

# SPARTANBURG SKI CLUB

## MAY 1998

### May Meeting

Cook-Out in the Courtyard  
"Bring your own Meat"



## ROCKSLIDE!!!

MAY 16<sup>th</sup> at the Lindsay's

Mini-Social at Grill 96  
May 13<sup>th</sup>



*Mother's*  
 *Day*

May 10<sup>th</sup>



MEMORIAL DAY  
May 25<sup>th</sup>

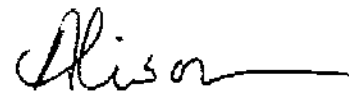
Well, it's the beginning of a new experience for me and I want to take this opportunity to thank all those club members who have supported us in the past and encourage all of you to become more active and participate in the events we have on our calendar. You don't know what you're missing!

Let's begin with our membership meeting May 7th - picnic in the courtyard. The annual Rock Slide at the Lindsay's is on for Saturday May 16 and our Pig Roast is scheduled for Saturday, June 20th. Remember at the Pig Roast we have an auction for fundraising and any donations you can get for the auction will be greatly appreciated - let's get lots of good loot this year!

I still have positions on this year's Board of Directors available and they need to be filled as quickly as possible. If anyone is interested in getting involved with the Board ... PLEASE contact me immediately. Positions available are for Social, Programs and Special Events.

Hope to see you all at the May meeting.

Until we meet again .....



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## **A REMINDER TO THE BOARD MEMBERS**

Please be at the Arts Center for the May club meeting, (on the 7<sup>th</sup>,) at 7 PM, not 7:30 like the rest of the members. We have unfinished Pig Roast business to conduct. Also, the Pig Roast tickets, which we are responsible for selling, will be distributed at that time.

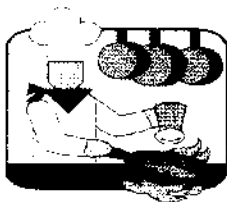


## **TAKE ME OUT TO THE BALL GAME**

SUMMER BRINGS TO MIND HOT DOGS, COLD BEER, AND OF COURSE **BASEBALL**. WELL. WHEN THE WARM DAYS OF AUGUST ROLL AROUND, THE SPARTANBURG SKI CLUB GANG WILL ONCE AGAIN TAKE A BUS TRIP TO SEE THE ATLANTA *BRAVES* PLAY THE LOS ANGELES *DODGERS* AT TURNER FIELD. THE DATE IS SATURDAY, AUGUST 22, AND IT WILL BE AN AFTERNOON (1:15 PM) GAME.

THE COST FOR THIS EXCURSION WILL BE A MERE \$30.00 PER PERSON FOR BUS RIDE AND ADMISSION TICKET. WE ONLY RESERVED 36 TICKETS, SO SIGN UP AND PAY EARLY AS RESERVATIONS WILL BE ON A FIRST "CASH", FIRST SERVE BASIS(YOUR RESERVATION IS GUARANTEED *ONLY* WHEN YOU'VE PAID).

ALSO, BY POPULAR REQUEST, WE WILL AGAIN MAKE DINNER RESERVATIONS TO EAT AT *RIO BRAVO* MEXICAN RESTAURANT ON THE WAY HOME. PLEASE CALL BRYAN BOBO AT 433-0802 OR SEE HIM AT THE MEETING TO SIGN UP.



## **SEE YOU AT GRILL 96**

What you ask? Where the heck is that? It's a semi new restaurant in Spartanburg located on Blackstock Rd. It's in the old Basil's Building on the way to Hidden Hills Bowling Lanes.

**When?      Wednesday, May 13**  
**Time?        6:30 PM**

Come for drinks and stay for dinner. This restaurant features steaks, prime rib, seafood and chicken dishes with specials every night. Sign up at the May membership meeting or call me.

Conni 592-3405

# HOT NEWS

## MAY MEETING COOKOUT!

THURSDAY, MAY 7 AT 7:30 PM.

