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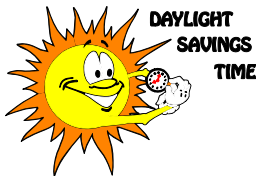
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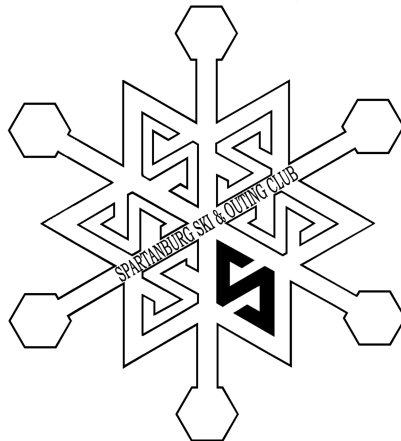
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Mar. 7th - Club Meeting - Gag Awards



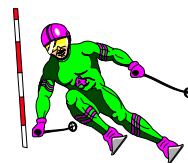
Mar. 19th - Mini-Social at the Marriott



RACES

Mar. 8th-10th: Crescent Cup - Silvercreek

Mar. 20th-24th: NASTAR Finals



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PRESIDENT'S CORNER....



My goodness, it seems our NC mountains have had lots of snow this year. Good for our skiers and snowboarders, but even better for our racers! I am so proud of our racers. They have been putting in lots of hours and getting some great results. Don't miss their standings at our annual awards and installation dinner at the Piedmont Club in April. But don't miss the Gag Awards in March, so be thinking about those awards, I know everyone deserves one eventually.

Some of our members have requested we have more non skiing activities and maybe something new and different. Last month I put an article of suggested activities in the newsletter. Sadly I got no response. Then I sent an E-mail to everyone and only got 2 responses. Is there anything else I, or the Board, can do to get more participation from our members? Please let us know, we are here for you and would love to organize more activities if you will just let us know what you want to do. Fortunately, hikes were some of the activities suggested by the two members that did reply, and the Board is also interested. Therefore, Mark will be planning a least one hike for us in the upcoming months. There will also be a Games Night, see more info elsewhere in this newsletter. Spartanburg County Parks and Recreation is also holding several activities that we are welcome to participate in. I will write more about that also elsewhere in the newsletter.

Spring is only a few weeks away, so let's start getting out and moving some muscles, using our brain a bit, and of course, socializing.

See you soon I hope!

Conni



From: Janet Sarrattjp <sarrattjp@yahoo.com>
Sent: Saturday, February 23, 2013 4:59 PM
To: Thomas T. Bomar
Subject: Newsletter

Our next meeting will be March 7 at Chapman. As usual the room will be open at 7:00 PM and the meeting will begin at 7:30 PM. This is our annual business meeting and of course, we always have the opportunity to memorialize our fellow members with the annual gag awards. So put on your thinking caps and see how creative you can get. Over the years, there have been some unusual and classic awards given among our membership.

At this writing, a program hasn't been finalized as yet. As usual, drinks and snacks will be provided, but you are welcome to bring your favorite beverage.

Jan

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March Mini-Social

I think all the attendees at the February *Red Bowl* mini-social WestGate Mall would recommend it to their friends. The food was delicious, the atmosphere beautiful and of course, the diners were the most gracious. We celebrated Mardi Gras, Valentine's Day and Chinese New Year.....and we had coupons!

The groundhog promises an early Spring so weather allowing, we'll eat outside at the Marriott Hotel 299 N Church Street. The date is Tuesday March 19th at 6:30. The hotel has two entrances to their underground parking. An elevator takes you up to the lobby and *The Terrace* is straight ahead.

Coming up for April 24 we'll have Mexican food on the West side at *Coronas*.



From: Janet Sarrattjp <sarrattjp@yahoo.com>
Sent: Saturday, February 23, 2013 11:53 PM
To: Thomas T. Bomar
Subject: Newsletter

Time to begin thinking of our officer installation and of course, the wonderful evening of food and fellowship at the Piedmont Club. We will have to meet on the second Thursday, April 11, because the buffet is only on second Thursdays now. We will be in the Crescent Room, so come one and come all. There will be lots of room this year. Sunday, April 7 is the deadline for getting your \$35.00 in to Jan Sarratt so we can meet our deadline to let Piedmont Club how many of us they will have to cook for. You can pay Jan at the next club meeting or at the mini-social. Call Jan for any other payment arrangements. The room will be open at 6:00 PM for our open bar, and the buffet line will be open to us at 7:00 PM.

