

Ski Trails

The monthly newsletter for Suburban Ski Club

February 2010

Website: <http://suburbanskiclub.org>

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

It's just a few weeks until the club goes to Vail. I had the chance to ski there in January and we had a great time skiing. The snow cover was a little light in a couple of places, but there was plenty enough for me. I can't wait to go again February 20th.

We will be presenting a slate of officers for next year at the February meeting and will take nominations from the floor. If you or anyone you know is interested in helping the club, be sure to nominate them at this meeting. Proposed changes to the bylaws will be discussed (and voted upon during the March meeting). The Board made some changes to the club's Trip Policy that I will tell you about. Don't miss this important meeting. Let your voice be heard. Be a part of history.

Upcoming Meetings (usually 2nd Thursday of the month)

2010: Feb 11, Mar 11 Hilton Hotel

3663 Park East Drive, Beachwood, 44122 (216) 464-5950 (I-271 & Chagrin Blvd)

—Chris Wolf

MEMBERSHIP

Over 95% renewal and some new enlistees brings our total to **116** members.

Membership forms are at the web site <http://suburbanskiclub.org> or can be sent to you by Sandy Stauffer or Laurie by e-mail to Membership@suburbanskiclub.org

CALENDAR AT A GLANCE

- Wed Feb 3 & Thu Feb 4: Holiday Valley & Holimont
- Tue Feb 9 – EAT Pacific East on Coventry at Mayfield in Cleveland Heights
- Thu Feb 11: SSC February Meeting—Hilton Beachwood
- Mon Feb 15: Seven Springs
- 2010 Feb 20-27: Western Ski Trip to Vail
- Fri Mar 5: Holimont & Harpersfield Winery
- Mon Mar 8 - Corky & Lenny's at Village Square on Chagrin just east of 271
- Thu Mar 11: SSC March Meeting—Hilton Beachwood

EQUIPMENT & CLOTHING - INVENTORY AND CHECKLIST

ONE MORE TIME

Don't forget your goggles!

See the "Ski Trip Checklist" on page 3



TRIPS & TOURS UPDATE (Flyers attached for these trips)

- Mon., Feb 15: Seven Springs
- Fri., Mar 5: Holimont (the Winery Trip)

Trips & Tours

Feb 3-4 Holimont-Holiday Valley: We have more skiers for the Two Day Trip this February 3 & 4 when compared to last year. Wednesday we ski at Holiday Valley and Thursday at Holimont. We are staying at the Wingate Hotel and will have dinner on our own in Ellicottville. This will be a great trip for the 44 skiers on this trip.

Feb 15 Seven Springs: Our Seven Springs trip is filling up. This is a joint trip with ESSC (Erie Shore Ski Club). ESSC has their 25 and a waiting list. We are about half way there. Sign up soon – send your check to Joyce - for we will have to release our seats to the waiting list soon.

Mar 5 Holimont & Harpersfield Winery. We have an exciting fun trip on Friday, March 5 to Holimont with dinner on the way home at Harpersfield Winery. This trip includes skiers from the Chagrin Valley Ski Club. See the flier and send your check to Bill and Christy McGraw. We expect this to be a very popular trip. Don't be left behind.

—*Jack Ganz*

Western Ski Trip to VAIL—February 20-27, 2010

We're taking off very soon and have a great group of people participating.

—*John Danis*

UPCOMING EVENTS

Tue, Feb 9, 6:00 pm, 6:30pm Dinner

EAT, Pacific East – Coventry (at Mayfield)

1763 Coventry Road, Cleveland Heights, Ohio 44118. Tel: 216.320.2302 Web site is <http://www.pacificcoventry.com>

An excellent sushi restaurant with Japanese and Malaysian selections. Very popular with the young crowd from the Coventry neighborhood and CWRU. Parking

available in the Cleveland Heights parking garage a block and a half south of Mayfield on the east side of Coventry. Bring quarters for the parking garage.

Contact Barbara Brennan at 216-321-9026 or barbara.brennan@case.edu by Feb 7th

Thurs, February 11, 7:00 pm (6:00 Social in the restaurant-bar)

SSC November Meeting-Hilton Beachwood. 3663 Park East Dr Beachwood, 44122 (216) 464-5950 (I-271 & Chagrin Blvd)

Meeting Starts promptly at 7:00 pm (Social in the restaurant-bar at 6pm)

Mon, Mar 8, 6:00 pm, 6:30pm Dinner

EAT, Corky & Lenny's 27091 Chagrin Blvd, Beachwood (216) 464-3838 just east of I-271 in the Village Square (north side of street). <http://www.corkyandlennys.com>

We will try a new deli this year, Corky & Lenny's, an old favorite of mine and very conveniently located for our club members on the east side. Hope you can join us.

