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President's Message

Hope you had a wonderful summer. As fall approaches it is time for our September picnic to kick off our ski season. Kevin Yeagley and family are hosting our picnic again this year on September 21, starting at 3 PM, please remember to RSVP. More details in this newsletter.

The Ski and Sport Club board has been meeting each month this summer via Zoom. The western trips are all scheduled. The Snowmass/Aspen trip is full but we did start a wait list. We have a few open slots on the Banff trip. We would love to have both western trips fill up this year. Gordie Shutter is running the Banff trip and would be happy to talk with anyone interested in this great trip.

The Board works diligently on the planning for our trips each year. It is tough deciding what resorts we should travel to. We take the ideas from members and then work with our tour companies to get the best deal possible. Our initial plan for the Eastern Trip this year was to go to Sunday River, ME. Unfortunately due to the cost of transportation and a large non-refundable deposit required by the resort, the Board decided to postpone the Sunday River trip for this season. We reached out to our Eastern tour company, Banchi Outdoors, for other options. Whiteface/Lake Placid was chosen. The town of Lake Placid has many attractions from when they hosted the two Olympics. I was there about five years ago and did the Bobsled Experience, what a

*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
ANNUAL PICNIC
September 21st – 3:00 pm
Kevin Yeagley farmette
(see page 3)

PRESIDENT'S LETTER CONTINUED

thrill that was! Lake Placid also has many shops and dining options within walking distance to our hotel. Whiteface Ski Resort has made many improvements since the club visited about 10 years ago. Improved lifts, wider trails and upgraded snow making are some of the more recent improvements at Whiteface.

Our monthly meetings at Heisey's Diner will resume in October. We have also partnered with Hummelstown Print House on a new logo and apparel. See the article in newsletter on how to order. Items will be shipped directly to your home. Wear those items when out and about in our communities to help promote our club and help grow our membership.

We had several events this past spring and summer that had great attendance: Kayaking at Memorial Lake, Mt Gretna Cicada Festival and Nissley Vineyards to name a few. Hope to see you at an event, meeting, or trip in the near future.

Chris Riegel
President
Lebanon Ski and Sport Club



HAVE YOU PAID YOUR MEMBERSHIP DUES ARE DUE !!

Renew your membership
(2024 - 2025)

Membership begins April 1 and expires March 31

Don't forget to fill out the membership form at the end of your Newsletter!!

GETTYSBURG BIKE TOUR

Saturday, September 29, 2024

If you are joining us for the day meet in front of the GETTYSBURG VISITORS CENTER AT 10:00 am. Please contact a trip leader if you are joining us for the day so we can look for your arrival.

Dean Auchenbach 717-304-1453
Linda Billmyer 717-512-3556

If interested in staying overnight at the Inn at Cemetery Hill, they have extended our group rate - reference "Lebanon Ski Club". Reservations: 717-334-9281

Remember to bring water and snacks to keep you cycling.

Those interested can gather afterwards at a restaurant for eats and drinks.

See you on the battlefield! Thanks, Linda



CURRENT AND PAST MEMBERS AND FRIENDS OF THE LEBANON SKI & SPORT CLUB



You are invited to join us for a fun filled time at a Picnic/Club meeting to be held at The Yeagley's Farmette.

Saturday, September 21, 2024 – 3:00 pm till ?????

Rain Date September 22, 2024 – 3:00 pm till ?????

Bring Lawn Chairs, Beginnings & Endings & Beverage.

Club will Provide: Main Dish, Board Members- Salads Dishes, Fun Games and Prizes.

This is a great opportunity to gather as a group and catch up on what has been happening and Special events coming up.



PLACE: Kevin & Deb Yeagley's Farmette 33 Swalm Lane, Jonestown. Directions: From Lebanon take Route 72N, travel thru Lickdale. Go under I-81 bridge, Travel one mile. Turn left onto Moonshine Road (Pa Rt. 443 West). Travel 1 ½ mile. Turn right onto Swalm Lane. Travel over a small bridge to last house on Swalm Lane.

The food/essential products drive, benefiting the **Lebanon Rescue Mission**, will begin at the **Welcome Back Picnic**. (See details on next page)

For more information: Social Coordinator Karen Beam Or contact any board member.

PLEASE RSVP BY September 10th to:

Karen Beam – 717-669-2113

Anne Shutter- atg244@comcast.net or 717-926-2137c

The food/essential products drive, benefiting the **Lebanon Rescue Mission**, will begin at the **Welcome Back Picnic, September 21**. Bring your donation to this and every club meeting until the end of this year and a final donation will be presented to The Mission to be distributed among their many programs including, but not limited to, Men's Life Change Program, Agape Family Shelter, Lebanon Free Clinic, Agape Christmas, Back Dock Ministries, Mobile Senior Pantry to name a few. Executive Director Susan Spahr-Blouch will be the guest speaker at October's meeting to enlighten us about the Mission's objectives.