So come one and all for a lovely evening. Note: for those who like to plan ahead, put April 12, 2014 on your calendars. The Crescent Room is already reserved for us. Pay attention to the fact it is also a second Thursday.

Jan Sarratt
489-1606

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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.





Ron Scott
Race Director
H 919/362-5689
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2012/2013 CSC Race Series

December 1-8	2012	<i>Steamboat Race Camp Call Sports Am. Tours 800 876 8551</i>
December call	2012	<i>Killington Race Camp Call 800 432 0100</i>
December 2	2012	<i>CSC Development Training at Appalachian 8:45</i>
December 7-9	2012	<i>Sugar Mt. Race Camp Call Kim Jöchl 828 898 4521 x224</i>
January	2013	<i>Timberline, WV Call John Lutz 304 866 4801 Multi. Session</i>
<i>Gate Training each Friday evening before a NC Crescent race at Appalachian Contact Ken L.</i>		

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

December 15 & 16, 2012 **Appalachian, NC Race** **9:30**

January 5 & 6, 2013 **Sugar Mt. NC Race** **9:00**

January 12-19, 2013 Crescent Ski Council Ski Week

January 26 & 27, 2013 **Appalachian Mt., NC Race** **9:30**

February 4, 2013 Cupp Run Challenge at Snowshoe, WV

February 9 & 10, 2013 **Beech Mt., NC** **10:00**

February 23 & 24, 2013 **Sugar Mt., NC Race** **9:00**

March 3 & 4, 2013 Governor's Cup Race at Timberline, WV
kathysaumure@cs.com

March 3, 2013 Dick Trundy/Sugar Cup GS Sugar Mt. 9:00

March 8, 9, & 10, 2013 **Crescent Cup, SilverCreek, WV** **8:45**

March 20 – 24, 2013 **NASTAR Finals Aspen/Snowmass, CO** **Rich Mead**
DEC. 1-8, 2012 CSC Racing's 29th RACE CAMP @ STEAMBOAT-START PLANNING
NOW AND CALL SARA OR GO ON-LINE AT S.A.T. TO RESERVE YOUR SPACE!
Crescent Cup race format will be both GS and SL races on Saturday, weather permitting.
GS will start at 8:45 – SL start time TBA – dependant on conditions and set-up time.



FLATWATER KAYAKING AND HIKING

Ben Palmer, our speaker at the February membership meeting gave us quite an insight in all the activities (including skiing and snowboarding) that are organized by the county for its residents. One of the upcoming events is kayaking on Lake Cooley. It's "Discover Your Watershed Day". The county even supplies the kayaks if you don't have one. There will be representatives from the Clemson Extension, educational exhibits, naturalists will be on site, and information on programs designed to raise our awareness of the clean water system. There will be games for kids and loaner fishing poles for those under 15. Sign up early and you will also get lunch, *and it's all free*. The next activity some of you may be interested in will be kayaking on the lake at Table Rock followed by a hike there at the mountain.

The dates he gave at our February meeting are not the same as listed on the county website, so be sure and call him for more info and to sign up. These activities will most likely take place in May, but be sure and call him at 804-5504.



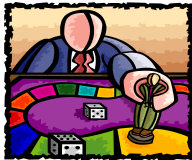
GAMES NIGHT..... IT IS OWN!



It's been quite awhile since we've played games so there will be a Games Night on Saturday, April 20 at 6 PM. Yes, we realize that is the same date as the Tryon Steeple Chase, but not everyone attends the race and maybe would like an alternative to do something a little more challenging. We will be playing Trivia Pursuit and/or Pictionary unless there is another suggestion.

