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MEMBER CRESCENT SKI COUNCIL



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### From the Prez

Another month has passed. The heat has been turned on, but outside, not in our homes. For those of us who still ski, we'll be looking forward to the time of year when the heat is turned on inside and it's cooled down outdoors.

Until that happens, here are a few happenings in August that will keep us all busy (even non-skiers). On August 10<sup>th</sup>, the Butschers have graciously opened their home again for our mid-summer meeting. Bob promises a boat ride if y'all get there early enough. On August 17<sup>th</sup>, the McCalls will be hosting their annual canoe/kayak day and again will be leading a blueberry picking hike on August 24<sup>th</sup>. Since yours truly is usually gone this time of year (but not this year), we're looking forward to the summer club activities. Since two of the three activities involve water, come and join us to beat the heat. Since this is our 50<sup>th</sup> year of existence as a club, the celebration committee has convened to make the party in October a memorable one. The plans are progressing, and more will be announced later. In the meantime, stay cool and enjoy the summer.



### **July Meeting**

A big THANK YOU to Ivo for hosting the July meeting! It was a big success with over 2 dozen members and plenty of fun!!

### **August Meeting**

Our August 10<sup>th</sup> meeting will be hosted again by Bob & Diane Butscher, 785 E. Ridge Water Drive, Chesnee, SC. It will also be a potluck meal, please bring a favorite dish to share.

Swimmers may arrive at 4pm. Be present at 5pm for a pontoon ride by Captain Bob followed by a 6pm meeting.

### **September Meeting**

Our September 14<sup>th</sup> meeting will be at the Lake Bowen landing pavilion. You are welcome to arrive starting at 4PM. We will plan to have our meeting around 6PM and the meal will follow. This is a potluck meal. No alcohol will be served at this meeting. We will provide water and pop.

Address: 8515 Highway 9, Inman SC.

This is the annual membership meeting. If you have not mail it already, please bring your renewal form, your check and a new member!!!

Gayle coweyes1958@yahoo.com





### Kayak and Canoe on Lake Lanier

Saturday, August 17

Bring your lunch, beer and wine provided

I will have kayaks, canoes and life jackets available for you to explore beautiful Lake Lanier. No experience necessary. If you have kayaks bring them.

Meet at 9:00 in the strip mall parking lot on highway 176 across from the Lake Lanier road. It is about 100 yards north of the SC/NC state line. My parking lot is small so we will car pool to 998 East Lakeshore Drive, Landrum, SC. Swim suit or something you don't mind getting wet is advisable. After our exploration we will return to my boat house for swimming, picnic lunch and social time.

Mark McCall 864 580-0891 mmccall1@windstream.net

### August Mini Social

Our next mini-social will be on Thursday, August 22nd at The Select Restaurant at 6:30 pm. The restaurant is located in the former Billy D's at



880 South Pine Street. This is a new restaurant for the club to try and was suggested by one of our members!

Bring a friend, or, someone who may be sitting alone that night and in need of some company & fun & good food!

A sign-up sheet will be available at the

Butscher's club membership meeting on August 10 at Lake Blalock

Pat

patricia159@windstream.net (864) 472-2253











### 2019 FALL LEADERSHIP & TRAINING CONFERENCE

(Hosted by the Knoxville Ski & Outing Club-KSOC)

WHEN: October 18-20, 2019

Glenstone Lodge, 504 Historic Nature Trail, Gatlinburg, TN 37738 WHERE:

\$94 per night (+ 12.75% taxes) or \$105.99 total per room, 1-4 people per room

Make your own reservations one of two ways: 1) Online by copying and pasting the following address into your

https://www.bookonthenet.net/east/premium/eresmain.aspx?id=QsJdsMuAsGMp9MfJ05JDcnluasqVW25%2fjliPi Br227Y%3d&arrival date=2019-10-17&stay nights=3&adults=2&promo code=CRESCENT19#/rates OR

2) Call 800-362-9522, press 1 – say you are with the Crescent Ski Council Conference (Crescent19) to get the special room rate. Rooms can have a king bed or two queen beds. You can stay from Tuesday, October 15 (check-in day) - Wednesday, October 23 (check-out day) at the same low rate to enjoy Gatlinburg and the Smokies more.)

