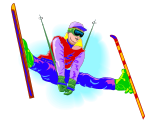


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Feb. 1st-2nd: Roan Mountain Week-End



Feb. 6th: Club Meeting - Gag Awards



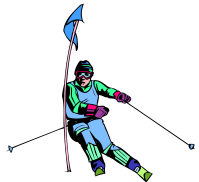
Feb. 12th: Mini-Social at Stefano's



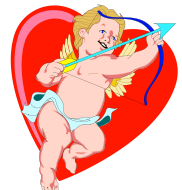
RACES

Feb. 8th-9th: Race #4 at Sugar Mtn.

Feb. 21st-23rd: Race #5 at Canaan Valley

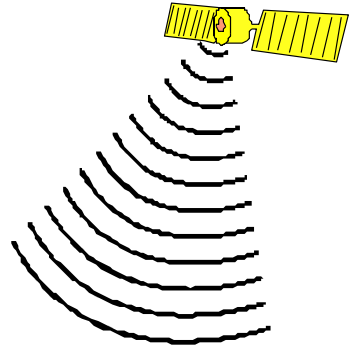


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Telemetry from Taylor



On January 7th the nominating committee met to select their nominations for club officers for the upcoming year. The list we came up with is as follows:

President	Del Haynes
Vice President	Barbara Rogers
Secretary	Joy Bobo
Treasurer	Charles Darling

These are only suggestions. The floor will be open to further nominations from the general membership at the February club meeting. Voting on the nominations will take place at the March club meeting.

Well, the Telluride ski trip was a success and all had a great time. And we got back with no serious injuries although there were a couple of bumps and bruises.

Looking ahead, don't forget that due to Jeff Willis' schedule we have moved the gag awards to the February club meeting from its usual March time slot. I've already heard several rumors – this should be another classic in this annual event.

GAG AWARDS !!!

Do you have what it takes to receive a club gag award? Come on out to the February meeting and take this opportunity to let everyone know just what someone did that you think we should ALL know about! It's time for those gag awards - be creative, be sincere - embarrass the heck out of someone ... they deserve it! There should be lots of good stories coming back from Telluride, but don't forget everything else that has happened since last March!

See you there on February 6th!



Mini-Social @ Stefano's

Wednesday, February 12th @ 6:30

By popular request, February's mini-social will be at Stefano's, 1560 Union Street, Spartanburg. OK, Carol McCall, here's your chance!!! Come join the gang for options of Italian, Greek and American Foods that are all irresistible! Please sign up at the February membership meeting or contact Marcy before noon that day: 596-3114 or mouseworks52@yahoo.com.

TELLURIDE – AWESOME!

You can easily spot those who went on this year's trip to Telluride. They're the ones with the ear to ear grins! For the rest of you, we're sorry, but you should be kicking yourselves. It was fabulous! Our best ever!

What did the rest of you miss??

Only:

- " six sunny days in the upper 30's on some of the best conditions you'll ever find;
- " long green (4.6 miles,) blue, black (some groomed,) and yes, even double black runs;
- " the most beautiful scenery in Colorado;
- " the friendliest town and ski area we've ever been to;
- " great food and restaurants;
- " a super NASTAR race followed by a mountain cook-out in an 1890's prospector cabin;
- " race winners tipping "shots on skis";
- " nice condos with a lift out your back door;
- " etc., etc., etc.

EAT YOUR HEART OUT!

Be sure to make the February meeting for some great trip stories.

Bryan



Telluride NASTAR Race Results

Men's Division

1 st Place:	Bryan Bobo	34.2 Handicap	Silver Medal
2 nd Place:	Mark McCall	39.3 Handicap	Silver Medal
3 rd Place:	Bill Beck	39.3 Handicap	Gold Medal
	(Bill's first gold! Way to go Bill)		

