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President's Message

Fresh powder has blessed us on our trips to Elk and Lake Placid / Whiteface. Thank you, Ron Birch for leading our Elk trip, where about twenty-eight people participated in skiing and enjoying fellowship in the warming hut for lunch on both days. In Lake Placid, club members visited the Olympic sites, including the ski jump, museum, and 1980 Miracle On Ice arena. Members also went snowshoeing and a few took a ride on a dog sled. On the final day of skiing, we had 10" of fresh powder. Thank you, Deb Bemesderfer, for leading this trip. The first western trip to Banff is approaching fast. If you missed our January meeting, we had Eric Mason from Leading Edge Cyclery, a new bike shop in Quentin, come talk with us. For our February 11th membership meeting, Max from The Outfitters Ski Shop in Lancaster will be talking about gear. **Our March meeting is changed to March 4th because of a conflict with the Aspen/ Snowmass trip from March 8th to March 15th.**

Chris

Chris Riegel, President
Lebanon Ski and Sport Club

**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
February 11th
7:30 P.M.
Heisey's Diner –
1740 PA 72 17046, Lebanon PA**

SPECIAL DATE FOR MARCH MEETING

As the trip to Snowmass, Colorado, is March 8 to March 15, 2025, the March general membership meeting will be conducted on March 4, 2025, starting at 7:30 P.M. at Heisey's Diner.

Banff, Alberta Canada

Ski the Big Three- Sunshine, Lake Louise and Norquay



February 8th-15th 2025

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.

Trip details at: <https://lebanonskiclub.com/banff/>

Trip Leader:

**Gordon Shutter
420 Rexmont Road
Lebanon, PA 17042
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SNOWMASS COLORADO

Aspen/Snowmass, Ski in / Ski Out

March 8 to March 15, 2025

Luggage Tags have arrived – I will have them at the February 11 and March 4 Club Meetings or hand them out on the bus the morning we leave.

This is our current flight numbers and times out of Washington Dulles/Denver:

UA 1926 08MAR SA DULLES-DENVER 10:05A 12:17P

UA 741 15MAR SA DENVER-DULLES 1:40P 6:57P

Lodging is at Crestwood: <https://www.thecrestwood.com/>

Contact info: Chris Riegel Trip leader at 610-451-6958 or

president@lebanonskiclub.com

Please arrive at Sunset Market by **4:30 AM** so that we can load luggage and be on the road by **4:45 AM**

4:30 AM Bus arrives -Melard Coach

4:45 AM Bus departs Sunset Market, 1650 N 7th St #1, Lebanon, PA 17046

More detailed Itinerary coming soon via email to trip participants.



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

41 participants had an enjoyable time either skiing, snowshoeing, hiking, dining, embibing on delicious drinks, eating pizza, dog sledding, shopping and visiting the Olympic Museum and other Olympic sites.

Deb Bemdeserfer – Trip Leader



PROPOSED BIKE TRIP TO MARYLAND

In follow up of the Gettysburg battlefield tour last year Dean Achenbach, President of the Lebanon Bicycle Coalition and Lebanon Ski Club member, is planning a bicycle tour of the Antietam battlefield in Sharpsburg, Maryland. It would be scheduled in late September or October. The tour would be on a Saturday for those who want to drive down for just the day (about a 2 hour drive from Lebanon County).

If people wanted an overnight weekend trip we could stay in Harper's Ferry, West Virginia and tour that by bicycle and perhaps also do a ride on the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal towpath.

Dean Auchenbach



A hike in the spring has been proposed by a board member. Stay tuned for further information.

Federal REAL ID enforcement begins May 2025

Department of Homeland Security has postponed the enforcement date for REAL ID from October 1, 2021, to **May 7, 2025**, in response to COVID-19 and the national emergency declaration.

Attending a trip after May 7, 2025, that includes airfare will require you to have a REAL ID Driver's License and/or Passport.

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](#)



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!

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

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

March 4, 2025 - Membership Meeting, Heisey's Diner – SPECIAL DATE

March 8 - March 15, 2025 - Aspen/Snowmass

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

Proposed Non-Ski trips:

- Hike in the Spring
- Antietam battlefield in Sharpsburg, Maryland, with optional overnight stay in Harper's Ferry, West Virginia and tour that area by bicycle and perhaps also do a ride on the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal towpath – September or October

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