

LEBANON SKI AND SPORT CLUB - BOARD MEETING

September 3, 2025 - Via Zoom

Called to order at 640 pm by President Chris Riegel.

In attendance: Chris Riegel, Heidi Allison, Linda Billmyer, Jack Billmyer, Tom Jannett, Deb Binkley and Deb Bemederfer.

Meeting minutes from prior board meeting held August 6, 2025, were approved upon motion of Heidi Allison and seconded by Tom Jannett.

TREASURER - Tom Jannett said that he mailed a check to Banchi Tours for the Sunday River trip. Our Treasury balance is now \$3,368. Tom sent a report to board members on September 2.

SECRETARY – The position is vacant. Chris said that he left a message for Vicky Peters to ask if she was interested in serving as Secretary,

COMMITTEE REPORTS

TRIP OVERSIGHT – Heidi Allison presented an update on the Western trip to Copper Mountain, Colorado January 31 – February 7, 2026.

24 people including Heidi are going. Heidi said there might be 3 to 4 other people interested. Heidi said she will turn back some rooms. She also inquired about a 70+ discount at Cooper Mountain. She was told there is none.

Elk Mt. – No report.

Sunday River, Maine – Chris has six (6) signed up as of today. He said there are other members interested. 16 is mandatory, 20 is ideal.

Bolton Valley – Heidi said that she has the Banchi Tours contract. Heidi will review contract. Tom will be the trip leader, assisted by Heidi; however, Heidi will not go on the trip.

Taos, New Mexico (2027) – Heidi said she has no new information. There will be a \$1,000 deposit which will not be due until another ski club is interested in our dates.

Linda Billmyer spoke briefly about the upcoming bike trip to Antietam battlefield to be led by Dean Achenbach. There are 7 people, including Jack and Linda, who are going.

PROGRAMS – Linda Billmyer is coordinating a speaker for the Lebanon Valley Conservancy for the October meeting and a speaker concerning concussion after care for

the November meeting. Linda also asked about gratuity to speakers. She was told that the speakers are invited to dinner at Heisey's prior to the dinner.

MEMBERSHIP – Deb Binkley said that membership increased by one member as of yesterday.

The Aging Your Way Festival (formerly the 50+ Plus Festival) will be held October 9, 2025 at the Lebanon Expo Center. A discussion was held if the Club wants to set up a marketing table at the Festival. It was decided not to set up a marketing table for this year. However, some Board members said they will attend the Festival on October 9th to see if this Festival is an option for 2026.

PUBLICATION – Deb Bemederfer said she needs newsletter articles as soon as possible. Heidi explained the current situation with the Club's website. She believes it will need to be rebuilt. WordPress updated the software. Our WordPress version is not working with the new version. Heidi will continue to work on this issue.

SOCIAL COORDINATOR – A discussion was held regarding conducting another food drive for the Lebanon Rescue Mission as the Club did in 2024. Heidi said she will email the Executive Director at the Mission. A food drive will start at the picnic and continue through the December meeting. There will be no prize drawn for the most items donated as last year.

OLD BUSINESS

The annual Club picnic will be held on September 20th at Kevin Yeagley's farmette. All arrangements are on track.

Elaine Ludwig will conduct a bowling event on October 25th at the Fredericksburg Bowling Alley. There is an article in the newsletter.

NEW BUSINESS

Tom asked if he should pay the Eastern PA Ski Council annual dues of \$100. He was instructed to do so.

Next Board Meeting – October 1st.

The meeting adjourned at 7:45 pm on motion of Deb Binkley and seconded by Heidi.

Respectfully submitted,

Deb Bemederfer (in the absence of a Secretary)