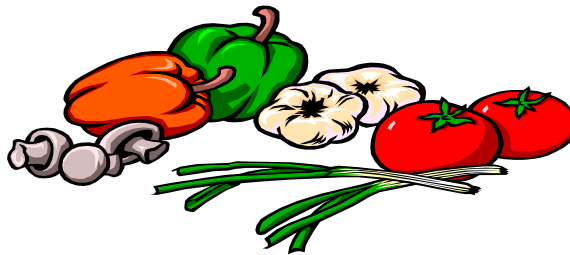
Women's Division

1 st Place:	Carol McCall	43.6 Handicap	Silver Medal
2 nd Place:	Alison Kimball	57.0 Handicap	Bronze Medal
3 rd Place:	Marcy Cassady	57.5 Handicap	Bronze Medal

Gold Medal Winner: Bill Beck

Silver Medal Winners: Bryan Bobo, Mark McCall, Carol McCall

Bronze Medal Winners: Charlie Darling, Alison Kimball, Fred Mussel, Beth Lee, Gordon Early, Marcy Cassady, Elke Schoellkopf



CHILI COOK-OFF CONGRATS!

The lucky recipient's of the chili cook-off's BEST recipes were Joy Bobo - who took the Stroller's award and Bryan Bobo - who took the club's choice award. Lots of good crocks there for the tasting - I think you were all winners. Thanks so much for the participation ... Bobby Jo sure ate his fair share!

IN ANTICIPATION

Dr. Jeff Willis returns to the Arts Center on Thursday, March 6th for the second installment of his series "Postcards of Spartanburg". If you attended the October meeting in 2002 you are well aware of the wealth of knowledge and the wit and humor that accompanied his presentation. Please join us in March for a little more history of our fair city ... don't miss this one!

Alison

CRESCENT RACING REPORT

SilverCreek I (January 4 & 5)

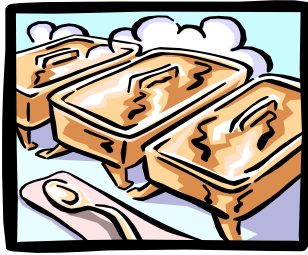
Six members of SSOC traveled to West Virginia for excellent skiing at SilverCreek and Snowshoe. Participating in the races were Mark, Carol, Marcy, and Pat. Taso and Constantine came for the skiing and door prizes. Taso won accommodations at Banff/Lake Louise for two.

Hawksnest (January 25& 26)

Racing for SSOC were Alois, Karin, Tobias, Mario, Mark, and Carol.

The next Crescent race will be February 8 & 9 at Sugar Mountain. Don't forget the Crescent training day on Sunday February 2 at Hawksnest. It's open to all club members. The discount lift ticket is \$28 and includes unlimited practice runs on the racecourse.

Mark McCall



April 3, 2003

The annual officer installation and club awards will be at the Piedmont Club on April 3rd. Keep this date on your calendar and plan to have a wonderful evening with your fellow club members as we enjoy a scrumptious buffet and potent/non-potent potables. The cost is \$30 per person and will include your dinner, beverages, tax and gratuity. The deadline will be late March to sign up and pay.

More details to come in the March newsletter.



REMINDERS

The Skiliner (Crescent's newsletter) may be downloaded in ".PDF" (Adobe Acrobat) format from Crescent's Web site at <http://www.rtpnet.org/crescent/skiliner.html>. (You may also need to download the Adobe Acrobat reader program so you can view the newsletter.)

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.

CRESCENT SPRING CONVENTION AND BEACH TRIP

Thursday - Sunday April 24 - 27, 2003 Myrtle Beach S.C.

Celebrate the end of the ski season in the warmth of a beach trip. The gang will be staying at Kingston Plantation. As usual starting Friday there will be a golf outing for the early birds. Friday evening will be the Trade Show followed by a DJ dance. Saturday is the morning for meetings, and afternoon the time for fun on the beach with volleyball, tug of war, sand slalom and much more. The Saturday night dance will have a live band and entertainment. Sunday is more business as usual or stay around and enjoy the beach. Bryan Bobo is coordinating the Spring Convention for Crescent this year and is also our club's trip director. Bryan will have more information and room rates in the March newsletter, so be sure and bring your deposit money to the March membership meeting or call him with any questions you might have.

