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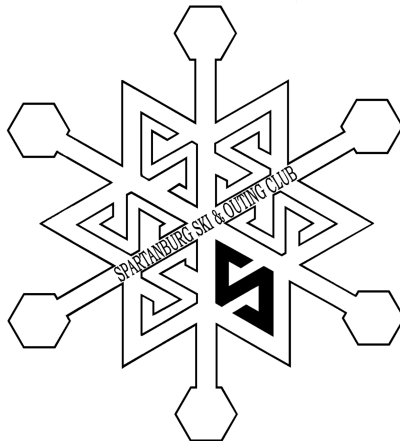
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Jan. 3rd - Club Meeting - Chili Cook-Off (Page 3)



Jan. 9th - Mini-Social at Branzino's (Page 3)



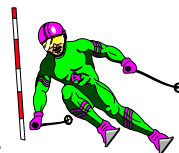
Jan. 12th-19th - CSC Ski Week at Crested Butte



Races

Jan. 5th-6th - Sugar Mtn.

Jan. 26th-27th - Appalachian Ski Mtn.



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PRESIDENT'S CORNER...

Happy New Year! I trust all of you had a good Christmas and a safe New Year's Eve. This time last month the weather was a whole lot warmer than it is as I write this tonight. I do believe the winds are going to bring us some cold weather and maybe the start of some natural snow. And even better, the local ski areas can make their own to help out Mother Nature. And it looks like you are going to have lots of the real stuff out west this coming month. The season is finally here!

Crescent will be heading off soon to Crested Butte in a few weeks, and our club will have its annual weekend at Roan Mt., along with the club race, around the first part of February. The cabins are extra cheap this year, half price, so be sure and sign up with Carol ASAP. A two night stay is about \$150.00 for the entire cabin. Spring conference at Myrtle Beach (Kingston Plantation) will be in April, and Carol is already getting deposits for that one.

Pat always finds a way to make out dining out socials a lovely evening, and she has still found a few new places for the upcoming months. Attendance is climbing every month, so please come and join us if you haven't already. You will never know what your missing.

Jan is planning on a lot of you bringing chili to our January meeting. We always like *SAMPLING* the different varieties that our club chefs concoct. Hiking, wine vineyards, dinner and a movie, rafting and camping are just some of the activities on the agenda for this new year, so please come to our meetings and see what's going on.

See you in January!

Conni



GET OUT THOSE CROCK POTS

We'll hold our chili taste off at the January 3 meeting. This is always a fun meeting because we can mix and mingle the night away. There will be prizes for the top two vote getters. So dig out your best recipes and crock pots and let us sample your best efforts.

See you for the contest. The club will include soda, crackers, shredded cheese, sour cream, and tasting cups and spoons. In order to have enough electrical connections to keep that hot chili "hot", phone me so there will be ample plug-in spaces available.

Business will be first to allow ample time for tasting, talking, and voting. The room will open at 7:00 PM.

Jan Sarratt
(864) 489-1606



January Mini-Social

We'll start the new year with a new restaurant that's opening up in Boiling Springs. It's Branzinos Grill at 1926 Boiling Springs Highway #9. We'll meet at the 6:30 hour on Wednesday January 9th. I'll send out a menu as soon as they post one online. Sign up at the December 6th or January 3rd meeting, by email or call me at 472-2253.

Guests are always welcome. Bring a hungry friend. Pat Lee

What a great time we had at our November social held at Outback Steakhouse. Some of our industrious web-surfers found out how to get a free wings appetizer to anyone who asked and naturally.....we *all* asked. A total of 20 people hung out with the local "Aussies".



CSC RACE SERIES SPONSORS OF THE MONTH

The following businesses have donated merchandise and/or certificates to the Crescent Ski Council. Their merchandise and certificates will be used as prizes to the top three finishers in each flight of the CSC Race Series. Please support these establishments and product lines at every possible opportunity.

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I'M JUST SAYING....

A dog's New Year Resolution: I will not chase that stick unless I actually see it leave his hand.