Contact Barbara Brennan at 216-321-9026 or barbara.brennan@case.edu by Mar 6th

—Barbara Brennan

What Did you Forget?

Checklist for 1-Day, 2-Day, 7-Day Trips

Wallet/Money/ID's/ Passport	Parka/Ski pants
Credit Cards; Insurance Cards	Turtleneck/Neck Gator
PDA/Cell phone and chargers	Sweater/Heavy Socks
Prepaid Phone Card	Thermal Undergarments
Glasses/Sunglasses/	Gloves/Glove Liners
Contacts/Solution	Hat/Headband/Goggles
Skis (check bindings) / Poles	Ski Wax/Tools/Deburrer
Boots/ Boot Heaters/dryers	Cloth to dry edges
Helmet/ Face Mask	Camera/Film/Recharger
Goggles	IPOD/CD player
Hand warmer packets	Munchies/Beverages
Water Bottle/Trail Map	Lift Ticket/Room condo key
Sunblock/Chapstick	Coins for lockers
Hike Boots/Tennis Shoes	Toothbrush/Paste/ floss
Jeans/Fleece Vest/Wool scarf	Razor/Shave cream
More Turtlenecks	Shampoo/Deodorant
Socks/Underwear	Medications/Vitamins
Belt/Accessories	Lotion/Make-up
Sleepwear/ Robe	Hair Dryer/Brush/Comb
Swimsuit/flip flops	Alarm Clock



2009-2010

SSC OFFICERS

President Chris Wolf
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Vice President Joe Sullivan
vp@suburbanskiclub.org

Secretary Lilly Kron
secretary@suburbanskiclub.org

Treasurer Cliff Lewis
treasurer@suburbanskiclub.org

MEETINGS

2009: **Sep 10 • Oct 8 • Nov 12**
 2010: **Jan 14 • Feb 11 • Mar 11**
 * Meetings held 2nd Thursday of month

Hilton Hotel
 3663 Park East Drive, Beachwood, OH 44122
 (at I-271 and Chagrin Blvd) (216) 464-5950

6:00 p.m. Social
 7:00 p.m. Meeting & Guest Speakers



SSC Web Site and E-Mail Address

<http://www.suburbanskiclub.org>
info@suburbanskiclub.org

Support your local

SKI SHOPS

Aster Ski Shop (440) 729-9472 Chesterland www.ferdlauster.com	Geigers - West (216) 521-1771 Lakewood www.shopgeigers.com
Bavarian Outfitters Lorain Ave. (440) 779-8788 www.2villages.com	Geigers – East (440) 247-4900 Chagrin Falls
Buckeye Sports (330) 929-3366 Cuyahoga Falls www.buckeyesportscenter.com	Little Mountain (440) 946-5028 Mentor www.littlemountainltd.com

SKI CENTERS

Alpine Valley (440) 729-9775 alpinevalleyohio.com	Brandywine/Boston Mills (800) 875 4241 http://www.bmbw.com
Holiday Valley (716) 699.2345 www.holidayvalley.com	Holimont (716) 699-2320 www.holimont.com
Peek 'n Peak (716) 355-4141 www.pknpk.com	Seven Springs (800) 452-2223 www.7springs.com



SKI TRIPS 2010

Jay PeakDecember 13-19
Jack Ganz (216) 751-4316 Jack@suburbanskiclub.org

Western_Trip

Vail.....(Sat-Sat) February 20-27
John Danis (440) 256 9247 John@suburbanskiclub.org

Bus Trips

Holiday Valley (Sun) January 10
Cliff Lewis (216) 371-3981 cliffskier@suburbanskiclub.org

Holimont (ML King Day) (Mon) January 18
Fred Elicker (440) 951-8312 Fred@suburbanskiclub.org

Holiday Valley & Holimont.....(Wed-Thu) February 3-4
(SSC& ESSC Joint Trip) Joe Sullivan (216) 932-3636
Joe@suburbanskiclub.org

Seven Springs SSC & ESSC Joint Trip(Mon) February 15
Joyce Goldsmith (216) 219-8572 joycegoldsmith@howardhanna.com

Holimont & Harpersfield Winery..... (Fri) March 5
Bill & Christe McGraw (216) 321-0345
Christekay@gmail.com; wmcgraw@gmail.com

