# SPARTANBURG SKI & OUTING











Nov. 4th - Club Meeting - Wine & Cheese





Nov. 12th through 14th CSC Fall Conference Boone, NC





Nov. 17th - Mini-Social - Hwy 9 FATZ





NOVEMBER 1999



## JOY'S JOURNAL

As this installment is being written, October is exiting with our first real "Cold Snap" of the season, causing me great anticipation that Ski Season is almost upon us. We had a very interesting and informative program at the October meeting, a super outing to Hickory Knob this month, and a ton of fun "roasting" Herb at the Mini-social (including another rendition of "Herb's March"). We wish Herb and Dagmar well on their adventure to Aspen this winter, and I hope they know just how much they will be missed.

Our November meeting will be our annual "Wine and Cheese" social to kick off the new ski season (All of us will drink wine and eat cheese - Alison will "whine" and eat cheese). Also, if you want to participate in Roan Mountain weekend, our Trip to Park City, or any of the Crescent Value Ski weekends (also, the same as race weekends), November will probably be your LAST CHANCE to sign-up. Roan Mountain and Park City are almost full, and the deadlines for Crescent weekends are just about NOW!!!

Don't forget, the Mini-social is at Fatz on highway 9 at Boiling Springs on the 17 th. Those going to the Crescent Fall Conference on November 12 and 13(and those interested) need to get their information to me (Madam Pres.) immediately.

See ya in November.

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## **Program** by Tim Corbin

The October meeting was a very informative program by our local sheriff's department regarding everything from home preservation while traveling to getting our son's to pull their darned pants up. As of now, I feel much better about my home than my son's waist line. Thanks, Conni for setting up the program.

The November meeting will be a great meeting unless the sheriff shows up. This will be our annual wine and cheese tasting. I have appointed two experts to purchase and prepare a sumptuous quantity of fine wines and smelly cheeses. Marci says she nose cheeses and will seek out the best. Jeannie, the whine connoisseur, will begin acquiring her favorites and some of those suggested by others. Feel free to call (587-6645) and recommend your favorite, or even better just bring a bottle (or box) to the meeting.

We will also discuss the possibility of putting together a long weekend of golf in Myrtle Beach this winter at some ridiculously low prices. We would be staying at the best hotels and playing the best courses for less than \$50/day. Come hear about this.

We hope to have Jim Cottrell of the French-Swiss Ski College speak to us in December about ski techniques and some of their programs.

Just a reminder

The Ski Club will again this year be collecting toys for underprivileged children at our December meeting. So bring a toy of any type to our December meeting. The toys will be distributed to needy children thorough the Department of Social Services. Every year our efforts are greatly appreciated. What better way to celebrate the holidays than to make the season brighter for a child.

## SPARTANBURG SKI & OUTING CLUB

P.O. BOX 2864 SPARTANBURG, SC 29304

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ROAN MOUNTAIN
WINTERFEST WEEKEND

Friday and Saturday, January 28-30 10 cabins reserved
First Come-first served basis

Reservations can be made by making a deposit for a bedroom, a loft bed, a hide-a-bed, or a whole cabin.

PRICE REDUCTION
Whole cabin \$175
Bedroom \$85
Loft bed \$30
Sofa bed \$30

50% deposit will hold your place.

See Mike with your check.

Questions? Call 578-0618.



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#### SILVER CREEK I - 2000

RACE DATES: January 8 and 9, 2000

RACE LOCATION: Silver Creek, West Virginia

COORDINATOR: Lisa Beregi, 321 Brookwood Dr., Bristol, TN 37620

Home and FAX before 9PM EST (423)652-1754

e-mail: DRLAB88@aol.com

LODGING: Silver Creek Resort (condos)

LODGING DATES: Thursday through Saturday nights, January 6-8,2000.

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A two night package is also available

LODGING ALLOCATION:/	Studio units.	One bedroom units.
	One bdrm/loft units.	Two bedroom units.

