

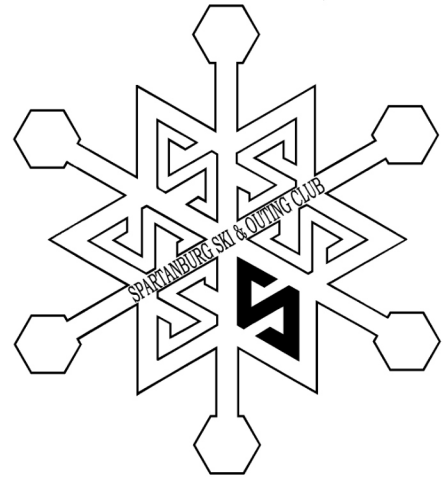
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December 2022

SPARTANBURG SKI and OUTING CLUB



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MEMBER CRESCENT SKI COUNCIL

December 1, 2022 (Thursday) Annual
cookie swap at VCOM - 7:00 pm



December 25, 2022 (Sunday)
Christmas Day



<http://www.spartanburgskiclub.org>



From the Prez

Happy Holidays!!!!

There's no doubt that the holidays are upon us, since stores started displaying Christmas decorations around Halloween. Being the procrastinator that I am, that won't start until after Thanksgiving at our house.

We had a good turnout at Mountainbrook Winery on Saturday, Nov 12th and the weather cooperated. Over 20 members showed up and sampled several of their wines. Some of our members brought food for us to pass around and nibble on, I thank you all for your thoughtfulness and especially Mike Rogers for the arranging this gathering.

As you know, our ski and outing club would never let the holidays go by unnoticed, and we have a few things planned for everyone. On December 1st, we will be having our annual Christmas party and cookie swap at VCOM. Please do your best to be there and bring some charitable items. Most needed are socks and underwear. And...BRING COOKIES!

I'd like to thank VCOM for letting us use their facilities, and also Alison Kimball for putting all of this together for us.

We'll be back in the groove again on January 7th with our annual holiday party at Joy's house. We've had to miss a couple of years due to Covid restrictions, but now we're back in the groove. Thank you Joy for opening up your home for us. There will be more detailed information on both of these events further on in this newsletter, so check them out and we hope to see y'all there.

Please keep Bob Butscher in your thoughts and prayers, as he will be in rehab for a while, due to his injury.

Everyone have a safe and happy holidays and we'll see y'all in 2023 if not before.

Rich



Thursday, December 1st, 7:00 pm

Celebrate the holiday season with your friends at
VCOM – Carolinas Campus.



We are having our annual cookie swap, so you know that will be full of tasty treats, and we will have hot chocolate, egg nog & apple cider to choose from. Remember please, no alcohol on campus ~ Thank you.

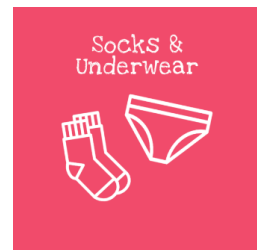
Also, in addition to those cookies, please do not forget the socks and underwear drive we are having for the underprivileged folks in Central America. VCOM's International Missions Team will be very grateful, and they will take these items with them when they travel to distribute to those in need.

Directions to VCOM in another part of this newsletter. Looking forward to seeing you all soon!

Let the first day of December begin the countdown to the big day!

