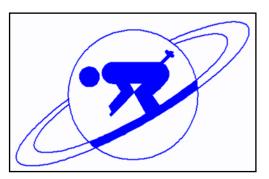
NASA Lewis Ski Club

White elephant bounty



Some of the highlights of this year's White Elephant exchange/steal was an astronaut Barbie, a bottle of Bailey's (along with other adult beverages) and fun knickknacks, like this skier nutcracker.

January 2015



Next meeting

Tuesday, Jan. 6 is our club's monthly meeting. Happy hour is at 5, while the meeting starts at 6 p.m. at the Donauschwaben German American Club, 7370 Columbia Road, Olmsted Twp., with happy hour at 5.

Nordic VP Margaret Proctor along with Linda Elonen Wright will have a discussion on cross country skiing during the meeting.

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President's message...

Ski/Board Friends,

2015 is here and we have started our ski/board season. It's time to get out and enjoy the winter season!

This year we have multiple trips plan for you. For Alpine, we have trips to Holiday Valley, Holimont, Seven Springs, and Kissing Bridge. For Nordic, we have Chapin Forest, Wilderness lodge, Big Met, and Laurel Hill. Come and join us for some fun in the snow.

Our own Nordic VP, Margaret Proctor along with Linda Elonen Wright will have a discussion on cross country skiing at the January 6, 2015 club meeting. If you ever wanted to try cross country skiing, come out and try it at Chapin Forest. Several of our very own NASA Lewis Ski Club experts are available to lead small groups in classic and skating technique and the lessons are FREE. Yea!! :)

Thanks to all who signed up for membership and trips online. It really is a major time saver and less work for the volunteered trip leaders. We want to thank all the trips leaders who volunteered to run one day, weekends, and weeklong trips. Without their volunteering efforts, we would not have so many fun trips for the club.

Lastly, let's recruit friends and family to join you in the great snowy outdoors. Make it a goal to recruit at least one person each month.

See you on the slopes.



Tom Vannuyen



Two of the Vannuyen boys, Matthew Root and David King take a break during the Holiday Valley trip Jan. 2.

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Club officers

Position	Name	Email @lewisskiclub.org
President	Tom Vannuyen	president
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Trustee	Linda Elonen-Wright	trustees
Trustee	Vacant	trustees

Upcoming activities

Cross Country Skiers - Mark your calendars!

Plans are being made for the following cross country ski outings:

January 10, 2015 (Sat.) Chapin Forest - Chapin Forest has groomed trails, rental equipment, lessons, restrooms and a place to warm-up and get snacks. If you've never cross country skied and have been thinking about trying it, this is a great opportunity. Several club members have volunteered to help beginners get started. See outing flyer on page 5 for details.

January 24, 2015 (Sat.) Wilderness Lodge – located near Peak-n-Peek. Groomed trails, rentals, lessons, food service are available. (1 day trip) See outing flyer for details.

February 7, 2015 (Sat.) Big Met golf course – Ski from 2 to 4 p.m. with apres ski hot beverage or snack. Sign up on the website to see who else is going. Della Yost will be coordinating this outing. Big Met has rental equipment available. See Cleveland Metroparks website for more information: http://www.clevelandmetroparks.com/Main/Recreation/Cross-Country-Skiing-5.aspx

February 21-22, 2015 Laurel Hills Country Ski Weekend – Linda Elonen-Wright trip leader - we hope to hear soon about rental of cabin for lodging.

In addition, impromptu x-country ski outings may arise as snow conditions permit. Get your gear ready!

Alpine 1 day trips (Fridays)

January 16, 2015 to Holimontholimont-2015@lewisskiclub.orgJanuary 30, 2015 to Holiday Valleyholidayvalley2-jan2015@lewisskiclub.orgFebruary 13, 2015 to Kissing Bridgekissingbridge-2015@lewisskiclub.orgFebruary 27, 2015 to 7 springssevensprings-2015@lewisskiclub.org

March 6, 2015 to Holiday Valley holidayvalley-mar2015@lewisskiclub.org



Come ski with me where the heels are free...

On Saturday, January 10th, come on out to Chapin Forest and Pine Lodge, in Geauga County, for cross-country ski lessons and/or a tune-up of your XC skills!

We will have Lewis Ski Club members available to lead small groups in classic and skating technique. And, the lessons are FREE!

Pine Lodge has rentals, if you need them. We'll meet outside the lodge at 1:00pm.

Please call Linda at 216-433-9370 or Margaret at 216-977-7526 to let us know you're coming.

See you soon!

Chapin Forest website:

<u>http://www.lakemetroparks.com/activities/cross-country.shtml</u> To check snow conditions, call 440-256-2118 ×4178

Weekend Trip February 20-22, 2015 to the Westmoreland Ski Club Lodge just 3 miles from Seven Springs and Laurel Hill State Park (located in Somerset County PA.)

