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President's Message



*Let me remember you, voices of little insects,
Weeds in the moonlight,
fields that are tangled with asters,
Let me remember, soon will the winter be on us,
Snow-hushed and heavy.*

September Midnight - Sara Teasdale

Oh, we can only hope! Welcome to a whole new year of fun, adventure, and fellowship with your Lebanon Ski & Sport Club! The entire board of directors is pleased to announce our picnic meeting on Tuesday September 13th with a meal on the club – details are within. Don't forget to bring your favorite dessert to share.

What a fun summer was had, from go kart racing, to wining, dancing, bicycling, gambling, and hiking. Thanks to members for leading these awesome activities. Fall kicks off with some very cool adventures in the next couple of months – more bicycling, hiking and our semi-annual trip to Atlantic City. Join us!

Please be prepared with down payments to one or all four of our planned ski trips for 2016/2017. Trip leaders have all the details and are ready to answer all of your questions at the September picnic meeting.

Get ready for another stellar year!

Jane

Meetings of the Lebanon Ski & Sport Club are held at 7:30 p.m. on the SECOND TUESDAY of the Month - September through April at Heisey's Diner
Route 72 North, Lebanon, PA 17042

New Members are always welcome!

Tuesday, September 13, 2016
Special start time
Picnic starts 5:30 p.m.
Main meal supplied by
Lebanon Ski Club
Meeting starts at 7:00 p.m.

Picnic on the Patio -@ Heisey's
Tuesday, September 13th
Join the Start of Fall and Winter Activities.
Sign up for Trips, Come out for Fun and Food!

Shine (on Deck) or Rain (Inside)
Picnic Start time is 5:30 PM & Meeting is at 7:00 PM

Appetizers and Main meal supplied by Lebanon Ski Club.

Including: hamburgers, sausages, chicken breasts,
green salad, baked beans, pasta salad, chips and pretzels.

Members can bring endings (dessert) for the meal.

Members will need to purchase their own alcoholic beverages, and there will be a special
Ski Club beverage available

2017 Trips at a Glance

Elk Mt / Greek Peak / Montage
January 6,7,8

Okemo, Vermont
January 18-20

Sunday River, Maine
February 5-10

Steamboat, Colorado
February 25 - March 4

Must be a MEMBER OF LEBANON SKI CLUB to participate in overnight trips

TEE SHIRTS



The Club is [selling T-Shirts](#) for the 2016/2017 season.

Ordering is open and we will submit to the vendor once we have an order for 24 shirts.

Here are the details:

SHORT SLEEVE T-SHIRT, \$8

LONG SLEEVE T-SHIRT, \$10

ADD JERSEY MOISTURE-WICKING OPTION ADD \$3

You can choose: Small logo on front left chest, Large logo on back, or Logos on both front and back!

~A variety of Colors [\(See Shirt Specs\)](#) ~Sizes, Both Youth and Adult, [\(See Shirt Specs\)](#)

[~Download and print an order form](#) and Shirt Specs and send with payment made to Lebanon Ski Club to: Jane Miller, 259 S 21st St Lebanon PA 17042. Questions? 717-507-0186 or president@lebanonskiclub.com ~OR Order at the club picnic/meeting.

~ORDER FORM click on to open :<http://lebanonskiclub.com/wp-content/uploads/2016/08/2016-Tee-Shirt-Order.pdf>

COLOR & SIZE GUIDE click on to open

<http://lebanonskiclub.com/wp-content/uploads/2016/08/Shirt-Specs.pdf>

Bicycling in Mt Gretna. Sunday September 25, 1 pm to 4 pm.

RENT A FAT BIKE or bring your mountain bike. Meet at the Mt Gretna playground, just west of the Jigger Shop. You can park in the main lot at the playhouse.

We tried out the fat bikes several weeks ago and they are AWESOME!

We will be riding down the rail trail and then back the game lands to experience some of the area's most scenic and well-worn trails. Very stable and easy to ride. Bring a helmet and gloves. The club will send one payment to rent the bikes to make it easy on the day of the ride.

Dinner after our ride, of course!

If you wish to rent a FAT BIKE, don't delay! No cost if you BYOBicycle.

