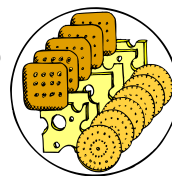


SPARTANBURG SKI & OUTING CLUB



Nov. 3rd: Club Meeting at The Arts Center
Wine & Cheese



Nov. 4th-6th: CSC Fall Conference



Nov. 12th: Hike to Pearson's Falls



Nov. 16th: Mini-Social at The Symposium Cafe

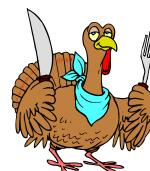


**VETERANS
DAY**



NOVEMBER 2005

<http://www.spartanburgskiclub.org>



From Barbara

If you were not at the October membership meeting, you missed a wonderful experience. Sincere thanks to Ivo Deron, Ted Mueller, Herb Lindsay, and Samuel Linder for wonderful information and great fun. I have always considered our club's diversity to be our greatest asset. We will feature other members at the December meeting.

Wine and cheese at the November meeting—woohoo! The mini-social is at The Symposium Café. Contact Pat Lee 864-472-2253 or patricia159@charter.net to reserve your spot. Also contact Pat for the November 12th hike.

Start purchasing toys to donate to DSS. We will collect them at the December meeting (unwrapped, please). Contact Joy Bobo (433-0802 or joybobo@sunaccess.net) if you plan to attend our Christmas bash on December 10th. Great food and drink and merriment, which reminds me—time to start looking for the perfect gift for our gift swap.

If you haven't yet renewed your membership, please do so. The form is available on the web site www.spartanburgskiclub.org and is also available at each club function. You may mail it (with check attached) to Mike Rogers, 404 Quail Ridge Circle, Boiling Springs, SC 29303 or give it to Mike at any club function.

See you Thursday!



A LOOK AHEAD

Hike with Pat Lee November 12th

Club Christmas Party December 10th

Lake Tahoe January 21-28

Club Race February 5th

Roan Mountain February 10-12

Hickory Knob April 14-15

Programs

In October, a program series began featuring how Spartanburg Ski and Outing Club members arrived in the Upstate and what life is/was like in their native country. The club is fortunate to have a diverse representation from European and North American countries. A special thanks to Herb Lindsay, Ted Mueller, Ivo Deron and Sammy Linder for sharing their experience living abroad, their journey to the Upstate and humorous adventures in the club. Can you recall from the meeting: Which European country consumes the largest quantity of beer? Who's former career is mail delivery? Which two members' native towns are about 60 miles from each other? Or who got their Green Card in less than 5 years?

Looking Forward Club Meetings

Wine and Cheese Tasting **Thursday, November 3- 7:30 pm at the Arts Center**

Several wines and cheeses will be featured. Brief backgrounds on the grapes and wine producing areas will be available. Come on out and join us for this event! It will be a great opportunity to try some wines and cheeses you may not have experienced.



Mini-Social

November's mini-social will be on the east side of Spartanburg at the Symposium Cafe. This new restaurant has a European flavor and is located on Highway 29 on the same side as Target and IHOP. We'll meet at 6:00 pm on Wednesday the 16th. Why not bring potential member.

Crescent Racing

Racers, it is time to get in shape and turn in your \$35 Crescent race series fee. I will not be at the November meeting so mail me your check made out to the Spartanburg Ski Club or give it to Treasurer Art Mall at the meeting.

Plan on getting some pre race practice at one of the early season clinics. Sugar Mountain is December 9, 10 & 11; Appalachian December 11 and Steamboat is December 3-10.

First race is December 17 at Appalachian. Remember to call [828 859-5500] or e-mail [mmccall1@alltel.net] by the Sunday before each race so I can get you in the race line up.