An incentive to participate will be when a member makes their donation, a ticket will be issued to be entered into a grand prize final drawing made at the annual Christmas Party in December. The winner will receive a ski-related prize. (must be present to collect) The more you donate, the better your chances!



Lebanon Rescue Mission

FOOD DRIVE

Suggested Donations:

- Pasta • White Rice • Mac & Cheese
- Canned Fruit • Peanut Butter • Jelly • Condiments • Noodles • Tuna / Chicken • Cake mixes & icing
- Coffee • Tea • Sugar • Canned Vegetables • Soup • Beans
- All paper products: TP, paper towels, Kleenex, napkins
- All in one shampoo / conditioner
- Body wash & Pillow cases
- Gift cards: Aldi, Walmart, Weis

All food collected will be used to stock our pantry for meals served to our guests and community throughout the year, our Mobile Senior Pantry ministry, and shared with other local agencies to provide emergency support.

Food Drive

For more information, contact Heather at (717) 273-2301 or email: sblouch@lebanonrescuemission.org



WOLF SANCTUARY OF PA FULL MOON TOUR SATURDAY, OCTOBER 19

Come meet the Wolves of Speedwell! On 80+ natural woodland acres, you'll find over 50 gray wolves and wolf-dogs who find refuge from being improperly handled as household pets by misinformed individuals. At the sanctuary, these beautiful creatures are given their dignity back with devoted, quality care and an enriched environment.

The Full Moon Tour is from **7:30-10:00**, rain or shine. It's a self-guided/walking tour with volunteers stationed along the route to offer stories and facts about the wolves. A roaring bonfire is featured (so bring your hot dogs and smores fixins) along with live entertainment and a gift shop. So bring your blanket, chairs, a flashlight and a sense of adventure. It should be a beautiful night.

Cost: \$35 (this is one of their fundraisers)(must be 16 or older)

465 Speedwell Forge Road, Lititz

<http://wolfsanctuarypa.org/>

NEW LEBANON SKI & SPORT CLUB APPAREL

We have partnered with Hummelstown Print House for club apparel with our new logo.

Click the link for our custom store, orders will be shipped directly to you.



[CLICK HERE FOR THE SHOP PAGE ON OUR WEBSITE](#)

LAKE PLACID, NEW YORK AND WHITEFACE MOUNTAIN JANUARY 26-29, 2025

Our annual Lebanon Ski Club bus trip is Lake Placid, New York and *Whiteface Mountain*, host of the 1932 and 1980 Winter Olympics. Our lodging is at the *High Peaks Resort* located on Main Street in the center of the village of Lake Placid. Games on the bus !

High Peaks Resorts, overlooking the shores of Mirror Lake, is in the very heart of shopping, dining and entertainment district on Main Street. The High Peaks Resort is completely redesigned.

- All rooms have private balconies or patios, with lake or mountain views;
- Two indoor pools, two whirlpools, exercise room;
- Nightly Happy Hour and live entertainment in the Dancing Bear Lounge.
- Rooms are one king bed and sofa bed, or queen/queen or double/double bed.
- Daily Buffet Breakfast

<https://www.highpeaksresort.com/>

Lake Placid Village has activities, including cross country skiing, snowshoeing, bobsledding, luge, ice-skating, Olympic venues and more. Village activities and restaurants are located within walking distance of the High Peaks Resort. Complimentary snowshoes can be borrowed from the High Peaks Resort Guest Services desk (first come/first serve). The Whiteface Club & Resort's Nordic Center offers a full range of Alpina ski equipment and Tubbs snowshoes for rent. Lake Placid Village runs a shuttle during the day only. For more info on Lake Placid – click here <https://www.lakeplacid.com/>.

Whiteface Mountain offers the greatest vertical drop in the East—3,430 feet. Whiteface features 90 trails accessed by 11 lifts including the Cloudsplitter Gondola and the new high-speed War Horse quad. Major upgrades to the snowmaking system. 98% of the area is covered with snowmaking. For more information on Whiteface Mountain, click here - <https://whiteface.com/>

Cross-Country Skiing and Snowshoeing is available at Mt. Van Hoevenberg (the site of the 1980 Winter Olympics) and other Nordic areas close by. Ski and snowshoe rentals are available. <https://mtvanhoevenberg.com>

Trip includes: Round trip motor coach transportation, three nights lodging with breakfast buffet daily and 3-day lift ticket, or choice of 2-day consecutive lift ticket.

