to so many others. She started skiing in her mid 40's and snow boarding at 70 years old! She was a founding member of the NASA Lewis Ski Club and she actively served the club since the 1970's and after her retirement, including as President, trustee, trip coordinator, etc. She was also involved in the Cleveland skiing scene, serving as President of the Cleveland Metro Ski Club, and she was a member of other Cleveland area ski clubs as well. She was an active golfer and a successful real estate agent after she retired from NASA Lewis. She lived an amazing life, and this message does not even begin to capture who she was and how she positively impacted so many of us."

"Annie embodied the spirit of hospitality for Lewis Ski Club. She was a wonderful greeter, connector, and encourager. I had only a 3 year acquaintance, which was enough to value all she did for skiers, who quickly became more like new family members than casual acquaintances."

"Annie will be missed and thought of every time NASA ski club goes on a trip. What a fun loving lady, who enjoyed every moment. She personified "CARPE DIEM" (seize the day)."

"Annie personified the spirit of friendship to me and everyone she associated. She was an inspiration to get up and go and enjoy the ride with her fellow travelers to it's fullest. She is surely a welcome angel to His realm."

The NASA Lewis Ski Club Presents...



Steamboat.

January 14 – 21, 2012

\$1,240 per person*

Trip Includes:

- Lodging – The Phoenix - 7 nights, 4 people per 2 bedroom, 2 bath condo
- Lift tickets – 5 days of skiing at Steamboat (Ski 6th day for only \$42 more)
- Roundtrip airfare from Cleveland to Hayden (Steamboat airport)
- Ground transportation from airport to lodging and back to airport
- Free shuttle service into town and around resort, heated garage for ski storage
- Complimentary welcome party
- Walk to lifts

Payment schedule:

\$450 due now, non-refundable
\$400 due by September 15, 2011
\$375 due by November 1, 2011

Send deposit check with trip application and agreement form to:

Lori Manthey
319 Brookshire Oval
Hinckley, OH 44233

Make checks payable to:

Lewis Ski Club, Inc.

Trip Leaders:

Lori Manthey 330-225-8106
Shelli Sharp: 440-915-5361
Steamboat2012@lewisskiclub.org

Note: Must be a member of the Lewis Ski Club. For membership forms, visit our website at <http://www.lewisskiclub.org>

\$10 single/\$15 family
(please send a separate check for membership)

Optional Trip Insurance Available

***\$20 discount for deposits paid by July 15, 2011!** The price does not include any additional fuel surcharges, baggage fees, or airport fees which may be imposed prior to the date of travel.

Ski North Lake Tahoe **Squaw Valley & Alpine meadows & Northstar** **with the NASA Lewis Ski Club**

Sat Feb 11 - Sat Feb 18, 2012

\$1224 per person includes:

Lodging – Silver legacy casino, Reno, Nevada

***7 nights (Sat. to Sat.), dbl occ. per room.**

***Lift tickets – 5 days (3 days Squaw Valley, 1 days Alpine Meadows, 1 days Northstar)**

6th day skiing to any resorts is available for an additional cost

***RT Airfare from Cleveland to Reno on American Airline**

***RT Ground transportation from Reno Airport to the Silver Legacy**

***RT Ground transportation from Hotel to Ski Resorts.**

**** Complimentary welcome party upon arrival.**

**** Complimentary breakfast daily.**

**** Complimentary closeout party at the end of the week.**

**** Indoor HEATED pool, LARGE hot tub.**

As always, complimentary parting gifts and raffle items on the bus ride home!!!

Trip leaders: Tom Vannuyen (216-433-3851 work) (440-376-1503 cell)

Dave Root (440-454-0475 cell)

E-Mail: tahoe2012@lewisskiclub.org

Payment schedule:

\$408 Due now, non-refundable

\$408 Due by September 16, 2011

\$408 Due by December 9, 2011

Send deposit check and trip agreement form to: Tom Vannuyen

21000 Brookpark Rd MS 86-12

Cleveland, OH 44135

Make Checks payable to: Lewis Ski Club, Inc.

Note: Must be a member of the NASA Lewis Ski Club - \$10 single/ \$15 family.

***** For additional information, trip application, and membership forms, please visit our website at:**

<http://www.lewisskiclub.org>

*** The price does not include any additional fuel surcharges, baggage fees, or airport fees which may be imposed prior to date of travel.**

18th Annual Eddy's Bike Shop

Sweet Corn

Always New Routes,
Entertainment & Fun
Pulled-pork or Veggie
Wrap lunch!
Win a Specialized Bike from
Eddy's Bike Shop.

