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SPARTANBURG SKI & OUTTING CLUB



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Mother's
Day

MAY 2012

<http://www.spartanburgskiclub.org>

MEMORIAL
Day

PRESIDENT'S CORNER

Can you believe I'm back? After the amazing job Mark did, I still could not talk him into a 3rd term. It's been more than 20 years since I've been in this position, and a lot has changed. For one thing, those of us that were around then, we're 20 years older. Some of you didn't even know I'd been President once before and some of us don't even ski anymore. The skiing may have changed, but the outings are still awesome!

We have a lot going on until next ski season, so keep up with the newsletters. As always, Pat has us dining at a different restaurant every month, and Board members are offering their homes on the lake, or poolside, for the summer months. Jan has more interesting programs in store for the coming year also. Coming activities include a day riding a zip line, a possible camping and rafting weekend, and another hike. If you have an activity you'd like us to do, please contact any Board Member and we'll look into it, or have you help us get it organized.

Don't forget Music on Main (see article elsewhere in the newsletter) and I'm thinking possibly of doing more activities during the week.

Look forward to seeing all of you at the last meeting of the season at the Chapman Cultural Center on May 3. Come socialize with other members before everyone takes off for the summer vacations. And don't forget to bring a friend!

Conni

"I suppose leadership at one time meant muscles; but today it means getting along with people." Mahatma Gandhi



WINE AND CHEESE RECEPTION FOR MAY MEETING

Sorry guys, no white stuff unless you go south of the equator for the next few months! As a result, it's time to think of the HOT summer months to come. We will wind up the Chapman season with a Wine and Cheese Reception on May 3. Doors will be open at 7:00 PM. You bring your favorite wine, and the club will provide the cheese, plates, cups, etc. If you have a favorite appetizer you are dying to share, you can bring it, but the club will furnish all but the wine. So, bring your favorite bottle, or one you have been dying to try, along with you to the meeting. It promises to be a fun social evening for all!!!!

Looking forward to the rest of the summer, we have the following lined up for you:

- June (tentative 5th) at Bob and Diane Butscher's
- July 21st at Marcy Cassady's for a pool party
- August (tentative 4th) at Elke Schoellkoph's
- September 6 back at Chapman for a cookout/covered dish on the patio to begin a new year of fun and sliding on the white stuff!

Specific details to follow, but all will involve covered dish meals. See you soon for fun and relaxation with a small meeting attached!

Jan Sarratt



May Mini-Social

May's mini-social will bring us back to the east side of Spartanburg to Dudley's, 1055 Fernwood-Glendale Road. Dudley's offers American cuisine: seafood, steaks, burgers with a heavy emphasis on grilling. Visit their website at www.dudleysonline.com. We'll meet Thursday, May 16th at 6:30. If the weather permits we can enjoy their outdoor seating. Let me know if you plan to attend by email or call me at 472-2253.

Pat



GO TAKE A JUMP!

Ever wanted to take a jump on a Zip Line? Well, stay tuned, Kay Buzby will have more information for us in our May newsletter, so mark your calendar June 16 for a new experience. Kay is just one of our many members to head up a new activity, so if you have something in mind, let a Board Member know and we'll be glad to work with you to see it through. Got an idea, let's get started on it.

Conni Harrell



IT'S THAT TIME AGAIN...MUSIC ON MAIN

Most of you know the routine, I am still looking for volunteers, and also for someone to help me organize this fundraiser. Our club date is May 10, as always, it is on a Thursday. We only have 12 volunteers at this time and **must** have a minimum of 21. **ALL** positions need to be filled. If you have never done it, it's not a hard job, and we always have a good time. You will never be alone in whatever position you are assigned so don't be afraid to learn something new. Because the City of Spartanburg always has a quick refresher before the event starts at 6 PM, we need to arrive no later than **5:30 PM**. This is also when they take our head count, which will apply to the points that we accumulate for calculating our earnings. So please come out and help YOUR club. I can be contacted at 592-3405 or tedcancom@att.net, so sign up soon. And don't forget we are also volunteering to help the Special Olympics with their M.O.M. date, June 21.

Conni Harrell, President, SSOC

A New Look!!!

As you may have noticed already we are printing in color again. This is because the club has purchased a color laser printer to replace the old monochrome (B&W) one we have. Now the printed copy of the newsletter will be completely in color, not just the cover page and the calendar like it used to be. Of course, the newsletter has always been created in color and can be viewed as such in the electronic (PDF file) version posted on our web site. Additionally, the board has requested that rather than spread articles out one per page when I have to add a sheet of paper to fit everything in that I include some pictures from recent events. Well, that's happened in this issue so check out the pictures on the next couple of pages!

Taylor



Recent Events



Recent Events



NEW CLUB SHIRTS!



Some of you have expressed an interest in having new shirts with our SSOC logo embroidered on them. Well, now you can have them. As of May you will be able to get ANY shirt you desire from Spartan Custom. They are located on Southport Rd, about a mile beyond Fuddruckers on the right. Mike Weber is our contact person there. They have a good many shirts in stock or you can order one through their catalog. Pat Lee has volunteered to take orders for those of you that cannot get to Spartan Custom's location. Because too many of you wanted different type shirts, this was the only way we could make it possible for you to choose your own. T-shirts, golf shirts, sweatshirts, long sleeve, short sleeve, cuffed, no cuff, cotton, pique, 50/50, and there are just too many colors to name. The cost of course depends on the shirt you choose, plus tax and \$4.00 for the embroidery. If you have any questions, please contact me at 592-3405.

