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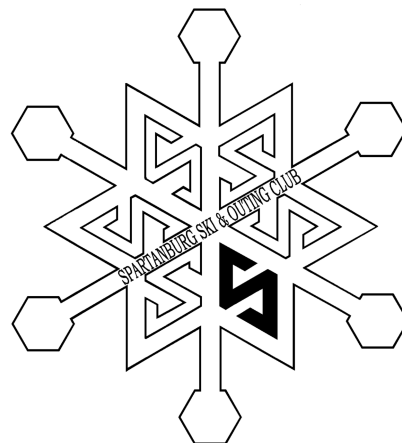
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MEMBER CRESCENT SKI COUNCIL



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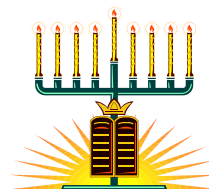
RACES



Dec. 17th-18th - Appalachian



<http://www.spartanburgskiclub.org>





Notes From Your President

It's time to get into the spirit of the holidays. We are so blessed to live in a country where we are free to elect our government officials. We have friends and family. We are comfortable and safe. Let us continue to be thankful for all that we have. And let us be especially generous to those who are not so fortunate. See the wish list of items needed by the Safe Homes/Rape Crisis Center. Buy something on sale, give gently used items, or make another monetary donation.

Bake some cookies and wear your Christmas sweater to the December 1st meeting. We will informally share cookies & hot beverages. You may, of course, bring your own liquid refreshment if you wish. Be there to help award the prize for the most outstanding Christmas attire. (There will be voting involved, but you need not provide photo ID.) Bring your check to Alison for the Christmas party (\$20 per member, \$25 per nonmember).

January will be a spicy month—chili contest at the January 5th meeting and a Tex-Mex minisocial January 10th. Name your chili this year. I'm still doing chili recipe research, so I don't have a name yet. I believe David and Jeffrey have already named theirs.

Do your snow dance for the North Carolina mountains!



Barbara



Special Olympics Winter World Games will be held in Austria in March 2017. Your donation is tax deductible if you make the check to "SC Special Olympics". On the memo line, please name the athlete you choose to support. Our treasurer Ted will mail our contributions after the January 5th meeting.

Keith Frostick, Lake City, SC, Alpine Skiing
Jakie Hoch, Florence, SC, Alpine Skiing
Latrice Pringle, Florence, SC, Snowboarding





Cookie Swap and Ugly Sweater Contest
Chapman Cultural Center
Thursday, December 1st, 7:00 PM

Bake your favorite Christmas cookies to share with your Ski Club friends and wear the ugliest Christmas sweater you can find. You will be voting for the ugliest sweater and if you feel yours is the ugliest then vote for it! There will be an “ugly” prize for the winner. There will be a photo station so you can have a photo of you and your sweater to put on your Christmas cards.

There are no rules for the cookie swap other than enjoy them and share with others.

We will have hot cider, bottled water, soft drinks and ice. You may also bring a beverage of your choice. **Bake those cookies.**
See you Thursday.



Mark your calendars in 2017

If it is actually cold in January & February, let's add a little spice to the mix to warm you up!

Compadre's Mex – Mex on January 10th &

Thai Taste on February 23



SSOC CHRISTMAS PARTY!

Saturday, December 17th beginning at 6:30 pm,

Joy Bobo, Hostess

Please make your check payable to SSOC and pay me at the
December membership meeting, or you
can mail me a check at



166 Ivy Circle, Inman, SC 29349

\$20 club members, \$25 guests

Prepare to dine on scrumptious hors d' oeuvres, enjoy the
potent potables & soft drinks at the open
bar & be surprised with our

White Elephant Gift



Exchange!

Alison One of Santa's Elves



Crescent Racing

Spartanburg is again combining with the Palmetto Race team. The combined team had a very good result last season winning first place in our division.

Signed up for this season are Taylor Bomar, Mario Krussig, Sam Linder, Kevin McCall, Mark McCall, Alexander Menzel and Elke Schoellkopf.

