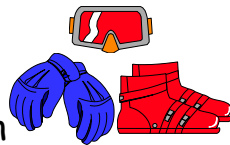


# SPARTANBURG SKI & OUTING CLUB



Sep. 5<sup>th</sup>: Club Meeting  
Alpine Ski Center Presentation



Sep. 12<sup>th</sup>: Club Working Music On Main



Sep. 14<sup>th</sup>: Bowling & Dinner Outing



Sep. 24<sup>th</sup>: Mini-Social at The Chopping Block



## SEPTEMBER 2002

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## Telemetry from Taylor . . . .

Well, the summer is nearly over – for those of you with school age kids it definitely is. I have to apologize for the lack of activities over the summer. We thought we had some things in the works but they just didn't happen. However, we're back on track now and have several things planned for the fall, as you will see as you read through this newsletter.

Additionally, planning for winter activities is well underway. Bryan Bobo has worked hard to arrange a great and convenient western trip for us. Everyone should have received trip reservation forms in the mail back in July. Mine was back in the mail to LTA the next day!

Also, Crescent has already published the race dates and application deadlines for the upcoming season. Those can be found elsewhere in this newsletter.

Finally, our second major fund raising event of the year is coming up on September 12<sup>th</sup> – Music On Main. The organizers have changed things around a little this year and need us to supply a few more people than in past years. Currently, we don't have nearly enough volunteers. Please call Renate to find out what positions still need to be filled if you can make the time to help us that evening.

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### **REMINDERS**

The Skiliner (Crescent's newsletter) may be downloaded in ".PDF" (Adobe Acrobat) format from Crescent's Web site at <http://www.rtpnet.org/crescent/skiliner.html>. (You may also need to download the Adobe Acrobat reader program so you can view the newsletter.)

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.



**KICK IT OFF !!**

**We're back at the Arts Center and hope you will be too. Let's get the ball rollin' with a program from Alpine Ski Center. Come check out the latest and greatest in equipment, clothing (Elke - new coordinates!) and other new gadgets to start the adrenaline flowing! Thanks To David Collins & his staff at Alpine.**

**Thursday, September 5th**

*Alison*



**Mini-Social \* Chopping Block**

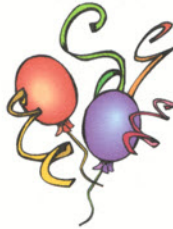
**Tuesday, September 24th @ 6:30 p.m.**

After a lazy summer our club calendar for September promises to bring everyone back up to normal speed. Since we have the monthly meeting, Music On Main and the Board meeting the first three weeks of September, let's wait until the quieter 4th week to enjoy our Mini-Social. By request we'll return to the CHOPPING BLOCK Restaurant at River Falls in Duncan. Please sign up at one the earlier gatherings in September or contact Marcy at 596-3114 or [mouseworks52@yahoo.com](mailto:mouseworks52@yahoo.com).

**MUSIC ON MAIN  
THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 12**



**INTERNATIONAL FESTIVAL  
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 19**



**Bowling or Putt-Putt, Anyone?**



Now that we've all recovered from the Pig Roast (me, especially!), it's time to do some other things. A bowling outing with dinner afterwards at Bronco's has been tentatively planned for Saturday, September 14<sup>th</sup>, at Shamrock Lanes. I am pretty sure we can get the bowling alley then, but a firm date will be announced at the September membership meeting.

I am also planning a Putt-Putt outing for October, probably October 5<sup>th</sup>. We will also meet for dinner afterwards at Kanpai.

Anyone interested in either (or both) of these outings please sign up at the membership meeting, or call or e-mail me. I will need to let each place know how many to expect. Let's have a good turnout, guys and gals, and show our support of the club!