Conni Harrell
President, SSOC



Need a Tent For Your Summer Party?

Don't forget, the SSOC has an 18 x 20 foot tent for your summer parties. Got a Family Reunion, birthday or anniversary party? How about that block party in your neighborhood? It sure would be good to keep the sun off your back or to shield you from that unexpected rainstorm. Non-members may rent the tent as long as a member in good standing signs for it. Rent is \$35.00 for a day. We also have 4, 6 foot tables for rent, for \$5.00 a piece. Get in touch with Joy Bobo at 433-0802, or me, at 592-3405 for more information or to make your reservation.

Conni Harrell
President, SSOC



Annual Summary 2011-2012

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Category Description	4/1/2011- 3/31/2012
INFLOWS	
Fund Raising	960.44
Membership	1,500.00
Trips	-107.44
TOTAL INFLOWS	2,353.00
OUTFLOWS	
Administration	721.03
Crescent Convention	270.00
Donation	1,300.00
Meetings	223.88
Misc.	-0.01
Newsletter	36.86
Racing	415.40
Rent	320.00
Special Events	-713.09
TOTAL OUTFLOWS	2,574.07
OVERALL TOTAL	-221.07



From: Marcy Cassady <mouseworks52@yahoo.com>
Sent: Friday, April 20, 2012 11:17 AM
Subject: Zip Line

ZIP LINE- JUNE 16- NEAR ASHEVILLE

Join in on the fun

Spartanburg Ski and Outing will go Zip Lining at Navitat. This is located about 20 minutes out of Asheville at 242 Poverty Branch Road.

This fun trip soaring over the tree tops lasts about 3 1/2 hours. We have a tentative starting time of 1 PM, so those of you who would be interested could stay in Asheville for drinks and dinner after the zip-lining.

Cost: \$89 per person....the amount has to be paid in full to make the reservation, and on one credit card. If we have more than 8 people to sign up....we will get a 10 %discount...which will be refunded to you the day of the event.....\$8

Dress: Casual and comfortable with closed toe shoes....preferably long pants. You need to be in good health. and not taking blood thinners...should be able to walk one mile, have full range of motion and moderate strength.

Weight 90 - 250 pounds...

If you are interested, please mail full payment of \$89 to:

Kay Buzby
125 Applewood Lane
Spartanburg, SC 29307

before May 15

Reservations are held with full payment only and Money will be refunded with a 72 hour cancellation notice.

check out the web site for more details
www.navitat.com/Asheville



SPARTANBURG SKI & OUTING CLUB

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2012-2013

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I'M JUST SAYING....

Snowboarding is an activity that is very popular with people who do not feel that regular skiing is lethal enough.

Dave Barry

Life is partly what we make it, and partly what is made by the friends we choose.

Tennessee Williams

Walking: the most ancient exercise, and still the most modern exercise.

Carrie Latet

Everywhere is within walking distance if you have the time.

Steven Wright



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.

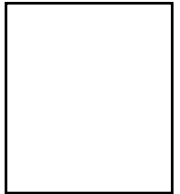
The club does **not** provide alcoholic beverages at membership meetings, but members are allowed to bring their own (BYOB) choices of beer or wine. Over-indulgence is not condoned under any circumstances. Cups, ice, and some soft drinks are provided. Thank you.

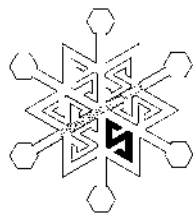
Become a Member

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

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

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SPARTANBURG SKI & OUTING CLUB



May 2012

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June

4 Full Moon

11 Last Quarter

14 Flag Day

17 Father's Day

19 New Moon

21 Board Meeting at Location TBD

Summer begins

23 July 2012 Newsletter Deadline

27 First Quarter

July

3 Full Moon

4 Independence Day

11 Last Quarter

14 Tentative Pool Party/Meeting at Marcy's

19 Board Meeting at Location TBD

New Moon

21 August 2012 Newsletter Deadline

26 First Quarter

August

2 Full Moon

9 Last Quarter

16 Board Meeting at Location TBD

17 New Moon

24 First Quarter

25 September 2012 Newsletter Deadline

31 Full Moon

September

3 Labor Day

8 Last Quarter

16 New Moon

20 Board Meeting at Location TBD

22 First Quarter

October 2012 Newsletter Deadline

23 Autumn begins

30 Full Moon

October

8 Columbus Day (Observed)

Last Quarter

15 New Moon

18 Board Meeting at Location TBD

20 November 2012 Newsletter Deadline

22 First Quarter

29 Full Moon

31 Halloween

November

1 Club PO Box Fee Due

4 Daylight Savings Time Ends

6 Election Day

7 Last Quarter

11 Veterans Day

13 New Moon

15 Board Meeting at Location TBD

20 First Quarter

22 Thanksgiving

24 December 2012 Newsletter Deadline

28 Full Moon

December

6 Last Quarter

13 New Moon

20 Board Meeting at Location TBD

First Quarter

21 Winter begins

22 January 2013 Newsletter Deadline

25 Christmas

28 Full Moon

31 New Year's Eve

January

1 New Year's Day

5 Last Quarter

11 New Moon

17 Board Meeting at Location TBD

18 First Quarter

21 Martin Luther King, Jr.

26 February 2013 Newsletter Deadline

27 Full Moon

February

2 Groundhog Day

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