



THE NH SKI CLUB NEWSLETTER

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We don't just ski!

President's Message

by Kevin Reigstad



What did you think of our December meeting at Chunky's Cinema Pub? Food and drink menu, table service, places to sit and to mingle, sound, lighting, parking, raffles and 50/50...did it create the right atmosphere to make you want to come back again and again? Do let me know. I appreciate all the help from our greeters and A/V assistants. A special shout out to fellow member Scott MacKenzie of Delaine Co (www.skidelaine.com) for donating two ski sweaters to our raffle and offering Club members a 10% discount on purchases, and a shout out to long-time member Lynne Simoneau for exhibiting NH Ski Club logo wear that can be obtained through her store, Silkscreen Graphics in Milford. Our Vice President Jill Dinsmore will be leading the 12 January Meeting at Chunky's Cinema Pub. I'll be a tripster on our Jay Peak, VT trip, the first club trip of 2022.

You've now heard from the trip leaders a few times, signed up for one or many trips (still time to sign up for our March trips), and now it's time to get the trips underway. At Jay Peak, I'm looking forward to skiing through the many glades, woods and bumps off the Jet Triple Chair and Bonaventure Quad run after run until I work up an appetite for outdoor dining at Miso Hungary or indoors at Tramside Cafeteria. I'm looking forward to the end of day après ski at The Bullwheel Bar, and I'm sure the Tower Bar is a fine choice too. Which is to say, I'm looking forward to meeting, skiing and socializing with the 32(ish) tripsters signed up for this January 2022 trip. How about you? The COVID pandemic and lack of sufficient snow tried to poke holes but didn't deflate the fun of the January 2021's trip. I believe Jake and Janelle, first time trip leaders for the Club, have built a great trip. Are you ready? Today, we're getting too much rain instead of snow which is creating hard conditions and limiting open trails. Yet, the local resorts are doing a great job of making snow and protecting what they create. I see you out there. It's the east, we'll still go.

Important Notice

The January club meeting will be on Wednesday, January 12. It will be at Chunky's Cinema Pub in Manchester and on Zoom. See article below for more info. Please RSVP!

Club Calendar

Jan 6	Racing starts at Gunstock and Pat's Peak, weather permitting
Jan 9	Jay Peak Trip
Jan 11	Racing starts at McIntyre
Jan 12	Club meeting @ Chunky's/Zoom
Feb 9	February club meeting
Feb 12	Snowbird Trip
Feb 26	Heavenly Valley Trip
Mar 17	Sunday River Weekend
Mar 25	Smuggler's Notch Weekend
Apr 1	Sugarloaf Weekend

News and Events

New Location for the NHSC Monthly Meeting!

Wednesday, January 12th Chunky's Cinema Pub 707 Huse Road Manchester, NH.

Arrive **5:00-5:30 pm** for **dinner**. *Social Hour 6:00pm* The NHSC Meeting begins at **7:00pm**

New Protocol - Where to go: As you enter the foyer, the ticket counter greets as you enter the door. **ALL members and guests must check in at the ticket counter upon arrival.** You will receive a ticket stating **Theater #1**. This gives Chunky's an accurate headcount which is needed.

Going right, you come to the **Lobby Bar**. The bar has sit around seating and high top tables. The bar has a good beer, wine, and signature cocktail menu with a Pub Burger Sandwich and Appetizer Menu.

Theater #1 + Restrooms: Take a left at the ticket counter to enter the main corridor to all Theaters. Theater #1 is the 1st right, just after the restrooms.

Ordering food in theater: There are **QR** codes on the tables in the theater. Those of you who know how to do so, can order food & beverages, and pay via your cell phones, from their table! Members and guests may also obtain a menu and red blinky light, at the ticket counter. To get the wait staff's attention, activate the blinking red lights by pushing the button. If running a tab, make sure you know your table location # so the wait staff can continue to work with you.

If you've not been to Chunky's, check out their website [here](#) for menu and FAQ.