Our first race is scheduled for December 17 and 18 at Appalachian.

We are looking for new racers, please contact me if you would like to join our team.

Mark McCall





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

2016/2017 CSC Race Series

December	3-10	2016	<i>Steamboat Race Camp Call Sports Am. Tours 800 876 8551</i>
December	Call	2016	<i>Killington Race Camp Call 800 621 6867</i>
December,	04	2016	<i>CSC Development Training at Appalachian 9:45 to 3:00</i>
December,	9-11	2016	<i>Sugar Mt. Race Camp Call Kim Jöchl 828 898 4521 x224</i>
December	Call	2016	<i>Timberline, WV Ski School 304 866 4801 John Lutz is RD</i>
<i>Gate Training at Appalachian each Friday evening before a Boone Area Crescent Race Contact Ken L.</i>			

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

December 17 & 18, 2016 Appalachian Mt, NC Race 9:30

January 07 & 08, 2017 Sugar Mt, NC Race 9:00

January 14-21, 2017 Crescent Ski Council Ski Week

January 28 & 29, 2017 Wintergreen, VA Race 9:30

February 6, 2017 Cupp Run Challenge at Snowshoe, WV

February 11 & 12, 2017 Beech Mt, NC Race 10:00

February 25 & 26, 2017 Sugar Mt, NC Race 9:00

March TBA 2017 Governor's Cup Race at Timberline, WV

TBA 2017 Dick Trundy/Sugar Cup GS Sugar Mt. 9:00

March 10-12, 2017 Crescent Cup, SilverCreek, WV 8:45

March 23-26, 2017 NASTAR Nationals Steamboat Rich Mead
DEC. 3-10, 2016 CSC Racing's 33rd 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.





The holidays are upon us. For most of us that means spending time with family and friends. We are all so fortunate in that way. But think about the the woman who has escaped an abusive husband with her children. She is living away from friends and family so she and her children can be safe, she is scared, lonely, and thinking about how she is going to start a new life.

I'm asking you to fill my wagon with canned goods and nonperishable items for them to enjoy. Canned fruits and vegetables are always needed. Check the Wish List that is printed in this newsletter to get ideas. Please be aware of expiration dates on items you donate. We cannot donate things that have expired.

Thank you all for your generosity of clothing, remember it needs to be new, or nearly new to go the the Rape Closet or to SafeHomes.

Thank you for all you are doing for this great cause.

Joy,

Fundraising





Happy Birthday



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

Nick Allen	December 13th
Conni Harrell	December 16th
Diane Butscher	December 23rd
Del Haynes	December 2nd
Pat Parker	December 5th
Hans Menzel	December 5th
Dean Taylor	December 31st

Have a wonderful day and a Merry Christmas !!



Treasurer News



The balance in the treasury as of October 19 was \$4408.46.
The balance on November 15 was \$4496.46.

Ted





Chili Cookoff
Thursday, January 5th
Chapman Cultural Center

Dust off your recipes and make your best chili concoction for our January meeting.

We will name our chili's this year so be thinking of an appropriate name that is within the bounds of ski club standards??

More to come next month.



Crescent Spring Conference
Kingston Plantation, Myrtle Beach, SC April 27-30, 2017

Once again, all lodging will be in Brighton Towers, with Ocean View 2Bdr/2Bath Condos (1 king; 2Queens; Queen-sized sofa). Price is \$158/person based on 4 person occupancy for 2 nights. There is also 1 Room Studio/1 Bath (1Queen) for \$202/person, 2 nights, 2 persons. The price includes an on-site registration fee of \$60, and includes lodging and taxes; Trade Show, DJ party, Beach Olympics and Saturday night Theme Party.

Several people have expressed interest, so I will be reserving 2 Condos and 1 Studio. Everyone is encouraged to come for what is always a great weekend. The deadline isn't until Feb 27th, but let me know soon before they're gone.

