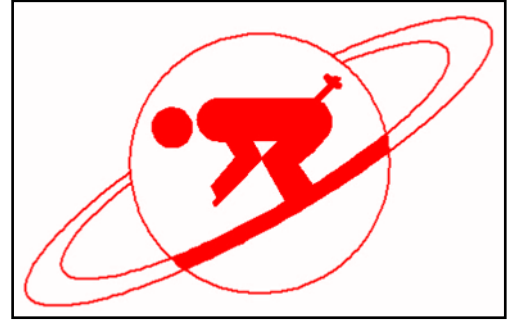


**May 2012**

# ***NASA Lewis Ski Club***



**Next meeting**

**No May Meeting!  
But join us on Tuesday,  
June 5, 100th Bomb Group,  
Brookpark Road  
Meeting @ 6 p.m.  
Board meeting, May 22,  
5:30 p.m.**



**Even though there was no meeting, there is still plenty of activities being offered by various club members. See inside for more information.**

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## **President's message...**

**While some of you may be full into spring (mowing lawns, washing cars, spring cleaning, planting flowers and gardens), the club representatives are busy planning your future activities and yes, even planning next year's ski trips. Before you know it, you'll be signing up for ski trips scheduled for next season. The month of May definitely shows the return to the club's off-season activities with things like bikes and brews. Read the newsletter and keep a watch on the club's online calendar to make sure you don't miss out on anything. Also, remember to include your fellow ski club buddies if you are thinking of planning any summer activities. For example, thinking of running an all you can eat ice cream social? Let us know.**



Working hard on the flats...

**Remember, there is no club meeting in May, but we'll meet again in June. Thanks to everyone who participated in the April Meeting photo contest and of course a congratulations to the winners. Odd how it's easier to elect officers than it is to select winning photos. Also, thanks to the officers for volunteering to serve the club this year.**

**Aaron  
(now where did I put that root beer float)**

## Happy May birthday to:

**Janet Dubas, Brian O'Donnell, Therese Telzrow, Sonia Juhasz, Gordon Griffin, Bernice Poduch, Linda Bennett, Paula Forma-Paslowski, Cathy Vento, Janet Mika, John Ballasch, Lily Palisin, Lisa Ferenc, Liz Vannuyen, Lori Manthey, Brad Antczak, Gary Norton, Sr., Greg Tenik, Jan Neumann, Patty Galovic, David Root, John Zoldi, Paul Senick, Joan Feather, Sarah McCarroll, Siegfried Dreger, Jeff Schmucki, Loretta Chernesky, Warren Knipple, Amy Sossa, Jim Warren, Rosemary Wittrup, Randy Bowman**



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## Club officers

Position	Name	Email @lewisclub.org
President	Aaron J. Swank	president
Alpine V.P.	Dave Root	alpinevp
Nordic V.P.	Allen Porter	nordicvp
Activity V.P.	Ray Neumann	activity
Recorder	Barb Knipple	recorder
Publicity Director	Allison Wood	publicity
Treasurer	Janet Dubas	treasurer

## Committee Chairs & Trustees

CMSC Representative	Victoria Wise	cmsc
Racing	Lisa Lambert	race
Membership	Lisa Ferenc	membership
Web curator	Lisa Elonen-Wright	webcurator
Alternate web curator	Lisa Lambert	webcurator
Trip	Tom Vannuyen	tripchair
Trustee	Lori Manthey	trustees
Trustee	Mark Hyatt	trustees
Trustee	Bruce Frankenfield	trustees

The Constitution Review Committee, consisting of the Trustees, met on 3/28/12 and a few changes to the Lewis Ski Club's Constitution are being proposed by this committee. The committee will discuss these proposed changes at the April club meeting and welcomes any comments from the club members. The committee plans to hold a vote on these proposed changes at the June club meeting, on June 5, 2012.

