



# LEWIS SKI CLUB

June, 2024



## Message from the President

Getting involved on the executive board of the Lewis Ski Club (LSC) offers you an opportunity to inform others about LSC. When I tell others that I am the president of a Cleveland Ski club, they are a bit

surprised and then tell me I will do well at it. A little outside encouragement goes a long way! In the 90's I volunteered with Fagowees ski club as trustee, head trustee & Publicity Chair updating the Fagowee Funline. I also assisted w/ Three Trackers Ski Club; I was a Volunteer Fanatic! Don't delay and consider serving on a committee or volunteer to help with Ski Club events or run a ski trip or outing/activity today! We on the Board are here to help you with your new position too. The same can be said



for all our wonderful & hard-working trip leaders. I appreciate the advice & guidance & support from all the members of our Executive Board & most important: our LSC club members !!

Denice M.  
President



## Message From the Alpine VP

Hey Friends!

LSC is planning for combined day trips with

Suburban Ski Club. With the two clubs extended trips, it is difficult to determine the exact dates. I do know definitively that Lewis Ski Club will be running the first day trip to Holiday Valley on Friday, January 17, 2025. As to the second trip it will be in February, date to be announced as soon as possible.

As you've seen from previous emails and Facebook post, I am planning a return trip to Mount Snow via Amtrak. We will be skiing 5 days! For those of you who hate to fly but love to ski, consider joining us as we ski the east again.

Allison is also hard at work planning for her weeklong trip and I will leave it to her to make the announcement.

The Executive Board is hard at work planning for the August picnic. Again, it will be a grill your own steak, chicken or beyond burger. I do believe we are returning to the half chicken pre-baked format. I have reached out to our favorite vendors for our door prizes and look forward to seeing all of you. We of course are asking for members to bring either a side dish or an appetizer. Sign-ups will be posted soon. And we don't have any inflation going on here. Steak will remain \$12 and the chicken and beyond burger is \$10. Please make plans to join us on Tuesday August 6th!

Kim H.  
Alpine VP

**Next meeting at Donauschwaben,  
7370 Columbia Rd, Olmsted Falls  
Tuesday, June 4 – Ice Cream Social**

## Message from Your Activity VP, Therese



### Upcoming Activities:

We had a very nice evening at our monthly wine tasting at LaFamiglia on May 18th and besides enjoying the wine we also contemplated both scheduled and unscheduled activities. Here are a few of them. Hope you can join us!

**Slow Roll?** Join Sandy and I and about a hundred other cyclists on **Monday June 3rd** as we take a leisurely bicycle ride from Edgewater exploring the area. Slow Ride starts at 7pm from Edgewater Park, but meet up with us just outside the boathouse at 6:30 to make sure we are ready to go. Check out the Slow Roll or BikeCleveland Facebook page for these recurring rides which vary as to location each time.

**Parma Rib N Rock event on Friday June 7th.** Tom Petty cover band from 4-7 pm, and then the Michael Stanley tribute band "In the Heartland" plays from 8-11 pm. Since I am a big Tom Petty fan I'll be there with some friends so join us! This event is at Cuyahoga Community College 11000 W Pleasant Valley Rd in Parma 44130. It runs from Thursday June 6th through Sunday June 9th. 2 for 1 tickets can be bought on line at [parmaareachamber.org](https://parmaareachamber.org).

**Sunday In June Bicycle Ride, Sunday, June 9, 2024 - 7:00 am**

**Description:** This organized bike ride starts at Century Village, 14653 East Park Street, Burton Ohio 44021 with an early morning start. Register online at <https://sundayinJune.com>. Early bird discounts apply. Activities VP Therese T.

signed up for the 25-mile ride but there are longer distances too. There are hills on this ride so make sure that you prepare your bike and do some training. Be sure to have water available throughout the ride and sunscreen, of course. While this ride may be somewhat challenging the good thing is that the scenery, the food, the people and the camaraderie are great!

We also talked about our next Monthly Wine Tasting which will be at **Paper Moon Winery in Vermilion on Saturday June 15th at 7 pm.** We considered going there after our March hike, but it was a bit too early in the season. Now that it's warmed up, this will be a great place to enjoy the outdoors, wine, beers, food and music. No outside food allowed but they have their own menu and a featured food truck.

