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## President's Message

Whoo-Hoo! This president (and the first gentleman) now have one (1) ski day in for the season! Let's keep this party going with all of our 2018 trips. All info is within or on the [website](#).

Ken Beam is doing a stellar job on the upcoming Elk/Montage trip. Don't delay; get your intentions in to him pronto! What a fun trip to two great Pennsylvania mountains whose teams are cranking up the snow guns. And bonus, Marzoni's is open at Montage to celebrate one member's birthday.

Killington party bus is going to be a blow out! Awesome work Gordie, for filling up the bus with a merry cast of characters. Thanks for the earlier departure time – I for one can't wait to see the roads of Vermont in the daytime. Wait list only for this one.

Telluride is finally getting snow – too bad they don't have a Lake Erie! I suggest bringing some footwear to ride some fat bikes – what a hoot in the snow on your day off! (Note – Go EAGLES! Wear green for Superbowl, please!) Special info for you inside.

Deb has a full trip to Sunday River – nice job! This weeklong holiday in Maine is shaping up to be superb with all the snow and the fun group going. Great job! Deb noted she can possibly get additional space but you must contact her now.

I wish to applaud all of you, our members, for the excellent participation in these trips. Other clubs are not so blessed to have all trips filled. Thank you to all leaders and participants!

.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**

**Tuesday, January 9, 2018  
Lebanon Ski & Sport Club  
Meeting @ 7:30 pm**

**Arrive early and grab a sandwich, drink or  
something else to eat before the meeting.**

**New Members are always  
welcome!**

# Let us all have a Safe and Fun Filled 2018 Ski Season

Program for January is an update on the LVRT

Guest Speaker will be: John B. Wengert



## Lebanon Valley Rail Trail

The Lebanon Valley Rail Trail is a National Recreation Trail. The rail trail goes from the southwestern border of Lebanon County and goes through Colebrook, Mt. Gretna, Cornwall, and the city of Lebanon. [Wikipedia](#)

**Length:** 79,200' 0"

**Trail difficulty:** easy

**Elevation change:** 328 feet (100 m)

**Designation:** National Recreation Trail

**Use:** hiking, cycling, horseback riding, skiing

**Location:** Lebanon County, PA

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**All overnight trip participants must be current LSSCI members  
and a Trip Registration form filled out per each trip event!!**

**[All participants on trips: Please review your payment schedules!!](#)**

## Trip 1: SEASON KICKOFF TRIP



*Friday Jan 5th & Saturday Jan 6th, 2018*

**Elk Mountain and Montage Ski Areas - Come Explore Pennsylvania Skiing!**

The plan is to **car pool to Elk Mountain** on Friday for a day of skiing, then drive back down to **Montage**. Stay overnight at the Comfort Suites and ski Montage on Saturday. Members can also ski just either day. Members will pay the club for the Elk and Montage lift tickets.

\*Meet at Wendy's in Lickdale at 7 am Friday if you wish to carpool. See below for addresses/directions

A block of rooms has been reserved at the Comfort Suites; please call to make your reservations and mention Lebanon Ski Club: 44 Montage Mountain Rd Scranton PA, 18507.

**Phone:** (570) 347-1551

<https://www.choicehotels.com/pennsylvania/scranton/comfort-suites-hotels/pa031>

**Let our trip leader (Ken Beam) know how many tickets you need for which day(s.) Checks should be made to Lebanon Ski Club. Mail to trip leader. Discount rentals & rentals also available at Montage - please ask about the cost.**

Elk Lift Ticket \$40 (for Fri January 5th)

Montage Lift Ticket \$40 (for Sat January 6th)

Ask about rentals & lessons at group rates.