Happy Holidays All - 😊

Alison



DIRECTIONS TO VCOM – CAROLINAS CAMPUS

350 HOWARD STREET

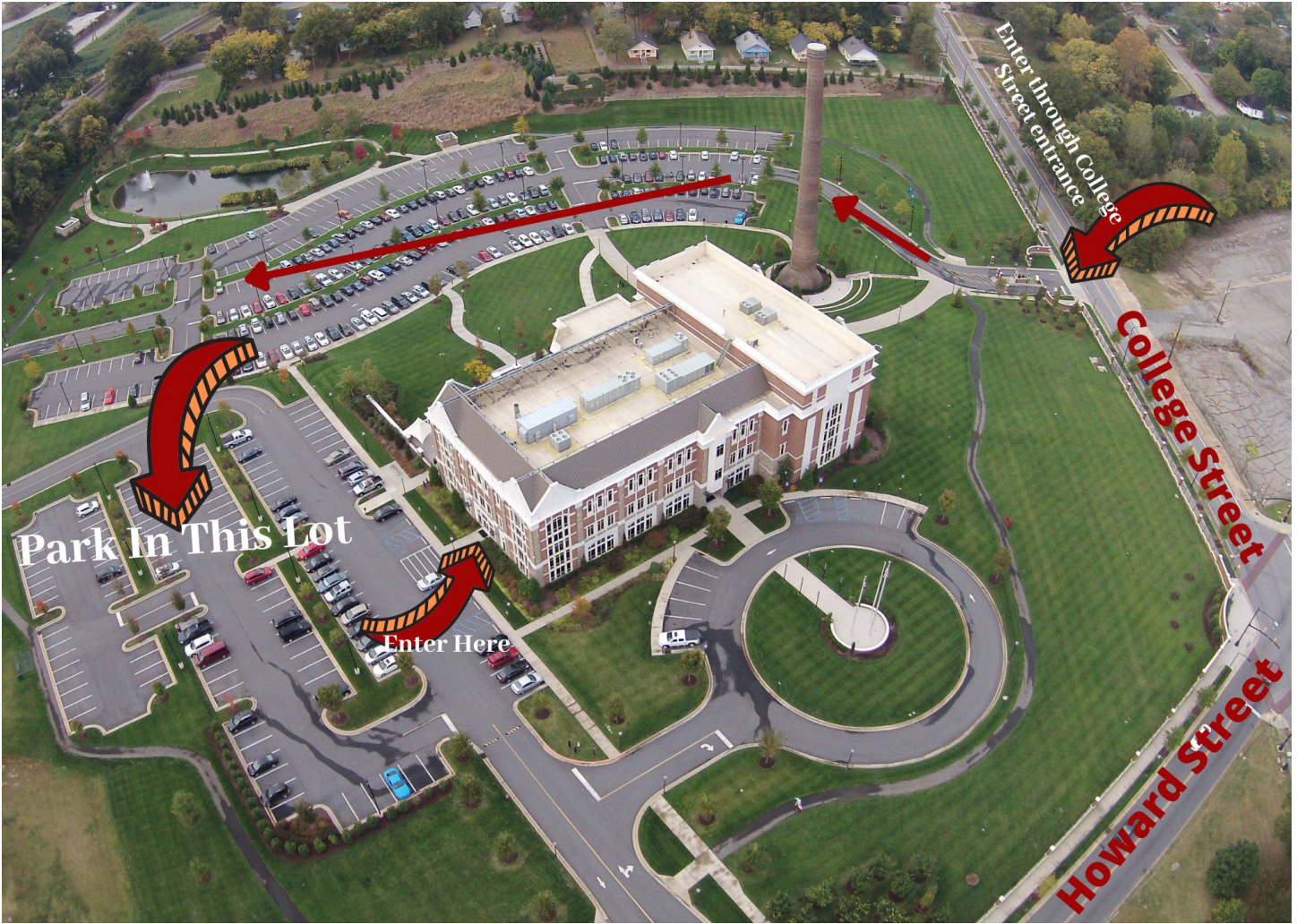
SPARTANBURG, SC 29307

The front gates on Howard Street will be locked, so you will need to use the College Street entrance (to the right of the front of the building). You will enter at the guard shack. Please drive all the way down and around the big lot to the left side of the building. That is where the faculty/staff lot is located, and you may enter through the side door. It will be unlocked. Go all the way down the first-floor hallway to the elevator. My Reception desk is on the right 😊. Go to the 3rd floor and left out of the elevator .. you will find the party!!



Alison





WELCOME 2023!

Please join us in Reidville on Saturday,
January 7th, 2023 around 6:30 for a
celebration to welcome the New Year – since
we know, really – how many of us actually
did stay up to see the ball drop?? We will



have an open bar and Joy will be our
hostess and will serve up some culinary delights and no doubt
want to show off her new TALL Christmas tree, so if you want to



bring a gift for the Chinese Auction to put
under the tree, I am sure there will be
room!!

The cost is \$25 per member and \$30 for
guests. There is a sign-up sheet
available, and I will take checks at VCOM
on December 1st or you can mail them to
me (payable to SSOC) at: 166 Ivy Circle,
Inman SC 29349.

Thanks.

Alison



CHILI **COOK OFF**



FEBRUARY 2 ... 2023

CHILI COOK OFF ... GET READY!!





Did you know that any time our club makes donations, has an activity, or has a social, Teresa will post pictures on Facebook? Be sure to check our page out through out the month. You might even see a picture of yourself.

We recently dropped off a nice load of goods at the Spartanburg Humane Society, and with the help of Myra we filled their cart. The folks at SHS are always happy to see us and we always love going to see them.

