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LSC HOLIDAY PARTY



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26-28 West King Street, Lancaster PA 17603

Friday, December 16

7:00PM to 10:30PM/11:00PM

Hors D'Oeuvres & Cash Bar

Live Band "Bob Noble & Blue Voodoo"

Join in the socializing, music, dancing, and merriment at LSC's annual Holiday Party! Doors open at 7:00 and the live music begins at 7:30 featuring "Bob Noble & Blue Voodoo" (who played 2015's event).

Cost is \$20 per person if RSVP and payment are received by December 2; otherwise, cost is \$25 per person after December 2 thru to "at the door". Payments can be made by mail to Joanne Jones at: 2010 Edgemont Drive, East Petersburg PA 17520.

Parking is free on the street or at the Central Parking Garage. See you there!

Joanne Jones, Social Committee Member
jjski816@gmail.com or (717) 468-4963

CALENDAR OF UPCOMING EVENTS	SKI CLUB MEETINGS/EVENTS	SKI CLUB TRIPS 2017
<p>HAPPY HOURS</p> <p>12/2 - Federal Taphouse 12/9 - Chancey's Pub (East Petersburg) 12/16 - LSC Holiday Party @ The Pressroom 12/23 - The Belvedere Inn 12/30 - Iron Hill Brewery & Restaurant</p>	<p>12/16 - Holiday Party - The Pressroom 1/19 - Membership Meeting - Tellus360 2/12 - LSC Club Race - SkiRoundtop 2/16 - Membership Meeting - Loxley's 3/16 - Membership Meeting - Loxley's 4/22 - Spring Dance - Meadia Heights</p>	<p>1/14-1/22 Cervinia, IT 1/26-1/29 Lake Placid, NY 2/26-3/3 Tremblant, QC 3/11-3/18 Whistler, BC</p> <p>Day Bus Trips: 2/3 Elk Mountain 2/17 Seven Springs</p> <p><i>Plus additional short trips to be announced! Watch for upcoming Eblasts!</i></p>

The Prez Sez:

'Tis the season for, well, lots of stuff. It's hard to believe the presidential election is finally over, we have snow falling by the foot out west, and yes, it's also the holiday season. It seems as though everyone's schedules are just crazy at this time of year. There are so many gatherings to attend - for co-workers, for families, and for friends. Our own LSC Holiday Party is December 16 at The Pressroom. Last year's party was a great time and this year's early ticket sales show that we are going to once again pack the place. I hope you can plan to attend and have a relaxing evening with friends old and new. There is sure to be a lot of talk of upcoming trips.

There are still some great trip opportunities that you can get in on. The Cervinia, Italy trip is just next month and we have almost 50 people signed up. (This trip has international incident written all over it.) While this trip is sold out, there are still seats open on the Whiteface/EPSC Winter Carnival trip and the Mont Tremblant trip. These are two trips to absolutely incredible destinations. Don't miss out!

If you are able, I hope you consider donating to a worthwhile charity this holiday season. There are a million charities out there, please find one that benefits a need that you feel strongly about. The next step is a very important step. Do some research on the charity and make sure they are reputable and responsible in their actions. There are websites out there, like www.charitynavigator.org that give breakdowns of a group's transparency and effectiveness in their use of donations. These are great tools to ensure that you are actually helping the ones that need help.

During these upcoming holidays, I hope you all have the time to enjoy the people and activities that are truly important to you.

Patrick Lever
LSC President
ptlever@comcast.net | (717) 887-2263

About the Newsletter:

Visit our website www.lancasterskiclub.net for the web newsletter, to download application forms, and for more information on all trips and social activities.

The print version will be mailed to all members every other month beginning May, 2013; however, the web newsletter will be updated monthly on our website.

If you have any suggestions regarding the newsletter, please contact Jason Frederick at jayandjason@gmail.com.

And don't forget to check out LSC on Facebook and Meetup! Also, watch your email for our weekly Eblasts!

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS (FOR THE FIRST TIME!!)

Brian Heckert
Carling Rock
Ashley Blount
Mike Aliotta
Katie Rathman
Burt Shirley

Upon joining the club, please visit the LSC Peddler. Simply redeem your coupon at one of the regular club meetings to receive your complimentary gift.

