



LEWIS SKI CLUB

NEWSLETTER

September 2024



Message From the President

Denice speaks!

Hello all LSC club members!
I hope everyone has enjoyed their summer time events and summer will be officially over on September 20th, first day of fall & the Edwards Golf Open (I'm trying to get in on a team that needs a fourth!).
My highlight of the summer was the LSC annual summer camp out and I believe it's their 3rd year at West Branch State Park. What a weekend! We enjoyed everyone's company, talking & talking, eating & drinking, fishing (stunk this year, seaweed everywhere!), boating on the pontoon (thanks Val!! You are the Captain!) and the very best...my first time kayaking with my camp kayak buddies! There was such great camaraderie, setting up food, cleaning up, people helping others with taking down tents on Monday morning, etc.
I experienced better team work that weekend than at my current job and that says a lot about our members as a whole, such as how LSC

members, trip leaders and everyone else just pitch in. I love teamwork!
Oh, and I also met a new member Laura (2 years in) who also joined us and was a great help too!! I can't wait until next year, hopefully no stormy night (Saturday flood & mud, lol!) Stay tuned for some late summer stuff going into fall with a possible hike at Blue Heron hiking trail in Medina and discovering new wineries (I'm looking into these) before we all head back to La Famiglia (great family) Winery in Columbia Township during the colder weather.

If anyone has any suggestions for events please make sure you let Therese Telzrow know, our Activity VP!!

Take care members, stay safe & have fun!!
Denice,
LSC Prez

**Next meeting at the German Club in
Olmsted Township**

**Tuesday, September 3 at
Donauschwaben – 5-6pm Happy Hour in
upstairs bar, 6pm meeting downstairs**



Message From the Alpine VP

Greetings,

The cooler weather today is getting me excited knowing that ski season is right around the bend! Lewis Ski Club is returning to Mount Snow March 2-7, 2025. As you may know, I plan this trip without the use of an agent so I am giving you the best price possible. The Northeast District Vail staff also recognizes that we've been there before and have sweetened the deal for us. I have made a few changes in the format, you are responsible for purchasing your Amtrak tickets. When purchased as a group, only coach seats were available and some may prefer a roomette or sleeping room for the overnight ride home. Epic passes or day passes are also not part of the package. If you haven't made a purchase yet, prices increase 9/2/24. If not going west, consider the Northeast Weekday Value pass with age options available. It includes Ohio and Pa resorts this coming season.

Now that I've said what's not included, here's what is: Arriving on Sunday we will stay 5 nights at the Grand Summit with either a hotel style room or studio which includes a small kitchen area, all resort amenities, Welcome Banquet & Bar (good food!), \$75 in Food & Beverage Vail Vouchers, chartered motorcoach to and from Albany

Rensselaer Amtrak station to the Grand Summit, easiest access to the slopes, free ski check, large outdoor heated pool and hot tubs overlooking the slopes, quaint village a few miles down the road accessible by the Moover, a free transportation system. I have arranged for someone to share their knowledge of Mount Snow during the banquet and arranged for a few locals to give mountain tours on Monday.

It should also be noted that parking at the Cleveland Amtrak station is FREE and secured during the day, two bags free, free carry-ons, no TSA. Cafe car on the train. It's a fun way to travel. If you have any altitude issues, this is the trip for you.

See flyer later in this Newsletter!

Thanks so much for sharing my trip!

Kim Hulick
Alpine VP
Lewis Ski Club

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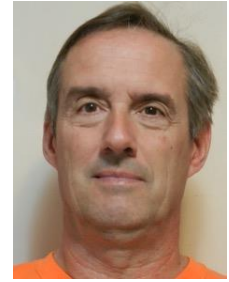
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Message from Your Activity VP, T. Telzrow

We've been busy enjoying summer with the Rib N Rock, Slow Roll bike ride, and monthly wine tasting and that was just for the month of June! In May we did our wine tasting at LaFamiglia and hiked Kendall Lake. We had a great (but a bit rainy) camping weekend and attended a Guardians game in August.

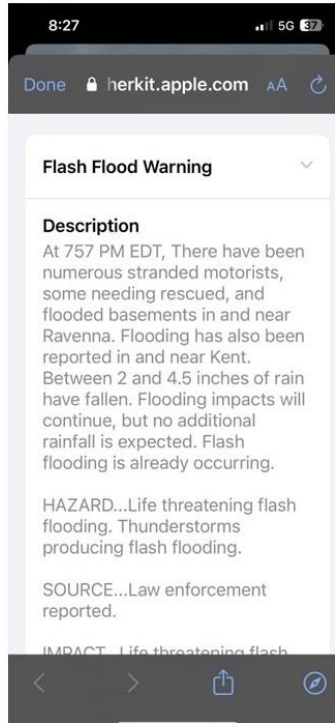
That's it for now but I would like to do the night ride from Peninsula with Eddie's Bike shop which is at the former Century cycle and they have continued this tradition, and there may be an impromptu kayak adventure as the weather permits. Watch the distribution emails for updates and feel free to contact me at the VP of Activities email address listed on our website.

News from Recent Activities:

Camping/Kayaking/Boating Weekend –

We camped the weekend of Aug 16 thru 18 at West Branch State Park, near Ravenna. Our 7th Annual Camping Weekend was another in a yearly series of getting out on the water, sharing great meals with a wide variety of yummy food, campfires, and this year's feature is "the flood". On Saturday evening, we had a downpour of 2.5 to 4 inches of rain in an hour, sufficient to cause some motorists in the area to call for water rescues. That downpour became our single focus - actually, we continued to eat our supper, while scrunching into an ever-shrinking dry space. We had one flooded tent, and a lot of mud pits to skirt for the rest of the weekend. The sky cleared, and by 9'ish, we were at the edge of the lake staring at a nearly-full moon rising. The moon may be ancient, but staring at it never gets old. This year, our boating included the use of a pontoon boat rented by Valerie, as well as paddling with our set of kayaks. Somewhere on Facebook is a photo of 4 of us getting some swag from the park rangers for wearing our life jackets while using the kayaks.





Rainy, but tasty pot-luck supper, great buffet breakfast, beautiful moon-lit lake only a minute walk from the campsites!





New this year – pontoon boat rental and fishing!

LSC Guardians Game Outing in August –





Ski Season Coming Soon!

Announcing Copper Mountain 2025

Ski Sunday-Friday!

All-inclusive price of \$2,050.00 which includes lodging, air, and 5-day lift pass.

Dates: Sunday, Jan. 26 to Saturday, Feb. 1, 2025

Includes:

- Round-trip direct flight on Southwest from Cleveland to Denver (includes 2 free bags)
- Ground transportation to lodgings, grocery stop included
- Six nights at Cambria Hotel Copper Mountain (2-person rooms) just outside resort's Center Village, short walk to main ski lift.
- Five-day lift ticket, four-day pass also available (resort is also on Ikon Base Pass)
- Midweek dinner at local restaurant
- Buying an Ikon Pass from trip vendor includes a \$50 lodging discount.

Talk to trip leader Allison W. at the next meeting, sign up online.

More information can be found at <https://lewisclub.org/trip/2025-01-26/copper-mountain-2025>



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[Sign up online at lewisskiclub.org](http://lewisskiclub.org)

Payment schedule

Due now: \$675 non-refundable deposit

Before Aug. 15: \$647

Before Oct. 1: \$388 (5-day lift, \$333 for 4-day lift, omit if you have Ikon pass)

Before Nov. 15: \$340 (omit if not flying with club)

Questions? Contact trip leader Allison Wood at copper2025@lewisskiclub.org