Join the NASA Lewis Ski Club for a Weekend Trip to this Ski club owned lodge located in the beautiful Laurel Highlands. It's the perfect trip for cross country and downhill skiers as it's located close to many cross country ski trails, Seven Springs, Hidden Valley and many other attractions. You can find more information about the Laurel Highlands at their website: <u>www.laurelhighlands.org</u>

The lodge holds a maximum of 11. Bedding preferences will be honored on a first come/first serve basis. Cost is only \$75 per person. This includes the lodging, breakfast each morning, and Saturday night dinner. You are on your own for lift tickets, trail fees and transportation. Bring your own bedding.

Contact Linda Elonen-Wright at 216-246-7912 for more information. To sign up and pay online go to <u>www.lewisskiclub.org</u>!



Sign-up deadline is February 7, 2015.





Ski and Crock Pot lunch in the Chalet Friday, January 16, 2015

\$75 per person (lift ticket and bus)*

Includes: Round-trip transportation from Cleveland, OH to Holimont, NY, adult lift ticket, and water, juice, assorted snacks on the bus, and help yourself to a warm bowl of chili from the club-sponsored crock pot lunch.

Itinerary:

- 6:00 AM West Side Pickup Location as of 2014 season (see below)
- 6:30 AM East Side Pickup
- 10:00 AM Arrive at Holimont Ski Area
- 12:00 PM Chili should be hot and ready
- 4:45 PM Bus Departs for Ellicottville for Dinner (On your own)
- 7:00 PM Bus Departs for Cleveland
- 10:00 PM East Side Drop-off
- 10:30 PM West Side Drop-off

Bus Pickup / Drop-off Information:

WEST: Lakefront Bus Lines, 13315 Brookpark Rd. Parma (Park towards the rear of lot) EAST: Home Depot Parking Lot, 6199 Wilson Mills Rd, Highland Hts, West of I-271. DO NOT PARK AT DENNY'S

<u>Trip Leader:</u> Kimberly Hulick <u>Co-Leader</u> Karen Downing

Contact: holimont2014@lewisskiclub.org

Cell 440 409-1582 Wk 216 218-3455

Login to your club account and add this trip to your cart using Pay Pal or other credit card. This is the preferred method of payment and guarantees your seat.

*Lewis Ski Club membership required. New Members: \$10 Individual / \$15 Family Membership information at <u>http://www.lewisskiclub.org/membership</u>

- * Reservations are 1st come 1st served with payment in full. Login best method to ensure seat.
- * Bus seat cost is non refundable.
- * Every participant must sign an online Trip Application Form.
- * Minors (under 18) not accompanied by parent or legal guardian must have a Minor Release Form.
- * No smoking on the bus.

Rental Equipment is available from Resort. \$28 for Ski/Snowboard Package Holimont only accepts cash for rentals and food at the main lodge

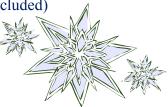


Includes:

Round-trip transportation from Cleveland, OH to Holiday Valley, adult lift ticket, and snacks on the bus.

Itinerary:

- 6:00 AM West Side Pickup NEW LOCATION (see below)
- 6:30 AM East Side Pickup
- 10:00 AM Arrive at Holiday Valley Ski Area
- 4:45 PM Bus Departs for Ellicottville for Dinner (cost of dinner is not included)
- 7:30 PM Bus Departs for Cleveland
- 10:30 PM East Side Drop-off
- 11:00 PM West Side Drop-off



Trip Application Information:

Register and pay on-line at https://lewisskiclub.org under "Trips"

Contact: holidayvalley2-feb2015@lewisskiclub.org Trip leader: David King Work 216-443-3667 | Cell 216-496-7602

*Lewis Ski Club membership is required. New Members: \$10 Individual / \$15 Family Membership information at <u>https://lewisskiclub.org/membership</u>

~ Reservations are 1st come 1st served with payment in full.

~ Bus seat cost is non refundable.

~ Every participant must sign an online Trip Application Form.

~ Minors (under 18) not accompanied by parent or legal guardian must have a Minor Release Form.

 \sim No smoking on the bus.

Bus Pickup / Drop-off Information:

More information at https://lewisskiclub.org/bus-pickup-locations

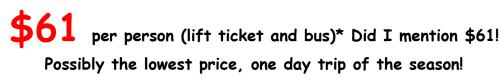
- WEST: Lakefront Bus Lines parking lot on 13315 Brookpark Rd., Parma, West of Brookpark and 130th. (across from Malley's chocolates) PARK IN REAR PARKING LOT
- EAST: Home Depot Parking Lot on Wilson Mills Rd., Highland Heights, 1/2 Mile West of I-271. DO NOT PARK AT DENNY'S







Lewis Ski Club Friday, February 13, 2015



Includes:

Round-trip transportation from Cleveland, OH to Glenwood, NY, adult lift ticket, and snacks on the bus.