PRICING:	. All pricing is PER PERSON.				
		COST PER PERSON			
UNIT TYPE	OCCUPANCY	3 NIGHTS(Thurs-Sat)	2 NIGHTS(Fri-Sat)		
Studio efficiency	2	\$255.00	\$220.00		
One-bedroom	, 2	345.00	290.00		
	3	265.00	230.00		
	4	225.00	200.00		
One-bedroom/	3	315.00	270.00		
loft	4	260.00	230.00		
	5	230.00	205.00		
Two-bedroom	4	265.00	230.00		
	5	235.00	205.00		
	6	210.00	190.00		

CHECK-IN: After 5:00 p.m.

CHECK-OUT: 11:00 a.m.

INCLUDED IN PRICE:

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- \* Lodging for either two or three nights
- \* Lift tickets for Saturday and Sunday (NOTE: Friday lift tickets will be sold through Crescent for \$40.00 and Junior Friday lifts will be \$27.00).
- \* Party Saturday night with:
  - \* Music.
  - \* Complimentary hors d oeuvres and snacks.
  - \* Limited beer, wine, and soft drinks.
- \* Use of all Silver Creek amenities.

-OVER FOR DEADLINES AND CANCELLATION POLICY-

NON-SKIERS DEDUCT: \$75.00

JUNIOR LIFT TICKETS: Under 6 ski free.

7 - 12: Sat. & Sun. = \$50.00 (Deduct \$20 from package)

OFF-SITE SAT. PARTY: \$15.00

LESSONS and EQUIPMENT RENTAL: No discount. Pay for individually at resort.

**DEADLINES:** 

Confirmation form:

November 1, 1999

Deposit (50%) due:

November 15, 1999

With deposit the number of rooms for 2 or 3 nights must be specified - all unspecified rooms will automatically be dropped to 2 nights only.

Balance due:

December 19, 1999

Rooming list due:

December 19, 1999

Rooming changes due:

December 27, 1999

NOTE: A \$10.00 fee will be assessed for EACH missed deadline.

CANCELLATION POLICY: You may cancel up to November 15, 1999 and receive a full refund. Any rooms cancelled after November 15, 1999 will be subject to 100% penalty. If the race is cancelled due to no snow, you will receive a full refund. This decision will be made by the race committee no later than noon on Tuesday preceding the Saturday race.

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#### DEADLINES FOR 1999 - 2000 CRESCENT RACE\SKI WEEKENDS

This year clubs will again be assessed a \$10.00 fee for EACH missed deadline. These club deadlines are set as close to Crescent Activities' deadlines as possible to allow you as much time as contracts allow us. We continue to receive almost everything late and we are left with no choice.

Following is a list of each deadline you are expected to meet. As usual, call the Trip Leader if you have questions and/or problems and we will work with you if at all possible. Your club has the potential for \$50.00 in fines for each weekend so please be punctual. We will keep envelopes for the postmark!

The following are the dates you can be assessed penalties for missing. In addition to these, the North Carolina due dates need to be met but you are on your own to do so with no penalty.