IN THE COURTYARD

**B.Y.O.M.T.P.O.T.G.** - BRING YOUR OWN MEAT TO PUT ON THE GRILL.

THE CLUB WILL FURNISH CHIPS, CONDIMENTS, AND BUNS.....

AND OF COURSE, *BEER* (AND OTHER BEVERAGES).

COME TO SCHMOOZE AND SOCIALIZE, TO SEE AND BE SEEN, FOR FUN AND FROLIC. EAT DRINK AND BE MERRY, ETCETERA. OR, JUST...SEE 'YA' THERE!



## Lost and Found (?)

The following items have been lost, left behind, misplaced, borrowed, out on loan or just disappeared:

\*\*\*\*\* One sundowner 12 pack cooler with cup holder lid, beige and burgundy in color \*\*\*\*\*

\*\*\*\*\* Two vacation made videos of Australia \*\*\*\*\*

\*\*\*\*\* One large Tupperware cake carrier with no lid \*\*\*\*\*

If found please call Conni at 592-3405

## BANFF WAS FABULOUS!

I had an excellent opportunity to experience firsthand our future ski trip location for 1999 - Alberta, Canada. I went on a fam trip April 4-10 with nineteen other people to Banff and we had a blast. The skiing was wonderful, skied at Mt. Norquay, Sunshine Village and Lake Louise. Lots to do and see in Banff, LOTS of elk and lots of snow in the mountains.

Imagine what it will be like during the winter months rather than in April. Herb and I hope to be able to offer a ski trip that will beat all the rest. If anyone is interested in more information about the area, I did present a report to the Board with my findings and will be happy to give you a copy, just let me know.

Be sure to make this trip - the scenery is breathtaking!



Alison

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For the past two years it has been my pleasure to serve as secretary for the ski club. One of the duties of the secretary is to record the minutes of the board meetings. During these meetings the board members occasionally make amusing and sometimes hilarious statements which I dutifully record in a section of the minutes that I have dubbed "Meeting Madness". What follows is a sample of some of the best. They appear exactly as they did in the minutes – totally out of context! ENJOY!

"Herb knows how to herd his cattle."

"Which hand and finger do you use?" (Conni)

Mike says he's always wanted to hear those words from Barbara.

"Can you grow beer?" (in a Biergarten) (Mike/Barbara)

Joy's cup runneth over! (And so did Herb's!)

"If I can't have a big one, I don't want one at all." (Janet)

"I've always wanted to do something other than eat (at mini-socials)." (Alison)

"Ya'll just thought I talked!" (Conni)

"My husband can't come (to the Super Bowl Party). There's a football game that night." (Conni)

"I don't know what they're going to do but they're coming." (Doug)

"I ate \$43 worth!" (Barbara)

"I'm coming, I'm coming!" (Barbara)

"Herb, what a big tree you have!" (Conni)

"I only do Low Tea." (Alison)

"I'm ready to be committed!" (Barbara)

"I found out if he pays she has to go home with him!" (Joy)

"I'd rather you hold it!" (Doug, to Conni)

"How long does cocktail hour last?" (Conni)

"I only do one man a night!" (Conni)

"Doug's under me!" (Barbara)

"Mike & I will do it together . . . unless he wants to do it with Jill!" (Barbara)

"I'm legal now!" (Barbara)

"I put in, not out!!!" (James)

"OK. Pieter and I finally came!" (Barbara)

"ANDY!!! Don't do that! I can't do that!" (Mike)

"We just used Bob." (Julie)

"Just don't let him go to any sex movies with Herb!" (Bryan)

"Sex is no good." (Pieter)

"What we need is a bi-sexual in the club!" (James)

"He was the 13<sup>th</sup> pig." (Roger)

"I didn't eat . . . I wonder why?" (Alison)

"Do I finally get to talk?" (Barbara)

"I'll eat yours!" (Barbara)

Taylor Bomar

# THE SKILINER

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## REGULAR SEASON RACING RESULTS ARE IN!