The Constitution Review Committee,(Bruce Frankenfield, Lori Manthey & Mark Hyatt)

## LEWIS SKI CLUB – PROPOSED CONSTITUTION CHANGES (4-3-2012)

### ARTICLE IV: GOVERNMENT; Section 11: Meetings

From: Executive Board meetings will take place on the next to last Tuesday of every month. A combined meeting of the newly elected officers and the current officers will be held on the next-to-last Thursday in April. All Executive Board meetings will be open to all members.

To: **An Executive Board meeting shall be called by the President at least once a month, usually the next to last Tuesday of the month. The Executive Board meeting called for in the month of April will be a combined meeting of the newly elected officers and the current officers.** All Executive Board meetings will be open to all members.

### ARTICLE IV: GOVERNMENT; Section 13: Spending Policy

From: All non-recoverable expenditures shall require the following approvals prior to the expenditure: \$0.00 through \$100.00 – approval of at least two members of the Executive Board; \$100.01-\$200.00 – approval of the Executive Board; anything above \$200.00 – approval of simple majority of the members present at a regular scheduled meeting (quorum required).

To: All non-recoverable expenditures shall require the following approvals prior to the expenditure: \$0.00 through \$100.00 – approval of at least two members of the Executive Board; \$100.01-\$200.00 – approval **of a simple majority** of the Executive Board; anything above \$200.00 – approval of **a simple majority** of the members present at a regularly scheduled meeting (quorum required).

### ARTICLE V, DUTIES OF OFFICERS; Section 8: Board of Trustees

Add: **The Board of Trustees shall be standing members of the Constitution Review Committee.**

### BYLAWS - 2. COMMITTEES AND CHAIRPERSONS

From: The President shall upon assuming office, or any other time it is required, form the following committees and appoint the following chairpersons:

To: The President **may**, upon assuming office, or any other time it is required, form the following committees and appoint the following chairpersons **as needed**:

From: (g) Trip Committee – reviews and updates the Activity Coordinators Guide, determines trip schedule for upcoming ski season, and provides guidance for ski trip coordinators. Appointees should be members who have experience, or desire to serve, as Activity Coordinators.

To: (g) Trip Committee – **provides comments on the Activity Coordinators Guide to the Trustees**, determines trip schedule for upcoming ski season, and provides guidance for ski trip coordinators. Appointees should be members who have experience, or desire to serve, as Activity Coordinators.

Add: **(i) Recruitment Chairperson – coordinates efforts targeted directly at the recruitment of new members.**

Add: **(j) Historian – responsible for maintaining the history of the club.**

## NASA Lewis Ski Club Activities

[If you would like to volunteer to have a get together after work or an event to share with fellow club members, contact Ray Neumann, Activity V.P.](#)

### MAY 2012

Beginning Thursday, May 3<sup>rd</sup> at 6:30 pm

#### **Thursday Night Bike Rides!**

Meet Alan Porter at The Cleveland Metroparks Rocky River Nature Center every Thursday night. For more information, contact Alan Porter, Nordic V.P.  
<http://www.lewisskiclub.org/bike-thurs-2012>

Friday & Saturday, May 11-12

#### **The International Beer Fest!**

Cleveland I-X Center

(Ray & Jan have both volunteered to be Beer Jockeys on Friday night)  
Featuring 200 renowned breweries from all over the world pouring upwards of 800 select beers during three public tasting sessions.  
Learn more at [www.ixbeerfest.com](http://www.ixbeerfest.com)

Friday, May the 25th! 6:00 pm til ?:

#### **T.G.I.F. Get Together!**

This month we're meeting at The Plank Road Tavern  
16719 Detroit Road  
Lakewood, OH 44107  
RSVP Ray or Jan Neumann at activity to be sure to get a seat.  
We shall see you there!