Challenge

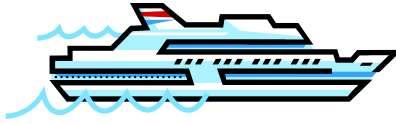
**Bicycle Festival • Richfield, Ohio
July 31, 2011**

- **Scenic Challenging Ride**
from the rim of Cuyahoga National Park
on uncongested roads with full sag support
- **100 Mile Route**
Subway Lunch, Dinner at
Taverne of Richfield
- **10, 25 & 50 Mile Routes**
Pulled Pork (veggie burger),
Corn-on-the Cob Lunch
- **Snack Stop**
with food from Richfield Giant Eagle
- **Optional Horrendous Hills**
on the 50-mile route
- **Live Entertainment**
by Swizzle Sticks
- **Massotherapists**
to rub away the miles
- **Sweet Corn**
fresh to go
- **Bike Jerseys & Shirts**
commemorate the day
- **Rider Limit - 2,500**
- **Early Registration Discounts**
by May 10 & July 10th



Sponsored by the Richfield Chamber of Commerce and Richfield Town Trust

After Work – Night Out on the Goodtime III



Rush Hour Party Cruise

Adults Only 21 and over – Leave the kids at home!

Friday, July 15th 2011

Board at 5:30 pm, Cruise from 6:00 pm to 8:00 pm

825 E 9th Street Pier North Coast Harbor, Cleveland

Cost is \$13.00 at the ticket window or purchase online at
www.goodtimeiii.com



Afterwards please join us at the
Stone Mad Pub 1306 W 65th Street, Cleveland 44102

To RSVP Contact Therese Telzrow at 216.226.6013

Lewis Ski Club Picnic

Tuesday August 2nd, 2011

Albion Woods, Mill Steam Run in Cleveland Metroparks

[Located off Parkway in Strongsville]

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

Hamburgers, Hot Dogs, Pulled Pork, Chicken
Plus Fix'ns, Veggie Burgers upon request
Beer, Wine, Pop and Water

Cost: Members \$8 Guests \$15 Children (12 & under) \$4

Will be kids activities, contact organizers if willing to help or bring games

For tickets or more information contact:

Lisa Ferenc

**21000 Brookpark Road,
MS 301-4**

Cleveland, OH 44135

216-433-6592

Or Dave Root 216-433-2853

**Make checks out to
Lewis Ski Club**



Send-off Party

Victoria Briscoe is hosting a Drop-In Party on Thursday, July 21 at Sullivan's in Lakewood, OH, 4:00 PM – 8:00 PM. This drop-in has a combined purpose to send-off her best ski pals, **Cheryl Alden** and **Paul Senick**, who are getting married on July 23rd, and visiting with my past co-workers and ski friends over a pint!

We'll be at Sullivan's, they are happy to accommodate our drop-in party with a reserved section. It'll be a grand night, since Thursday's are Irish Wake Night, with half price Irish wakes, and \$2.00 pints of domestic drafts.

Hope to see you and please share the invite. Let's toast to Cheryl and Paul's happiness, and reconnect with your ol' ski club officer and pal- Victoria!

DATE: July 21, 2011
TIME: 4:00 – 8:00 PM
Location: Sullivan's Irish Pub & Restaurant
13368 Madison Avenue
Lakewood, OH 44107-4840
(216) 529-8969
<http://www.sullivanirishpub.net>



Happy July Birthday to:

Marian Carter Katie Cook Joseph Eszerkis

Eileen Kenney Lee Lam Ron Lichtman

Lorraine Lipinski Steve Manger Margaret Proctor Daniel

Sutliff Martha Takacs Allison Wood

2011 - 2012 NASA SKI CLUB MEMBERSHIP

(OCTOBER 1, 2011 - SEPTEMBER 30, 2012)

Name:(first) _____ (last) _____

Home Phone: _____

Work Phone: _____

Home address:
Street/Apt.: _____

City: _____ St: _____ Zip: _____

NASA Lewis Ski Club publishes a Member Directory containing names, addresses, email addresses, and phone numbers of the members. It is in hard copy only and made available at meetings and upon request of other club members only. Do you consent to having your contact information included?

