



LEWIS SKI CLUB

NEWSLETTER

June, 2023



Prez Sez

Greetings all- Despite all the warm spell and rain, I thought we still had an excellent ski season. LSC had several joint Friday trips to Holiday Valley and a Tuesday trip to Holimont with Suburban Ski Club. Many resorts in

Colorado, Utah, and California continue to have snow which means they are open to late May, June, and maybe even July. Our 2024 weeklong trip leaders are working diligently to get us awesome trips out West. We are now looking at Beaver Creek, CO and Heavenly, CA. Check out the **FLYER AT THE END OF THIS NEWSLETTER!** For summer activities, our club is hosting events including hikes, Bike and Brew Tour, Camping, Guardians game, etc... Check our webpage and this newsletter for more details and sign up at: <https://lewisskiclub.org/>

Our June meeting on June 6 will be a live meeting with pizza and an ice cream social! Come join us at the Donauschwaben German-American Cultural Center, in Olmsted Falls. Also, save the date for our traditional Lewis Ski Club picnic which will be held at the Albion Woods picnic grounds in the MetroPark in Strongsville on Aug 1. Details and Flyers coming soon.

We always look forward to making the club fun and exciting. I thank all our trip leaders and volunteers for their time and effort in making this a great club. Please feel free to suggest new ideas and activities we all can enjoy.

T. Vannuyen, President

Membership Meetings

NO MEETING was held in MAY

June Ice Cream Social – For our next membership meeting, on Tuesday, June 6th, we will have an ice cream sundae bar with a selection of toppings. Pizza will also be served.



Message From the Alpine VP

There have been epic changes with group skiing as a result of the EPIC pass. There are many benefits to having a pass: Vail discounts, multiple options for which pass fits your needs, the pass can be loaded to a new app on your phone. One of the drawbacks of Vail resorts now is the expectation that club members purchase their lift tickets on their own. Clubs no longer can purchase a block of lift tickets. This means you will need to purchase a pass on your own to have lift tickets on our extended trips in 2024. There are multiple options available on the website. Ensure your purchase covers our destinations: Heavenly and Beaver Creek. Weigh the costs of buying a few days versus a local pass depending on your planned number of days on the slopes. It is an adjustment for us to think that our trip package will not include lift tickets. I know our trip leaders are almost ready to get things posted.

Please plan on joining us for the annual picnic August 1st.

K. Hulick, Alpine VP

Elections (In case you missed it! Here is a recap....)
The results returned most officers to their prior positions, while the Publicity Director and a Trustee swapped positions. Your officers for the next year are:



**Activity Vice President
T. Telzrow**



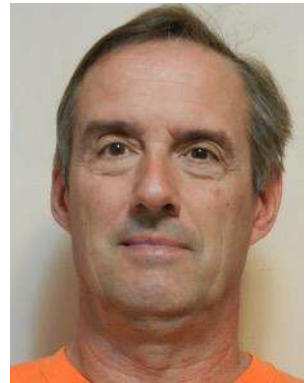
***NEW* Publicity Director
V. Lyons**



**President
T. Vannuyen**



**Nordic Vice President
D. Marcinko**



**Recorder
M. Dubas**



**Alpine Vice President
K. Hulick**



**Treasurer
J. Dubas**



***NEW* Trustee
M. Manthey**

Upcoming Activities

“Backyard” Campout

DATES: Friday-Sunday, Jun 9-11, 2023 – 3:00pm or before dark to set up

(Rain dates: June 16-18, 2023)

DESCRIPTION:

Bring your camping gear and have some fun with your ski buddies with an old-fashioned sleepover at 27313 Forsythia Dr. in Columbia Station. We will have an outdoor movie Friday night, play yard games and board games, swim, and have an “epic” campfire gourmet dinner on Saturday night. Bring a dish or ingredients to contribute for one or two meals and your favorite beverages. Refrigerator, gas grill, campfire, restrooms, electricity and lawn space are provided. Please RSVP number of attendees to the Activity VP.