Cancellations may be made 72 hours prior to arrival date. Cancellations made within 72 hours of arrival date forfeits the first night's room/tax. Rates are based upon up to four people per room. Rate and room block will be honored until cut-off date of 09/19/2019. After the cut-off date, the rate may be adjusted and rooms may be reserved based on availability. Rates are for King or Double Queen rooms. Room rates are quoted exclusive of local taxes and fees, currently 12.75%. Quoted rates will be offered, based on availability to your attendees 3 days before and 3 days after the above dates.

**AMENITIES:** Free parking, free guest room internet, WI-FI thru-out; in-room coffee/tea, Gatlinburg City Trolley

stop (\$.50/trip), restaurants/shopping within walking distance, Mountain Trail Café onsite for breakfast\*\* (Cost not included). However, 2 Reps per club will receive a paid-for breakfast for the

Sunday morning BOD Meeting).

COST: \$25 this year: Workshops, Vendor Trade Show, & Vendor Reception are included. Meals are on

your own.

**FUN STUFF:** Golf Outing Friday, October 18, 2019. Course and Tee Times TBA, cost on your own

Pub Crawl Friday night, October 18, 2019

Hike in East Tennessee: Saturday, October 19, 2019 TBA

Hosted and guided by ???, KSOC. ??? is a long-time enthusiast of hiking and leads numerous hikes throughout East Tennessee for KSOC. Hikers will meet at about 9 am in the hotel lobby,

and return about 2 pm. Pack your drinks and a snack/lunch.

Vendor Meet & Greet, Saturday afternoon. The traditional Trade Show from the Spring Convention is now moved to the Fall Conference. Club trip directors are encouraged to attend this conference to talk personally with vendor reps about the latest and greatest in the snow sport industry and even make plans for your club's trips in upcoming seasons early! THEN...

New! Saturday Evening Reception Heavy Hors d'oeurves, Wine & And Beer provided. Full

cash bar available.

### **DEADLINES & CANCELLATIONS IMPORTANT!: ALL CONFERENCE ATTENDEES MUST REGISTER!**

Thursday, Sept. 19, 2019, 5 pm: Hotel registration: (No guarantee of availability after this date.) Individual cancellations must be made 72 hours prior to arrival date to prevent being charged for the first night's room and tax charges.

Friday, Sept. 20, 2019: Conference Registration











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### **SCHEDULE**

Friday, October 18

Golf Outing Course and tee times TBA

3:00 pm: Hotel Check-in

3:00 – 5:30pm: Executive Committee Meeting

Executive/Hospitality Suite

4:00 – 6:00 pm: Conference Registration 6:00 – ? : Dinner on your own &

Pub Crawl

Saturday, October 19

6:30 – 8:30 am: \*\*Breakfast-onsite or on your own

(Buffet Available in hotel lobby Restaurant)

Meetings

8:30-11:00am: Admin. Meeting, Various Topics

Azalea Room (Right off the Lobby)

8:30 am - 2:00 pm: Committee Meetings

Trips: Dogwood 2 (Far End Room: Access Thru

Pool)

Racing: TBA (May need to change room)

-Race Workers Meeting will follow conclusion of

Committee Meeting

11: 30 pm: Lunch for Trips & Racing

(Food delivered to meeting rooms) \$5/person

9:00 am Saturday Daytime 9 am - 2 pm

Hike in East Tennessee (guided by KSOC)

Meet in Hotel Lobby

Saturday Afternoon 2-5 pm: Vendor Meet

& Greet

Meet with the Vendors of our industry to discuss what's new and plan your club's upcoming trips

and activities.

Saturday Evening Vendor Reception 5pm

Continue meeting and socializing with our

fabulous Vendors!

**Heavy Hors D'oevres** included.

Wine & Beer Tickets Provided

Cash Bar Available

Dinner on your own after

Sunday, October 20 Breakfast & BOD Meeting

8:00 – 8:30 am: \*\*Breakfast: 2 Reps from each

club pick up tickets in **Azalea Room** (BOD meeting room); get your buffet breakfast and

