

LEWIS SKI CLUB NEWSLETTER

November, 2021

Prez Sez:

Greetings! The leaves are changing colors and the temperature is dropping. I know at least one ski resort out west has already opened. Soon the awesome white gold will be on many mountains, so get ready for another fun ski season. Our club trip to Winter Park is currently full, but if you are interested in getting on the waitlist, contact your trip leader.

Log onto the web site to renew your membership with Lewis Ski Club before November 15. Renew soon. https://lewisskiclub.org/join

This year, Nov 2, 2020 is a general Election Day. We want everyone to have the opportunity to do their civic duties. Therefore, the Executive Board has decided our Zoom ski club meeting will be held on Nov 9, 2021 at 6pm.

Start checking your gear to prepare for the ski season. Also, get working to get back in decent shape for skiing... ©

See you all then.

T. Vannuyen

"Zoom" November Meeting One Week Later (Election Day)

Our next general membership meeting will be on *Tuesday, November 9th*. This is one week later than usual, but the Board decided to avoid a conflict with those who will be voting in person on this election day. A Zoom meeting invitation will be sent to all members in advance of the 6:00 meeting, which will be preceded by an on-line social at 5:30.

December In-Person Meeting with White Elephant Gift



White Elephant Gift Exchange

The Executive Board voted to resume in-person meetings in December, as COVID-19 cases have decreased, and vaccinations have been available to all who choose to

receive them. We look forward to seeing many of you at the Donaushwaben German-American Culture Center at 7370 Columbia Road in Olmsted Falls. As we did prior to the pandemic, we encourage members to join a social time in the bard at 5:30pm prior to heading downstairs for the 6:00pm meeting and gift exchange. More details on the gift exchange will be included in next month's newsletter, but look around your home for an item (<u>not junk!</u>) that someone else might like and/or get a laugh from.

<u>FINAL REMINDER</u> – Renew Memberships by November 15th

For existing members, renewal memberships rates increase after November 15th, so be sure to renew by then! Please login to the website and renew online:

https://lewisskiclub.org/user/login

And please remember that children/dependents must be under 18 to be included in a family membership.

Sitzmark's Fall Issue Posted

The Fall issue of the CMSC on-line publication of the Sitzmark has been posted. Check it out to see our club article, what other clubs are up to, and the CMSC trips available, including a trip (non-skiing) to Machu Piccu in South America:

Fall Sitzmark Issue

Activity Reports

Bike-N-Hike B&O Trail and Kingwood Gardens - I am glad that so many showed up at the start of a very grim day in Mansfield.



The bike path was wide and had gentle, pastoral views both ways. Running up against the locals that were trick or treating along the bike trail was a happy surprise...



...as were the food trucks perfectly positioned when we felt suddenly hungry.



I regret very much that Kingwood was closed. We must revisit!

K. Lawrence

Upcoming Activities

Medina's Candlelight Walk — On Saturday, Nov. 20th, join us at 3:30pm to stroll the streets of historic downtown Medina during the annual Candlelight Walk, when the town's square will be lit up with Christmas lights and luminaries. We will be meeting at Cool Beans, located at 103 West Liberty Street (on the northwest side of the town square). Hopefully we can find each other if we stand near the front or in line as we wait to get a hot beverage. There's plenty of shops and stalls to visit and the evening also includes a nighttime Parade of Lights at 5:30pm, followed by fireworks over the Medina County Courthouse around 6:30. Afterwards, if anyone's hungry, we can try to find a place to eat.

You can find more information at Candlelight Walk

To help find parking, which might be challenging, there is a map at:

Medina Public Parking

Usually, the best areas to find parking are behind the Medina County Courthouse east of the square and a new parking structure near Medina City Hall and Municipal Court northwest of the square.

Please RSVP to <u>winterpark2022@lewisskiclub.org</u> at so we can look out for you or answer any questions.

A. Wood

Alpine Update



Early BlueBird Pricingon One-day Trips -Hello everyone! In case you haven't heard the big newsLewis Ski Club is offering our day trips

at a discounted rate of \$85 if purchased 30 days prior to the trip. Several members have already taken advantage of the savings. The regular price for day trips will be \$95 if purchased <u>after</u> 30 days prior to the trip. In looking at other options for day trips with other clubs and retail outlets that run day trips, our price and what we offer is a great deal. After an enjoyable day on the slopes at Holiday Valley ski resort we make a two hour stop in Ellicottville for dinner on your own before heading back to Cleveland. Remember to renew your membership before November 15th and while you're on the website, add that day trip to your cart!

Ski you soon...!

K. Hulick

Winter Park 2022! - While the Winter Park Trip is full, we're still looking for a few folks to join the wait list. To do so, please email the address found at lewisskiclub.org/trips to add your name. You need to also include your phone number so we can contact you to confirm.

For those already on the trip, the <u>Fourth payment</u> <u>of \$385 is due December 15th</u>. Please submit that using the website as soon as possible.

A. Wood

Nordic Update



Unfortunately, there is no way to predict the likelihood of an overnight trip. In September I

proposed a Martin Luther King Day trip for Monday and Tuesday night stay at Seneca Allegheny Casino using the Art Roscoe trails in Allegheny State Park. That time now conflicts with my other travel plans. We could try for President's Day. Another possibility is a Saturday day trip to Wilderness Lodge. At the least I will organize some local day events weather depending. One thing I've learned is flexibility is the key to Nordic Skiing. Watch for future newsletters and emails announcing events. Also, if anyone is willing to organize an event, your suggestions are always welcome . Think Snow \$\mathbf{\textit{\textit{e}}} !

J. Neumann

Race Team News!



The 2022 race schedule has been set. Thank you all for your patience as we confirmed these dates for the 2022 schedule.

2022 Race Schedule

January 8-9 Holiday Valley

January 15-16 Swain 1

January 29 - Kissing Bridge

January 30 - Holiday Valley

February 12 - Snow Trails

February 26 - 27 Swain 2 (SB Combined)

March 5 - 6 Bristol Combined

M. Hyatt

Winter Park

Sat, Feb. 12 - Sat, Feb. 19, 2022 Lewis Ski Club

Cost: \$1,550



Ski/Ride the Colorado Rockies with the Lewis Ski Club at Winter Park Resort!

The trip includes:

- Roundtrip flight from Cleveland to Denver
- Shuttle transportation from the airport to lodgings
- 5 days skiing/riding at Winter Park, an Ikon Resort
- 7 nights at Beaver Village, 4-per 2-bed, 2-bath condo
- Hot tubs, pool, and laundry located in clubhouse building
- Lodging near town of Winter Park 2 miles from resort (free shuttle available)
- Interested in an Ikon pass? Trip discount available at https://www.sportsamerica.com/ikon-lewis
- Lewis Ski Club Membership is required.

Pay online at: https://lewisskiclub.org/trip/2022-02-12/winter-park-2022

Payment schedule

- 1st payment \$450 due now, non-refundable
- 2nd payment \$280 due Sept. 15, 2021
- 3rd payment **\$435** due Oct. 29, 2021
- 4th payment \$385 due Dec. 15, 2021 (Add cost for extra day lift tickets)
- IKON pass holders or non-skiiers, omit 4th payment.

Questions? Contact trip leaders Allison Wood and Therese Telzrow at Winterpark2022@lewisskiclub.org