Hiking –

Richfield Nature Preserve Hike

DATE:

Sat, Jun 10, 2023 - 2:30 pm

DESCRIPTION:

Hike the Richfield Heritage Preserve - Saturday June 10th at 2:30 pm. Located at 4374 Broadview Rd in Richfield Ohio this park has it all! Hiking trails, secret waterfalls, lakes etc. They even allow dogs on leash, so you can bring your dog. Feel free to RSVP to the Activity VP or just show up!

Bike Brew Tour

DATE:

Sat, Jun 24, 2023 - 3:15 pm

DESCRIPTION:

Please join Lewis Ski Club for the seventh annual Bike Brew tour on Saturday, June 24 @ 3:30pm. Meet at Cornerstone Brewery's back parking lot by 3:15 pm. Cornerstone Brewery is located at 58 Front Street. The entrance is off of Church Street. We will ride the Parkway as well as the Lake-to-Lake trail. We plan to stop at two establishments (most likely Brew Garden and Fat Heads) then we will ride the back to

Cornerstone Brewery where we will conclude with dinner and/or beer. Contact T Telzrow for more information. (SEE FLYER BELOW)

Goodtime III Harbor Happy Hour Cruise

DATE:

Fri, Jul 14, 2023 - 5:30 pm

DESCRIPTION:

The Best Friday Night Happy Hour in Cleveland! Get your summer weekends off to a great start with GOODTIME III's Harbor Happy Hour Cruise. The GOODTIME III boards at 5:45pm (DOORS TO THE SHIP CLOSE 10 MINUTES PRIOR TO DEPARTURE. BOARDING IS NOT PERMITTED WHILE SHIP IS BEING PREPARED TO DEPART – SAFETY IS OUR PRIORITY) and sails around the harbor from 6:30 pm to 8 pm with happy-hour drink specials, prize giveaways, and fun music to put anyone in a great mood to begin the weekend. The Happy Hour Cruise is a top attraction and has been a downtown Cleveland staple since 1984 and is always a huge hit. Grab your work friends, softball team, ski and golf buddies, or just a group of friends and get your weekend started right! There's no better way to start a night on the town than this exciting and memorable Friday night Harbor Happy Hour Cruise that you and your friends will want to take again and again. Weather is never a problem, as the Happy Hour Music Cruise sails rain or shine. *SPECIAL GUEST DJ FROM 107.7FM CARLY COUNTRY WILL BE ON BOARD! Adults 21+ (Proper ID required): \$30.00 Tickets can be bought on line via www.goodtimeiii.com or by phone at 216-861-5110. GOODTIME III IS A SMOKE-FREE / VAPE-FREE VESSEL.

Feel free to RSVP to T Telzrow, the Activity VP.

Annual Club Picnic –

On Tuesday, August 1st we have again reserved the Albion Woods picnic shelter (in the Strongsville MetroPark) for our largest gathering of the year – our annual club picnic. The Club subsidizes the cost of this event to keep the price low. Please mark this date and look for details in upcoming newsletters.



Guardians vs White Sox Game with Rock N Blast

DATE:

Fri, Aug 4, 2023 - 6:30 pm

SIGN UP ON THE SKI CLUB WEBSITE

DESCRIPTION:

Guardians vs White Sox Game

Where: Upper box between home & 1st base

Cost: \$25/ticket at group rate. Deadline for ticket purchase is July 1st. We were fortunate to get a super group discount. The seats are in Section 546, which are upper box seats. The Guardians will be playing the Chicago White Sox. This game features the post-game "RocknBlast" fireworks and \$1 hot dogs (it's "dollar dog" nite). This game should be well attended so we got a real bargain.