LSC membership runs from March 1 through April 30 of the following year.

If you changed your mailing and/or email address, please send your new information to: Kris Miller / Membership Chair, so you can continue to receive the flyer & update emails: kmdoman@live.com.



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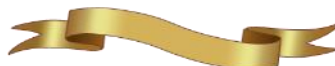
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LSC MONTHLY BOARD MEETING

**Friday December 16, 2016
6:30PM**

No Host

The Pressroom
26-28 West King Street
Lancaster, PA 17603

*Held immediately prior to
LSC Holiday Party*

Board meetings are open to all LSC club members. Please contact the board president to let them know you are planning to attend.

MEMBERSHIP MEETING & "MEET & GREET" NIGHT



- When:** Thursday, January 19, 2016
7:00PM-9:00PM
- Where:** Tellus360
24 E King Street, Lancaster
- Cost:** Free
- Info:** Don Benninger | (717) 390-0622 | dhbenninger@verizon.net
- Featuring:** Trip Displays, Peddler Items, Trivia Give-Aways, Snack Food, & Cash Bar.
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Reminders

- LSC Board Member Nominations Open January 2017... *Think about volunteering!*
 Jack Kalasky Memorial Auction Slated February 2017... *Consider donating an auction item!*
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2016-2017 Day Bus Trips



Elk Mountain – Friday February 3, 2017

Price: \$99.00/person (1-hour lunch included)
Trip Leader: Jason Frederick
843 Hillaire Road
Lancaster, PA 17601
717-371-5792 or jayandjason@gmail.com



Seven Springs – Friday February 17, 2017

Price: \$87.00/person
Trip Leader: Dean Vitatoe
3182 Greentree Drive
Lancaster, PA. 17601
717-468-9653 or dvitatoe@wohlsen.com

A non-refundable deposit of \$40/person (check made payable to the Lancaster Ski Club) is needed to reserve your seat on the bus along with a signed trip application form. Trip price includes: bus transportation, lift ticket, limited snacks on the bus, and bus driver tip. Please feel free to bring your own snacks and beverages. Coolers are permitted, but should be reasonably sized and cannot obstruct the aisle.

All day trips will depart Lancaster at 6:00AM. The Elk trip will depart the mountain at 5:00PM and the Seven Springs trip will depart the mountain at 7:00PM. Your Seven Springs day lift ticket is valid until 7:00PM.

Trip Committee Update:

On behalf of the Trip Committee, we would like to wish everyone a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Our major trip to Whistler is full and Brian Leatherman is taking names for a waiting list. Our combined trip with the Merck Ski Association to Cervinia, Italy is also full and Stefanie Stoyanov is taking names for a waiting list. We would like to thank all of you that have signed up for these two great destinations.

The midweek trip to Mont Tremblant, Canada is February 26, 2017 thru March 3, 2017 and still has some space available. This is the #1 Ski Destination in the East for multiple years. There are multiple rooming options and we encourage families to sign up for this trip. Please contact Jon Doman for information on your trip to the #1 ski destination in the East.

Our weekend trip to Whiteface/Lake Placid January 26-29, 2017 will fill up fast so please contact Kris Miller to sign up. Whiteface has already received 5+ inches of snow this year. Come along to explore one of the past Winter Olympic destinations in the USA. There will be options for those that would like to experience some of the Olympic events.

Day trips to Elk Mountain February 3, 2017, and Seven Springs on February 17, 2017 are now on sale and we look forward to seeing you on the day trips. All day trips are open to guests. This is a great way to get your friends and or family to come along and see what all the comradery is about in being a member of the Lancaster Ski Club.

For more detailed information on the trips please check out information in the newsletter or on the LSC website at www.lancasterskiclub.net

If you would like pricing for any trip with children or if you have any questions in regards to the trips, trip application or the sign up policy, please contact me directly.

Jon Doman, Trip Chairperson
jkdoman@aol.com or (717) 572-3457



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(610) 755-2672



3/11/17 To
3/18/17

WHISTLER BLACKCOMB

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Contact **Brian Leatherman**
for more information.