TRIP	INFORMATION DUE	DUE DATE			
PENALIZED DEADLINES:					
Silver Creek I	Confirmation form	Nov. 1, 1999			
Silver Creek I	50% deposit	Nov. 15, 1999			
Canaan Valley	Confirmation form	Nov. 15, 1999			
Canaan Valley	50% deposit	Nov. 30, 1999			
Silver Creek I	Balance	Dec. 19, 1999			
Silver Creek I	Room list	Dec. 19, 1999			
Silver Creek I	Room changes	Dec. 27, 1999			
Canaan Valley	Balance	Jan. 3, 2000			
Canaan Valley	Room list	Jan. 3, 2000			
Silver Creek II	Confirmation form	Jan. 3, 2000			
Canaan Valley	Room changes	Jan. 15, 2000			
Silver Creek II	50% deposit	Jan. 15, 2000			
Silver Creek II	Balance	Feb. 12, 2000			
Silver Creek II	Room list	Feb. 12, 2000			
Silver Creek II	Room changes	Feb. 20, 2000			
NON-PENALIZED DEADLINES:					
Dec. North Carolina	Block rooms	ASAP			
Dec. North Carolina	50% deposit	Nov. 17, 1999			
Dec. North Carolina	Balance (check-out)	Dec. 19, 1999			
Jan. North Carolina	Block rooms	ASAP			
Jan. North Carolina	50% deposit	Dec. 22, 1999			
Jan. North Carolina	Balance (check-out)	Jan. 23, 2000			
Feb. North Carolina	Block rooms	ASAP			
Feb. North Carolina	50% deposit	Jan. 12, 2000			
Feb. North Carolina	Balance (check-out)	Feb. 13, 2000			

#### NORTH CAROLINA RACE WEEKENDS

RACE DATES:

December 18 & 19, 1999 - Appalacian January 22 & 23, 2000 - Hawksnest\Beech

February 12 & 13, 2000 - Sugar

COORDINATOR:

Lisa Ann Beregi, 321 Brookwood Dr., Bristol, TN 37620

(423)652-1754 - Home & Fax before 9pm EST

e-mail: DRLAB88@aol.com

LODGING:

Holiday Inn Express - Boone

1855 Blowing Rock Rd, Boone, NC 28607

828-264-2451

LODGING DATE:

Friday and Saturday nights.

LODGING ALLOCATION: Crescent has blocked a group of rooms. Clubs are to make reservations "on their own". Reservations should be made at least 30 days prior to the race, rooms will be released by the property 30 days out.

PRICING: Advise the Holiday Inn Express that you are with the Crescent Ski
Council to receive our preferred rate. Book early to block the needed rooms!

ROOM RATES: (per room, per night, 1-4 people per room)

DECEMBER: \$52.00 plus 9% tax JANUARY: \$89.55 plus 9% tax FEBRUARY: \$89.55 plus 9% tax

CHECK-IN: after 3:00 p.m.

CHECK OUT: 11:00 a.m.

LIFT TICKETS: Please purchase your lift tickets through Crescent at the mountain the mornings of the races. CASH ONLY!

**DEADLINES**: The room block is first come first served, so make your reservations early! Deposits of 50% will be due with reservation.

CANCELLATION POLICY: The Holiday Inn Express will honor the Crescent 72 hour cancellation policy if there is not enough snow to hold a race.

WE ADVISE THAT EACH CLUB CONFIRM THIS IN WRITING WITH THE HOTEL.

## CANAAN VALLEY WINTER BOARD MEETING

RACE DATES:

February 5 & 6, 2000

RACE LOCATION:

Canaan Valley Resort, West Virginia

COORDINATOR:

Lisa Ann Beregi, 321 Brookwood Dr., Bristol, TN 37620

Home & Fax-(423)652-1754, before 9PM EST

e-mail: DRLAB88@aol.com

LODGING:

Canaan Valley Resort

HC70 Box 330, Davis, West Virginia 26260

LODGING DATES:

Thursday through Saturday nights February 3-5, 2000.

A two night package is available.

LODGING ALLOCATION:

Hotel Rooms

PRICING:

4 People 3 Nights 2 People 3 Nights 3 People 3 Nights \$250.00/person \$290.00/person \$265.00/person

3 People 2 Night 4 People 2 Night 2 People 2 Night \$200.00/person \$240.00/person \$215.00/person

CHECK-IN:

3:00 p.m.

CHECK-OUT:

after the race Sunday

INCLUDED IN PRICE:

\* Lodging for either two or three nights

\* Three day Lift Ticket (for Friday, Saturday and Sunday)

\* Reception Friday night provided by mountain

\* Saturday night buffet dinner

\* Complimentary party Saturday night with band

\* Breakfast Saturday and Sunday morning

NON-SKIERS DEDUCT: \$50.00

JUNIOR PACKAGE:

12 and under is \$70 for full package if staying with adult.