Please email me for the rental form and send a check made to: Lebanon Ski Club for \$26 to Jane Miller
259 S 21st St Lebanon PA 17042

Questions, please call 717-507-0186 or miller2302@verizon.net

~~ JACKPOT CASINO TRIP ~~



TO:

ATLANTIC CITY, NEW JERSEY

SUNDAY, October 9th, 2016

PRICE - \$36.00
SLOT PLAY-\$25.00



LOTS OF FOOD AND FUN ON THE BUS

Includes: Sack lunch, drinks, desserts and snacks

Games, Door Prizes and plenty of **Fun!!**

DESTINATION: RESORT CASINO

Bus will depart from the Lebanon K-Mart (Route 72) at 7:30 AM

Returns home approximately 7:30 PM

Trip fills up fast. Reserve your seat today

CONTACT: Gordon Shutter
273-4346

For more information
!!!Or to reserve your seat!!!



Lebanon Ski and Sport Club will team up with LVBC (Leb. Valley Bicycle Coalition)

It is highly recommended to bring a helmet

Saturday October 22nd

Take a ride thru the Gettysburg Battle Field
Will meet in front of the Visitors Center @ 9:00 AM
After the ride will stop in the area to dine together.
The address is 1195 Baltimore Pike (Rt. 97)

Thanks,
Ron Birch 717-273-7971
rjbirch@verizon.net

SAVE THE DATE! HIKING – SUNDAY OCTOBER 23, 2016 @ 1 pm **Boyd Big Tree Preserve – Fishing Creek Valley (Rte 443)**

From US 322 , take the Fishing Creek Exit. Turn east onto Fishing Creek Valley Road (SR 443). The conservation area is 2.6 miles on the right.



From Indiantown Gap/Memorial Lake – Follow Route 443 West to the Conservation area.
GPS DD: Lat. 40.35907 Long. -76.86732

Hiking: 12 miles of trails! - The Boyd Big Tree Preserve Conservation Area boasts an extensive trail system, which will please almost any level of hiking enthusiast.

Pond Loop Trail: 1.2-miles, pink blazes, easies trail skirts the spring-fed pond.

East Loop Trail: 1.9-miles, lime green blazes, more difficult hiking, this trail runs toward the eastern end of the conservation area and follows the power line.

Creek Trail: 0.9-mile, medium blue blazes, more difficult hiking this trail winds down to the creek near an American beech grove.

Janie Trail: 2.8 miles, red blazes, most difficult hiking and longest trail in the area.

Upper Spring Trail: 2 miles, beige blazes, more difficult hiking with a view.

For Club Members: Information on Various Ski Trips First Up Pennsylvania & New York - HERE WE GO:

OUR DANDY LITTLE WEEKENDER JUST GOT BIGGER!
ELK, GREEK PEAK, MONTAGE -- PICK YOUR MOUNTAIN
Rooms are blocked for Lebanon Ski Club @ Comfort Inn in Cortland, New York

Friday/Saturday/Sunday January 6, 7, 8 - 2017

Ski Club Members are responsible for their transportation and reservation of room

Hopefully Pennsylvania (and New York) snow will prevail this year so that we can return to our neighboring FUN in the North East! This year we are planning an extended weekender that takes the club back to an ole' favorite... Greek Peak!

The plan is to meet at Elk Mountain on Friday morning to ski for the day. Travel to Greek Peak (about an hour's drive) and stay overnight in the area, have dinner together, and then hit the hay. Ski Greek Peak on Saturday. Then, as an option, club members can stay a second night, travel home, OR, travel south to Montage Mountain to stay overnight and ski on Sunday.

Dawn Rueppel will be leading this weekender. 717) 228-7782
SOCIALCOORDINATOR@lebanonskiclub.com More information to come!



Second Up Vermont (Always a favorite):

Wednesday, January 18 through Friday, January 20, 2017

It was just so great, we're going to repeat! Our popular [Okemo Mt.](#) trip to Ludlow, Vermont returns. Come ski the 655 acres of terrain with 120 trails (96% have snowmaking). There are five mountain areas and 19 lifts. We will again be staying slope-side at the [Jackson Gore Inn](#) which has everything you need; restaurant, bar, lounge, hot tubs, ski valet, etc. etc. This year you can choose from a standard hotel room (2 Queens/double occ), or a studio unit. The studio includes both a Queen fixed or Murphy bed, Queen sofa bed, and a full kitchen for your libations and snacks, or for a break from the slopes! **Bus transportation is included.** Price is \$455 per person. There is a free shuttle to cross country skiing, if Mother Nature cooperates; the Nordic Center is only 1 mile from the Jackson Gore Inn.

