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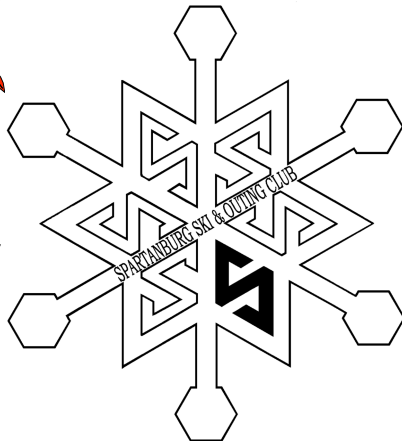
CLUB



 **Labor Day**



ESTABLISHED 1970



MEMBER CRESCENT SKI COUNCIL
1970



Sep. 5th - Club Meeting - Cook-Out\Membership Renewal
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Sep. 12th - Mini-Social at the Back Porch (Page 4)



Sep. 22nd - Over Mountain Winery/Picnic

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PRESIDENT'S CORNER....

Well, I certainly hope you all made good use of those few dry summer days we had this year. It's beginning to feel like autumn out there now, especially at night. But something tells me we have a few more warm days left before October. One awesome day we had recently was our trip to Lake Lure for lunch. We could not have asked for better conditions, and somehow Mike managed to coax 14 members for the short drive up to Larkins. If you weren't there, you sure missed a great time. Food and friends were both great.

When you receive this, Sam Linder will be living in Switzerland on a temporary basis. He has taken a job consulting but hopes to be back around the first of the year. Sam, I know you read your electronic E-mail, so we wish you the best and safe travels. We'll miss you and your Swinglish.



As the summer ends and autumn falls next, remember it will soon be time for membership renewals. Renewal forms will be available at the September meeting, if you are not present, they will be mailed to you. And yes, the next meeting will be at the Chapman Cultural Center, September 5, and Jan has some great meetings planned for the upcoming season.

Ski trips are already being booked, so don't wait around too long or they may get filled up, for more information refer to www.crescentskicouncil.org.

See you at the September meeting, and bring a friend or two!

Conni Harrell
President, SSOC



WELCOME BACK TO CHAPMAN

Our September meeting will find us back at our "winter" home. As usual, we will begin to congregate at 7:00, and begin our program at 7:30. In order for our program to be successful, we need everyone's help.

We are going to have a semi-cookout. The grilling on-site logistics weren't the best, so we will bring pre-cooked hot dogs for our cook-out social meal (we won't worry about the surplus rain we have been having this way either!). The club will provide the hot dogs, buns, condiments, chips, baked beans, and chili. Since we are back at Chapman, the club will provide sodas, and if you wish anything else for your palate, feel free to bring your own. Where your help is needed is in the desert department. Of course, this is the best part of the meal, and we sure could use help from all to be sure there are many wonderful selections to top off the evening.

Looking ahead to October, we will have our friend from Alaska to talk about her experiences. She is also bringing copies of her book to sell, so save your pennies.

Don't float away before our meeting!

Jan Sarratt



Mini-Social

Back Porch

Thursday, September 12, 2013, 6:30 PM

I know it's early for Mardi Gras but never too early for good old Nawlin's food. Back Porch has plenty of Cajun food on their menu as well as food for any taste. Check their website at <http://backporchspartanburg.com/>. They are located at 100 Wood Row in Downtown Spartanburg (between St. John and Main). They have a great outdoor area and we will dine outside weather permitting.

Please let me know if you will be attending and we hope to see you there.

Mike Rogers, Socials

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LAKE BOWEN BOAT FLOAT SAY GOODBYE TO SUMMER!!

Mark your calendar for an end of the summer occasion on Lake Bowen. We have two pontoon boats (many thanks to Ted & Gotcha Covered Marine for the boats) ready to float across the water on Saturday, September 7th. We will leave the landing about 4:00 pm and cruise until sunset. Somewhere along the way we'll stop, tie up the boats and enjoy a smorgasbord of covered dish stuff and of course, cool refreshing beverages of your choice are welcomed. Remember – small coolers please. We have room for about 15 folks ... so sign up early. Had a few sign ups at Vivian's, but need some more to keep these boats afloat. What a wonderful relaxing way to spend an afternoon in the dog days of summer. Come on – go for a ride!

There will be a sign up sheet at the club meeting in September at the Chapman Cultural Center.

Alison



If you missed Larkin's on the Lake you missed great friends, great food, great views and comfortable weather (no rain).



**** SILENT AUCTION ****

WE NEED YOUR CONTRIBUTIONS!



Well, I have received a few donations for our auction scheduled in November, but there is room for LOTS more stuff.



THIS IS A FUNDRAISER AND WE NEED THE MONEY!

Please help the club out by donating something nice for our auction – this will only be as successful as you make it! You can bring your items to the club meeting in September or any other club function. Any board member, if I am not there, will be happy to take it off your hands and get it to me for the “growing collection”.

START CLEANING OUT STUFF NOW !!!

**BAKED GOODS - HANDMADE ITEMS -
CASSEROLES – POTTED PLANTS OR
FLOWERS, ETC ... WELCOMED AS WELL**



Thanks everyone.