**Ken Beam Call or Text (717) 215-5024**  
**beam@us.ibm.com**

Send checks made to Lebanon Ski Club to: Ken Beam / 1225 Thompson Ave / Annville PA 17003

Overnight travelers must be LSSC members. (\$15 Individual and \$20 Family)

**ELK MOUNTAIN** - I-81 N to Exit 206 (formerly Exit 63) to Route 374 East.

(344 Elk Mountain Rd., Union Dale, PA 18470)

**MONTAGE MOUNTAIN** - Take exit 182 from I-81, Right on Montage Mountain Rd (1000 MONTAGE MOUNTAIN RD SCRANTON PA, 18507 )

## Trip 2: Vermont --Killington



### KILLINGTON VT. – WELCOME to the BEAST January 17- 19 2018

**Note:** This trip has now been filled and is only open to a waiting list in case of cancellations:

The Party Bus to Killington Mountain on Wednesday

January 17-19. **Party Bus to load at 9:00 am. at Sunset Parking Lot.** We will arrive early in Killington on Wednesday evening, approximately

4:30pm and depart Killington Friday after a day of skiing- approx. 4:30pm

Two days skiing and two nights lodging at the mountain – all for under \$400.

**Killington Grand Resort Hotel-** <http://www.killington.com/site>

Killington's only full-service mountainside hotel features convenient ski-bridge access to the slopes

Recognized by Trip Advisor for the second consecutive year with a Certificate of Excellence

#### PAYMENT SCHEDULE

October 1 \$100.00 With Trip Form and Room Preference

November 1 \$150.00

**December 1 Balance ( \$120 -\$ 130 – or \$140)**

Send Payments:

Gordon Shutter

420 Rexmont Road

Lebanon Pa 17042

Cross Country or non - skiers deduct \$90.00 from price.

Save the date or send \$100 to reserve your spot!!!

Trip Leader

Gordon Shutter [atq244@comcast.net](mailto:atq244@comcast.net)



## Trip 3: Colorado--Telluride

It's finally snowing in the San Juan Mts! Some notes....

If you wish to SHIP SKIS, BOARDS, AND GEAR:

### MOUNTAIN LODGE – TELLURIDE

**457 Mountain Village Blvd, Telluride, Colorado, 81435.**

Allow 7-10 business days to arrive between Jan 27<sup>th</sup> – Feb 3<sup>rd</sup>. Label with "Lebanon Ski Club" somewhere on the ski's packaging.

Plan for car-pool or sleep/park/fly to Philadelphia airport. I checked with most of you and I think we are all set.

Many are staying at the [Wyndham Garden Hotel @ Essington, PA](#)

Our flight departs at 655AM. **Check in at the airport** (not on line) Consider using the curbside check in with valid ID (Passport for most.) Plan breakfast in Phil due to short layover in Charlotte.

AMERICAN #765 03FEB PHILADELPHIA-CHARLOTTE **655A** 844A

AMERICAN #486 03FEB CHARLOTTE-MONTROSE 945A 1204P (Be aware of our short layover)

AMERICAN #486 10FEB MONTROSE-CHARLOTTE 1244P 617P

AMERICAN #1798 10FEB CHARLOTTE-PHILADELPHIA 820P 1000P

Work out your grocery list with your roomies, now. **We will only have 30 minutes** for our grocery and beverage stop in Montrose at [City Market](#). It is just 10 minutes from the airport, but 1 ¼ hrs to the Lodge. The [Market at Mountain Village](#) is a close shuttle/walk away If you wish to wait to get your perishables. You can also use delivery service at <https://www.telluridedelivers.com/>

**Welcome Party Saturday** @ 7 pm in the trip leader's suite: Mountain Lodge Concierge, Telluride Mountain Guide & Adventure Center Rep, Lift Tickets handout, Wine, Beer, Soda, Pizza, Salad

**Superbowl Party Sunday** (time tbd) in the trip leader's suite. Wraps and Crudités supplied by the club. You BYOB + your favorite snacks. Super Bowl \$\$Pool\$\$\$. The View (in the Lodge) is also hosting a Super Bowl party with multiple TVs, and you can enjoy the game there as well.