Think Snow & Ski Fast,
Mark McCall
185 Thoroughbred Ln
Tryon NC 28782

Hike

Our November hike to Pearson's Falls is shaping up. This is such a non-strenuous hike that all family members could do it. In spite of the ease, it's in a lovely setting between Tryon and Saluda. The property is maintained by the Tryon Garden Club. We'll depart Spartanburg at 10 am or meet up there at 10:45. For more info contact Pat Lee (864) 472-2253 or <patricia159charter.net>

DSS Toy Round-up and Foreign Imports, Part II Thursday, December 1- 7:30 pm at the Arts Center

Bring a new, unwrapped toy to the club meeting to be collected for Spartanburg county Department of Social Services. Make a child's holiday a little brighter.

The response and feedback from the October Foreign Imports program was fantastic! We would like to continue our program featuring club members from foreign countries in December. If you are interested in sharing your background and cultural perspective with the group, please sign up at the November meeting. No significant preparation is needed. A list of topics/questions to work from will be provided.

SSOC CHRISTMAS PARTY 2005



Saturday, December 10th – 6:00 pm ~ until

Hostess: Joy Bobo

Cost \$10.00 / person ... all inclusive



*Join us for our Holiday Celebration with an array of Fine Foods
and Christmas Cheers!*

*Of course, we'll have the Chinese Auction, which always seems to be
one of our most entertaining events!*

*Please sign up at the November and December meetings. Payment
requested in advance by Thursday, December 1st.*

*** A reminder ~ this is an adult party,
No children under twelve please ***



Spartanburg's Ski Week at Lake Tahoe
January 21-28,2006

Join us for great skiing and nightlife at beautiful LakeTahoe. Accomodations are just a few steps away from the gondola at Heavenly.

Cost: \$1,249 /person, includes air, transfers,lodging,5 of 6 day lifts, and a welcome wine and cheese reception. For land package, deduct \$407.

Lodging: 7 nights condominium accomodations at the Forest Suites Resort - 2 bedroom/2 bath with 4 per unit.

Skiing: 3 days at at Heavenly, 1 day at Kirkwood (shuttle included), and one day at Squaw Valley with bus over/ Tahoe Queen and dinner on the return. 6th day skiing at Alpine Meadows with free shuttle (20 person minimum) optional. We will also schedule a NASTAR club race.

Air Transportation: GSP to Reno on Northwest Airlines.

- Payment Schedule:
- Initial deposit of \$200 due no later than July 20th
- 2nd payment-\$300 due Oct 7th
- Final payment-\$749 due Dec 2nd

Make checks payable to Sportsamerica, and send to me,

Carol Mccall
185 thoroughbred Lane
Tryon, N.C.28782

For more info, contact Carol at 828-859-5500 or mmccall1@alltel.net

Crescent Race Workshop

\$58 each

Workshops are offered by FRENCH-SWISS SKI COLLEGE at Appalachian Ski Mtn. The \$58 price includes Slope Ticket, Workshop and Crescent Development Race Handicap.

December 11, 2005

Please call or email to let us know if you plan to attend. Fees will be collected at registration the morning of the Workshop at the French-Swiss Ski College Desk, lower level of the Lodge at Appalachian Ski Mtn.

Get Ready To Race - Run gates, receive individual feedback, participate in fun races. Run more gates.

Gates, Gates, Gates - Gates, gates and more gates, timed runs and mock races. Emphasis on running courses, not instruction.

CRESCENT RACE WORKSHOP SCHEDULE

9:00 a.m.	Sign in at the French-Swiss Ski College Desk, lower level of the Lodge at Appalachian Ski Mtn., pay fees at this time Fill Out Race Disclaimer Receive Race Bib
9:45 a.m.	Meet at the "Ski School Meets Here" sign, in front of the Lodge
10-12:00 p.m.	First Session Running Gates Race Instruction
12-1:00 p.m.	Lunch On Your Own
1-3:00 p.m.	Second Session Timed Runs Practice Running Courses

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828-295-9312 FAX 828-295-7553
www.skifrench-swiss.com email: skifrenchswiss@bellsouth.net

Day or Night Ski/Snowboard Trips

Days

Skiing: **\$33**

Snowboarding: **\$45**

Saturday: Dec. 10, Mar. 4, & 11

Sunday: Dec. 11, Jan. 8, Feb. 26, Mar. 5, 12

Nights

Skiing: **\$28**

Snowboarding: **\$34**

Saturday: Jan. 7, 21, 28

Feb. 4, 11, 25

INCLUDES:

Slope Ticket at Appalachian Ski Mtn.

