



LEWIS SKI CLUB

NEWSLETTER

December, 2021

Prez Sez:

The weather is cold and we even got a few inches of snow last few weeks. Get your gear ready for another ski season!!

For the December 7th Club Meeting we are meeting ***IN PERSON*** at the Donauschwaben's German-American Cultural Center. People start to arrive around 5pm for a Happy Hour during the 5-6pm time frame. Business to commence at 6pm.

We are also doing our annual white elephant gift exchange. All you need to do is bring in a wrapped gift and join in on the fun.

Check our website for the latest trips and activities.

<https://lewisskiclub.org/>

The Friday Holiday Valley trips are online. Register for a day trip and save money by signing up 30 days prior. Hope to see you on a trip soon.

T. Vannuyen, President

Lewis Ski Club Bus Travel Policy

Participation in any group activities carries a risk of exposure to the COVID-19 illness. Members assume the risk of exposure while participating in club activities. The Lewis Ski Club has implemented the following COVID policy:

On the club bus trips to Holiday Valley, face masks are strongly recommended. As a courtesy to all other bus members, the club requests that if you are walking up and down the aisle to get drinks or food, or to use the restroom, please mask up until you are back at your seat.

The club also requests that any member who is experiencing symptoms of COVID-19, or similar illness, avoid attending the trip.

This policy was approved by the Executive Board on Nov 23, 2021

T. Vannuyen

In-Person Meetings Resume with White



Elephant Gift Exchange

The Executive Board voted to resume in-person meetings in December. We look forward to seeing many of you at the Donauschwaben 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 bar after 5:00pm prior to heading downstairs for the 6:00pm meeting and gift exchange.

To ensure the gift exchange is an enjoyable event for all participants, look around your home for an item (***not junk!***) you no longer want, but that someone else might like and/or get a laugh from. Bring it wrapped (do your best). After random numbers are drawn, participants, in numerical order, may select an unopened gift or “steal” a previously opened gift (gifts may only be “stolen” twice), after which the theft victim will select another unopened gift. Everyone will leave with something of their choosing!

Sitzmark's Fall Issue Posted *(repeat)*

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

Medina's Candlelight Walk – A group of us rang in the holiday season on Saturday, November 20th with a trip to beautiful downtown Medina for its annual Candlelight Walk.



We walked around the historic buildings of the square and watched a lights parade after the sunset.



Along with the Medina High band, there were horses wearing lights and even a lit-up cement

mixer or two. We then ate pizza and chicken at a nearby restaurant to wrap up the festivities.

A. Wood

Alpine Update



Early BlueBird Pricing on One-day Trips – Sign-ups have begun for our one-day trips. Please note these deadlines to get the discounted rate of

\$85 (30 days prior to the trip):

<u>Trip</u>	<u>Trip Date</u>	<u>Discount Deadline</u>
Holiday Valley 1	Jan 7	Dec 7
Holiday Valley 2	Jan 21	Dec 21
Holiday Valley 3	Feb 4	Jan 4
Holiday Valley 4	Feb 18	Jan 18
Holiday Valley 5	Mar 4	Feb 1

The regular price for day trips will be \$95 if purchased **after** the above deadlines. In looking at other options for one-day trips with other clubs, and retail outlets that run one-day trips, our price and what we offer is a **great deal**. As before, after an enjoyable day on the slopes we will make a two-hour stop in Ellicottville for dinner (on your own) before heading back to Cleveland.

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 **Fourth payment of \$385 is due December 15th**. Please submit that using the website as soon as possible.

- A. Wood

Nordic Update



Looking at the snow outside in recent days makes me realize that we are getting close to ski season. For the month of December I'm not scheduling anything ahead but watch for an email if it snows and conditions are right. In January, I will plan a local cross country ski outing on Martin Luther Ski Day, Monday, the 17th. I'll send out an email prior to that with details of time and place. We'll have to follow the snow. We may have some last minute outings as well. Please contact me at the Nordic VP address if you want to be on the "last minute list". You can find that on the Lewis Ski Club Website by clicking Club Information then Contact Information. If you want to organize an outing you can contact me at the same address. Hope to see you at our December meeting in person! Cheers,

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-skiers, omit 4th payment.

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