BCLeatherman@gmail.com
(646) 584-8161



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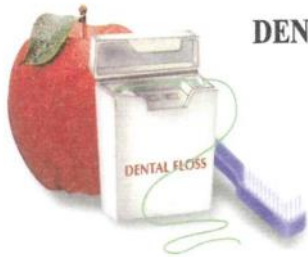
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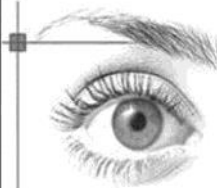
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Mont Tremblant, Canada



February 26 - March 3, 2017

ONLY \$595pp/quad occup. for a 2 bedroom suite or
\$735pp/dbl. occup. for a 1 bedroom suite or
\$690pp/dbl. occup. for a studio

Trip Price includes:

Roundtrip Motor Coach transportation
5 Nights Lodging at Residence Inn Marriott
Daily Hot & Cold Buffet Breakfast

Snacks & Beverages on the bus
Après Ski Party

Hotel Features:

Complimentary WIFI
2 Exterior Hot Tubs
Ski In for lunch and/or at the end of the day

Fully Equipped Kitchen in Suites
Ski Storage

Mountain Features:

Get a taste of Europe only 80 miles north of Montreal. Mont Tremblant will impress you with magnificent panoramic views of the Laurentians Mountains. Walk outside of our hotel and enjoy the on-mountain, pedestrian-only village, home to abundant dining, lodging, shopping options and even a Casino!

When you're out on Tremblant mountain, you will enjoy long and perfectly groomed 32% intermediate and 21% beginner trails. Advanced and experts (47%) will find excellent mogul trails and some tree glades. There's also a terrain park consisting of 40 features spread across 40 acres with a 10,000 watt sound system. Tremblant receives abundant snowfalls and has an extensive state of the art snow-making infrastructure. Overall, there's a great mix of over 650 acres of terrain that caters to all abilities from beginners to experts with 96 runs and 14 lifts.

Lift Tickets:

Lift tickets are \$49pp/day at an added cost & Seniors 65+, only \$41pp/day

Trip Leader: Jon Doman, Contact info: jkdoman@aol.com or 717-572-3457

Make checks payable to Lancaster Ski Club and mail your check, signed trip application, and a photocopy of your passport* to: Jon Doman, 260 Carmen Drive, Collegeville PA 19426

Payment Schedule

\$200.00 Initial Deposit
\$300.00 Due by Nov. 4, 2016
Bal. Due by Jan. 27, 2017

Cancellation Policy

\$100.00 Fee prior to Nov. 4, 2016
\$250.00 Fee Nov. 4, 2016-Jan. 26, 2017
NO REFUND after Jan. 26, 2017

Any surcharges, taxes, and/or supplements added and lift ticket pricing after the initial pricing of trip at sign-up, are the sole responsibility of trip participant. *Passport must be valid for 6 months after trip.

Please read and sign the sign-up policy before making your deposit.

EPSC Carnival Trip - Whiteface/Lake Placid, NY



January 26-29, 2017

\$599.00 per person/double occupancy

\$529.00 per person/triple occupancy

\$489.00 per person/quad occupancy

Features:

- Round-trip coach bus transportation
 - 3 nights lodging at the Hampton Inn
 - Breakfast daily
 - Welcome reception
 - Group dinner
 - Ski Race
 - Two-day lift ticket at Whiteface
 - 1/2 day lift ticket at Gore Mountain
- * Non skiers/boarders cost is only \$549.00 per person double occupancy ***

As a two-time host to the Winter Olympics, Lake Placid made its name as the winter sports capital of the world. With the greatest vertical drop in the East at 3,430 feet, you'll be at the top of northeast skiing! Whiteface offers 288 skiable acres with 35 acres of in-bounds, off-piste double black diamond wilderness terrain skiing on The Slides, and 53 acres of glades skiing. But this mountain village is much more than just a venue for athletic achievement. The Hampton Inn is just a short walk to Main Street where shops and restaurants are located. The hotel also has an indoor pool and whirlpool to enjoy after a long day of skiing!

Trip Leader: Kris Miller, 1124 Willow Street Pike, Lancaster, Pa 17602
email: kmdoman@live.com phone: 717-575-3835

-Payment Schedule-

\$100.00 Initial Deposit
\$300.00 Due by Oct. 21, 2016
Bal. Due by Dec. 2, 2016

-Cancellation Policy-

\$50.00 Fee prior to Oct. 21, 2016
\$200.00 Fee Oct. 22- Dec. 1, 2016
NO REFUND after Dec.1, 2016

Any fuel surcharges/ taxes and or supplements added after the initial pricing of the trip at sign up are the sole responsibility of the trip participant.