Equipment Rental

Lesson with the French-Swiss Ski College

Early & Late Season Packages

Dec. 10-11, 2005, Mar. 4-5 & 11-12, 2006

Ski More Than One Mountain - Starting At \$78

INCLUDES:

1 Night Appalachian Ski Mtn. & 1 Day **YOU** Choose the Mtn.

(Beech, Sugar, Appalachian or Hawksnest)

Equipment Rental

Lesson with the French-Swiss Ski College

Saturday Night Lodging

Sugar Mtn. - Starting at \$74

INCLUDES:

Slope Tickets for 1 Night & 1 Day

Equipment Rental

Saturday Night Lodging

High Season Weekends

Jan. 7-8, & Feb. 25-26, 2006

Starting at \$85

INCLUDES:

1 Night Appalachian Ski Mtn. & 1 Day **YOU** Choose the Mtn.

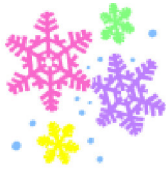
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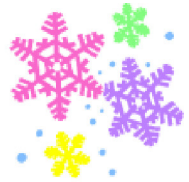
Lesson with the French-Swiss Ski College

Saturday Night Lodging

NO MINIMUM NUMBERS REQUIRED FOR THESE DATES

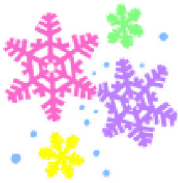


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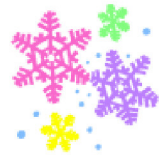


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Ron Scott
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Sponsorship Director
H 919/362-5689
ronski@att.net

2005/2006 Crescent Ski Council Race Schedule

December 3-10	2005	<i>Steamboat Race Camp Call L.T.A 704 655 7487</i>
December call	2005	<i>Killington Race Camp Call 802 422 6797 800 432 0100 x6132</i>
December 11	2005	<i>CSC Development Training at Appalachian 8:45</i>
December 9-11	2005	<i>Sugar Mt. Race Camp Call Kim Jöchl 828 898 4521 x224</i>
January 22,	2006	<i>CSC Development Training at Hawksnest 8:45/pre register</i>

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

December 17 & 18, 2005	Appalachian, NC Race	9:30
January 6, 7, & 8, 2006	SilverCreek, WV Race	9:30
January 14 – 21, 2006	Crescent Ski Council Ski Week/ASPEN	
January 28 - 29, 2006	Beech Mt., NC Race	9:30
February 5, 2006	Cupp Run Challenge at Snowshoe, WV	
February 11 & 12, 2006	Hawksnest, NC Race	9:30
February 25 & 26, 2006	Sugar Mt., NC	9:00
March 4, 2006	Dick Trundy/Sugar Cup GS Sugar Mt.	9:00
March 10, 11, & 12, 2006	<u>Crescent Cup</u>, SilverCreek, WV	9:30
	SS Foundation race Fri. @ Snowshoe	10:00
March, 23 – 26, 2006	NASTAR Finals	Rich Mead




DEC. 3-10, 2005 CSC 22nd RACE CAMP @ STEAMBOAT- START PLANNING NOW!

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2005-2006

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Roan Mountain State Park
Friday to Sunday
February 10-12, 2006

Our annual Roan Mountain weekend is set for two nights as outlined above. We have ten cabins reserved in the new section. These cabins have one bedroom and a divided loft with a double bed on each side.

The cost for lodging for the two nights is \$190 for an entire cabin. Contact Carol for individual bed availability.

For full club refund of reservation money, Roan Mountain requires cancellation of any cabins forty-five days before the reservation date. By mid-December we will cancel cabins for which we have not received full payment.

Please put this on your calendar and sign up early. Mail checks to Carol, please, since she will be doing the record-keeping.

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 185 Thoroughbred Lane, Tryon NC 28782
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 mmccall1@alltel.net

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.

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 \$ 25. 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.

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