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President's Message

February 2023 is here and we have exciting news to tell you about, but before I do here's a recap of January.

Our January membership once again had Denny Miller from the Outfitters speaking on changes to skis and boots and suggestions on how to purchase for the type of skiing you do. He also gave away those items from the past-! Someone took home a really flashy pair of red ski pants. Keep your eye out for them .

Our Stratton bus trip led by Diane Bachman went off perfectly. Conditions were marginal, lifts were not entirely cooperative but all had a fun time. One third of travelers were joining us for the first time and told me what a fun group we

Last weekend we wrapped up our 2-day Elk trip with our always unpredictable leader for Elk, Ron Birch. Wayne Wampler prepared Sauerkraut/Hot Dogs and Ron had delicious Chili to warm us up at the Shack. Many others chipped in with snacks and other food items.

Thank both Diane and Ron when you see them. They did a great job with these trips.

Here comes Mammoth, CA led by Anne Shutter leaving Feb. 4 and returning Feb 11. There should be no absence of snow and certainly no bare spots as they have been blessed with

Our February membership meeting has been pushed back to February 15 (Wednesday) due to too many reservations for Valentine's Day. This year we will be hosting the "Newlywed game" with 4 of our member couples-!! Don't miss this fun

Hope everyone is enjoying our warm winter so far with hopes of getting colder temperatures and snow.

Be safe and we'll see you on the hill.

Jack

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!

NEXT MEETING NOTE: CHANGE OF MEETING

Wednesday, February 15th Heisey's Diner 7:30 p.m.

Late Spring Cycling and Golfing Adventure

June 2 and 3, 2023



Dust off your bikes and join fellow club members for a weekend of biking along the Allegheny River on the scenic Armstrong Trail in western PA. We will be staying at the Kittanning Plaza Hotel which provides easy access to the trail as well as other activities in the area, such as golfing at the Lenape Heights Golf Resort. A block of 12 rooms have been reserved under "Lebanon Ski and Sport Club" for the nights of June 2nd and 3rd. There is a 2-night minimum for rooms in the block with a rate of \$120/night plus tax. Those interested in participating must contact the hotel to secure their room and make payment arrangements by May 5, 2023. Reservations for only one night will not be part of the block and will not qualify for the special rate. The Armstrong Trail is a rail trail that is 35.5 miles long. Riders can travel at their own pace as far as they desire before turning around. To learn more about the trail, including points of interest and local amenities, go to https://armstrongtrails.org. Hotel information: Kittanning Plaza Hotel, 13 Hilltop Plz, Kittanning PA 16201 Ph: 724-543-5200.

For questions regarding the weekend, e-mail Christie Adams at cadams1219@aol.com.





STRATTON MOUNTAIN JANUARY 18-20, 2023



The annual Eastern bus trip, this year, was to Stratton, VT and was attended by 38 guests.....11 of which were new members. We left Lebanon at 10:00 and arrived at The Black Bear Lodge by 4:30.

On the bus, a champagne toast to all travelers was offered as well as Ron Birch's infamous White Russians. Games of chance were played as well as home baked cookies passed around. Snow was in the forecast and Mother Nature delivered with a beautiful blanket of snow for Friday. The bus left for home around 3:45pm, due to the weather, and arrived at Sunset around 10:45. It was a great group who appeared to have a good time. Look forward to next year.

Trip Leader, Dianne

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SPEAKER FOR MARCH 14TH MEMBERSHIP MEETING

We are fortunate to have a very special trio of guest speakers for our March 14th membership meeting. Jessi Dreibelbis, Volunteer Coordinator, Lebanon County Special Olympics, will provide insight into the mission and scope of Special Olympics. She will be joined by two courageous athletes who will share their personal perspective on what Special Olympics has meant to them. Lebanon County Special Olympics, which is staffed 100% by volunteers, provides children and adults with intellectual disabilities the opportunity to train and compete in sports while providing an avenue for physical fitness, joy, and a sense of community. These services are free to athletes and their families. Please plan to join us for what will prove to be a very heartwarming and inspiring presentation.



Steamboat Colorado Updated Air Flight March 4th to March11th

Trip is Closed

All 171 runs are open/84" at the Summit. More Snow in the forecast!!

Accommodations: Ski Inn

Ski Inn in Steamboat Springs offers one and two bedroom condo rentals, including several with an additional loft area. Each condo provides a fully-equipped kitchen, living area with gas fireplace, balcony, and free WiFi. Most units feature stunning views of the surrounding mountains and valleys of Steamboat Springs. A nature lover's sanctuary, Ski Inn is located just off the slopes on Steamboat Ski Area via a groomed and maintained access trail.



https://www.vacasa.com/usa/ski-inn-condos-co

Trip Leader:

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

MEMBERSHIP YEAR 2022/2023

part of the agreement.



All trip participants must be current LSSCI Members

Membership begins April 1 and expires Mar 31st Bring to Membership Meeting or Mail to: Membership Type: □ New Member □ Renewal Deb Binkley, 2566 State Rte 72 Jonestown PA 17038 ☐ Family - \$20.00 ☐ Individual - \$15.00 City: State: ZIP: _____ Phone: _____Cell ____ Email address: 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 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

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

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

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

l 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 Applicat	
Print Name	Date

LEBANON SKI & SPORT CLUB, Inc. (LSSCI) - TRIP/EVENT REGISTRATION FORM 2022/2023 1. TRIP/EVENT SIGN-UP AND PAYMENT

- A. Everyone participating in Club trips must be a current member of the **LSSCI INITIAL**
- 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 involving overnight stays, payment, or common transportation, 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 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. INITIAL
- 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. When it is **beyond the clubs control** (ie, weather, airlines etc) any cost incurred will be the responsibility of the participant, not the club.
- 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. INITIAL

 TRIP REGISTRATION FORM Please use this form for club trips as noted. Attach a check made payable to the Lebanon Ski &

Sport Club for your deposit/payment and either mail or give it to the trip leader at the club meeting.

Trip/Event	Trip Leader	-
(Provide name EXACTLY as it appears or	your legal travel document, Drivers' License, Passport, etc.)	
Name 1:	Circle one:	
Name 2:	I/We wish to fly with the club on their available a package.	e ir
Address:	I/We will be responsible for our own flights and ground transportation.	;
Email Name 1	E-Mail Name 2	
Phone Name 1	Phone Name 2	
ROOM REQUESTS: Requests for sp	cific room assignments should be specified on the application form. nonor each request, we cannot guarantee them due to lodging configurations.	
Check No Deposit Amoun	\$ Date	
Name 1: Birth date://///		
PARTICIPANT SIGNATURES Name 1	Name 2	



January 10, 2023 – Membership Meeting, Heisey's Diner

January 18 to January 20, 2023 - Stratton Mountain Resort, Vermont

January 27 and 28, 2023 – Elk Mountain

February 4 to February 11, 2023 – Mammoth Mountain, California

February 14, 2023 – Membership Meeting, Heisey's Diner

March 4 to March 11, 2023 – Steamboat, Colorado

March 14, 2023 – Membership Meeting, Heisey's Diner

April 11, 2023 – Membership Meeting, Heisey's Diner

June 2 and 3, 2023 – Armstrong Trail weekend

Members are encouraged to suggest and/or plan activities!!