If you are ever interested in helping with the delivery let Joy know. Everyone is welcome to help with a delivery.





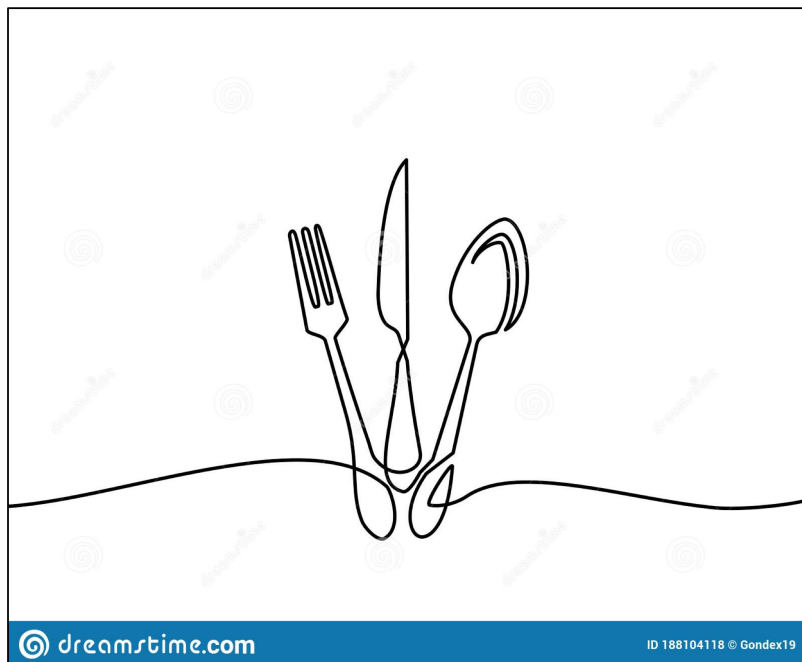
It's hard to believe we are almost at the end of 2022. We have gotten back to the business of being a ski club! Meetings, socials and activities have been amazing, and our club has done an amazing job of supporting St. Luke's. SSOC donated \$369 in June and we donated \$370 in November.

The total donation to St. Luke's from SSOC for the year 2022 was \$739!

I am incredibly proud of our club and all that we do for our community. Thank you all for your support.

Joy





*No mini social planned for December.
Looking forward to Inman Roadhouse,
El Paso Tacos & Tequila and Gerhard's
in 2023.*

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Bob is still in the hospital but improving each day. Thank you for all get well cards, thoughts and prayers for Bob.

Diane





Becky Elliott	December 10
Conni Harrell	December 16
Diane Butscher	December 23
Dean Taylor	December 31

LIFE IS GREAT AT ANY AGE. ENJOY YOURS!





Rich Mead
Race Program Chair
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2022/2023 Crescent Ski Council Race Series

December 3-10, 2022	<i>Steamboat Race Camp--Call Sports America Tours 800 876 8551</i>
December 9-11, 2022	<i>Sugar Mt. Race Camp Call Kim Jöchl 828 898 4521 x224</i>

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

December 17 & 18, 2022 Appalachian Mtn, NC Race 9:30

January 7 & 8, 2023 Sugar Mtn, NC Race 9:00

January 14-21, 2023 Crescent Ski Council Ski Week

January 28 & 29, 2023 Appalachian Mtn, NC Race 9:30

February 6, 2023 Cup Run Challenge at Snowshoe, WV

February 11 & 12, 2023 Beech Mtn, NC Race 9:30

February 25 & 26, 2023 Sugar Mtn, NC Race 9:00

March TBA 2023 Governor's Cup Race at Timberline, WV 9:30

March TBA 2023 Dick Trundy/Sugar Cup GS Sugar Mt. 9:00

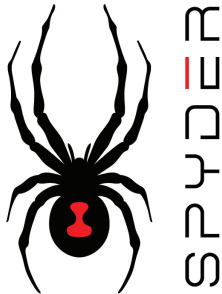
March TBA 2023 NASTAR Nationals.

DEC. 3-10, 2022 CSC Racing's 39th RACE CAMP @ STEAMBOAT- PLAN NOW! REGISTER ONLINE <https://www.crescentskicouncil.org/clubtrips.html>



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.



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NOTES

Any Spartanburg Ski Club member may submit items for publication in the newsletter. The publication deadline is the Saturday following the board meeting each month, which can be found on the pull-out calendar in the newsletter. Call Teresa 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. 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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December

2022



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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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Christmas Day 