The final race results for the '97-'98 race season are in! The top 3 Clubs in each division, and the top 3 Clubs in the Crescent Cup are:

Northern Division:	
1. Raleigh	151 points
2. Charlotte	147 points
3. Asheville	144 points

Southern Division:	
1. ETMM	155 points
2. Augusta	140 points
3. Columbia	138 points

### CRESCENT CUP RESULTS:

1. Hornet's Nest	72 points
2. Greensboro	71 points
3. Raleigh	69 points

Thanks to all of the Crescent Clubs (and their respective race directors) who participated in Crescent racing, and especially to the individual racers who were "lucky" enough to be chosen as gatekeepers this season -- you helped make this race season a success. Finally, thanks to the following volunteer race workers, without whom Crescent could not have a race season: Ron Scott (CSC Race Director), Frances Edwards (Racing Secretary), Kevin Tombs (Racing Registration), Mike Milligan (Division I Race Director), Margaret Jordan (Division II Race Director), Kns Bittenberg (Division I Starter), Jerry Truchinski (Division II Starter), Michael Stern (Division I Chief of Course), Michelle Long (Division II Chief of Course), Suzi Komarek (Development Coordinator), Barbara Casey and Sharon Milligan (Scorekeepers), and Linda Doyle and Lisa Beregi (Race Worker Lodging).

## WINTER ACTIVITIES RECAP

By Lisa Beregi, Winter Activities Director

Can you believe that ski season '97-'98 is over? As usual it was a blur for me! The planning process and coordinating of six weekends all runs together, and then someone tells me that it is all over and to start getting contracts for next season. So, here I sit with one whole month to relax, and want to tell all of you about this past season.

As with most seasons, there are some good stories, and some bad stories. It is always better to get the bad out of the way. So, this season's "bad" was that the third weekend to Wintergreen had to be cancelled due to lack of good snow conditions. The only other bit of "bad" was the Sunday race at SilverCreek had to be

shortened to one run due to the rain. So, the good news wins out! We had live out of six very successful weekends!

Appalachian Weekend started the season in Boone. Lodging this year was at the Holiday Inn Express - Boone, and they accommodated us for all three Boone weekends. The Hawksnest Weekend saw us once again in Boone (the weekend after New Year's). Our first Boone weekend was mid-February with races at Sugar. This last weekend had such an overwhelming attendance that over 70 rooms had to be sought out at other hotels. Looks like I will be reserving a bigger block next year! All Crescent participants not only enjoyed good skiing conditions at the resorts this year, but took advantage of the many fine restaurants in Boone, or shopping in nearby Blowing Rock.

After Wintergreen was cancelled, we were left with only two extended weekends. The first was to Winterplace the first weekend of February. Lodging was at the Holiday Inn Bluefield, where they not only had a nice facility, they also provided us with a buffet breakfast each morning so we could get up and out fast. They also put on our dinner/dance Saturday night. There were many compliments on the food (especially the seafood newberg) and the DJ played good music, even though most people went to their rooms to see the starting of the Olympics. You missed some good dancing to have the downhill postponed.

Our final weekend is always the Spring Fling at SilverCreek/Snowshoe. This year 320 people attended the weekend with only 156 racers! Remember that these are Crescent Ski weekends, too, and this trip shows us that 50% of the participants were there for more than racing! For those who arrived early and got to ski on Friday, they had the best day of sunshine on a totally open Snowshoe mountain. Crescent racers and non-racers participated in the Subaru race held at Snowshoe Saturday afternoon, and then got to eat and play games at the awards happy hour. Many Crescent people won plaques and door prizes, including ski goggles, bindings, boot bags and mountain bikes! The party continued Saturday night at the SilverCreek atrium with munchies and a DJ.

I would like to thank each trip leader for any of the weekend trips this season for all their help. I could not have gotten over 800 people on the slopes over five

weekends without you! I look forward to working with many of you next year, and hope to increase participation of both racers and non-racers on our weekend outings.

