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**JANUARY 2017**

# SPARTANBURG

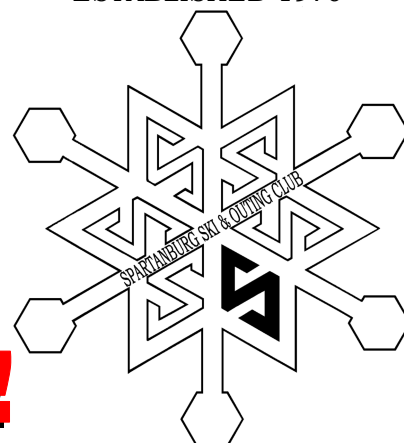
# SKI AND



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# OUTING

# CLUB



MEMBER CRESCENT SKI COUNCIL



Jan. 5<sup>th</sup> - Club Meeting - Chili Cook-Off (Page 3)



Jan. 10<sup>th</sup> - Mini-Social at Compadre's (Page 4)

## RACES



Jan. 7<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> - Sugar Mtn.

Jan. 28<sup>th</sup>-29<sup>th</sup> - Wintergreen, VA



<http://www.spartanburgskiclub.org>



## Notes From Your President

*It's been a busy holiday season! We gathered to share cookies and show off our Christmas sweaters at Chapman Cultural Center. Teresa posted photos on our Facebook page & they attracted some unexpected attention. A reporter with the Herald-Journal contacted us and asked to take photos for possible use in a feature article. Teresa, Conni, Kathy, and David baked more cookies and met with him. We really appreciate their efforts.*

*Several of our members enjoyed success at the Steamboat (CO) Race Camp, and there's finally snow for ski racing in the North Carolina mountains. I believe cabins are still available for the Roan Mountain (TN) trip. Check with Carol.*

*Please get some rest between Christmas and the New Year, but make time for creating chili to share at our January 5<sup>th</sup> meeting. Then prepare to enjoy food from South of the Border at Compadre's with Alison on January 10<sup>th</sup>.*

*Our nominating committee (the SSOC president and last four past-presidents) will be meeting in early January to prepare a slate of new officers for your consideration. If you are contacted, please seriously consider helping. Now, more than ever, we need new workers and new ideas. Everyone wants to have a good time but few of us are willing to do the work. It's not mysterious work that requires special training. A willingness to attend monthly board meetings and help plan what we do is all that is required. Please don't say no to us!!*

*Barbara*





Thursday, January 5, 2017, 7:00 PM  
Chapman Cultural Center

Be it resolved by New Years day you will have your chili recipe ready to make and share with your fellow ski club friends.

This is always a **Hot** competition!

Last year we had 12 chilis to sample so let's equal that mark this year. There are no rules as to your chili. It can be white chili, red chili, with or without beans. We ask that you name your chili and prepare a display placard.

Please let me know if you will be bringing a chili. We do need your enthusiastic participation to make this *mouthwatering* event successful

Mike Rogers, Programs  
kwizen@bellsouth.net



Join us on Tuesday, January 10<sup>th</sup> at  
COMPADRES MEX MEX GRILL located  
at 8161 Warren H Abernathy Highway  
Spartanburg SC, 29301

Not your usual Mexican restaurant ... Come on out & give it a try!  
Sign up sheet available at the January club meeting!

Alison

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And, then back to a club favorite in February. Heading to Thai  
Taste on Southport Road on February 23<sup>rd</sup>. Mark your calendar  
for this one!

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Always looking for suggestions for mini-social locations ... if you have  
a favorite place you'd like the club to return to or try someplace new ...  
please let me know. This is YOUR club and the Board works very  
hard to make sure we include a good variety of locations & cuisine &  
beverage (of course)!

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## THANK YOU MISS JOY!

What another wonderful Christmas gathering we had at Joy's! If you missed it, you miss quite the smorgasbord of food...so many choices, and something for everyone. This was probably the largest crowd we have ever had, and how Joy does it is just amazing! The white elephant auction was a hoot, even if you walked away with a "Clapper", a box of ball caps, or a bottle of wine, it was a night filled with laughs, friends and fun. We even were surprised to have 2 of our younger (and very good looking) members join us. Let's hope she ask all 40 of us back next year. Thanks for the memories Joy!

Sincerely, your guests.