COMMITTEE CHAIRS 2009-10

Trips & Tours Jack Ganz
trips@suburbanskiclub.org

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Seven Springs Mon Feb 15.....Joyce Goldsmith

Holimont & Harpersfield Winery Mar 5Christe & Bill McGraw

Publicity

Newsletter..... Laurie Kalan, Cliff Lewis, Chris Wolf

Sitzmark articles Cliff Lewis, Jack Ganz

Web Site <http://www.suburbanskiclub.org> Cliff Lewis

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Directory and Databases..... Laurie Kalan

MembershipSandy Stauffer

CMSC DatabaseBarbara Brennan

Cleveland Metro Ski Rep. Jack Ganz

Social.....

Hiking, Biking & Summer Tours:

Pat & Cliff Lewis, Fran Keller, Annette Jones

Wine Tasting Evening.....Bill & Christe McGraw

Holiday PartyAnnette Jones

Eat-Around-Town.. Barbara Brennan, Nancy Wolf, Jerry Weiss

John Hersch, Bill McGraw, Bob Nemcek



A joint trip sponsored by Suburban Ski Club
and Erie Shore Ski Club

Only \$55* Monday, February 15, 2010

Price includes round-trip bus transportation and an 8-hour lift ticket

(*A \$5.00 temporary membership is required if you are not a member of SSC, ESSC or CMSC.)

SSC Trip Leader: Joyce Goldsmith (216) 219-8572
Joycegoldsmith@howardhanna.com

- West Side Pick Up. Bus loads at 5:45 am and leaves at 6:00 am from Lenau Park 7370 Columbia Rd., Olmsted Falls (about 1 mile north of Bagley)
- Southerly departure point: Bus loads at 6:30 am and leaves at 6:45 am from Hawthorne Village Shopping Center, Broadway Rd. just east of I-271. Return from Seven Spring at 5:30 pm and get back about 8:30 pm

*Price for members of Suburban or other CMSC clubs. A \$5.00 temporary membership is **REQUIRED FOR NON-MEMBERS.** Cancellation policy: All cancellations carry a \$5.00 service charge regardless of the length of notification and regardless of the reason. However, if an individual finds his/her own replacement for a one-day ski trip, no service charge will be made. The trip leader must be notified of the change. Individuals not showing up on time for a trip, or in the judgment of the trip leader, not giving reasonable notification of Cancellation, will forfeit an additional \$25. SSC reserves the right to withdraw or change trips at any time due to lack of interest, weather conditions, and/or circumstances beyond the control of SSC. In the event SSC cancels a trip due to aforementioned reasons, SSC will provide a full refund for all persons on the trip.

Seven Springs, Monday, February 15, 2010. Make check payable to Suburban Ski Club and mail to Joyce Goldsmith, 17661 East Brook Trail, Chagrin Falls, Ohio 44023.

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____

Email: _____ Emergency Contact: _____ Phone: _____

Member Temporary Member (add \$5) **Amount enclosed:** \$ _____

Member of another CMSC Club - Which club? _____



SSC Ski to the Winery
Ski Holimont to the Harpersfield Winery!
Friday, March 5, 2010

Only \$65*

Ski Holimont's north-facing slopes, our best for late season skiing
Watch the award winning wine movie "[Sideways](#)"
Enjoy Napa style ambiance, solid wines, and light fare at [Harpersfield](#)

Trip leader: Capable Christe McGraw with Bill's constant meddling
Reservations by email: Christekay@gmail.com
Or by Message: (216) 321-0345

*No Other Ski Clubs have signed on yet!
Invite your family & friends! Any CMSC members invited!
So...Sign up early! Can we fill up our own bus?*

- Bus loads at 6:00 am and leaves 6:15 am From Kohl's parking lot, 6245 Wilson Mills Rd. about two blocks west of I-271. Returns around 9:30 or 10 pm
- Price includes round-trip bus transportation and an 8-hour lift ticket.
- ETA [Harpersfield Winery](#) around 7:00 pm where wine and food are "a la carte" and separate checks are de rigeur. See: www.harpersfield.com
- Warning: You may have more fun than you deserve.

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(Cut off below and return this section with you payment.)

Trip: SSC Ski to the Winery, Friday, March 5, 2010. Make check payable to Suburban Ski Club and mail to Christe McGraw, 2981 Scarborough Rd., Cleveland Heights Ohio 44118

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____

Email: _____ Emergency Contact: _____ Phone: _____

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Member of another CMSC Club? - Which club? _____