## A FINAL WORD ON THE RACE SEASON FROM RON SCOTT

On behalf of the Crescent Ski Council, I would like to thank all of the Race Workers and Racers for making this race season a huge success. To our many sponsors, I express my appreciation for the items you donated to the CSC Snow Ski and Snowboard Race Season. We also thank the resorts who hosted the CSC Races: Appalachian Mountain, Hawksnest Golf and Ski Resort, Wintergreen Resort, Winterplace Ski Resort, Sugar Mountain Resort, and Snowshoe/SilverCreek Resort. A special "Thanks" goes to INTRAVEST for purchasing our racing bibs for the next two years and for hosting our Saturday night party at the CSC Convention at Hilton Head Island later this month.

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## From the Ex-President's desk . . .

For Ski Club members and friends only . . .

Gigantic garage sale of fine women's clothes, fabric samples, household appliances, etc.

Where : At Wilhelm's house.  
When : May 9, 1998, 9 AM - 3 PM.



## Lake Louise/Banff Trip -- Feb. 20 - 27, 1999

Plans are under way for a great trip to the Canadian Rockies for February of 1999. Alison was able to go on a Lake Louise FAM trip early in April. She brought back some great ideas for our group functions. One must do item is their Torch Light dinner. Lake Louise is rated as having the most spectacular scenery of any ski resort in North America. The main two ski areas are Lake Louise the largest and Sunshine which offers above the tree line skiing. Mt. Norquay is a smaller area outside the town of Banff which is included in your ski pass. Two independent areas available are Panarma and Nakiska.

There will be two lodging options one around \$850 staying Banff and the other at \$1186 staying in the two world class Canadian Pacific "castle" hotels, half the week at the Chateau Lake Louise and half the week in the Banff Springs Hotel.

Herb Lindsay, Trip Leader



Everything you need for fun in the sun

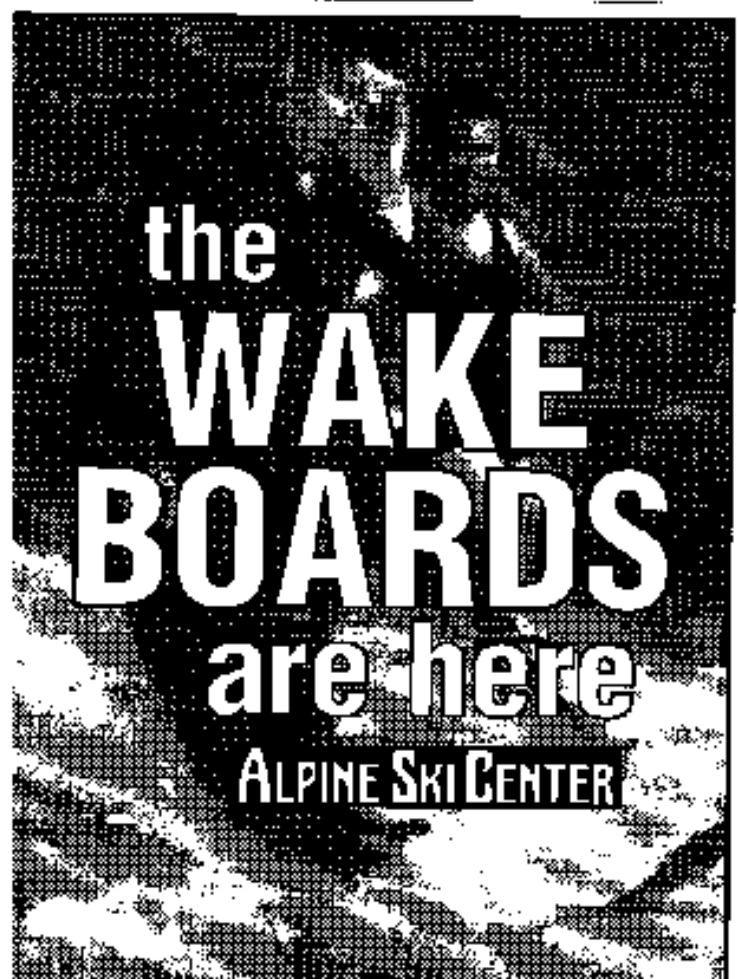
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