When you register online/NHSkiClub.org for the meeting **indicate if you will be eating dinner at Chunky's**. This registration will assist Chunky's in providing adequate waitstaff. Help us out here, please.

Vice President Jill Dinsmore, will be conducting the meeting at Chunky's. President Kevin Reigstad and At Large Board Member Cindy Jenson will be "Zooming In" with other members while on the Jay Peak Ski Trip.

Raffle: We will have gift cards for Ken Jones, S&W Sports, and the Common Man. We are limiting the \$100.00 Gift Cards to 1 Per Person for the season. You must be in-person or on Zoom to win. Invite your acquaintances, friends and coworkers who are thinking about joining this fantastic outdoor adventure group. Our meetings are open to the public.

Gunstock Ski Racing News

We have 2 teams with a confirmed number of 17 racers. Hope to start racing on January 6th. The teams are:

Gate Crashers

Kathy Jacobs (Captain)
Fred Myhaver
Tony Fournier
Don Bladja
Mary Hulbert
Cindy Jenson
Lynn Jackson
Brian Bernard
James Connor

Slope Slayers

Anna Magrath(Captain)
Jonathan Crowell
Dave Camuso
Ed Pearsall
Colby Dionne
Trevor McCue
Gregory Pearsall
Alyssa Freeman

McIntyre Ski Area 2022 Corporate/Adult RACE LEAGUE

NHSC McIntyre Race League is all set with 7 teams of 7 members who will get out Tuesday evening, have some friendly competition, enjoy a good meal and some beverages in Manchester!

The fun begins at 6pm-9:30pm. Tentative dates [Weather permitting] include: January 11th, 18th, 25th, Feb 1st, 8th, and 15th. End of season overall awards banquet on March 15th, 2022.

NHSC Team Triple S (Slippery Slope Skiers) Captain: Ray Juneau

NHSC Team Escargot (Women with great taste who tend to ski slow) Captain: Nancy KC

NHSC Team Brewskis Captain: Walt Milne

NHSC Team Misfits Captain: Joe Messineo

NHSC Team The Rookies Captain: Marc Weiner

NHSC Team Slow Burn Captain: Bob Jensen

NHSC Team Shot Skis Captain: Jacqui McCartin

NHSC Membership Update

Thank you to the 219 dedicated members for renewing your 2022 NHSC membership.

Welcome to 74 New Members this 2022 season so far. Eight new members who joined in December include: Marie and Mark Di Nola, Nancy Lenhardt, Nathaniel Jordan, Jeff Beal, Tim McSweeney and Michael Ryan.

2021 NHSC memberships expired October 31, 2021. NHSC membership renewal grace period is from November 1 through December 31, 2021. A member not renewing prior to the 31st of December, will have been automatically removed by the Wild Apricot system. You will need to re enter all your important registration information to renew your Membership for 2022.

The fast and easy way to join online is through the NHSC website NHskiClub.org via charge card. When you renew your membership, please update your profile if you have any changes in your: address, name, email,

landline and/or cell phone number(s). Once you put in your facial identifying photo, your NHSC photo ID is on your membership card. Click on the Printable PDF to print your membership card. Card stock recommended, or just use your phone to pull up your image optimized for smartphones to get your virtual NHSC Membership card for discounts with membership verification. Snail mail checks will still be received for Membership Renewal. \$35.00 Individual Memberships only. Mail check made payable to: NH Ski Club, with update information - address, name, email, landline and/or cell phone number(s). Mail to: **NH Ski Club c/o Nancy Keenom Caron 1465 Hooksett Road Unit #1016 Hooksett, NH 03106-1821.**



2022 Ski Trips

Jay Peak
Trip Leader: Jake Hall

Jan 9th 2022 – Jan 14th 2022

We are excited to announce the return of the annual Jay Peak Ski Trip for the 2022 season! The trip will consist of a 5 night ski and stay package at Jay Peak in an on-mountain Slopeside or Golf-Mountain Condo. The trip includes a Jay Peak Seasons Pass for the remainder of the 2022 season. The package also includes a welcome party, evening socials, and access to the mountain that traditionally gets the most annual snowfall on the East coast. Off-mountain activities include: indoor water park, spa, ice arena, climbing gym, movie theater, snowshoeing, nordic skiing and fat bike trails.