Carol



Annual Club Ski Race

When: Saturday, February 4th

Where: Sugar Mountain, Oma's Way

What time: approximately 11:30

Cost: discount lift ticket, adult=\$58, age 5-11=\$39

NASTAR race fee= \$7 for 2 runs

Spartanburg Ski Club's annual race will be the Saturday of our annual Roan Mountain weekend. The group rate lift ticket is available to all members and their friends even if not racing. We must purchase 15 tickets to get the group rate. The regular Saturday cost is \$72. I will be collecting for lift tickets and NASTAR at the January and February meetings. You can also pay me at Roan Mountain the Friday evening before the race. I will purchase all the lift tickets approximately 8:30 Saturday morning at Sugar's group sales and have them available in the upstairs dinning room.

This is a great opportunity for kids and adults that want to run a race course but don't want to sign up for the Crescent Series. Bring your friends!

Mark McCall





Crescent Ski Week

January 14-21, 2017

TRIP INCLUDES:



7 Nights Lodging

2bed/2bath condos



5 Day Lift Pass

Valid at Beaver Creek, Vail, Breckenridge & Keystone



Airport Transfers

Round trip from Denver (flight restrictions apply)



Group Events

Welcome Reception, Mid week Lunch, Apres Party
Race, Group Vail Day, Farewell Dinner/Dance



Exclusive Discounts

Great deals on equipment rental, lessons & more



Beaver Creek®

STARTING AT
\$1285 per person



Sign ups begin June 1st at www.sportsamerica.com/csctrips

Questions: email csc@sportsamerica.com



Some Notes about Upcoming Trips

Steamboat Dec 3-10, 2016

Registration is closed as of Nov 1st, and we have 8 Spartanburgers going out of a total of 247 attending.

Beaver Creek Jan 14-21, 2017

Seven are going from the club with just over 200 registered. Slopeside accommodations are about full, with spaces for a single male or female still available.

Roan Mountain State Park, Tenn. Feb 3-5, 2017

Signups for cabins will be different this year: call the Park Office to reserve your own cabin.

A deposit for the first night is required. At this time, two weekend nights cost \$347, but there will be a discount, starting Dec 1st. We don't know at this time what sort of deal will be offered. If you don't want to wait, book now, then cancel and re-book after 12/1, with a \$15 cancellation fee. For reservations, call: 423-772-0190, -0191 or 1-800-250-8620.

Don't forget the Club Race to be held Feb 4th at Sugar Mtn.



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.



www.dynastar.com



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www.bayousmokehouse.com



www.jacksonhole.com



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www.coppercolorado.com



www.head.com



www.skicountrysports.com



www.aspensnowmass.com



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www.steamboatresorts.com



www.steamboat.com





Shelter Wish List:

Activity Balls
Baby Bottles
Baby Wipes
Basketballs
Bowls
Boys & Girls Underwear
Brown Rice
Canned Vegetables
Cleaning Products
Coffee
Combs & Brushes
Cooking Oil
Cornmeal
Deodorant
Dish Detergent
Dish Washer Detergent
Flour
Forks and Spoons
Fruits (in 100% juice)
Ladies Panties (size 7-12)
Laundry Detergent
Meats (in natural juices)
Paper Towels
Plastic Cups
Plates
Standard Pillow Cases
Standard Pillows
Sugar
Tea
Toilet Paper
Toothbrushes
Toothpaste
Towels
Twin Bed Linens
Wash Cloths

Therapy Wish List:

3 Ring Binders
Costumes
Crayons
Kleenex
Play-Doh
Play Money
Play Sand

Sexual Assault Closet Wish List:

New Children's, Women's &
Men's Underwear (All Sizes)
Rubbermaid/Sterilite Clear
Containers w/Lids
White Butcher Block Paper
Women's & Men's Lightweight
Drawstring Type Pants (S-XXL)