## Annual Club Ski Race

When: Saturday, February 4<sup>th</sup>

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





## 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.skiwolfbridgenc.com](http://www.skiwolfbridgenc.com)



[www.fuxiracingusa.com](http://www.fuxiracingusa.com)



[www.skiwhitefish.com](http://www.skiwhitefish.com)



[www.bananaboat.com](http://www.bananaboat.com)



[www.putnam.com](http://www.putnam.com)



[www.dynastar.com](http://www.dynastar.com)



[www.leki.com](http://www.leki.com)



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## **Birthdays**



**The following members have birthdays in January.**

**Happy Birthday to:**

<b>Gill Bartell</b>	<b>January 30th</b>
<b>Katelin McCall</b>	<b>January 28th</b>
<b>Diann Linquist</b>	<b>January 9th</b>
<b>Pedro McGuire</b>	<b>January 8th</b>
<b>Alan Jerzewski</b>	<b>January 7th</b>
<b>Beverly Benson</b>	<b>January 4th</b>
<b>Jill Menzel</b>	<b>January 26th</b>

**Have a wonderful day!**



## **Treasurer News**



The balance in the treasury as of November 15 was \$4496.46.  
The balance on December 13 was \$4927.00.

*Ted*





As you know we are collecting items for Safe Homes Rape Crisis Coalition. Well, they have enough food right now. We have been asked to concentrate on some very specific items. They need: **women's underwear, any size. Boy's and girl's under wear, all sizes. Cleaning products, detergent and clorox.**

They were thrilled with our last donation and our check for \$277! They work entirely from donations and grants, so our club's donations really do make a difference.

Thanks to everyone for all the generous donations.

I hope you a Happy New Year!

*Joy,*

*Fundraising*







Teresa, Kathy, and Conni baked cookies and represented our club for a Spartanburg Herald-Journal feature article.

Rich, Nancy, Conni, Ted, Joy, Alison, Mike, and Barbara folded brochures for Spartanburg's Dickens of a Christmas celebration.

Joy baked and cooked and decorated and invited us into her home for our annual Christmas party.



### Ice Hockey

Sunday, February 19<sup>th</sup> at 3 PM

Let Barbara know if you are interested so we can arrange to get tickets that allow us to sit together. Dinner afterward. Full details in February newsletter.

Orchid Show NC Arboretum on Saturday, March 25—Mark your calendar!





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 33<sup>rd</sup> 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.



# SPARTANBURG SKI AND OUTING BOARD OF DIRECTORS

2016 – 2017

<b>President</b>	Barbara Rogers	578-0618	kwizen@bellsouth.net
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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.

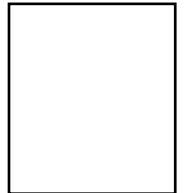
The Spartanburg Ski & Outing Club normally meets the first Thursday of each month at 7:00 PM. We are located at the Chapman Cultural Center (West Wing) on East St. John Street in Spartanburg on the first floor. During the summer months (June, July, and August) meetings are frequently held, more informally, 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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**PO BOX 2864** Go  
**SPARTANBURG, SC 29304** for  
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# SPARTANBURG SKI & OUTING CLUB

## January 2017



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1  New Year's Day	2	3	4	5 Club Meeting - Chili Cook-Off First Quarter	6	7 <b>CSC Race #2 - Sugar</b>
8 <b>CSC Race #2 - Sugar</b>	9	10  Mini-Social at Compadre's	11	12  Full Moon	13	14 <b>CSC Beaver Creek</b>
15	16  Martin Luther King, Jr.	17	18	19 Board Meeting at Location TBD (Will Likely Be Canceled) Last Quarter	20	21 February 2017 Newsletter Deadline
<b>CSC Beaver Creek Ski Week</b>						
22	23	24	25	26	27	28  New Moon <b>CSC Race #3 -</b>
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# Upcoming Events

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- Club Meeting - "Member's Testimonial"
- Groundhog Day
- Roan Mtn. Week-End / Club Race
- First Quarter

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- Roan Mtn. Week-End / Club Race
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- CSC Race #4 - Beech Mtn.
- Full Moon

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- CSC Race #4 - Beech Mtn.
- Lincoln's Birthday
- Valentine's Day
- Board Meeting at Ted's
- Last Quarter

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- March 2017 Newsletter Deadline
- Swamp Rabbits Hockey Game
- President's Day
- Washington's Birthday
- Mini-Social at Thai Taste
- CSC Race #5 - Sugar Mtn.
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- New Moon

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- Ash Wednesday
- Club Meeting - Awards (Non-Skiing)
- First Quarter

- CSC Race #6 - Silvercreek, WV
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- CSC Race #6 - Silvercreek, WV
- Daylight Savings Time Begins
- Full Moon

- Board Meeting at Teresa's
- St. Patrick's Day
- April 2017 Newsletter Deadline
- Last Quarter

- Spring begins
- Tentative Orchid Show / Sierra Nevada Dinner
- New Moon

## April

- April Fool's Day
- First Quarter
- Palm Sunday
- Full Moon
- Club Meeting - Piedmont Club?

- Good Friday
- Easter
- Last Quarter
- Board Meeting at Carol's
- New Moon
- CSC Spring Convention at Myrtle Beach
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