Anonymous

Cross county skiing is great, if you live in a small country.
Steven Wright, Comedian

Getting an inch of snow is like winning ten cents in the lottery.
Bill Watterson, American Cartoonist (Calvin and Hobbs)

If winter comes, can spring be far behind?
Percy Shelley, Poet

It is better to go skiing and think about God, than to go to church and think about sport.
Fridtjof Nansen, Norwegian Zoologist and Humanitarian
1922 Noble PeacePrize Winner



ROAN MOUNTAIN WEEKEND Feb. 1 – 3, 2013

If you plan to go, you best be getting in contact with Carol McCall ASAP. We only have a few cabins reserved and we have to release what is not reserved by mid December. Carol will work for more cabins if needed. These are lovely log cabins with all the furnishing in the Tennessee State Park of Roan Mt. I understand we may be getting the new ones back this year, so for those of you that have never been, that means a bath and a half! Wooo Wooo! They are located about 15 – 20 miles from Beach Mt. just inside Tennessee. See Carol for more info, and don't forget the Club Race to be held that Saturday. It's not just for racers, snowboarders and all level skiers are welcome to race. See Sam Linder to sign up for the Club race no later than that Friday morning.

Conni Harrell, President, SSOC



Silvercreek 2013

Crescent Cup Race and Ski Trip

Dates: Thursday March 7, 2013 – Sunday March 10, 2013
or
Friday March 8, 2013 – Sunday March 10, 2013

Trip Coordinator: Linda Redd
705 Seneca Hills Drive
Elkview, WV, 25071
304 965-6714
lindaelkview@aol.com

Included in the package: Lodging for two or three nights, three or four day lift tickets, (Thursday thru Sunday, or Friday thru Sunday), and Saturday night party, with food and drinks.

Lodging: Condos at Silvercreek Resort, on the slopes at Silvercreek, at Snowshoe Mountain. Accommodation options include Studio, 1 Bedroom, 1 Bedroom plus loft, and 2 Bedroom units. (All units include sleeper sofas). Rates for each are shown on page 2.

Juniors, under 12, not using a pillow are not charged for lodging or the party. They must pay for lift tickets, if they are skiing.
4 day, (Thurs – Sunday) - \$105
3 day (Friday – Sunday) - \$80

Teens pay adult rates for lift tickets, party, and beds.

Off site skiers, 12 and over, can purchase lift tickets
4 day - \$120
3 day - \$85

Off site racers must pay an additional off site racing fee of \$50, to cover race worker costs, and the racing fees

Off site party fee is \$15. Racers wanting to attend awards ceremony Only, will be charged \$5.

On Friday, gates will be set up, at Silvercreek, for racer training. The cost is to be determined. Participants can pay and sign waivers at top of course



Pricing per person:

UNIT TYPE	OCCUPANCY	2 NIGHTS (FRI/SAT) \$	3 NIGHTS (THURS-SAT) \$
STUDIO	1	433	611
	2	291	398
	3	243	327
1 BR	2	342	475
	3	277	378
	4	245	330
1 BR/LOFT	2	370	517
	3	296	406
	4	259	351
	5	237	317
	6	222	295
2 BR	2	392	551
	3	311	428
	4	270	367
	5	246	331
	6	230	306

Check- in: After 5 PM,

Deadlines: Confirmation form January 15th, 2013

Deposit of 50% due January 15th, 2013

Final Payment due February 25th, 2013

Rooming List due February 25th, 2013

Rooming changes/

Off site LTs March 1st, 2013

Non skiers, staying at Silvercreek, can deduct the cost of lift tickets from their trip costs. **No deductions will be given for people not wishing to attend the party.**

Cancellation Policy: You may cancel up to January 15th, 2013 and receive a full refund. Any rooms not guaranteed with a deposit are subject to cancellation on January 15th, 2013. Any rooms cancelled after January 15th, 2013 will be subject to an 100% penalty, if the resort cannot resell the units. If the race is cancelled due to weather issues, you will receive refunds based on refunds provided from the resort. The race committee will try to make this decision no later than noon on the Tuesday preceding the Saturday race. The trips committee will make every effort to get as much money refunded as possible if the trip is cancelled.



Race Corner



Hi Racers and Snow Seekers,

Whееееее is our Snow???? In November we thought we will get a record winter with tons of snow . . . and then December melted our white dreams away. So we missed our training weekends in the mountains and the first race at Appalachian passed December. The lucky ones going to Steamboat CO, had a great week and are ready for a Challenge. But we will start the New Year with new resolutions and will beat the heat with cold and snowy days in January!