**Packet** – I will be handing out a packet at the Jan 9<sup>th</sup> meeting with our trip hankie, cell phone list, building and room list, and so on. For those out of the area I will mail to you 2<sup>nd</sup> week of Jan.

**Concierge**, Neddie Troutman, 970-369-6116, will make dinner and activity reservations for you.

**Discounted ski and riding lessons:** You will receive a coupon in your ticket package upon arrival. Mountain Adventure, 11am–3:45pm, \$110. For beginner to advanced, like levels split out.

Morning Max 4, 9am –11am, \$75. For advanced to Intermediate, only 4 in the group.

**Rentals @ The Lodge:** <http://rental.christysports.com/lebanonskiclub> or call Patrick [970.369.5267](tel:970.369.5267)

**Mountain tours:** Departs daily at 10am from the top of the Coonskin Lift (Lift 7). Tour lasts for approx. 2.5 hours. At minimum, intermediate ski ability is required. **NASTAR** - opens at 10 am everyday on Misty Maiden ski run off Chair 5. Racing is on your own.

Other adventures: <http://www.tellurideskiresort.com/events-activities/activities/winter/>

See your doctor if you are thinking of taking Acetazolamide (Diamox®.) Drink water. Minimize alcohol. Oh, and drink water. <http://www.altitudemedicine.org/optimizing-health-at-altitude/>

Jane Miller, **call or text 717-507-0186** [janemmms@gmail.com](mailto:janemmms@gmail.com) or [president@lebanonskiclub.com](mailto:president@lebanonskiclub.com)



## Trip 4: Maine



**SUNDAY RIVER, MAINE**  
**February 25 to March 2, 2018 – Sunday to Friday**

**Trip is Full!!-----**

**Additional rooms MAY be available,**  
**please contact Trip Leader ASAP if interested**

**5 ½ days of skiing on 8 distinct peaks.**

Lodging is *Grand Summit Hotel*. <http://www.sundayriver.com/lodging/grand-summit>

**True ski-in/ski-out location at the lower end of the mountain closer to Bethel, Maine.**

Studio Deluxe Unit - \$470 per person - (Double occupancy) Queen Murphy bed and sleep sofa in living room, kitchenette and a private bath.

One Bedroom Suite – Queen bed in bedroom, Murphy bed or sleep sofa in living room, full kitchen and a private bath.

Quad occupancy - \$470 per person

Double occupancy - \$560 per person

***Singles who wish their own room (studio only) - add \$259 solo occupancy fee.***

***Members are responsible for their own transportation to Maine.*** Consider driving halfway with an overnight stay along the way to break up the trip.

**Trip leader: Deb Bemesserfer, 103 Hillside St., Lebanon PA 17042**

**Reeski76@aol.com**

**H – 717-272-6842 – (please call home first)**

**C – 717-769-7473**



## Lebanon Ski & Sport Club Bike Ride for May 18-20, 2018

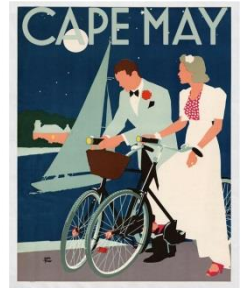
**Where:** Cape May, New Jersey

**What:** Bike ride from the Cape May Ferry to the Cape May Zoo and back. The bike ride is a 26 mile round trip on asphalt with very little grade. Road bikes can be used. A sunny path so sunscreen is recommended!

**When:** Weekend of May 18 - 20, 2018

**Trip leaders:** Tod & Leslie Dissinger

Friday evening starting around 6:30 PM – The Dissinger's will host a get together at our beach bungalow- 103 Spruce Ave. Villas, N.J. 08251. Bring a lawn chair and your favorite beverage, we will supply the snacks. Close to dusk we will stroll to the bay beach and watch the sun melt into the horizon! Prayers for a cloudless evening!