Please contact Stephanie Butler at (717) 222-0584, bioteacher@nbn.net for more details. \$100 deposits are being accepted now! [Additional details coming soon!](#)

<http://lebanonskiclub.com/okemo/>

Third Up: Maine (Keeps Getting Better):



Great news!

The board couldn't pass up offering this week of skiing and slope-side lodging for just \$450 for 5 days and 5 nights.
Sunday February 5th – Friday February 10th.

Ski Club Members are responsible for their transportation
to the Mountain

I know some may not be anxious about the approx. 9 hour self-drive, but really at this price you can afford to stop overnight to break up the drive. Or, find some fellow members and travel together. [Go to our trip page](#) on the website to see this fantastic mountain that boasts 8 distinct peaks in one location.

Last year we skied Sunday River for just one day and loved it. We also had lunch at Sliders - the slope-side restaurant where we will be staying at the Jordon Grand. What a beautiful hotel, restaurant, bar and location right along Lollapalooza, which is a fantastic, wide, 3 mile long green cruiser. We're anxious to show you this great location and would love your company on this trip to enjoy a great week.

Please call with any questions. \$100 deposit accepted with trip form at the September 13th picnic meeting. See you there and thanks for your interest.

Gerald Kreider,
717-926-6780, grkreiderandsons@nbn.net



Fourth Up Colorado (Well, How Do You Top This):

Steamboat Colorado

----Don't be left behind

Condos are filling up fast. Reserve your spot today.

Feb. 25th to March 4th, 2017

Steamboat is simply known around the globe as Ski Town, U.S.A.

Home of Champagne® Powder Snow

Steamboat is the tree skiing capital of the United States, with Aspen trees galore per Skiing Magazine

Steamboat Accommodations

La Casa - Condos

www.wyndhamvacationrentals.com/vacation-rentals/colorado/steamboat-springs/steamboat-springs/complex/la-casa

LaCasa Condominiums offer **2, 3** and **4** bedroom units. Each unit includes a fully equipped kitchen, cable TV/HBO/VCR/DVD, a TV in the master bedroom, direct dial telephone for outbound calls only, complimentary high-speed internet access, gas fireplace, private patios, and washer/dryer.



Amenities

- Check in at The Lodge at Steamboat
- Complimentary bottle of wine (ski season)
- Private guest shuttle to skiing, shopping and entertainment (ski season)
- Complimentary High Speed Internet Access
- Fax, concierge and bellmen services available
- Within 50 yards of the free city bus route
- Guests may use swimming pool and tennis courts at The Lodge
- 2 outdoor hot tubs and barbeque grill on premises
- Gas fireplace and private balconies
- Covered parking
- Every other day housekeeping service; midweek cleans for stays 7 nights or more
- Washer/dryer in unit
- Complimentary in unit coffee
- All units are non-smoking



Ptarmigan House – One bedroom Studio www.theptarmigan.com

Amenities

- Ski in/ski out to gondola
- Fireplace in lobby
- Free WiFi
- Free newspapers in lobby
- Outdoor pool/ Hot Tub
- Restaurant
- Sauna
- Ski storage

PACKAGE INCLUDES:

- Round -trip group transportation Lebanon to Newark Airport; and from Hayden Airport to our resort
- Roundtrip, NON-STOP Airfare from Newark Airport to Hayden, Co.
- Lodging – 7 nights at La Casa Condominiums (2, 3 & 4 bedrooms) Or Ptarmigan House
- Lift Tickets – 5 of 6 days- Children ski tickets are free with paying adult
- Much more to be announced

Things to do

- Strawberry Park Hot Springs
- Cross Country Skiing-
steamboatnordiccenter.com
- Ragnar Sleigh Ride Dinner
- Steamboat Powder Cats-
<http://www.steamboatpowdercats.com/>
- <http://www.steamboatchamber.com/plan-your-trip/visitor-center/top-10-things-to-do-winter>