Our first race is planned for Jan 4 & 5 at Sugar Mountain, start is at 9 AM sharp, so we meet upstairs in the Lodge no later than 8.15 AM to get the bibs and goodies.
Please sign up by latest Sunday Dec 30th, 9 PM. Thanks

The second race is scheduled for Jan 26 & 27 at Appalachian Mtn, starting at 9:30 AM; we will meet upstairs in the Lodge at 8:30 AM to pick up the bibs and latest instructions.
Please sign up by Sunday Jan 20th, 9 PM. Piles of Snow!

Spartanburg Ski @ Outing Club Race

Skiers get ready; we will have our annual NASTAR Race for Snowboarders, Skiers and Telemarkers on:

Saturday, February 2, 2013 @ Sugar Mountain

Tickets handout	09:00 AM	Upstairs in Lodge
Course inspection	11:00 – 11:20	Big Red, Giant Slalom
Start Time	11:45 AM	sharp!
Lift Tickets	\$52 Adult, \$43 Child (11 & under)	
Race Fee	\$6 per race (2 runs), NASTAR Form required <i>!All paid in advance at sign up!</i>	
RSVP and Registration	Mark McCall	864 580 0891
	Sam Linder	864 590 0809
	By latest Friday February 1, 04:00 PM	

We are looking forward seeing you on or off the slopes and recommend to join us at the Roan Mountain Cabins to stay overnight (See article in this newsletter).

Sam Linder, samlinder@yahoo.com

Crescent Race Schedule 2012-13:

<http://www.crescentskicouncil.org/racing/CSC%202012-13%20Race%20Schedule.doc>





Ron Scott
Race Director
H 919/362-5689
Rscott013nc.rr.com

2012/2013 CSC Race Series

December 1-8	2012	<i>Steamboat Race Camp Call Sports Am.Tours 800 876 8551</i>
December call	2012	<i>Killington Race Camp Call 800 432 0100</i>
December 2	2012	<i>CSC Development Training at Appalachian 8:45</i>
December 7-9	2012	<i>Sugar Mt. Race Camp Call Kim Jöchl 828 898 4521 x224</i>
January	2013	<i>Timberline, WV Call John Lutz 304 866 4801 Multi. Session</i>
<i>Gate Training each Friday evening before a NC Crescent race at Appalachian Contact Ken L.</i>		

Race Format - Two runs of Slalom on Saturdays and two runs of Giant Slalom on Sundays

December 15 & 16, 2012 **Appalachian, NC Race** **9:30**

January 5 & 6, 2013 **Sugar Mt. NC Race** **9:00**

January 12-19, 2013 Crescent Ski Council Ski Week

January 26 & 27, 2013 **Appalachian Mt., NC Race** **9:30**

February 4, 2013 Cupp Run Challenge at Snowshoe, WV

February 9 & 10, 2013 **Beech Mt., NC** **10:00**

February 23 & 24, 2013 **Sugar Mt., NC Race** **9:00**

March 3 & 4, 2013 Governor's Cup Race at Timberline, WV
kathysaumure@cs.com

March 3, 2013 Dick Trundy/Sugar Cup GS Sugar Mt. 9:00

March 8, 9, & 10, 2013 **Crescent Cup, SilverCreek, WV** **8:45**

March 20 – 24, 2013 **NASTAR Finals Aspen/Snowmass, CO** **Rich Mead**
DEC. 1-8, 2012 CSC Racing's 29th RACE CAMP @ STEAMBOAT-START PLANNING
NOW AND CALL SARA OR GO ON-LINE AT S.A.T. TO RESERVE YOUR SPACE!
Crescent Cup race format will be both GS and SL races on Saturday, weather permitting.
GS will start at 8:45 – SL start time TBA – dependant on conditions and set-up time.



Isn't it cool!?!



We have a new Banner to show off at our upcoming events and races;

This one is at Alpine in Greenville.



SPARTANBURG SKI & OUTING CLUB

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2012-2013

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Birthdays



The following members have birthdays in January.

