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Jan. 13 - 15 : Okemo, VT

Jan. 30 - Feb. 6 : Big Sky, MT

Feb 28 - Mar 4: Sugarloaf, ME

## Only Six More Months 'til Ski Season!

### Letter from the President

Hello Lebanon Ski Club! A very active summer season is underway and there is still a full calendar until we meet again for our first meeting on September 8<sup>th</sup>. Check out [the Facebook page](#) for photos and thanks to our event leaders!

Details on the Nissley Wine Lawn Concert and LVRT Bike Ride are below. Also, plan now to join us for our Fall Hike in the Grand Canyon of PA! It is up to you to reserve your room; please do so soon so you do not miss out.

Speaking of reserving soon, don't delay making your reservation for space on our **2016 Ski Trips**. Our trips to Big Sky Montana, Okemo Vermont, and Sugarloaf/Sunday River Maine, all include lodging that is either ski in/ski out or on-mountain!

Information on our trips is available on our website on the [2016 Ski Trip tab](#). Trip leaders have been taking deposits and filling rooms. For those of you who travel as "singles" it is very important that you sign up early so that leaders can plan accordingly to meet occupancy rates. Our rooming policies can be found on the [trip form](#). Oh, and please send in a [2015/2016 trip form](#) with your deposit!

Enjoy the long, warm days ahead. We hope to see

you at one of our club activities.

- Jane

## **Nissley Wine Lawn Concert Saturday, July 18**

Nissley Wine Lawn Concert with Nightwind – Classic Rock. Gates open at 5:30-ish p.m. Wine for sale 6 to 9 p.m. The band, Nightwind, plays 7:30 pm to 10:00 p.m.

Tickets are \$15.00 per person at the gate. [Anne Shutter](#) will save a space and provide a table. You bring a snack to share. Bring your wine glass, lawn chairs, and non-alcoholic beverages if you wish.

Please note: credit cards and out-of-area checks are not accepted at the admissions tent. Nissley Vineyards – 140 Vintage Drive, Bainbridge, PA 17502.

## **Biking on the Lebanon Valley Rail Trail Sunday, August 2**

Bike Ride with the Lebanon Valley Bicycle Coalition Club. Sunday, August 2nd at 3:00 p.m. on the Lebanon Valley Rail Trail. Meet at the Lawn Trailhead and ride to Mt. Gretna and back. The Trailhead is located on Lawn Road just fifty to sixty yards off of Route 241. There is a baseball field right behind the parking area.

Refreshments at TJ Rockwells afterwards. Contact Bike Leader [Ron Birch](#) at [717-821-5054](tel:717-821-5054) or [717-273-7971](tel:717-273-7971) with questions.

## **Cicada Music Festival at Mt Gretna SOLD OUT Wednesday, August 5**

Cicada Music Festival at the Mt Gretna Playhouse on Wednesday, August 5th, 2015 at 8:00 p.m. Tusk, the Ultimate Tribute to Fleetwood Mac, will be playing. Contact [Gerald Kreider](#) at [717-926-6780](tel:717-926-6780) with questions.

## **Club Meeting Tuesday, September 8**

The first club meeting of 2015-2016 will be held on Tuesday, September 8 at 7:00 p.m. Dinner will be

provided. Heisey's Dinner.

## **Hiking in the PA Grand Canyon September 11 to 13**

This is just not just a walk in the woods, instead join the Ski Club for an adventurous hike on the west rim of the Pennsylvania Grand Canyon. What a great wonder of our state and no better place to hike and enjoy this creation of nature. A 1,000 foot deep gorge with scenic overlooks of the breath taking vistas, it has everything to offer for any hiking enthusiast. Our first hike will be a short half mile trek at Barbour Rock which is a mostly level terrain path to one of the beautiful overlooks of the area. The second hike will be a 3 mile trip from Colton Point State Park using the Turkey Path trail to the bottom of the canyon floor. Along the way we will pass a 70 foot cascading water fall to add beauty to our adventure. This hike will have some steeper terrain. Depending how we feel after the 2nd hike, a short third hike will be an option.

Lodging will be at the quaint Penn Wells Hotel in downtown Wellsboro. The address is 62 Main Street and phone number [1-800-545-2446](tel:1-800-545-2446). 10 rooms have been blocked under the name of Lebanon Ski Club. It is the responsibility for each party to make their own reservations under the club name. Each room is \$ 109.95 per night and you are on your own for the number of nights you want to stay. Wellsboro is a neat little town nestled in the mountains of northern Pennsylvania.

Contact [Ron Birch](mailto:Ron.Birch@skiclub.com) at [717-821-5054](tel:717-821-5054) or [717-273-7971](tel:717-273-7971).

## **2016 SKI TRIPS**

### **Okemo, VT : 3 Day Eastern Trip January 13 to 15**

655 acres with 120 trails and glades.

- Slope side hotel lodging at Jackson Gore Inn.
- Round-trip bus transportation.
- Two breakfasts and dinner.

- Cross country skiing is also available.

Trip price is \$450 per person. \$100 deposits are now being accepted. Make check payable to *Lebanon Ski Club* and mail with [trip form](#)

Contact Trip

Leader [Heidi Allison](#) at [724-840-4665](tel:724-840-4665) with any questions.

## **Big Sky, MT : Western Trip January 30 to February 6**

Join the Club to ski the biggest area in America! 300 named runs, 5,800 acres, 4 mountains, and no lift lines.

- 7 nights lodging at the newly remodeled Huntley Lodge located in the heart of Big Sky's Mountain Village. It is truly ski in / ski out! Just steps to the lifts out the back door after stopping at ski storage. Daily fabulous breakfast buffet in the Huntley dining room. Under the same roof are the concierge, dining, shopping, ski storage, Solace Spa, two outdoor hot tubs and pool.
- Group Welcome Reception.
- Round-trip Airfare from Newark, NJ airport to Bozeman, MT with round-trip ground transfers to and from both airports.
- 5 day lift ticket valid at both Big Sky and Moonlight Basin.
- Plenty to see and do while in Montana: visit Yellowstone National Park, snowmobiling, snowshoeing, cross country skiing at Lone Mountain Ranch, and a horse drawn sleigh ride dinner with entertainment.
- Trip price is \$1,980 per person (based on 2 per room at Huntley Lodge).
  - Beaverhead Condo could be available for larger groups.

\$100 deposits are now being accepted. Make check payable to *Lebanon Ski Club* and mail with [trip form](#) to Deb Binkley, 2566 Rte 72, Jonestown, PA 17038.

Contact Trip Leader [Deb Binkley](#) at [717-865-2073](tel:717-865-2073) with any questions.

## **Sugarloaf, ME : 5 Day Eastern Trip**

## **February 28 to March 4**

Ski the largest area East of the Rockies! 1,230 acres, 60 miles of skiing on 161 trails. On-mountain lodging and a day trip to Sunday River. More details to follow. Trip price is \$695 per person. The \$100 deposit is now being accepted. Make check payable to *Lebanon Ski Club* and mail with [trip form](#) to Paul Horst, 105 Horst Dr, Lebanon PA, 17046. Contact Trip Leader [Paul Horst](#) at [717-269-2697](tel:717-269-2697) (after 5 p.m.) with any questions.

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