Facts about Steamboat

- Steamboat is actually a complete mountain range: Mount Werner, Sunshine Peak, Storm Peak, Thunderhead Peak, Pioneer Ridge, and Christie Peak. 2,965 acres (1200 hectares) of permitted terrain offer a diversity of trails for all levels of ability. Gladed areas of Pioneer Ridge, Sunshine and Storm Peak are Steamboat's particular claim to fame, with legendary Champagne Powder® snow in the trees for the most avid powder hounds.
- Base Elevation: 6,900 feet/2103 meters
- Christie Peak Elevation: 8,020 feet/2444 meters
- Mid-Mountain Elevation: 9,080 feet/2768 meters
- Summit/Mt. Werner Elevation: 10,568 feet/3224 meters
- Vertical Rise: 3,668 feet/1118 meters
- Permitted Acres: 2,965 acres/1,200 hectares
- Trails: 165 named trails
- Trail Classification: 14% Beginner
42% Intermediate 44% Advanced
- Longest Run: Why Not – over 3 miles/4.8km
- Annual Snowfall: 349"/886cm

LIFT SYSTEM

- Gondola (8-passenger): 1
- High-Speed Six: 1
- High-Speed Quads: 5
- Conventional Quad Chairlift: 1
- Triple Chairlift: 6
- Double Chairlift: 2
- Total Lifts: 16

Accommodations	Total	Deposit before Sept. 13th	1st payment Sept. 13th	2nd payment Oct. 11th	3rd Payment Nov. 9th	4th Payment Dec. 13th
La Casa 2,3,4 Bedroom Condo	\$1699.00pp	\$100.00pp	\$400.00	\$400.00	\$400.00	\$399.00
Ptarmingan House- One Bedroom Studio	\$2009.00pp	\$100.00pp	\$500.00	\$500.00	\$500.00	\$409.00

One of the club favorites last time at Steamboat:



Western Bar B Que atop the gondola

Saddle up partner and stampede your way to an evening of family entertainment, live music, and dancing high atop the gondola. All the tasty fixins and treats at this western style BBQ buffet can satisfy even the hungriest cowpoke from start to finish.

Western BBQ features dancing and live entertainment from 7:00pm to 10:00pm. Enjoy a ride on the gondola for an outstanding view of the Yampa Valley below, plus experience an evening of western hospitality.

Don't delay, sign up today.

To ensure your spot on this fabulous trip send your \$100.00 deposit today.

There is a limited amount of 1 bedroom studios and 4 bedroom condo's. Please sign up early if you are interested.

Trip Leader:

Anne Shutter
420 Rexmont Road
Lebanon, Pa 17042
Atg244@verizon.net
717-273-4346-H
717-926-2137-C

Information About Trip Insurance to be announced.



Lebanon Ski & Sports Club, Inc.
Membership / Release of Liability Form

MEMBERSHIP YEAR 2016 / 2017

All trip participants must be current LSSCI members

Membership begins April 1 and expires Mar 31st

Membership Type: **New Member** **Renewal**
 Family - \$20.00 **Individual - \$15.00**

Bring to Membership Meeting or Mail to:
Deb Binkley, 2566 State Rte 72 Jonestown PA 17038

Name First: _____ Last: _____

Address _____

Address _____

City: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____

Phone: _____ Cell _____

Email address: _____

List names of family members and ages here, if applying for Family Membership:

Payment record: Check # _____ membership date: _____

Release of Liability

The Lebanon Ski & Sports Club Inc. (LSSCI) reserves the right to make changes including, but not limited to price, time, departure point, lodging, air flights, etc., where such changes are in the best interest of *LSSCI* or are compelled by circumstances beyond *LSSCI's* control. Neither *LSSCI* nor its board members, trip leaders or other representatives assume any obligation or responsibility for any matters not within their control.

I acknowledge that skiing & boarding and other physical activities are hazardous activities and I have made a voluntary choice to participate in those activities despite the risks that they present. In consideration of my being permitted to participate in Club events, I agree to assume any and all risks of injury or death which might be associated with or result from my participating in this event.

I understand that this is a Release of Liability, which will legally prevent me or any other person from filing suit or making any other legal claim for damages against the *Lebanon Ski & Sport Club, Inc.* in the event of my death or any injury to me. I, nevertheless, enter into this agreement freely and voluntary and agree that it is binding upon me, my heirs, assignees and legal representatives.

I agree as an individual or on behalf of family, to abide by the provisions and conditions in the trip Agreement and Terms or any other trip material, including information appearing in the *Lebanon Ski & Sport Club, Inc.* newsletter which information shall be part of the agreement.