Saturday morning by 8:30 AM - we will meet at the Cape May Ferry parking lot. We plan to head out at 8:45. The goal is to get to the Zoo around 10:00 when it opens.



The bike ride will start on a bike path that leaves from the Cape May Ferry parking lot. Then follow a designated bike path parallel with the road. We will ride a short distance before getting onto the Cold Springs/Middle Township bike path which will take us to the Cape May County Park and Zoo. We will be crossing some roads/highways so obey all road crossing signals for your safety.

The Zoo is free to enter but they do accept donations. You will have some time to tour the Zoo. We will leave around 11:30 for the return trip to the CM Ferry. Once at Ferry parking lot we will then head to lunch.

Victorian Cape May has a lot to offer so you might want to do some research so you can make the most out of this trip. Parking is limited. Walking or biking is preferred.

Attached is a small list of suggested places to stay- near the ocean. There is a variety of places to stay from B&B's to motels. Not all serve breakfast but have restaurants nearby. We have only stayed at the Sea Crest Inn, a nice place. **This is a resort town and you will need to make your reservation's as soon as possible.**



Feel free to contact us for any questions. New Jersey Ocean beaches require beach tags, available on site. Quarters for meters = 15 min for 25 cents.

Hope you can join us for some bike and sand time!!

Tod and Leslie Dissinger

Home number 717-273-9565

Tod Cell number 717-821-6124.

Leslie Cell number 717-821-6255

Email- [LKDISS@comcast.net](mailto:LKDISS@comcast.net)

## **Cape May Bike Trip - Accommodations**

May 18-20, 2018

Marquis De Lafayette Hotel  
501 Beach Ave.  
Cape May, N.J. 08204  
1-609-884-3500

[www.marquiscapemay.com](http://www.marquiscapemay.com)

Complimentary Breakfast  
Outdoor Heated Pool

Mt. Vernon Motel  
300 W. Beach Ave.  
Cape May, N.J. 08204  
1-609-884-4665

[www.mtvernonmotel.com](http://www.mtvernonmotel.com)

Some Efficiency Rooms  
Outdoor Pool

West Cape Motel  
307 Sunset Blvd  
West Cape May, N.J. 08204  
1-609-884-4280

[www.westcapemotel.com](http://www.westcapemotel.com)

Some Efficiency Rooms

Beachcomber  
462 Seashore Road  
Cape May, N.J. 08204  
1-800-233-01250

[www.beachcombercamp.com](http://www.beachcombercamp.com)

Lots of interesting cabins, sites,  
and campers for rent. Located  
between the ferry and the zoo.

### **High End Places On Beach**

Sea Crest Inn  
101 Beach Ave.  
Cape May, N.J. 08204  
1-866-733-1405

[www.seacrestinn.com](http://www.seacrestinn.com)

Some rooms have Kitchens  
Heated Pool

Avondale By the Sea  
Beach Ave. and Gurney St.  
Cape May, N.J. 08204  
1-800-676-7030

[www.avondalebythesea.com](http://www.avondalebythesea.com)

Complimentary Breakfast

### **So-So On Beach**

Jetty Motel  
2nd Beach Ave.  
Cape May, N.J. 08204  
1-609-884-4640

[www.jettymotel.com](http://www.jettymotel.com)

Some Efficiency Rooms  
Outdoor Pool

### **Outside of Cape May**

### **Camp Ground**



## Membership / Release of Liability Form

### MEMBERSHIP YEAR 2017 / 2018

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 voluntarily 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 2017/2018

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**

## **January 2018**

5 & 6: Elk & Montage

9: Club Meeting 7:30 pm

17- 19: Ski Killington, Vermont

## **February 2018**

3-10: Ski Telluride, Colorado

13; Club Meeting 7:30 pm

25 to March 2: Ski Sunday River Maine

## **March – June, 2018**

May 18-20, 2018 - Cape May, New Jersey

Other events to be announced