Cherylyn  
Ph 814-5062  
c.cobb@erhardt-leimer.com



## **TELLURIDE TRIP PLANNED!**

*Mark your calendar and register for one of the best ski trips the Spartanburg Club has ever offered. We have 44 slots reserved for January 18 – 25, 2003 for Telluride, Colorado. We have made arrangements to have a bus take us from Spartanburg to Charlotte and pick us up on return to bring us back to Spartanburg. Air will be on American Airlines flying from Charlotte to Montrose, with only one plane change in Dallas. From there, it is only an hour to one and a half-hour bus transfer (included in package) to Telluride (not counting our stop at the beverage store).. We will be staying at the Cimмерon Lodge, which is a ski-in/ ski-out accommodation at the base of chair lift #7 and located in the town of Telluride. As Telluride is a small town, everything is easily within walking distance, but there is also free bus transportation throughout town, with a stop at our front door. Cimмерon has 2 bedroom/ 2 bath condos, where we should be able to easily accommodate couples and singles.*

*We are planning a wine (whine for Allison) and cheese party reception to meet with the mountain people, and give out lift tickets. We have a Nastar race scheduled for Tuesday (optional at \$10.00 for 2 runs – extra runs \$2.00), followed by a slopeside cookout/picnic that will be included in your package. There will also be a group dinner on Thursday night included (restaurant arrangements still in progress).*

*Final air pricing has not been concluded, but the total package should be around **\$1100.00** plus Lift tickets. Lift tickets will be \$190.00 for a 5-day lift pass, with an additional day for \$38.00 (for the diehard McCalls).*

*All plans are finalized and a sign-up form is ready. For a Form, Questions, Concerns, or a Trail map contact Bryan Bobo at 433-8640(w) or 433-9466(h)*

*We have had a lot of calls and interest from people in other Crescent Clubs, so PLEASE sign up NOW!!!!*

### **NOTE:**

*There is a mis-print in the LTA sign-up form for Telluride. We are NOT parking at GSP. We are trying to locate a free parking area in proximity to I-85 for this trip. If you have contacts or can assist, please contact Bryan.*

Ron Scott  
 Race Director  
 Sponsorship Director  
 H 919/362-5689  
[ronski@att.net](mailto:ronski@att.net)

### 2002/2003 Crescent Ski Council Race Schedule

November 24, 2002	<i>CSC Development Training at Appalachian 8:45</i>
December 7-14, 2002	<i>Steamboat Race Camp Call L.T.A 704 332 1090</i>
December 9-13, 2002	<i>Killington Race Camp Call 802 422 6797 800 432 0100 x6132</i>
December 15, 2002	<i>CSC Development Training at Appalachian 8:45</i>
December 6-8, 2002	<i>Sugar Mt. Race Camp Call Kim Jöchl 828 898 4521 x224</i>
February 2, 2003	<i>CSC Development Training at Hawksnest 8:45</i>

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

December 21 & 22, 2002	Appalachian, NC Race	9:30
January 3, 4, & 5, 2003	SilverCreek, WV Race	9:30
January 11 – 18, 2003	Crescent Ski Council Ski Week/ <u>Mammoth, CA</u>	
January 25 & 26, 2003	Hawksnest Mt., NC Race	9:30
Feb. 2 & Feb. 3, 2003	Cupp Run Challenge at Snowshoe, WV	
February 8 & 9, 2003	Sugar MT., NC Race	9:00
February 21, 2003	Canaan Valley, WV	Free Ski Day
February 22, 2003	Canaan Valley, WV	Dual Slalom 9:30
February 23, 2003	Canaan Valley, WV	Dual GS 9:30
March 1, 2003	Sugar Cup Slalom Sugar Mt., NC	Call Sugar Mt.
March 7, 8, & 9, 2003	<u>Crescent Cup</u> , SilverCreek, WV	9:30
March 8, 2003	Subaru Race at Snowshoe, WV	TBA

**DEC. 6-13, 2003 CSC 20<sup>th</sup> RACE CAMP @ STEAMBOAT- START PLANNING NOW!**  
**WE WANT TO MAKE THIS A BIG TRIP, CELEBRATION, & CSC RACE!!!!!!**

# DEADLINES FOR 2002-2003 CRESCENT RACE/SKI WEEKENDS

Again, this year clubs will be assessed a \$10.00 fee for EACH missed deadline. These club deadlines are set as close to resort deadlines as possible to allow you as much time as contracts allow Crescent. We continue to receive payment late and are left no choice in charging late fees.

Below is a list of deadlines you are expected to meet. Each club has the potential for \$50.00 in late fees for each weekend. Envelopes/e-mails will be kept on file to verify postmark dates. If there are questions the club Trip Leader should contact the Crescent Trip Leader.