7 NIGHT ROYAL CARIBBEAN CRUISE Legend of the Seas
GREEK ISLES & VENICE ITALY R.T.

CRESCENT SKI COUNCIL

JUNE 10 – 17, 2017

INCLUDES

GROUP COCKTAIL PARTY INCLUDED
7 NIGHTS OPTIONS ON ROOM TYPES
Meals, Floor Shows & Dancing



SkiGroup.net WILL DIRECT ON HOW TO SAVE ON PORT TOURS

7 DAY CRUISE PORTS

VENICE, ITALY	Ship Departs 5:00p.m. June 10th
KORTOR, MONTENEGRO	2:00p.m. – 8:00p.m.
CORFU, GREECE	9:00a.m. – 2:30p.m.
ATHENS, GREECE	12:00n – 8:30p.m.
MYKONOS, GREECE (Tender Port)	7:00a.m. – 4:00p.m.
ARGOSTOLI, GREECE	12:00n – 7:00p.m.
FUN DAY AT SEA then VENICE off ship June 17th	

Optional Add On up to three nights prior Venice:

Plaza Venice Mestre (\$174 Per Night = \$87 Per person Double)

10 Minute train or bus to St Marks Square area, 20 Minutes from airport & 10 Minutes to ship dock. Includes Breakfast.

SANDY GAUDETTE
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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.

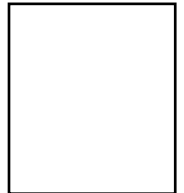
The Spartanburg Ski & Outing Club normally meets the first Thursday of each month at 7:00 PM. We are located at the Chapman Cultural Center (West Wing) on East St. John Street in Spartanburg on the first floor. During the summer months (June, July, and August) meetings are frequently held, more informally, 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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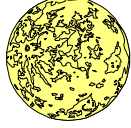










SPARTANBURG SKI & OUTING CLUB

December 2016



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Upcoming Events

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- 1 New Year's Day
- 5 Club Meeting - Chili Cook-Off

First Quarter

- 7 CSC Race #2 - Sugar Mtn.

- 8 CSC Race #2 - Sugar Mtn.

- 10 Mini-Social at Compadre's

- 12 Full Moon

- 14 CSC Beaver Creek Ski Week

- 15 CSC Beaver Creek Ski Week

- 16 CSC Beaver Creek Ski Week

Martin Luther King, Jr.

- 17 CSC Beaver Creek Ski Week

- 18 CSC Beaver Creek Ski Week

- 19 Board Meeting at Location TBD (Will likely Be Canceled)

CSC Beaver Creek Ski Week

Last Quarter

- 20 CSC Beaver Creek Ski Week

- 21 CSC Beaver Creek Ski Week

February 2017 Newsletter Deadline

- 28 CSC Race #3 - Wintergreen, VA

New Moon

- 29 CSC Race #3 - Wintergreen, VA

February

- 2 Club Meeting - "Member's Testimonial"

Groundhog Day

- 3 Roan Mtn. Week-End / Club Race

- 4 First Quarter

Roan Mtn. Week-End / Club Race

- 5 Roan Mtn. Week-End / Club Race

- 11 CSC Race #4 - Beech Mtn.

Full Moon

- 12 CSC Race #4 - Beech Mtn.

Lincoln's Birthday

- 14 Valentine's Day

- 16 Board Meeting at Ted's

- 18 Last Quarter

March 2017 Newsletter Deadline

- 20 President's Day

- 22 Washington's Birthday

- 23 Mini-Social at Thai Taste

- 25 CSC Race #5 - Sugar Mtn.

- 26 CSC Race #5 - Sugar Mtn.

New Moon

March

- 1 Ash Wednesday

- 2 Club Meeting - Awards (Non-Skiing)

- 5 First Quarter

- 10 CSC Race #6 - Silvercreek, WV

- 11 CSC Race #6 - Silvercreek, WV

- 12 CSC Race #6 - Silvercreek, WV

Daylight Savings Time Begins

Full Moon

- 16 Board Meeting at Teresa's

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