



# LEWIS SKI CLUB

# NEWSLETTER

November 2024

## Limited Time Offer – Dues Reduced!

For a limited time, we have reduced our membership dues to our original cost of \$10 for a single membership and \$15 for a family membership. These fees help maintain the club. Over the years our membership has dropped as the ease of winter travel has increased. Epic and Ikon passes have taken away our ability to offer group lift tickets which attracted many people to the club. We are hoping that by reducing the membership cost, you will renew or join us for the first time even if there is no immediate trip that you plan to attend. We, like all groups, need revenue to rent rooms, provide refreshments, make deposits for upcoming events and more. Please consider taking advantage of this offer to assist the club and add your name to our 2025 Membership roll today.

<https://lewisskiclub.org/join>

## Lewis Ski Club in the News:

<https://www.cleveland.com/community/2024/10/nasas-glenn-research-center-ski-club-boasts-thrill-seekers-of-a-different-kind.html>

**Next meeting(s) at the German Club  
in Olmsted Township**

**Tuesday, November 12 (a week later  
than usual – due to Election Day)**

**Tuesday, December 3**

**Reminder – coming soon – White  
Elephant Gift Exchange & Meeting**

**at Donauschwaben – 5-6pm Happy  
Hour in upstairs bar, 6pm meeting  
downstairs**



## **Message From the Alpine VP**

Are you ready for winter? I know so many who

have already booked their trips, checked their equipment, and are anxiously awaiting the arrival of snow. But not all of us are quite so prepared. Don't worry, we have our friend Dan From Village Ski and Snowboard joining us at our November 12th general meeting to share what's new for 2025. Please plan to join us. We have two day-trips planned to Holiday Valley with a dinner stop in Ellicottville on Friday January 17th and February 14th for the low price of \$123. Price includes lift ticket, bus transportation, morning snacks and hydration, along with driver gratuity. We are ride sharing with the Suburban Ski Club again so seats will be limited to 25. Please take advantage of our temporary price reduction with our annual membership fees. Our two extended trips for 2025 have had challenges in meeting expected participation but we have crossed that hurdle. There are still spots

available for both Copper Mountain, Co and Mount Snow, Vt. The skiing and riding at Copper Mountain resort offers naturally divided terrain. The west side of the mountain offers long easy green runs great for beginners and children. As you move east toward the Center and East Village, the difficulty in terrain increases. Mount Snow opened in 1954 as one of the first resorts on the East Coast. The elevation is 3600' on the summit with 601 acres of skiable terrain with an average snowfall of 150". Mount Snow has 19 lifts and 8 Terrain parks. We're taking the train east and flying west. There's still room on both of these adventures if you would like to join us. See the flyers in this newsletter and sign up on the website.

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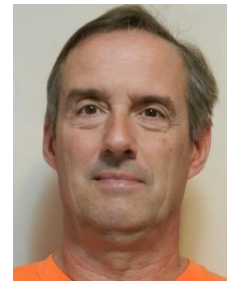
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## Message from Your Activity VP, T. Telzrow

We have some fun Fall activities for you as we start to prepare for the holidays and the Ski Season!

**La Famiglia Winery, Ski Club Social, November 2<sup>nd</sup>** – 7pm-9pm. Try a wine tasting (\$1/taste) or a flight or bottle of your choice to share with your Ski Club friends at this cozy venue in nearby Columbia Station. Delicious wine! Fun conversations! **NOTE: Special event at the winery – wood-fired pizza truck will be selling pizza onsite – so they are asking for us to buy some pizza and leave our snacks at home this time.** We have a reservation for 6, but can add more. Contact Therese to let her know you'll be there so we can reserve enough seats. For more info and directions: <https://lafamiglia.wine/> located at 26095 Nichols Rd., Columbia Station, OH 44028 (located in the basement of the main house – see entrance door near parking area).

**PICKLEBALL SOCIAL**  
OCTOBER 12 & NOVEMBER 16  
6:00 PM - 10:00 PM  
BEREA REC, 451 FRONT ST.

GREAT RAFFLES TOO!

CHILI & DRINKS PROVIDED  
PLS. BRING A SIDE DISH

REGISTER EARLY - SPACE IS LIMITED

**\$25 PER PERSON**

<https://tinyurl.com/BereaSocial>

MORE INFORMATION  
FACEBOOK: BEREAPICKLEBALLASSOCIATION  
WWW.BEREAPICKLEBALLASSOCIATION.COM  
TEAMREACH APP (GROUP CODE 44017)  
PROCEEDS WILL BE USED TO BUILD OUTSIDE COURTS

**Pickleball Social on Saturday, November 16<sup>th</sup>** - 6pm -10 pm at the Berea Rec Center, 451 Front St. Berea, OH 44017. Great raffles including a 90 lesson for 4 people with a certified instructor.