This event is posted on our website - use Pay Pal for payment. We must sell a minimum of 20 tickets. Anyone can purchase up to 4 tickets each. For more information, contact the event coordinator, S Maurer at guardians-2023@lewisskiclub.org

Camping & Boating Weekend -

DATE: Fri, Aug 4, 2023 - 3:15 pm

DESCRIPTION:

Camping and Boating Weekend 2023 Date: Friday evening, Aug 4 thru Sunday, Aug 6 Check in at 3 pm Friday; Checkout at 1 pm Sunday Come join us at West Branch State Park for a camping weekend. We hope to repeat the good weather, good food and great company from the last 5 years. We have reserved 4 campsites, and plan to make use of West Branch Reservoir and the hiking trails. Location: West Branch State Park is east of Ravenna, at 5570 Esworthy Rd. It has camping, hiking trails, disk golf, fishing and a marina. One of the boat launches is close to the campground. Bring your own camping gear and cooking gear, beverages and food. The \$35 fee per person will pay for the campsites for the weekend. If more than the break-even number of participants sign up, firewood and Friday night subs will be provided by the club—as funds allow. There will be at least two single kayaks, and a tandem kayak to share. Campsites allow up to 3 tents, or 2 tents and a camper, and 2 cars per site. For more information contact the Activity VP. Reservations can be made at the lewisskiclub.org website. Reservations by July 6 are strongly suggested, as we will release unclaimed sites the next day.

(SEE FLYER BELOW)

LEWIS SKI CLUB'S SEVENTEENTH ANNUAL

BIKE/BREW TOUR

Join us on Saturday, June 24th at 3:30 PM at Cornerstone Brewery
In Berea

Continue the tradition by participating in the
seventeenth annual ride!



Cornerstone Brewery is located at 58 Front Street. Meet at in the parking lot AROUND 3:15 PM. The entrance is off Church Street.

We will ride the Parkway as well as the Lake to Lake trail. We plan to stop at two establishments (most likely Brew Garden and Fat Heads) then we will ride the back to Cornerstone Brewery where we will conclude with dinner and/or beer.

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Image:freepik.com
Mountains are not included

Lewis Ski Club Membership is required. Please see the Membership Page for more information.

Here's What You Have All Been Waiting For!!! 2024 Ski Season Trip Plans!

We have teamed up to bring you two Epic trips!!

Get ready for the Colorado sunshine as Lewis Ski Club presents BEAVER CREEK 2024!!

Join Shari and Sarah, **January 27th - February 3rd** for a luxurious week of skiing at Beaver Creek Resort.

Not typically known for its "budget friendly" prices, this trip is certainly a steal! We'll enjoy ski in/ski out lodging at Borders Condos where you can start your day off right by skiing down to the Elk Horn Lift. If you prefer to approach the mountain from the base area, then gear up and hop on an escalator to be delivered directly to the slopes. Rumor has it that the Beaver Creek staff is so accommodating you can even ask them for a tissue. Talk about service!

From the long, winding, sun-soaked cruisers, to the perfect bumps of Birds of Prey, to the hidden backcountry-esque steeps of Stone Creek Chutes, Beaver Creek serves up terrain (and chocolate chip cookies) for any level of skier. For real though- free chocolate chip cookies every afternoon! Are your bags packed yet?

Wanna ski a couple days at Vail? Go for it! Your Epic lift ticket + a quick 20-minute bus ride + \$7 fee for the local shuttle will get you right down the road to Vail.

Specializing in uncommon comforts both small and large, Beaver Creek is not exactly roughing it! So, save the date for this sure to be bougee trip, for a not so bougee (ie very affordable) price!

Take a 4-week break then meet us back at the airport to travel to HEAVENLY on the shores of Lake Tahoe!

Join Allison **March 2nd - March 9th** and spend your days taking in the glorious views of Lake Tahoe and the surrounding valleys.

Heavenly is situated on the California-Nevada border and our condo-style lodging is only a short walk from the main resort gondola, restaurants, several casinos, supermarket, and stores. If you've ever wanted to play blackjack while still in ski boots, this is your opportunity! And, if you want to ski in two states on the same day (or hour), Heavenly Resort is the place!

Lift tickets for both trips will be individually selected from the vast menu of Epic pass options. Wherever Epic takes you next season, you can truly choose your own adventure!

More information coming soon! Stay tuned.