TRIP	INFORMATION DUE	DUE DATE
Silvercreek I	Confirmation form	October 6 <sup>th</sup> , 2002
Silvercreek I	50 % deposit	October 20 <sup>th</sup> , 2002
Canaan Valley	Confirmation form	November 15 <sup>th</sup> , 2002
Canaan Valley	50 % deposit	November 30 <sup>th</sup> , 2002
Silvercreek II	Confirmation form	December 1 <sup>st</sup> , 2002
Silvercreek II	50 % deposit	December 16 <sup>th</sup> , 2002
Silvercreek I	Balance	December 16 <sup>th</sup> , 2002
Silvercreek I	Room list	December 16 <sup>th</sup> , 2002
Silvercreek I	Room changes	December 27 <sup>th</sup> , 2002
Canaan Valley	Balance	January 4 <sup>th</sup> , 2003
Canaan Valley	Room list	January 4 <sup>th</sup> , 2003
Canaan Valley	Room changes	January 15 <sup>th</sup> , 2003
Silvercreek II	Balance	February 10 <sup>th</sup> , 2003
Silvercreek II	Room list	February 10 <sup>th</sup> , 2003
Silvercreek II	Room changes	February 18 <sup>th</sup> , 2003

North Carolina due dates need to be met; however these are made by individuals or a club's race director and will not be penalized.

RACE DATES	INFORMATION DUE	DUE DATE
December 21 <sup>st</sup> -22cd, 2002	Block Rooms	ASAP
December 21 <sup>st</sup> -22cd, 2002	50% deposit	At time of reservation
December 21 <sup>st</sup> -22cd, 2002	Balance(check-out)	December 2cd, 2002
January 25 <sup>th</sup> -26th, 2003	Block Rooms	ASAP
January 25 <sup>th</sup> -26th, 2003	50% deposit	At time of reservation
January 25 <sup>th</sup> -26th, 2003	Balance(check-out)	January 26 <sup>th</sup> , 2003
February 8 <sup>th</sup> -9th, 2003	Block Rooms	ASAP
February 8 <sup>th</sup> -9th, 2003	50% deposit	At time of reservation
February 8 <sup>th</sup> -9th, 2003	Balance(check-out)	February 9 <sup>th</sup> , 2003



## NORTH CAROLINA RACE WEEKENDS

RACE DATES: December 21<sup>st</sup>-22<sup>nd</sup>, 2002-Appalachian  
January 25<sup>th</sup>-26<sup>th</sup>, 2003-Hawksnest  
February 8<sup>th</sup>-9<sup>th</sup>, 2003-Sugar

### LODGING

COORDINATOR: Emily Wilson  
3701-7M Cotswold Terrace  
Greensboro, NC 27410  
336 545-0844 home before 9 PM  
[ewilAmindspring.com](http://ewilAmindspring.com)

LODGING: Quality Inn Appalachian Conference Center  
949 Blowing Rock Rd.  
Boone, NC 28607  
828 262-0020

Hampton Inn  
1075 Hwy 105  
Boone, NC 28607  
828 264-0077

LODGING DATES: Friday and Saturday nights of respective race weekends

### LODGING

ALLOCATION: Crescent has blocked a group of 20 rooms. Individuals are to make reservations "on their own". Reservations should be made at least 30 days prior to the race, rooms will be released by Quality Inn and Hampton Inn 30 days out. If reservations are made within 30 days you may incur higher pricing.

PRICING: Advise the Quality Inn or Hampton Inn that you are with the Crescent Ski Council to receive our preferred rate. Book early to block the needed rooms.

ROOM RATES (per room, per night-1 to 4 people), not including tax

<i>Date</i>	<i>Quality Inn</i>	<i>Hampton Inn</i>
December 20th-21st, 2002	\$65.00	\$79.00
January 24th-25th, 2003	\$85.00	\$79.00
February 7th-8th, 2003	\$85.00	\$79.00
	full breakfast	continental
	buffet	breakfast
	Indoor pool	indoor pool and Jacuzzi

Check-in: after 3 PM

Check-out: 11 AM

LIFT TICKETS: Please purchase your lift tickets through Crescent at the mountain the mornings of the races. **CASH ONLY!!**

DEADLINES: The room block is first come first served, so make your reservations early! 50% deposit will be due with reservations.