The **Cleveland MetroParks Summer Concert Series** kicks off June 12 through August 17th at various parks around town. See the attached for more details. There is also the Berea Coe Lake Concert series too.

[Summer Concert Series  
clevelandmetroparks.com](https://clevelandmetroparks.com)

**Middle Bass Island Music Festival, Saturday, July 13, 2024 - 12:00 pm**

**Description:** Join us for the day to enjoy the multiple bands, food trucks etc. Therese T has a campsite reserved on Middle Bass from Friday July 12 and check out on Sunday July 14. Reach out to the Activities Director, Therese T. if you are interested in camping or if you just want to come for the day to enjoy the festival. Details about the festival and how to get there are found online at: <https://lakeerieislandsconservancy.org/music-festival/>

**Water Sports Camping Weekend - Friday August 16 - Sunday August 18**

– Join us for another fun kayaking/camping weekend with a fabulous campfire banquet on Saturday night. Tell your stories (skiing and other) around the campfire and enjoy some great company! Sign up early since we have a limited number of reserved campsites and let Cathe R. know if you want to arrive a day early (on Thursday) or stay

a day late (on the following Monday). See flyer later in this Newsletter.

**Guardian's Baseball Game (Rock-N-Blast) – Friday, August 23, 2024 – 7 pm**

**PRICE:** \$34.00 – Register and pay on our LSC website

**DESCRIPTION:** Guardian Baseball Game (Rock-N-Blast) - Repeating a fun event from last year, we will have great upper deck seating behind home plate and 1st base. We have reserved 36 seats at \$34 each (12 committed so far). Enjoy the game, the fireworks, and dollar dog night with your fellow ski club members and Cleveland Guardians fans for an entertaining night out. This event is being coordinated by S Maurer.

**Cleveland Fundo Bike Ride – Saturday, August 24, 2024**

Bike Cleveland fundraiser bike ride from Edgewater Park. There are several “early bird” price breakpoints so be sure to **register early at BikeCleveland.org. The 10th Anniversary Bike Cleveland Fundo** p/b Knabe Law Firm returns for riders on Saturday, August 24th! This annual ride promises a day filled with excitement and breathtaking scenery as you pedal the open roads and trails of Cleveland and surrounding communities. The Fundo is built to be a ride for all ages and abilities through the best of Cleveland's expanding bike network. With clearly signed courses of 10, 30 and 60 miles, the Fundo has something for every cyclist, and lets you explore the city – **and beyond** – by bike! Our Activities VP, Therese has signed up for the 30-mile ride, but she may just do the 10-mile ride if she decides she hasn't trained enough or if the weather is too hot. So, come join her! Best of all – the proceeds from this ride benefit Bike Cleveland and for the benefit of all Cleveland-area cyclists! Join us for a day of adventure, camaraderie, and unforgettable memories at the Bike Cleveland Fundo!

**Even More Fun on the Way!**

Look for updates for when we set the date for

the Bike N Brew, and the Cuyahoga Valley Night bicycle ride with Eddie's Bike Shop in Peninsula (used to be Century Cycles) and an impromptu kayak trip too. We'll also add some early to late fall events.

**Your VP of Activities, Therese**

**Upcoming Ski Trip!**

Allison will be running a trip in late January, 2025 to beautiful Copper Mountain, CO! One change this year will be that our trip will go from Sunday-Saturday. Look for more information soon!

## Camping and Boating Weekend—2024

**Date:** Friday evening, Aug 16 thru Sunday, Aug 18  
**Check in at 3 pm Friday; Checkout at 1 pm Sunday**

Come join us at West Branch State Park for a camping weekend. The campsites we reserved are in the shade; no tents baking in the sun! We hope to repeat the , good food and great company from the last 6 years. We've reserved 5 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 **\$33 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](http://lewisskiclub.org) website.

Reservations by July 15 are strongly suggested, as we will release unclaimed sites the next day.



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Mountains are not included

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

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