Register here: <https://tinyurl.com/BereaSocial>

**Check the MetroParks schedule for some amazing events this Fall:**

<https://www.clevelandmetroparks.com/>

If you want some Ski Club friends to join you at a MetroPark outing, let Therese know you are going (give her as much time as you can to get the word out) and she can announce an outing so others can join you!

**Another source of fun activity ideas can be found in this chart (download below):**

**Download a checklist of the "[100 Things To Do this Fall in Ohio](#)"**

## Recent Ski Club Outings



President Denice led a Fall outing to **Quarry Hill Orchard and Winery on Oct. 12**. Beautiful season for apple picking and cider/wine drinking! Holiday gift baskets from Quarry Hill are available online starting Nov.2 and they will host a Merry Merry Market Barn from 10am-3pm Saturday, Dec. 14 if you would like to check it all out in case you missed this Oct. 12 event.

Check out the website at: [www.quarryhillorchards.com](http://www.quarryhillorchards.com)

## Octoberfest at Donauschwaben Saturday October 19



We had a decent showing of members for this event. We filled two tables and switched seats in order to connect with everyone. Food was great but the company was better! Janet, Sandy and Matt performed in the Donauschwabische Blaskapelle one of several groups that provided entertainment.



**Bike N Train Ride held Sunday Oct 27** - We were warned about speed traps but not that Riverview Road was closed just past Boston Mills. My plans to enjoy a scenic ride while driving past Boston Mills Ski resort to get me in the skiing mood was not the best choice especially to get there in time. The extra 15 minute of detours and then trying but failing to park on the street due its difficult parking application caused us to get a late start. However, we easily made it to the Botzam station by 12:48 to catch the 1 o'clock train. We had extra time even after stopping at Szalay's market to check out all their goodies; drooling over the roasted corn, bakery, apple fritters and cider. It was definitely a Fall and Halloween vibe with Pumpkin displays, a real corn maze, and haunted banjo band.





At the Botzam station an assembly of conductors in their uniforms and caps graciously took our picture with the man in charge.



We were instructed to keep our bikes closer to the tracks so they'd be visible from the train and to exuberantly wave down the train. The train ride was a nice break from biking and it was fun to wave to all the people on the trails.

From Peninsula, we then rode north enjoying the scenery and a bit more exercise, but turned back at Boston Station. Once back in Peninsula, we chose Fishers which always satisfies! It was a perfect day to be outside on the patio with the fall weather drinking in the sunshine - and a very tasty beer!



## **Ski Season Coming Soon!**

### **Copper Mountain Update -- New lower price!**

We are looking for a few more folks to join us on our trip to Copper Mountain, CO from Sunday, January 26 to Saturday, February 1, 2025.

The trip costs \$1,950 and includes lodging (hotel rooms), 5-day lift ticket, and nonstop round-trip flights to Denver on Southwest Airlines.

More information can be found at <https://lewisskiclub.org/trip/2025-01-26/copper-mountain-2025> Please register and submit a \$675 deposit online; the trip leader will provide future details on payment.

**Tripgoers:** Please submit your final payment by check ASAP to the address previously sent to you. For most, the final check will be for \$628.00, if you already submitted a second payment. If this is your first payment, the final check will be \$1,275. If you're unsure on the exact amount, please ask Allison.

We also need your identification information for Southwest Airlines, which includes the name on your government ID you plan to use, date of birth and any other numbers such as Precheck or TSA identification numbers.

Please email trip coordinator Allison W. at [copper2025@lewisskiclub.org](mailto:copper2025@lewisskiclub.org) if you have any questions or concerns.



# **MARCH 2-7, 2025**

# **MOUNT SNOW, VT**

# **GRAND SUMMIT**

## **Ski the East with Lewis Ski Club**

We're taking the train east across NY to Albany where a chartered motor coach will drive us 70 miles through the beauty of southern Vermont to the Grand Summit, a true ski in ski out Epic destination. Two Lodging options available, five days of skiing, Welcome Banquet & Bar, \$75 in Food & Beverage Vail Vouchers, free local transportation and a charming lodge with large outdoor hot tubs and heated pool and so much more.

**EPIC PASS  
DESTINATION**

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**\$1160-\$1230**  
**Excludes Amtrak &  
Epic Pass**

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**BOOK YOUR OWN  
AMTRAK**

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**Convenient Payment  
Plan**

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**Membership  
Required**

**LEWIS SKI CLUB**

Cleveland, Ohio

<https://lewisskiclub.org>



**Lewis  
Ski  
Club  
is  
going  
BIG!**

**Join us on an Ikonic  
adventure to Big Sky,  
Montana  
March 21-28, 2026**

SKI IN AND SKI OUT AT THE HUNTLEY LODGE  
\$2300 + LIFT TICKETS  
INCLUDES WELCOME RECEPTION AND GROUP DINNER  
OPTIONAL SIDE TRIP TO YELLOWSTONE!  
28 SPOTS WILL OPEN FOR REGISTRATION ON 4/1/25.