I agree as an individual or on behalf of family or those under 18 years of age, to abide by the provisions and conditions in the trip Agreement and Terms

I agree to make schedule payments when due. If I make late payments, make changes or withdraw from the trip, I agree to pay shift, late or cancellation fees as specified in the trip material.

I, the undersigned, have read, understand and will abide by all statements, rules and regulations in the Application.

Print Name _____ **Date** _____

Signature(s) _____

LEBANON SKI CLUB - TRIP/EVENT REGISTRATION FORM 2016/2017

1. TRIP/EVENT SIGN-UP AND PAYMENT

- A. Everyone participating in Club trips must be a member of the **Lebanon Ski and Sport Club, Inc.**, unless otherwise designated.
- B. Everyone participating in club trips must be at least 18 years of age, unless accompanied by a Parent/Legal Guardian.
- C. Registration for all club trips or events must include this registration form and the initial deposit. Deposits shall be made by check made payable to the **Lebanon Ski and Sport Club, Inc.**
- D. Everyone under 21 years of age must abide by all state laws governing alcoholic beverage consumption. Any individual under 21 years of age who consumes alcoholic beverages or any club member, who furnishes any individual under the age of 21 with alcoholic beverages, shall be prohibited from participating in any additional club trips. In addition, the Board may expel said individual(s) for violations of this policy.
- E. Trips will be filled as follows:
 - 1. Registrations will be accepted in the order they are received. Deposits, (**checks only**) and registration forms are to be given to the trip leader assigned to that trip. Trip Leader addresses will be listed in the monthly newsletter.
 - 2. The initial deposit amount and the schedule for the remaining payments will be stated in the official trip announcement. Payment schedules will also be listed in the monthly newsletter.
 - 3. The club makes reasonable efforts to pair members to fill rooms to meet the occupancy rate. However, due to the variety of room configurations, parties signing up for trips with less than required occupancy may incur additional charges to cover room costs not otherwise covered.
- F. **Lebanon Ski & Sports Club Inc. (LSSCI) reserves** the right to make any changes including, but not limited to: price, time, departure point, lodging, air flights, trip cancellations where such changes are in the best interest of *LSSCI* or are compelled by circumstances beyond *LSSCI's* control.

2. Participant Cancellation: Cancellation with full refund will be made if the vacancy created is filled at the time of the event. It is the responsibility of the participants to find a replacement, not the trip leader. If the vacancy is not filled, refunds will be made only for the portion of the deposit not required to cover fixed, non-refundable expenses incurred by the club. Cancellations fees will be determined on a trip-by-trip basis. Any trip refund is provided after the trip.

TRIP REGISTRATION FORM Please use this form when signing up for any Overnight Club trip. Attach a check made payable to the **Lebanon Ski Club** for your deposit/payment and either mail or give it to the trip leader at the club meeting.

Save the above sheet for trip guidelines!

✂.....clip here.....✂

Trip/Event _____ Trip Leader _____

Name 1: _____

(Provide name EXACTLY as it appears on your legal travel document, Drivers' License, etc.)

Name 2: _____

(Provide name EXACTLY as it appears on your legal travel document, Driver's License, etc)

Street _____ City _____

State _____ Zip Code _____ E-Mail _____

Phone (H) _____ (W) _____ (C) _____

Name of person you wish to room with _____

ROOM REQUESTS: Requests for specific room assignments should be specified on the application form. Although every effort will be made to honor each request, we cannot guarantee them due to lodging configurations.

Check No. _____ Amount \$ _____

Name 1: Birth date: ____ / ____ / ____ Name 2: Birth date: ____ / ____ / ____

Month Day Year Month Day Year

Calendar at a Glance

September

13: Picnic & Club Meeting on Heisey's Diner Patio -
5:30 pm

25: Bicycle Ride in Mt Gretna -

October

9: Atlantic City Trip, Call Gordie at 717-273-4346

11: Club Meeting 7:30 pm

22: Lebanon Bicycle Coalition Ride @ Gettysburg

23: Hike, Boyd Big Tree Conservation Area 1 pm

November

8: Club Meeting 7:30 pm

December

13: Club Meeting w/ Dinner 7:00 pm

2017 EVENTS TO COME

Contact any board member for information!