Alison





Beautiful Pink Bromeliads

Planted & raised with the
green thumb(s) belonging to Ted



For sale \$10 each ... proceeds will be donated to our Fall Fundraiser ... the Silent Auction. Ted will bring about 5 of these plants with him to the meeting in September, and a few more in October & November! If you want to order early to make sure you get one, please contact our resident horticulturalist,

Mr. Green Thumb(s)
(not be confused with Mr. Green Jeans)



Membership News

It is time again to renew your membership in the Spartanburg Ski and Outing Club. You will receive your membership renewal form at the next membership meeting or by mail. Please review the form and make sure that all items entered are correct. Return the form and your dues to me as soon as possible, either by mail or bring them to the next membership meeting. Remember your membership expires on September 30th. There are already lots of activities planned for next year so now is the time to renew.

Don't forget to check family or single membership on the form. To be eligible for a family membership you need to be either married or have the same legal address. There are no exceptions.



Birthdays



The following members have birthdays in September. Happy Birthday to:

Joy Bobo	September 4th	Helmut Hunkeler	September 26th
Bob Fennessy	September 15th	Cindy McGuire	September 10th
Marcia Smeek	September 16th	Vilma Voll	September 14th
Agnes Darling	September 18th	Elke Schoellkopf	September 19th

Have a wonderful day !!!

Ted



I'M JUST SAYING....

A hot dog at the ball game beats roast beef at The Ritz.
Humphrey Bogart

Telling stories and laughing with friends over a meal....precious
moments you will never forget.
Anonymous

Beware of false knowledge, it is more dangerous than ignorance.
George Bernard Shaw, Playwright

Summer should get a speeding ticket.
Anonymous

You will get all you want in life if you help enough other people
to get what they want.
Zig Ziglar, Motivational Speaker



October Mini-social

Gerhard's Café

October 22, 2013

It's time for Oktoberfest and bier garden. Put this date on your calendar for German food and beer and maybe a chicken dance.

More details next month.

Mike Rogers, socials



SPARTANBURG SKI & OUTING CLUB

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2013-2014

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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.

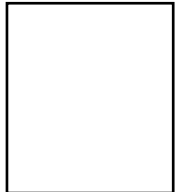
The club does **not** provide alcoholic beverages at membership meetings, but members are allowed to bring their own (BYOB) choices of beer or wine. Over-indulgence is not condoned under any circumstances. Cups, ice, and some soft drinks are provided. Thank you.

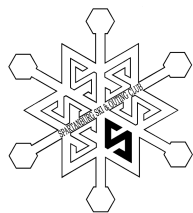
Become a Member

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

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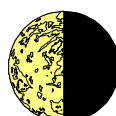




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September 2013

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October

- 3 Club Meeting At CCC - Alaska Speaker
- 5 Club Working International Festival
- New Moon

11 First Quarter

14 Columbus Day (Observed)

17 Board Meeting @ Sam's

18 Full Moon

19 Tentative Zip Line Outing

20 Tentative Zip Line Outing

22 Mini-Social at Gerhard's

25 CSC Fall Conference - Gatlinburg

26 CSC Fall Conference - Gatlinburg

Last Quarter

November 2013 Newsletter Deadline

27 CSC Fall Conference - Gatlinburg

31 Halloween

November

1 Club PO Box Fee Due

3 Daylight Savings Time Ends

New Moon

5 Election Day

7 Club Meeting At CCC - Silent Auction/Wine and Cheese

10 First Quarter

11 Veterans Day

17 Full Moon

21 Board Meeting By Jan @ Marcy's

23 December 2013 Newsletter Deadline

25 Last Quarter

28 Thanksgiving

December

3 New Moon

5 Club Meeting At CCC - Program TBD

7 CSC Steamboat, CO Race Camp

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First Quarter

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17 Full Moon

19 Board Meeting @ Pat's

21 CSC Race #1 - Appalachian

January 2014 Newsletter Deadline

Winter begins

22 CSC Race #1 - Appalachian

25 Christmas

Last Quarter

31 New Year's Eve

January

1 New Moon

New Year's Day

2 Club Meeting At CCC - Program TBD

4 CSC Race #2 - Sugar Mtn.

5 CSC Race #2 - Sugar Mtn.

8 First Quarter

11 CSC Ski Week in Lake Tahoe

12 CSC Ski Week in Lake Tahoe

13 CSC Ski Week in Lake Tahoe

14 CSC Ski Week in Lake Tahoe

15 CSC Ski Week in Lake Tahoe

16 Board Meeting @ Ted's

CSC Ski Week in Lake Tahoe

Full Moon

17 CSC Ski Week in Lake Tahoe

18 CSC Ski Week in Lake Tahoe

20 Martin Luther King, Jr.

24 Last Quarter

25 CSC Race #3 - Cataloochee

February 2014 Newsletter Deadline

26 CSC Race #3 - Cataloochee

30 New Moon

31 Roan Mtn. Week-End and Club Race

February

1 Roan Mtn. Week-End and Club Race

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