Happy Birthday to:

Gill Bartell	January 30th
Bob Lee	January 23rd
Katelin McCall	January 28th
Diann Linquist	January 9th

Have a wonderful day!

Ted



NOTES

Any Spartanburg Ski Club member may submit items for publication in the newsletter. Publication deadlines can be found on the pullout calendar included in the newsletter each month. Call Taylor for information on how to submit your newsletter item.

Also, don't forget - the club has a "tent" available for rent. It is an 18 X 20 tent, and it is easy to assemble. We also have 4 tables that can be rented with or without the tent. We have the makings for that special occasion and it is all very reasonably priced! Tent rental is \$ 35. Tables can be rented for \$5 per table. Remember; don't have a party without the comfort of shade. Your guests will appreciate it and so will the club! For rentals of either tent or tables contact Joy Bobo.


The Spartanburg Ski & Outing Club normally meets the first Thursday of each month at 7:00 PM. We are located at the Chapman Cultural Center (West Wing) on East St. John Street in Spartanburg on the first floor. During the summer months (June, July, and August) meetings are frequently held, more informally, at different sites and times. Therefore it is necessary to consult the club web site or a current newsletter for the time and location. April's meeting is held at the Piedmont Club.

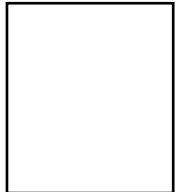
The club does **not** provide alcoholic beverages at membership meetings, but members are allowed to bring their own (BYOB) choices of beer or wine. Over-indulgence is not condoned under any circumstances. Cups, ice, and some soft drinks are provided. Thank you.

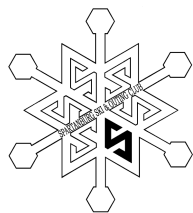
Become a Member

A copy of our membership application is located at the following web address:
<http://www.spartanburgskiclub.org/membership/ssocappl.doc>

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PO BOX 2864
SPARTANBURG, SC 29304

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January 2013

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February

- 1 Roan Mtn. Ski Week-End
- 2 Club Race at Sugar Mtn.
- Groundhog Day
- Roan Mtn. Ski Week-End
- 3 Last Quarter
- Roan Mtn. Ski Week-End
- 7 Club Meeting at CCC - Program TBD
- 9 CSC Race #4 - Beech Mtn.
- 10 CSC Race #4 - Beech Mtn.
- New Moon
- 12 Lincoln's Birthday
- 13 Ash Wednesday
- 14 Valentine's Day
- 17 First Quarter
- 18 President's Day
- 21 Board Meeting at Conni's
- 22 Washington's Birthday
- 23 CSC Race #5 - Sugar Mtn.

- March 2013 Newsletter Deadline
- 24 CSC Race #5 - Sugar Mtn.
- 25 Full Moon

March

- 4 Last Quarter
- 7 Club Meeting at CCC - Program TBD
- 8 Crescent Cup - Silvercreek

- 9 Crescent Cup - Silvercreek
- 10 Crescent Cup - Silvercreek
- Daylight Savings Time Begins
- 11 New Moon
- 17 St. Patrick's Day
- 19 First Quarter
- 20 NASTAR Finals
- Spring begins
- 21 Board Meeting at Taylor's
- NASTAR Finals
- 22 NASTAR Finals
- 23 April 2013 Newsletter Deadline
- NASTAR Finals
- 24 NASTAR Finals
- Palm Sunday
- 27 Full Moon
- 29 Good Friday
- 31 Easter

April

- 1 April Fool's Day
- 3 Last Quarter
- 10 New Moon
- 18 Board Meeting at the McCall's
- First Quarter
- 25 Full Moon

May

- 2 Last Quarter
- 10 New Moon
- 12 Mother's Day
- 18 Armed Forces Day
- First Quarter
- 19 Pentecost
- 25 Full Moon
- 27 Memorial Day (Observed)
- 31 Last Quarter

June

- 8 New Moon
- 14 Flag Day
- 16 Father's Day
- First Quarter
- 21 Summer begins
- 23 Full Moon
- 30 Last Quarter

July

- 4 Independence Day
- 8 New Moon
- 16 First Quarter
- 22 Full Moon
- 29 Last Quarter

August

- 6 New Moon

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