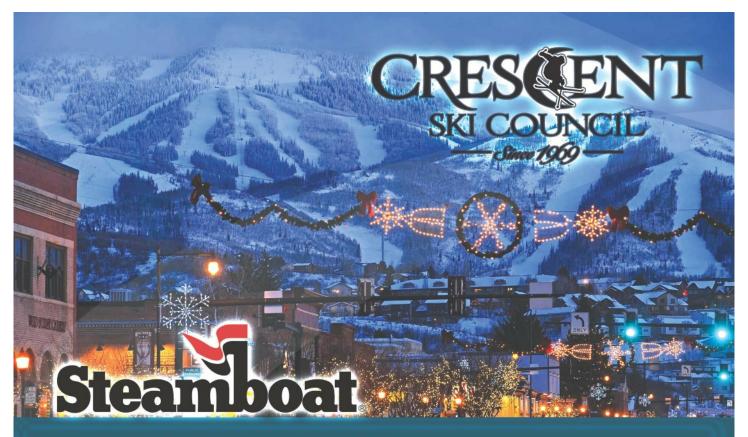
return to Azalea Room to eat

9:00 am: CSC Fall Board Meeting, Azalea Room

12:00 noon: Hotel check-out

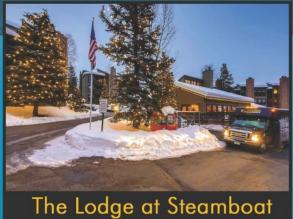






DECEMBER 7-14, 2019

- 7 nights lodging at The Lodge
- 6 day lift pass to Steamboat
- 5 day lesson package w/3 lunches
- Optional Roundtrip transfers
- Welcome Reception
- Apres Ski Party
- Midweek BBQ Dinner
- Final Awards Banquet



STARTING \$1198 per person/double occ

Signup at: www.sportsamerica.com/csctrips

Questions: Spartanburg Trip Leader - Carol McCall mmccall 1@windstream.net



Sports America - Sara Clemons 800.876.8551 ext125 csc@sportsamerica.com





### **Donations for August Membership Meeting**

We are going to once again be taking donations for the animals at the SHS. There is still a need for canned food and dry food, cat litter, cleaning supplies and paper towels. The summer means an influx of animals. They need all the help we can give them.

St. Luke's is now ready to accept more food for their food pantry. Please pick up a couple of non perishable food items to put in the wagon. We took a tremendous load last time so I know we can do it again.

If you possibly can, please bring something for both of these great organizations.

Let's continue to make an inpact in our community.

I hope to see everyone at the Butscher's in August and we can continue to make a difference.

Joy



### **Birthdays**



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

Rich Darling August 1
Kevin McCall August 4
Roger Meadows August 23
Ann Diem August 24
Kathy Foster August 27











Dear SSOC members,

If you missed our July meeting at Ivo's you missed another great summer meeting. The rain passed us by and we were able to enjoy his beautiful pool area along with good food and great fellowship. Thank you Ivo for opening your home to us.

Our club continues to support The Spartanburg Humane Society and St. Luke's Free Medical Clinic. We had a huge "load of love" that we delivered to The Humane Society. Check out our Facebook page to see the photo.

There were four raffle items once again this month and I think we had some happy winners. We collected \$140 for St. Luke's. This brings our total to \$378 since May. We will present a check to St. Luke's Thursday, July 25th.

Each of us on the board would like to extend a big THANK YOU to everyone that continues to contribute to our worthy causes.

Awesome Good Job!!!!!

Joy

Spartanburg Ski and Outing Club T -shirts are available now for purchase.



Cost: \$ 20

Color: Blue

Size: small, medium, large, extra large.

Contact: Teresa Bowers at bowers.teresa@ahoo.com





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### **CRESCENT SKI COUNCIL**

**PRESENTS** 



EXTENSIONS TO BARCELONA, AND LISBON, PORTUGAL March 17-25, 2020

\$1141.00 p.p. Double \$1526.00 p.p. Single

### **BASIC TOUR PRICES INCLUDE:**

- Meet and great with local guide at Malaga Airport.
- Transfer between Malaga and Granada via private coach and English Speaking Assistant
- 5 night's accommodations in Granada at the 4 Star Hotel Carmen
- Welcome Orientation at the hotel in Granada.
- 3 days of transfers between Granada and the Sierra Nevada Ski Area.
- Breakfast daily at the hotel in Granada.
- Dinner for 4 nights at the Hotel. (The whole group has to eat on the same nights)
- Optional Tour Program and hospitality Desk nightly in the hotel.
- Transfer from Granada to Torremolinos, Costa del Sol.
- 2 night's accommodations in Torremolinos at the 4 Star Hotel Melia Costa del Sol.
- Breakfast Buffet Daily at Torremolinos Hotel.
- Optional Tour Program in Torremolinos.
- Private bus transportation from Torremolinos to Malaga Airport
- Local Taxes
- Passport Cases and Luggage Tags.