Trip price includes:

- 5 nights lodging (Sun-Thurs.) in a 4-person, 2-bedroom condo.
- Slopeside condos are 2-bedroom, 1 full bathroom. Golf condos are 2 bedroom, 2 bathrooms.
- Jay Peak Seasons Pass (with no blackout dates) good for the remainder of the 2022 ski season
- Events during the week include:
 - o Jay Peak Resort Welcome Party
 - o Trivia night
 - o Club pizza night
 - o Potluck night

Pricing: Slopeside Condo - \$690.00 pp Golf & Mountain Cottage - \$520.00 pp

In the past, Jay Peak offered complimentary lift tickets on the day of arrival. This will no longer be offered in the 2022 season. If an entire unit wants to arrive early on Sunday and ski, they can purchase discounted tickets at the rate of \$27.25 per person.

Deposit of \$330.00 due by Sept. 30th Balance due by Nov 26th

Make checks payable to NH Ski Club. Mail with completed form to: Jake Hall 113 Cottage Road, Windham, ME 04062 Cell # 207-835-9192 halljdo@gmail.com

Snowbird Utah

Trip Leaders: Nancy KC and Patty Norton

February 12-19, 2022

\$2299 per person

Limited waiting list available - Contact trip leaders for info

We will be staying at the Cliff Lodge, a DELUXE, full service, SKI-IN/SKI-OUT hotel offering a wide range of amenities including a rooftop spa, Jacuzzi, two outdoor heated pools, 4 hot tubs, and numerous restaurants, lounges & retail shops, including a ski shop with rentals onsite. Another great feature is the assigned ski lockers with boot dryers and plenty of space to stow your gear.

Trip Includes:

- R/T Flights – Boston to Salt Lake City, Deluxe airport transfers – SLC to Snowbird, including Bus Driver Tips
- Lodging – 7 Nights Cliff Lodge
- Lift Tickets – 6 day Snowbird lift tickets*
- Ikon pass holders receive a \$399 resort credit for purchases in restaurants/stores
- Fabulous daily Full Hot Breakfast Buffet – Allowing daily social time and ability to connect with ski buddies to plan the day
- Welcome Party hosted by Snowbird
- Pre-Trip Social – Meet & Greet hosted by Nancy KC & Patty
- Multiple Group Social events including food
- Guided Mountain Orientation Tour
- “Powder Perks” discount for special offers in restaurants stores, ski school, and 20% discount on Rental Equipment

*Participants can optionally upgrade their ski pass on a day-by-day basis to include an Alta/Snowbird pass for \$59/day or can upgrade to a Snowboard/Alta 6-day combination ticket for \$210.

For more information contact Nancy KC, kcaronn@yahoo.com and Patty Norton, Npatty@aol.com

Heavenly Valley South Lake Tahoe

Trip Leader: Troy Schwotzer

Feb 26 - March 5, 2022

\$2,195 per person

Wait list available

Price Includes:

- 7 nights lodging at Lake Tahoe Resort Hotel - double occupancy
- 2 room hotel suite, 2 queen or king bed, living room with sofa, dining table and kitchenette with microwave and mini fridge. No stove. I have reserved rooms for 53 people.
- 25 yards from gondola
- Pool, hot tub, bar, restaurant
- Hot buffet breakfast each morning
- Discount drinks in bar each day from 4-6
- Taxes, porter fees, ground transfers from Reno
- Welcome party with 2 drinks and snacks
- 5 day lift ticket (4 DAYS HEAVENLY-1 DAY KIRKWOOD)
- 1 day with private shuttle to Kirkwood Resort
- Bus driver gratuities and 2 parties

Deduct \$540.00 if you purchase full EPIC Pass which would be \$1655 for trip

Deduct +\$60.00 if you purchase full EPIC Pass from Travel Agent which would be \$1,595 for trip

Deduct \$198.00 if you purchase **5 day** EPIC Pass from Travel Agent - \$1,997.00 total for trip.