YES _____ NO _____

NASA Mail Stop(If applicable): _____

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

Your Birthday: ___/___ (MONTH / DAY)

<p>Type of membership: Check TWO Types)</p> <p>Single(\$10) _____ New _____ Member _____</p> <p>*Family(\$15) _____ **Renewal _____</p> <p>*A FAMILY MEMBERSHIP is defined as: “a member and spouse and/or DEPENDENT children”.</p> <p>**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.</p>	<p>Please list eligible Family Members:</p> <table style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <thead> <tr> <th style="text-align: left;">Name</th> <th style="text-align: left;">Age-Kids Only</th> <th style="text-align: left;">Birthday (M/D)</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>_____</td> <td>_____</td> <td>___/___</td> </tr> <tr> <td>_____</td> <td>_____</td> <td>___/___</td> </tr> <tr> <td>_____</td> <td>_____</td> <td>___/___</td> </tr> <tr> <td>_____</td> <td>_____</td> <td>___/___</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Name	Age-Kids Only	Birthday (M/D)	_____	_____	___/___	_____	_____	___/___	_____	_____	___/___	_____	_____	___/___
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Email: We prefer to send the newsletter out via email since it reduces our work and postage costs. If you would like to receive the newsletter via email, please give your

email address: _____ (please print legibly)

Release: I/We, single/family membership, acknowledge that many of the activities and events organized and sponsored by the Lewis Ski Club, Inc., in particular participation-type athletic activities, are dangerous and hazardous and can cause damage, injury and death. In consideration of becoming a member and/or renewing my membership I/we assume any and all risks of participating in such activities, including the risk of damage, injury and death, and I/we release Lewis Ski Club, Inc., its members and officers, from responsibility and liability therefore. This Release shall remain in effect while I/we am/are a member(s) and when and while I/we participate in any such activity, and even if Lewis Ski Club, Inc. is negligent.

(Complete and return with dues to Lisa Ferenc, MS:301-4, NASA Glenn Research Center, 21000 Brookpark Road, Cleveland, OH 44135 - Make checks payable to: Lewis Ski Club, Inc.)

Lewis Ski Club
Week Long Trip Application and Agreement

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

- 1. DEPOSIT:** The required initial deposit for this trip must be paid and submitted along with a signed Trip Application and Agreement. Balance shall be due and payable in accordance with payment schedules established by Lewis Ski Club.
- 2. WITHDRAWAL & CHANGE:** Lewis Ski Club may withdraw any trip from its schedule at any time; may refuse to accept or retain any person as a participant at any time for any reason; and may change the itinerary at any time.
- 3. RESPONSIBILITY:** Lewis Ski Club is acting gratuitously for the applicant and shall not be responsible or liable for any loss of damage to baggage, property, or for any loss, injury, death, accident, delay, inconvenience or any other loss occurring during or occasioned by applicant's participation or lack of participation in any trip. Trip participants ski and/or snowboard at their own risk. It is the injured skier's/snowboarder's responsibility to report to Ski Patrol for treatment or referral to hospital/doctor. If unable to accompany the club on return trip as planned, the injured party is responsible for arranging their own transportation for the return trip.
- 4. IDENTIFICATION:** Each participant is responsible for having and taking with them a valid, current, government-issued, photo ID. For trips out of the USA, participants are responsible for having up-to-date and valid passport. When required, participants are also responsible for having up-to-date and valid visa(s).
- 5. MINORS:** Any minor's participant Trip Application and Agreement must be co-signed by his/her parent or legal guardian. The minor must be accompanied on the trip by a parent or legal guardian or their designee who shall be wholly and fully responsible for said minor's conduct and well being.
- 6. PAYMENT:** All payment checks shall be payable to "Lewis Ski Club, Inc."
- 7. CANCELLATION:** If the participant cancels out of the trip, then the participant forfeits their rights to any and all payments made to Lewis Ski Club for this trip. Cancellation by participant means and includes: (a) failure to abide by the terms of this agreement; (b) notice by participant of intent to cancel; (c) participant's failure to make timely payments; (d) participant's failure for any reason to meet departure or return of the trip.
- 8. ELIGIBILITY:** Lewis Ski Club membership is required to participate.
- 9. EXTRA FEES:** Price does NOT include any additional fuel surcharges, baggage fees, or airport fees which may be imposed prior to the date of travel.

Print clearly Trip: _____

Applicant Name: _____

(MUST be as it appears on Drivers License/Passport (*for airline ticketing*))

Address: _____

Birth Date(Month/Day/Year)(needed for airline booking):

Phone w/area code:

(H) _____ (W) _____ (Cell) _____

Email address: _____

Emergency contact: (Name) _____

Phone w/area code: (H) _____ **(Cell)** _____

NASA Lewis Ski Club member? Yes / No (If NO, membership available for \$10-single/\$15-family)

Optional Trip Insurance? Yes / No (Information will be forwarded to you)

I have read and agree to all the terms of this Agreement, and waiver of liability, as of this date.

Signed in Agreement: _____ **Date:** _____