LESSONS:

\$15.00 group lesson, \$39 private lesson.

EQUIPMENT:

\$17.00 per day for adults

\$14.00per day for juniors (12 and under).

THIS IS THE WEEKEND OF THE WINTER BOARD MEETING. ALL CLUBS SHOULD PLAN TO HAVE REPRESENTATIVES AT THE MEETING ON SATURDAY AT 5 PM! (Location at resort TBA)

DEADLINES:

Confirmation form:

November 15, 1999

Deposit (50%) due:

November 30, 1999

Rooming list due:

January 3, 2000

Balance due:

January 3, 2000

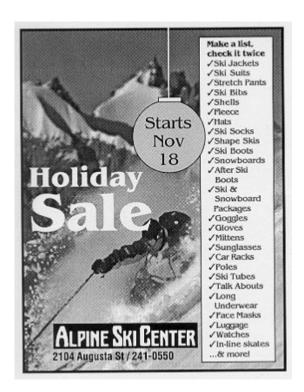
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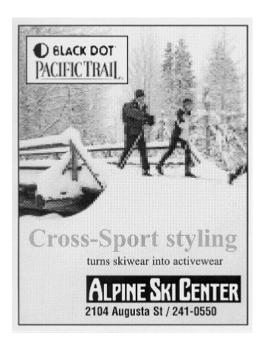
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NOTE: A \$10.00 fee will be assessed for EACH missed deadline!

CANCELLATION POLICY: You may cancel up to November 30, 1999 and receive a full refund. ANY ROOMS NOT GUARANTEED WITH A DEPOSIT ARE SUBJECT TO CANCELLATION ON NOVEMBER 30, 1999. Any rooms cancelled after November 30, 1999 will be subject to a 100% penalty. If the race is cancelled due to not enough snow, you will recieve a full refund. This decision will be made by the Race Committe no later than noon on Tuesday preceding the Saturday race.

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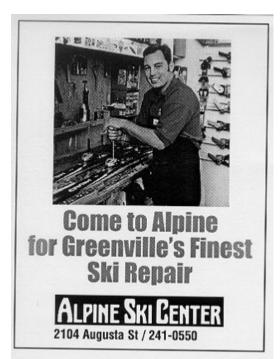


## MINI - SOCIAL

The November Mini-Social will be held at **Fatz Cafe** on Rt. 9, (Boiling Springs Rd.), Wednesday the 17th and the time is set at 6:30. This is on your left, about 1/2 mile north of the I-85 bypass. Please sign up at the meeting, call 574-0376 or send e-mail to cdarling@spartanburg.net.

On Friday, December 17<sup>th</sup> the Club will hold it's Christmas Party at Billy D's Grill at 7:00. This restaurant is located at 880 South Pine Street. The menu will be limited to 3 choices, to be announced in next month's newsletter. A full menu will be on display at this month's meeting so that those attending will be able to express their preferences, if any. There will be a "chinese auction." Please make a note on your calendar and plan to be there!

In upcoming months we are considering the Kanpai, Stefano's, Hare & Hound, Aloha and others. Suggestions and requests are always welcome.





## Hickory Knob Weekend by Tim Corbin

The weekend was another success. The accommodations and buffet breakfast were as good as ever. Our rooms were actually better this year. The food and service at Savannah Lakes was great. The golf was great despite a little rain on Sunday. We played two man captain's choice against the Augusta Ski Club on Sunday. Dorman Brock and I played well against their number one team and actually beat them. Jeannie and Debbie (alias Grandma) our "A" Team played beautifully.... despite all of the assistance from their competition.

Thanks Del for organizing the golf. We all had a great time. Giving Augusta the "Trash golf trophy" was brilliant. That should bring them back next year.

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