Itinerary:

- 6:00 AM West Side Pickup NEW LOCATION (see below)
- 6:30 AM East Side Pickup
- 10:00 AM Arrive at Kissing Bridge Ski Area
- 4:45 PM You are on your own for dinner; break early and eat at the resort or pack food to eat on the trip home. Your ticket is good for the entire day and you can ski up until the bus roll call at 7:25.
- 7:25 PM Bus Roll Call Be on the bus no later than 7:25!
- 7:30 PM Bus Departs for Cleveland!
- 10:30 PM East Side Drop-off
- 11:00 PM West Side Drop-off



Trip Application Information:

Register and pay on-line at <u>https://lewisskiclub.org</u> under "Trips" Contact: <u>kissingbridge-2015@lewisskiclub.org</u> Trip leader: Tom Palisin Work 216-433-6572 | Cell 440-292-7770

*Lewis Ski Club membership is required. New Members: \$10 Individual / \$15 Family Membership information at <u>https://lewisskiclub.org/membership</u>

- ~ Reservations are 1st come 1st served with payment in full.
- ~ Bus seat cost is non refundable.
- ~ Every participant must sign an online Trip Application Form.

~ Minors (under 18) not accompanied by parent or legal guardian must have a Minor Release Form. ~ No smoking on the bus.

Bus Pickup / Drop-off Information:

More information at https://lewisskiclub.org/bus-pickup-locations

WEST: Lakefront Bus Lines parking lot on 13315 Brookpark Rd., Parma, West of Brookpark and 130th. across from Malley's chocolates) PARK IN REAR PARKING LOT EAST: Home Depot Parking Lot on Wilson Mills Rd., Highland Heights, 1/2 Mile West of I-271. DO NOT PARK AT DENNY'S

Seven Springs Ski Trip

With the Lewis Ski Club



Friday February 27th 2015

\$73 per person (Lift ticket and bus)

Includes: Round-trip bus transportation from Cleveland to Seven Springs, PA. One full day of skiing with breakfast snacks on the bus. You are on your own for dinner.

<u>Itinerary: 6:00 AM West Side Pickup - NEW LOCATION, Lakefront Bus Line Parking Lot,</u> <u>13315 Brookpark Road, Cleveland (across from Mallies candies)</u>

6:30 AM East Side Pickup - *Lowes at 24500 Miles Road in Warrensville Heights*

10:00 AM Arrive at Seven Springs Ski Area Ski all day, après ski and dinner in lodge (on your own) 7:00 PM Bus Leaves for Cleveland 10:30 PM East Side Lowes Drop-off 11:00 PM Bus Arrives at Lakefront Bus Line parking lot



Questions? Please call : Lisa Ferenc at GRC 216-433-6592 or cell at 440-396-0298

> Email: <u>sevensprings-2015@lewisskiclub.org</u> Ski rentals \$25/Board rental \$28 Group Lessons \$17

Register and pay online at: https://lewisskiclub.org/trips

*Lewis Ski Club membership is required. New Members: single \$10 / Family \$15 Membership information at <u>https://lewisskiclub.org/membership</u>

- Reservations are 1st come 1st served with payment in full.
- Bus seat cost are non refundable.
- Every skier must sign an online **Trip Application** form.
- Minors (under 18) not accompanied by parent or legal guardian must have a Minor Release Form.
- No smoking on the bus.
- Group Lessons are held at 1PM. Group lesson purchases are non-refundable.



Holiday Valley III With the Lewis Ski Club Friday, March 6, 2015 \$70 per person (lift ticket and bus)*

Includes:

Round-Trip Bus Transportation and Adult Lift Ticket **pack your own drinks, breakfast, snacks and dinner (cooler provided)**

Itinerary:

6:00 AM	West Side Pickup NEW LOCATION (see below)		
6:30 AM	East Side Pickup		
10:00 AM	Arrive at Holiday Valley Ski Area		
5:30 PM	Bus Departs for Cleveland		
8:30 PM	East Side Drop Off		
9:00 PM	West Side Drop Off		

Trip Application Information

Register and pay on-line at https://lewisskiclub.org under "Trips"

Contact: holidayvalley-march2015@lewisskiclub.org Trip leader: Victoria Wise 440-846-1171

*Lewis Ski Club membership required. New Members: \$10 Individual/\$15 Family

Membership information at https://lewisskiclub.org/membership

 \sim Reservations are 1st come 1st served with payment in full. \sim Bus seat cost is non-refundable