St. Patrick's Day at Sunday River

March 17-20, 2022

Trip Leader: Jill Dinsmore

\$410 per person

Plenty of spots available. You can bring your form and deposit to the December meeting or mail to Jill Dinsmore. Send your deposits of \$150 by December 31, 2021.

870 acres on 135 trails across 8 peaks! Night skiing is an option! Sunday River is known for great snow and great times in March. Join us for another epic time! Enjoy good music, beautiful views and adult beverages at a prime selection of Après Ski locales.

Trip Price includes:

- 3 nights at the Grand Summit Lodge- room options: Studio Deluxe (Kitchenette, Murphy bed and pullout sofa) and Standard Hotel room
- 3 days skiing or boarding
- Cocktail reception and New England BBQ on Friday
- Heated outdoor pool and hot tub

Trip and Lift rates:

- Trip cost \$410 (Studio Deluxe or Standard Hotel) without lift pass
- \$630 with 3 day lift pass, Deduct \$45 for Senior Discount
- \$570 with 2 day lift pass, Deduct \$40 for Senior Discount

Note: You must MAIL your application with the deposit to Jill Dinsmore to complete your reservation.

Cancellation and refund policy: There are no refunds for the trip except if you find a replacement, then you will be reimbursed upon request. For more information see the cancellation/refund policy on our website.

Questions: Jill Dinsmore, jpdinsmore@hotmail.com or 603-930-9182

Smugglers' Notch Ski and Brewfest

March 25-27, 2022

Trip Leader: Nancy Harlow

\$295. per person

[There is still limited space available for the Smugglers Ski and Brewfest weekend. Send the signup form and check asap](#)

Ski 78 trails across 3 interconnected mountains on North Vermont's Biggest Vertical Rise, 2610 Feet plus acres of woods between trails. Entry to Brewfest Saturday night - Music, munchies, prizes, and samples of some of Vermont's outstanding Micro Brews! Enjoy an indoor pool, hot tub, ice skating, tubing Hill and access to FUNZONE 2.0

Trip Price includes:

- 2 Night Lodging in 2 bedroom slope side condos with fully equipped kitchen, large living/dining area, fireplace and cable TV (4 people per condo)
- 3 Night option \$395.00 pp if arriving Thursday night.
- 3 Day Lift Ticket- Friday, Saturday, Sunday
- 2 Buffet Breakfasts

- Meet and Greet Friday Night
- Brewfest Entry Saturday Night

Non-skiers can deduct \$40 on 2 night stay/\$60 on 3 night stay

Note: You must MAIL your application with the deposit to Nancy Harlow to complete your reservation. Please indicate if you are adding the 3 night option and if you are a non-skier. If you are staying 3 nights your roommate must be doing so as well. Deposit of \$150 due by Nov, 15, 2021 Balance due Feb. 15, 2022

Click here for [Link to Smugglers Trip Application](#)

Cancellation and refund policy: There are no refunds for the trip except if you find a replacement, then you will be reimbursed upon request. For more information see the cancellation/refund policy on our website.

Questions: Nancy Harlow nancyeharlow@gmail.com or 862-209-0535

Sugarloaf April Fools Day Trip Trip Leader: Cindy Jenson **April 1-3, 2022 with March 31 add-on available.**

This is an à la Carte event. You pick what you need:

- Base package \$104 for all tripsters includes Friday Happy Hour with Appetizers and Premium Bar. Includes 1 drink. Saturday buffet dinner with premium bar. 1 drink included.
- Lift Tickets: \$115 for 2 day Sat-Sun lift ticket. Additional days are \$55.
- Sugarloaf is an Ikon Mountain/Boyne Resort
- Hotel and Condo options are available. You pick the type of room and roommates and determine cost per person.

Click <https://nhskiclub.org/event-4564651> to sign up. Send completed registration form with checks made out to NH Ski Club to Cindy Jenson 37 Ladds Lane #102 Epping, NH 03042.

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