Friday, May 18<sup>th</sup> 6:00 pm til 9:00 pm

#### **Wine Tasting at The Olde Wine Cellar**

7990 Columbia Road  
Olmsted Falls, OH 44138

\$10.00 per person will bring you to the world of Malbec wines!  
cheese and crackers supplied... Patio is Open .. heat lamps if needed.  
And I'm sure we'll go for dinner optional afterwards as usual.  
[www.oldewinecellar.com](http://www.oldewinecellar.com)

For more information contact Terri Martin <http://www.lewisskiclub.org/wine-tasting-may-2012>

Saturday, May 19<sup>th</sup> 9:00 am – 4:00 pm

**International Learn to Fly Day!**

Lorain County Regional Airport  
44050 Russia Road, Elyria, Ohio 44035

See the attached flyer or contact Sandy Maurer, more info at [www.eaa1252.org](http://www.eaa1252.org)

## **JUNE 2012**

Friday, June 15<sup>th</sup> 8:00 pm

**Swing Dancing at Starz Ballroom!**

25016 Center Ridge Road  
Westlake, Ohio 44145

Get that Fred or Ginger out of ya!

You don't need a partner to go. \$10.00 includes lesson & party! Check the attached flyer...

For more information contact Allen Porter, Nordic V.P.

<http://www.lewisskiclub.org/dancing-m>

Friday, June 22<sup>nd</sup> 6:00 pm

**The 6<sup>th</sup> Annual Bike Brew Tour!**

We'll meet up in the parking lot behind The Cornerstone Brewery at 58 Front Street, downtown Berea.

Then we'll ride our bikes past the college & hit the Lake to Lake Trail through Lake Abram Reservation to reach the new Brew Garden in Middleburg Heights!

After a beverage & some rest, it's back onto the Parkway to lead us back to Berea for dinner.

**HEY! WE NEED MORE STUFF FOR JUNE!**

**Get hold of Ray or Jan Neumann**

**to put in for June events**

**E-mail activity**

## Racing News

The race season concluded with the Combined race at Bristol on March 3<sup>rd</sup>-4<sup>th</sup>. Racers competed for Combined trophies in their respective classes after completing Super-G, Giant Slalom and Slalom races. Lisa and Bruce won BW and BBVM classes, respectively.

For the overall season, Bruce won the BBVM class. Mark and Lisa took 2<sup>nd</sup> place in BBM and BW, respectively. All racers received their overall season trophies at a "super" fun Race Banquet on April 21<sup>st</sup>.

### - Lisa Lambert



Racer	Class	Bristol				Season
		SG Place	GS Place	Slalom Place	Combined Place	Overall Place
Bruce	BBVM	1	1	1	1	1
Mark	BBM	4	5	6	3	6
Elise	BVW	5	4	DQ	-	4
Don	BVM					13
Lisa	BW	1	1	1	1	2
Kristen	BW					-
Cheryl	BW					6
Therese	CCVW					4
Paul	CCM					-
Bruce	CCSB					6
Mark	CCSB					2



**Saturday May 19 9am - 4pm**  
**Open to the public - Free admission**

**Lorain County Regional Airport**  
**44050 Russia Rd. Elyria, Ohio 44035**

**Ever Dream About Flying?**



**Discovery Flights Available**  
**Free "Young Eagles" flights for kids ages 8-17**  
**Take a ride in a B-25 or a Navy SNJ**  
**Airplane displays and vendors - Food galore**  
**Free live entertainment by Fenderjet**  
**[www.eaa1252.org](http://www.eaa1252.org)**



Beginning Thursday May 3<sup>rd</sup> at 6:30 pm....

# The return of the Thursday night bike rides!

Every Thursday night starting at  
The Cleveland Metroparks Rocky River Nature Cen-  
ter South  
On Valley Parkway between Shepherd Lane  
and Cedar Point Road...

Meet up with your Host, Allen Porter  
for an exhilarating ride along the all purpose trail.