Cost:

Quad - \$660 per person	Deposit - \$300 upon sign-up
Triple - \$710 per person	
Double - \$800 per person	\$200 payment at October meeting – October 8 th
Single - \$1,070 per person	\$200 payment at November meeting – November 12 th
70+ - deduct \$100	Balance due at December meeting – December 10 th
Consecutive 2-day lift ticket – deduct \$35	
70+ Consecutive 2-day lift ticket – deduct \$110	
No lift ticket – deduct \$130	

Bus leaves at 9:00 A.M. on Sunday, January 26, 2025, at Sunset Grocery Outlet, 1650 N. 7th St., Lebanon, PA. Remember to bring your own snacks and lunch as Sunset Grocery is closed on Sundays.

Please send Trip Form <https://lebanonskiclub.com/trip-form/> and check payable to Lebanon Ski and Sport Club and mail to Deborah Bemserfer, 103 Hillside St., Lebanon PA 17042.

E:mail: Reeseski76@aol.com

Cell: 717-769-7473 Home – 717-272-6842



Banff, Alberta Canada

Ski the Big Three-Sunshine, Lake Louise and Norquay February 8th-15th 2025

6 Spaces Available

Final Sign Up needed by October Members Meeting

*****Must have Valid Passport *****

Trip Includes:

Airfare, 7 Nights Lodging, 5 Day Lift tickets-"Ski Big 3" lift pass, Complimentary Banff Roam bus passes-grocery stop on route from Calgary Airport to Fox Hotel and Suites.

1 Bedroom- 1 bathroom-\$2825

2 Bedroom- 2 bathroom- \$2915

Non-skier or Ikon Pass Holders-Deduct \$395

Skiers 65 and over can deduct \$108 from package!

6th day ski ticket will cost \$80

Over 65 Six day ticket cost- deduct \$51 from total trip cost!

**Ikon Pass can be purchased at <https://www.encompasse.com/passes>.

Please contact trip leader for password for purchase.

****Disclaimer**-Package is priced in US Dollars at a rate of USD \$1/ CAD \$1.38. Pricing subject to exchange rate fluctuation.

We will be staying at the Fox Hotel and Suites-<https://foxhotellandsuites.com/>

Suite Amenities

- Kitchen nook (small fridge, sink, microwave, toaster)
- Drip coffee maker and Tea Kettle
- In Room Safe
- Local Rocky Mountain Soap
- Complimentary Wi fi
- 2 Flat Panel Televisions
- Wake Up Calls
- Hair Dryer
- Iron / Ironing Board

Hotel Amenities

- Hot pool, sauna
- Fitness room
- On-site guest laundry
- [Chili's Grill & Bar](#)
- Complimentary Wi fi
- Complimentary underground parking
- Complimentary Banff Roam bus passes-
<https://roamtransit.com/schedules-routes/>
- [Key to Banff](#) Savings program-
<https://keytobanff.com>

Cave and Basin inspired Hot Pool

Our special indoor hot pool is a one-of-a-kind experience, with an open roof letting natural elements filter down. It is inspired by the original historic Cave and Basin where the original hot springs in Banff were founded



Airline Flights-United

*** Update Schedule***

UA 2383 08FEB SA PHILADELPHIA-DENVER 8:00A 10:05A
UA 2459 08FEB SA DENVER-CALGARY 11:39A 2:21P

UA 1655 15FEB SA CALGARY-CHICAGO 12:41P 5:08P
UA 1776 15FEB SA CHICAGO-PHILADELPHIA 6:25P 9:32P

Ski the Big Three

Sunshine- <https://www.skibig3.com/ski/resorts/banff-sunshine>

Banff Sunshine sits high on the Continental Divide in the heart of Banff National Park just 15 minutes' drive from the cozy mountain town of Banff. The world-renowned resort features more than 3,300 acres of skiable terrain, ranging from gentle beginner runs all the way up to extreme big mountain runs. Sunshine's very own Delirium Dive has been named one of the 10 top off-piste destinations in the world.

- 3,328 Acres
- 12 Lifts including 1 Gondola, 6 High Speed Quads, 1 Heated Bubble Quad
- 137 Runs
 - 20% Beginner/55% Intermediate/25% Advanced

Lake Louise- <https://www.skibig3.com/ski/resorts/lake-louise>

Known as Canada's Friendly Giant

Lake Louise Ski Resort is known for its spectacular scenery and versatile terrain. With over 4,200 acres spread across four mountain faces, Lake Louise is also one of the largest ski resorts in North America. Lake Louise is known for its variety from gentle slopes and long cruising runs, to glades, chutes and some of the Canadian Rockies most exciting, wide open bowls.