~ Every participant must sign an on-line Trip Application Form

 \sim Unaccompanied Minors (under 18) must have a Minor Release Form \sim No Smoking on the Bus

Bus Pickup/Drop-off Information:

More information at https://lewisskiclub.org/bus-pickup-locations

WEST: Lakefront Bus Lines parking lot: 13315 Brookpark Rd., Parma (West of 130th St. across from Malley's Chocolates) PARK IN REAR PARKING LOT

EAST: Home Depot Parking Lot: Wilson Mills Rd., Highland Hts. (1/2 mi West of I-271) DO NOT PARK AT DENNY'S



Trip Package includes:

- 7 nights at the 49er Inn & Suites, hotel in the heart of downtown Jackson, 0.3-mile from town center
- UPGRADE: Spacious 2-person Studio Suites, with daily hot breakfast, Wi-Fi
- 35-person indoor hot tub, 12-person outdoor hot tub
- Welcome Party, Wild Game BBQ, AND End-of-week Party included!
- Round Trip Airfare from Cleveland to Jackson Hole Airport, including transfer to hotel
- 5 day lift ticket at Jackson Hole Mountain, shuttles to lift included
- Extra lift ticket for \$70, discounted rates available for youth, juniors, and seniors
- Yellowstone Nat'l Park, Grand Teton Nat'l Park, and Grand Targhee nearby (not included)
- Skiing backcountry out-of-the-gates is permitted, and guides are available
- Ranked #1 Ski Area in the United States by Forbes Magazine, Four Years in a Row

Payment Schedule

\$435 due now, non-refundable \$430 due by September 2, 2014 \$430 due by November 4, 2014 Optional trip insurance available

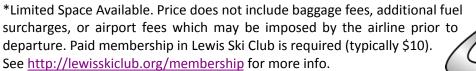
For more information, contact your trip leaders: Dan Zeleznikar or Aaron Swank:

jacksonhole2015 at lewisskiclub dot org

Or, dial 216-369-SKI2

To sign up, mail a trip application form and a check payable to Lewis Ski Club, Inc. to:

Lewis Ski Club/Dan Zeleznikar Mail Stop 54-4 21000 Brookpark Rd Cleveland, OH 44135







NASA/Lewis: Ski Breckenridge, Co Sat, Feb 21 – Sat, Feb 28 2015



- Roundtrip direct flight air from Cleveland to Denver (United) *
- 7 nights Ski-in/walk out accommodations at the Mountain Thunder Condo in Breckenridge, CO
 - 4 people per 2 bedroom / 2 bath condos <u>www.mountainthundercondo.com</u>



- Roundtrip charter bus transportation: Denver to Breckenridge (includes one hour grocery stop)
- 5 of 7 day lift tickets (skiing/boarding) at: Breckenridge, Keystone, Arapahoe Basin ** with option for 2 days at Vail and/or Beaver Creek (6 day lift ticket available for additional \$28)
- · Welcome and midweek parties
- \$15 lunch vouchers for each day ski lift purchased at Vail owned restaurants.
- Day charter transfer between Breckenridge and Vail or Beaver Creek (additional charge applies, group pricing based on number of participants ~ \$45-60) Must inform trip leader prior to Tuesday Oct 7, 2014 if you need transfers, prior to final payment.
- Free transportation between Breckenridge/Keystone/A-basin http://www.co.summit.co.us

Trip Lead – Janet Dubas • (Cell) 216-334-6070 • (W) 216-643-8854 • (H) 216-741-3161 Email: <u>Breckenridge2015@lewisskiclub.org</u>	Trip Co-Lead – Tom Vannuyen • (Cell) 440-376-1503 • (W) 216-433-3851 Email: <u>Breckenridge2015@lewisskiclub.org</u>
Mail checks payable to "Lewis Ski Club Inc.": Janet Dubas 6800 Northcliff Ave Brooklyn, Ohio 44144 Question? <u>https://lewisskiclub.org/breckenridge2015</u>	Trip insurance available upon request Payment schedule: \$450 due now, non-refundable \$500 due Oct. 21, 2014 \$500 due Dec. 9, 2014 (Will need to include extra cost for day transfer to Vail or Beaver Creek (additional charge applies) and additional extra day lift tickets to Breckenridge \$28 (as applicable)

Membership in the Lewis Ski Club/Trip Application and Agreement are required and is available at: <u>www.lewisskiclub.org</u>

* Does not include baggage fees, any additional fuel surcharges, or airport fees, which may be imposed by the airline prior to departure. Lewis Ski Club also reserved the option to change to other airlines as fare drops **Arapahoe Basin is not Vail owned and will NOT provide \$15 lunch voucher