For more information contact Allan Porter, Nordic V.P. or call his cell 440-476-1531

<http://www.lewisskiclub.org/bike-thurs-2012>



*Join NASA Lewis Ski Club  
for TGIF  
at the cozy Plank Road Tavern  
in Lakewood on May 25th*



*We'll meet up at 5:30 for drinks in the bar. Those that wish to stay for dinner please RSVP so we can arrange for a table.*

*16719 Detroit Rd  
Lakewood, Ohio 44107*

*RSVP to Ray Neumann at [activity@lewisskiclub.org](mailto:activity@lewisskiclub.org)*

**Friday, June 15<sup>th</sup> 8:00 pm**

## **Swing Dancing at Starz Ballroom!**

**25016 Center Ridge Road  
Westlake, Ohio 44145**

**Only 10 BUCKS!!! (That's only 2FINS Skate!)**

**Open group dance lesson starts at 8:00 pm and the Dance Party starts at 8:45 pm.  
You don't need a partner to go. Check the place out at [www.starzballroom.net](http://www.starzballroom.net)**

**\$10.00 per person includes lesson & party!**

**For more information contact Allen Porter, Nordic V.P.  
<http://www.lewisskiclub.org/dancing-jun-2012>**



## WINE TASTING!

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Friday, May 18<sup>th</sup> – @ 6:00p.m.

Wine Tasting at The Olde Wine Cellar  
Olmsted Falls at the Pacific Junction near the corner of Bagley & Columbia  
Roads.

Contact Terri Martin <terridence101 at hotmail dot com> for details.

We will be tasting Malbecs

Light appetizers will be served

You can bring in food if you wish

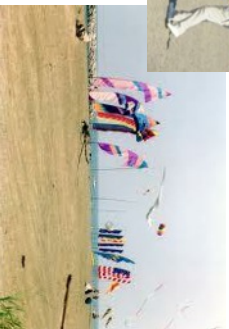
Patio will be open weather permitting

We will go to dinner after for those that wish to continue the good time.



Just For the Fun of It (JFFII)

## CMSC play day AT Presque Isle State Park Saturday, July 7



JFFII? This is the Fagowees' term for a fun event with no signup or formal organization - just show up and enjoy!

Presque Isle is in Erie, PA and is a peninsula that extends into Lake Erie and offers boating, jet skiing, kayaking, biking, hiking, blading, windsurfing, swimming and lots of fun. See details at <http://www.presqueisle.org/>

- What: spend a day at the park doing all your favorite things meet at the beach with all the kites (Beach 11, Budney) for a picnic at 5:00 PM. We will bring grills
- Bring: Toys for the park (kites, bikes, roller blades, jet skis, windsurfers, swim suit,..... Beach chair, suntan lotion & life jacket  
Your meat/vegie burger for picnic, beverages, cooler for the day, coozies, paper plates,.... a dish to share at the picnic (salad, dessert, fruit, veggies,...)
- Cost: \$ 0.00 -- Yes, this is free! Park is free and a JFFII is "pay as you go" event.
- Sign up: No signup is required, but if you have questions, contact Pat Murphy at [patkupiec@gmail.com](mailto:patkupiec@gmail.com)



## NASA LEWIS SKI CLUB MEMBERSHIP (October 1<sup>st</sup> to September 30<sup>th</sup>)

Name: (First)   
 (Last)   
 Home Phone:   
 Work Phone:   
 Address:

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)  Birthday: Month / Day (optional)

Email Address:

(Note: Club Newsletter is only sent via email/web to reduce both labor and postage)

Do you also wish to be added to an email list for impromptu, last-minute outings.  Yes  No

Type of Membership: (Check TWO)

- Single (\$10)       New Member  
 Family\* (\$15)       Renewal\*\*

\* A FAMILY MEMBERSHIP is defined as: "a member and spouse and/or DEPENDENT children".

\*\* **Renewal rates for current members increase after November 15<sup>th</sup> to \$15 for single and \$20 for family.** New members pay the lower rate no matter when they join.

List Eligible Family Members:

Name	Age (Kids Only)	Birthday (M/D)
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**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.**

Signed in Agreement: X \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

(Complete and return with dues to Lisa Ferenc, MS:60-2, NASA Glenn Research Center, 21000 Brookpark Road, Cleveland, OH 44135 - Make checks payable to: Lewis Ski Club, Inc.)