- 4,200 Acres
- 11 Lifts including 1 Gondola, 5 Quads, 1 Highspeed 6 Pack
- 164 Runs
 - 25% Beginner/56% Intermediate/30% Advanced

Norquay-<https://www.skibig3.com/ski/resorts/mt-norquay>

Explore Banff's Best Kept Secret

Norquay Ski Resort continues to be the locals' gem. Famous for being the training ground of Olympic and World Cup athletes, and with excellent beginner terrain, everyone will love this family-friendly resort. Norquay offers outstanding conditions for beginner, intermediate and advanced skiers and riders as well as Tube Town – 6 lanes of tubing fun.

- 190 Acres
- 6 Lift including 2 quad, 1 high speed quad
- 60 Runs
- 31% Beginner/25% Intermediate/44 Advanced

Things to do in Banff on bus route

- Sulphur Mountain-<https://www.banffjaspercollection.com/attractions/banff-gondola/hours-location/>
- Hot Springs-<https://hotsprings.ca/Banff/>

- Tunnel Mountain-<https://www.alltrails.com/trail/canada/alberta/tunnel-mountain-summit>
- Cave & Basin-<https://parks.canada.ca/lhn-nhs/ab/caveandbasin>
- Lake Minnewanke- <https://www.banfflakelouise.com/experiences/lake-minnewanka>
- Johnston Caves- <https://www.banfflakelouise.com/experiences/johnston-canyon>
- Moraine Lake Falls- <https://www.banfflakelouise.com/experiences/moraine-lake>
- <https://banfftours.com/winter/>

Payment Schedule:

\$600 Due at sign up

\$800- July 1st

\$800- Due September Picnic

Balance Due October Member Meeting

Trip Limit-20 People

2- one bedroom

4- two bedroom

[It is recommended that you purchase trip insurance for ALL Western trips!!!](#)

Trip Leader:

Gordon Shutter

420 Rexmont Road

Lebanon, PA 17042

717-273-4346-Home

717-679-1325-Cell



Aspen/Snowmass, Ski in / Ski Out

March 8 to March 15, 2025

Trip Currently Full- Waitlist Established

The trip includes airfare, 7 nights of lodging, airport transfers from Denver to Snowmass Village, 5 day lift tickets that can be used at Snowmass or Aspen.

If you are signed up for this trip, please watch your email for potential airfare schedule updates.

If you have interest in this trip and want to be added to the waitlist, please reach out to Chris Riegel Trip Leader at 610-451-6958 or president@lebanonskiclub.com

Trip details at:

<https://lebanonskiclub.com/snowmass-co/>



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

MEMBERSHIP YEAR 2024/2025

Membership begins April 1 and expires Mar 31st

All trip participants must be current LSSCI Members

Membership Type: New Member Renewal

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

Family - \$35.00 Individual - \$25.00

Family Memberships are for families residing at the same house
address including children age 25 or younger.

NAMES: _____

Address _____

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 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** _____

LEBANON SKI & SPORT CLUB, Inc. (LSSCI) - TRIP/EVENT REGISTRATION FORM 2024/2025

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. INITIAL _____

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 on your legal travel document, Drivers' License, Passport, etc.)

Name 1: _____

Name 2: _____

Address: _____

Circle one:

I/We wish to fly with the club on their available air package.

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 _____

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. _____ Deposit Amount \$ _____ Date _____

Name 1: Birth date: ____ / ____ / ____
Month Day Year

Name 2: Birth date: ____ / ____ / ____
Month Day Year

PARTICIPANT SIGNATURES Name 1 _____ Name 2 _____



UPCOMING EVENTS!

September 21, 2024 - Welcome Back Picnic at Yeagley's Farmette and start Food Drive For Rescue Mission

September 28-29, 2024 -Gettysburg Battlefield Bike Ride

October 8, 2024 – Membership Meeting, Heisey's Diner

October 19, 2024 - Wolf Sanctuary Full Moon Tour

November 3, 2024 - Bowling at Fredericksburg Center

November 12, 2024 – Membership Meeting, Heisey's Diner

November 23, 2024 - Lebanon Holiday Parade

November 30, 2024 - Myerstown Holiday Parade

December 10, 2024 - Membership Meeting and Holiday Dinner (w/ 50/50; games; Ugly Sweater Contest; food, and Food Drive for Rescue Mission Collection finale)

January 26-29, 2025 - Lake Placid, New York and Whiteface Mountain

January 14, 2025 - Membership Meeting, Heisey's Diner

February 8th-15th 2025 - Banff, Alberta Canada

February 11, 2025 - Membership Meeting, Heisey's Diner

March 8 - March 15, 2025 - Aspen/Snowmass

March 11, 2025 - Membership Meeting, Heisey's Diner

April 8, 2025 - Membership Meeting, Heisey's Diner

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