**LISBON PRE-TRIP**: March 14 – 18, 2020 \$640.00 p.p. Double \$890.00 p.p. Single

PRICES INCLUDE:

- Transfers between Lisbon airport and Hotel via private coach with English speaking assistant.
- 3 night's accommodations at a 4\* Hotel Mundial in Lisbon
- Breakfast daily in Lisbon.
- 1 Dinner at hotel
- Half Day City Tour with English Speaking Guide. (3-4 hours)
- Transfer between hotel and Lisbon airport with English speaking assistant.
- Air Travel between Lisbon Airport and Malaga via TAP Airlines.
- Transfer between Malaga Airport and Granada via private coach with English speaking assistant.

\*\* There is a local city tax of

**POST TRIP TO BARCELONA**: March 25 – 28, 2020 \$752.00 p.p. Double \$1095.00 p.p. Single

### PRICES INCLUDE:

• Transfer between Torremolinos and Malaga via private coach with English speaking assistant.

- Luggage van transfer between Torremolinos and Barcelona
- High Speed Train between Malaga and Barcelona (2<sup>nd</sup> class)
- Transfer between Train Station and hotel
- 3 night's accommodations at a 4\* Avenida Palace Hotel
- Breakfast daily in Barcelona.
- Half Day City Tour with English Speaking Guide. (4 hours, ends at Sagrada Familia, but does not include entrance)
- Transfer between hotel and Barcelona Airport with English speaking assistant.

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### The Basic Tour also includes the following Travel Insurance:

Trip Delay up to \$750.00 (\$150.00 per day)
Baggage and personal effects up to \$1500.00
Baggage delay up to \$400.00
Return Air Transportation up to \$500.00
Accident & Sickness Medical Expense of \$50,000.00
Emergency Evacuation & Repatriation of \$250,000.00
Worldwide Emergency Assistance Services



### **DAY TOUR OPTIONS IN GRANADA:**

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Alpujarra • Alhambra • Granada • Tropical Coast • Gibraltar

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### **SKI AREA FACTS:**

**ELEVATION**: **Base**: 6,896 Feet **Summit**: 10,843 Feet **Vertical**: 3,947 Feet

# OF LIFTS: 21 TRAIL BREAK-DOWN: 49% Blue 43% Red 7% Black

RUNS: 124 (66.4Miles of groomed trail) LONGEST RUN: 3.8 Miles 1.9 Miles of Night Skiing

**DISTANCE FROM GRANADA**: 25min by bus

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### **FINANCIAL DETAILS:**

### **DEPOSIT POLICY:**

- \*\* \$600.00 per person + Additional \$150.00 for each extension Due August 30, 2019
- \*\* \$500.00 per person 2<sup>nd</sup> deposit due October 31, 2019
- \*\* Final payment due January 10, 2020

### **CANCELLATIONS:**

Up to 90 days prior to departureNO PENALTYBetween 89 & 60 days prior\$ 250.00 PER PERSON \*Between 59 & 45 days prior\$ 500.00 PER PERSON \*Between 44 & 30 days prior\$1500.00 PER PERSON \*After 29 days priorFULL PENALTY

NO SHOWS ARE NON-REFUNDABLE

\* PLUS ANY OTHER NON-REFUNDABLE CHARGES FOR AIRLINES, HOTELS AND SUPPLIERS.





### SPARTANBURG SKI AND OUTING BOARD OF DIRECTORS 2019– 2020

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Crescent Rep	Nancy Rhodes	707-5297	diknanrho@aol.com

### **Membership News**

Membership renewals will be mailed in August. Checks can be mailed back to me or brought in person to the September meeting at the park at Lake Bowen.

Rick





### **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: <a href="http://www.spartanburgskiclub.org/membership/ssocappl.doc">http://www.spartanburgskiclub.org/membership/ssocappl.doc</a>

SPARTANBURG SKI & OUTING CLUB We
PO BOX 2864
SPARTANBURG, SC 29304
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# SPARTANBURG SKI & OUTING CLUB



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