Please read and sign the sign-up policy before making your deposit

Make checks payable to Lancaster Ski Club and mail to:
Kris Miller, 1124 Willow Street Pike, Lancaster PA 17602

LANCASTER SKI CLUB TRIP APPLICATION FORM

Please **PRINT** all information and send **this form** along with your **deposit** (check made payable to the **LANCASTER SKI CLUB**) and a **copy of your passport and/or drivers license** (if air travel is involved) to the trip leader. (You may photocopy this form as many times as needed.)

TRIP NAME _____ CHECK # _____ AMOUNT _____

FULL NAME(S)(as on driver's license or passport) _____

STREET _____ CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP CODE _____

PHONE (CELL) _____ (HOME) _____ E-MAIL _____

NAME OF PERSON(S) YOU WISH TO ROOM WITH _____

ROOM (CIRCLE ONE): SINGLE / DOUBLE / TRIPLE / QUAD # OF RENTALS _____ # OF LESSONS _____

EMERGENCY CONTACT: NAME: _____ RELATIONSHIP _____

PHONE (CELL) _____ (HOME) _____ E-MAIL _____

STREET _____ CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP CODE _____

HEALTH INSURER _____ PHONE _____ POLICY # _____

I/We, the Undersigned, have read, understand and will abide by all trip provisions and conditions as set forth in the official trip materials, the Trip Sign-Up Policy, the Release of Liability, the Trip Change Policy, the LSC By-laws and the LSC Constitution.

SIGNATURE(S) _____ **DATE** _____

SIGNATURE(S) _____ **DATE** _____

TRIP SIGN-UP POLICY

1. ELIGIBILITY:

A. Weekend and major trips are only open to LSC members unless otherwise designated by the Board of Directors ("BOD"). Day trips will be open to non-members 30 days after they are open to members. For the purposes of trip eligibility, a person is considered a member upon receipt of their membership application and dues.

B. Trips are open to eligible Adult (21 and over) and Junior (18-21) members. Family members less than 18 years of age are eligible to participate on trips (unless the trip is designated as "Adults only"), but must be accompanied by a parent or guardian. Grandchildren of eligible members under age 18 are included as family members.

2. CONFIRMATION AND PAYMENTS:

A. Sign-up for all club trips must include a valid check (no cash) for the initial deposit and a completed application form.

B. Trips will be filled as follows: Applications received by US Mail will have first priority and will be accepted in the order of postmark date, beginning with the opening date as announced in the LSC *Steep and Deep* publication. Applications postmarked prior to the opening date are invalid and will be returned. Hand-delivered applications will be recorded after postmarked ones of that same date, in the order that they are received. Metered, uncanceled and illegibly postmarked mail will be considered as postmarked the day before delivery.

C. If there are more applications with the same postmark than available spaces, a lottery system will be utilized. Delayed mail received more than 7 days after the postmark date will not receive priority over other applications already received.

D. The initial deposit amount and the schedule for the remaining payments will be stated in the official announcement for each trip. **A \$10.00 per week late fee applies for all payments not received or postmarked by the due date.**

E. Returned checks will subject applicant to a \$25.00 penalty plus actual bank charges incurred by LSC. Further, the status of any participant whose check is returned will be determined to be unpaid until the original check and all related charges are satisfied. Actions to be taken as a result of the unpaid status of the participant will be at the discretion of the BOD on a case-by-case basis, as stated the LSC Bylaws.

3. CANCELLATIONS:

A. If a trip participant cancels off a trip, it is the participant's responsibility, not the trip leader's, to find a replacement. The participant **MUST** contact the trip leader to give notification of their desire to cancel and get the names of those on the waiting list.

B. The cancellation policy covering costs, penalty fees and refunds will be stated in the official announcement for each trip.

C. LSC shall not be responsible for trip cancellations or delays due to events or conditions not within the control of LSC. In such an event, the trip chairperson and trip leader will make every effort to recovery any costs. To the extent that such costs are able to be recovered, appropriate refunds may be made to the trip participants at the discretion of the BOD. Optional travel insurance is available through various insurance companies.