### CANCELLATION

POLICY: The Quality Inn will honor the Crescent **24-hour** cancellation policy if there is not enough snow to hold a race. The Hampton Inn has a **7-day** cancellation policy. We advise that each individual should confirm this in writing with the hotel.

**NOTE: Board meeting to be held January 25th at Quality Inn. Time TBA. All clubs should plan to have their two representatives present.**



## Racers Report

The arrival of September means time to plan your race workshops and camps. Appalachian holds one-day race clinics November 24 and December 15. Sugar has a three-day clinic December 6-8. Steamboat, Colorado has a week long camp December 7-14. All of these provide an opportunity for novices to learn how to run gates and for current racers a chance to practice and improve before the race season starts. Also, you can make timed runs to establish a Crescent handicap or re-establish one if yours has lapsed. The week at Steamboat gives you a choice between race instruction and regular ski instruction making it an excellent package for non-racers as well. Please contact LTA Ski Tours in Charlotte to sign up for Steamboat. Their phone number is 704 655-7487. The Crescent race weekends in West Virginia are a lot of fun. Plan to drive up on Thursday and ski Friday, Saturday and Sunday. There are discount lessons and other activities for non-racers. Dates are Silver Creek #1 January 3-5, Canaan Valley February 21-23 and Silver Creek #2 March 7-9.

Think Snow-Think Fast, Mark

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<b>585-0306</b>	<b>433-9623</b>

**Visit us online at [www.ymcaspartanburg.org](http://www.ymcaspartanburg.org)**

## Membership News

It is time again to renew your membership in the Ski and Outing Club if you haven't done so already. You should have received your membership renewal form by mail. Please review the form and make sure that all items entered are correct. Return the form and you dues to me as soon as possible. Remember dues expire September 30<sup>th</sup>. There are already lots of activities planned for next year so don't forget to renew.

*Ted*

## IN ANTICIPATION ...

*October's club program will be Spartanburg local historian, Dr. Jeffrey Willis, who will give a presentation on the history of Spartanburg, its landmarks, society and other factors that began it all! A program not to be missed.*

*Alison*



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## **TRIP PLANNING DATES 2002-2003**

FALL CRESCENT CONFERENCE – NOV. 8-10, 2002 – ASHVILLE, NC

CRESCENT / STEAMBOAT RACE CAMP – DEC. 7-14, 2002 – STEAMBOAT, CO

CRESCENT MEGA TRIP – JAN. 11-18, 2003 – MAMMOTH MTN., CALIFORNIA

SPARTANBURG WESTERN TRIP – JAN. 18-25, 2003 – TELLURIDE, COLORADO

CLUB'S ROAN MOUNTAIN WEEKEND – JAN. 31 - FEB. 2, 2003 – (CLUB RACE)

CRESCENT EUROPE TRIP–MAR.14/15-22/23, 2003–CHAMPARY, SWITZERLAND

CRESCENT SPRING CONVENTION – APRIL 24-27, 2003 – MYRTLE BEACH, SC

HICKORY KNOB ANNUAL SPRING GOLF OUTING – MAY 23-25, 2003

*NOTE: INFORMATION AND PRICING IS CURRENTLY AVAILABLE ON THE ABOVE TRIPS. PLEASE CONTACT BRYAN BOBO, IF YOU ARE READY TO SIGN-UP.*

### **NOTES:**

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- 2) **Hickory Knob dates have been corrected. It is Memorial Day weekend.**
- 3) **Sign-up forms are now available for the Crescent Trip to Champary, Switzerland. Trip cost from GSP is \$ 1432.00 pp/ double occupancy. Deposits are due now. Please contact Bryan immediately if interested.**
- 4) **If you are interested in attending the crescent Fall Conference, please contact Bryan now.**
- 5) **You can sign-up for the Steamboat Ski and Racing Clinic/Trip now with LTA Travel. If you need information, contact Bryan.**
- 6) **On Roan Mountain and Hickory Knob Trips, Room/Cabin selection is on a first deposit/ first serve basis. If you have a room/cabin preference, sign-up and submit your deposit early.**

# SPARTANBURG SKI & OUTING CLUB

## BOARD OF DIRECTORS

### 2002-2003

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