Conni



SAY CHEESE

If you were at the January meeting then you know I announced that Jan Sarratt has agreed to join the Board and take on the task of putting together a yearly scrapbook. Unfortunately Jan is located about 30 miles outside Spartanburg and has a tough time getting to some of our events and membership meetings. Therefore I have agreed to be Jan's "GOPHER". Jan needs pictures from ALL events that have happened since the last Installation Ceremony at the Piedmont Club to the last event that happens in March of this year. If you have **ANY** pictures she can use, please let me know and I will get them from you and deliver them to Jan. She does ask that pictures please be dated, or at least have the name of the event on them and **PLEASE, PLEASE** have **names** on them.

Conni 592-3405

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CRESCENT MEGA TRIP – JAN. 11-18, 2003 – MAMMOTH MTN., CALIFORNIA

SPARTANBURG WESTERN TRIP – JAN. 18-25, 2003 – TELLURIDE, COLORADO

CLUB'S ROAN MOUNTAIN WEEKEND – JAN. 31 - FEB. 2, 2003 – (CLUB RACE)

CRESCENT EUROPE TRIP–MAR.14/15-22/23, 2003–CHAMPARY, SWITZERLAND

CRESCENT SPRING CONVENTION – APRIL 24-27, 2003 – MYRTLE BEACH, SC

HICKORY KNOB ANNUAL SPRING GOLF OUTING – MAY 23-25, 2003

(It is Memorial Day weekend.)

NOTE: FOR INFORMATION AND PRICING OR TO SIGN-UP ON THE ABOVE TRIPS, PLEASE CONTACT BRYAN BOBO AT 433-8640(W) OR 433-9466(H).

NOTES:

- 1) WE HAVE 4 SLOTS LEFT FOR TELLURIDE THAT WE NEED TO SELL. ASK YOUR FRIENDS!.**
- 2) *It's may too late to go on the Mammoth trip, but call Bryan if interested and he will "try" to add you on.***
- 3) *Call for availability for the Crescent Trip to Champary, Switzerland. Trip cost from GSP is \$ 1432.00 pp/ double occupancy.***
- 4) *For the Roan Mountain and Hickory Knob Trips, Room/Cabin selection is on a first deposit/ first serve basis. If you have a room/cabin preference, sign-up and submit your deposit early. THERE ARE ONLY TWO (2) CABINS LEFT FOR ROAN MOUNTAIN! HURRY!***
- 5) Information on the Crescent Spring Convention and Hickory Knob will be in the February Newsletter.**

Ron Scott
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2002/2003 Crescent Ski Council Race Schedule

November 24, 2002	<i>CSC Development Training at Appalachian 8:45</i>
December 7-14, 2002	<i>Steamboat Race Camp Call L.T.A 704 332 1090</i>
December 9-13, 2002	<i>Killington Race Camp Call 802 422 6797 800 432 0100 x6132</i>
December 15, 2002	<i>CSC Development Training at Appalachian 8:45</i>
December 6-8, 2002	<i>Sugar Mt. Race Camp Call Kim Jöchl 828 898 4521 x224</i>
February 2, 2003	<i>CSC Development Training at Hawksnest 8:45</i>

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

December 21 & 22, 2002	Appalachian, NC Race	9:30
January 3, 4, & 5, 2003	SilverCreek, WV Race	9:30
January 11 – 18, 2003	Crescent Ski Council Ski Week/ <u>Mammoth, CA</u>	
January 25 & 26, 2003	Hawksnest Mt., NC Race	9:30
Feb. 2 & Feb. 3, 2003	Cupp Run Challenge at Snowshoe, WV	
February 8 & 9, 2003	Sugar MT., NC Race	9:00
February 21, 2003	Canaan Valley, WV	Free Ski Day
February 22, 2003	Canaan Valley, WV	Dual Slalom 9:30
February 23, 2003	Canaan Valley, WV	Dual GS 9:30
March 1, 2003	Sugar Cup Slalom Sugar Mt., NC	<u>Call Sugar Mt.</u>
March 7, 8, & 9, 2003	<u>Crescent Cup</u> , SilverCreek, WV	9:30
March 8, 2003	Subaru Race at Snowshoe, WV	TBA

DEC. 6-13, 2003 CSC 20th RACE CAMP @ STEAMBOAT- START PLANNING NOW!
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