4. ROOM REQUESTS:

A. Room requests should be specified on the application form. Although every effort will be made to honor these requests, we cannot guarantee them due to lodging configurations.

B. Trip Applicants are encouraged to sign up as a full unit. If the applicant does not have a full unit they must be willing to accept and pay for the best available rooming option as determined by the trip leader.

5. RELEASE OF LIABILITY: By signing this trip application form the following stipulations apply. It is understood and accepted that skiing/boarding is an inherently dangerous sport with associated risks. All such risks are assumed, whether skiing/boarding or non-skiing. LSC, its Board of Directors or trip leaders shall not be held responsible for any claims, injuries, or losses of any kind as a result of participation in this trip or activity.

6. TRIP CHANGE POLICY: The Lancaster Ski Club reserves the right to make changes in trip details where such changes are in the best interest of the Lancaster Ski Club and the trip participants. Neither Lancaster Ski Club nor its representatives assume any obligation or responsibility for any matters not within their control. **Any fuel surcharges/taxes and/or supplements added after the initial pricing of the trip at sign-up are the sole responsibility of the trip participant.**

7. ILLEGAL DRUGS AND ALCOHOL POLICY: LSC and its members will strictly adhere to any and all Foreign Countries, U.S. Federal and state laws regarding the use of alcoholic beverages and/or illegal drugs. As stated in the LSC constitution and by-laws, membership may be revoked by the Board of Directors for behavior not consistent with good sportsmanship or otherwise detrimental to the reputation of the Club.

Updated 7/27/2016

30TH ANNUAL CLUB RACE & FAMILY SKI DAY



**Ski Roundtop
Mountain Resort
Sunday, February 12**



- 8:00AM Mountain Opens**
8:30AM Race Registration Opens
**11:00AM LSC "Rush Burnett Memorial" Club Race, followed by
Inter-Club Troeg's Challenge Cup Race**
2:00PM Celebration Party

Don't miss this big celebration of LSC's 30th year of bringing club members, families, and guests together for a fantastic day of skiing, racing, and partying at Ski Roundtop Mountain Resort!

Cost of the club race and/or to party is just \$5.00 and includes great food and beverages. Cost of the inter-club race is \$10.00. Everyone can purchase a discount lift ticket to ski or ride the mountain as they wish. Arrive before the races to get in lots of early, all-mountain skiing! Parking is free.

Plan to bring the whole family - and guests - for a day of skiing, boarding, tubing and partying where LSC has enjoyed 30 years of being there to ***Rush For The Gold!*** Additional details to follow in upcoming Eblasts and January's Steep & Deep. See you there!

Gee Kalasky, Race Coordinator
gkalasky@gmail.com or (717) 533-4262

Meet Your LSC Leadership Team:

Name - Jessica Briskie

Current LSC Position - Social Chairperson

Married - No

Occupation - Business Process and Project Portfolio Analyst

Where Do You Live - Lititz

Where Did You Grow Up - Lititz

Do you have any pets? - No

Favorite place you have skied? - Jackson Hole, WY

What are you doing when you're not on the slopes? - I have a variety of interests from crazy adventures such as sky diving and bungee jumping to more mild activities like reading, painting, and photography. I also love to travel and have been to all 50 states and several countries.



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MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION 3/11



Make checks payable to Lancaster Ski Club
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TYPE OF MEMBERSHIP (check one):

- Adult Single Membership: \$20.00 (One person, 21+ years old)
- Family Membership: \$30.00 (Adult[s] w/under 18 children- same address)
- Junior Membership: \$20.00 (One person, 18-21 years old)

NEW MEMBER
 RENEWAL

Membership Terms:
 1) Purchased BEFORE March 1st of the current year EXPIRES on APRIL 30th of the current year.
 2) Purchased AFTER MARCH 1st of the current year will EXPIRE APRIL 30th of the next year.

NAME		CELL PHONE	
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By signing below, applicant agrees to abide by the Lancaster Ski Club's By-Laws and Policies (available on the Web Site):

Applicant's Signature _____ New Member Sponsor _____
 Date ____/____/20____