Date Saturday, April 20, 2013 6 PM
Location 280 Bertha Burns Rd Inman (Lake Bowen)
Conni and Ted's home
What to Bring Heavy Appetizer and BYOB
RSVP to Conni or Ted at 592-3405 or tedcancom@att.net

We will need a minimum of 10 players to hold this event, so get on Board (no pun intended) soon!





Birthdays

The following members have birthdays in March. Happy Birthday to:

Doris Ann Mauney	March 25th
Chris Just	March 1st
Marcy Cassady	March 20th
Charles Darling	March 6th
Alison Kimball	March 8th
Art Mall	March 1st
Dan King	March 17th

Have a wonderful day!

Ted

I'M JUST SAYING....

Why does Sea World have a seafood restaurant? I'm halfway through my fish burger and I realize.....Oh My God, I could be eating a slow learner!

Linda Montgomery, Artist and Voiceover Actress

The only time to eat diet food is while you are waiting for your steak to cook.
Julia Child

Eating rice cakes is like chewing on a foam coffee cup, only less filling.
Dave Barry

In the spring, at the end of the day, you should smell like dirt.
Margaret Atwood, Canadian Author

You can't see Canada across Lake Erie, but you know it's there. It the same with Spring. You have to have faith.... especially in Cleveland.
Paul Fleischman, American Author



SPARTANBURG SKI & OUTING CLUB

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

2012-2013

<u>POSITION</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>HOME PHONE</u>	<u>E-MAIL</u>
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NOTES

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.

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.

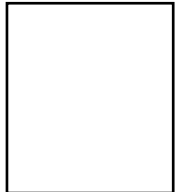
The Spartanburg Ski & Outing Club normally meets the first Thursday of each month at 7:00 PM. We are located at the Chapman Cultural Center (West Wing) on East St. John Street in Spartanburg on the first floor. During the summer months (June, July, and August) meetings are frequently held, more informally, 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.

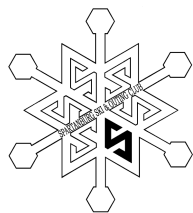
The club does **not** provide alcoholic beverages at membership meetings, but members are allowed to bring their own (BYOB) choices of beer or wine. Over-indulgence is not condoned under any circumstances. Cups, ice, and some soft drinks are provided. Thank you.

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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PO BOX 2864  **SPARTANBURG, SC 29304**











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April

- 1 April Fool's Day
- 3 Last Quarter
- 10 New Moon
- 11 Club Meeting at The Piedmont Club - Officer Installation/Awards Dinner
- 18 Board Meeting at the McCall's
- First Quarter
- 25 Full Moon

May

- 2 Last Quarter
- 10 New Moon
- 12 Mother's Day
- 18 Armed Forces Day

- First Quarter
- 19 Pentecost
- 25 Full Moon
- 27 Memorial Day (Observed)

- 31 Last Quarter

June

- 8 New Moon
- 14 Flag Day
- 16 Father's Day
- First Quarter
- 21 Summer begins
- 23 Full Moon

- 30 Last Quarter

July

- 4 Independence Day
- 8 New Moon
- 16 First Quarter
- 22 Full Moon
- 29 Last Quarter

August

- 6 New Moon
- 14 First Quarter
- 21 Full Moon
- 28 Last Quarter

September

- 2 Labor Day
- 5 New Moon
- 12 First Quarter
- 19 Full Moon
- 23 Autumn begins
- 27 Last Quarter

October

- 5 New Moon
- 11 First Quarter
- 14 Columbus Day (Observed)
- 18 Full Moon
- 26 Last Quarter

- 31 Halloween

November

- 1 Club PO Box Fee Due
- 3 Daylight Savings Time Ends
- New Moon
- 5 Election Day
- 10 First Quarter
- 11 Veterans Day
- 17 Full Moon
- 25 Last Quarter
- 28 Thanksgiving

December

- 3 New Moon
- 9 First Quarter
- 17 Full Moon
- 21 Winter begins
- 25 Christmas
- Last Quarter
- 31 New Year's Eve

January

- 1 New Moon
- New Year's Day
- 8 First Quarter
- 16 Full Moon
- 20 Martin Luther King, Jr.
- 24 Last Quarter

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