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LEXINGTON SKI & SPORTS CLUB



DECEMBER 2023 Newsletter

DECEMBER MEMBERSHIP MEETING:

Tuesday, 12/5/2023

6pm Social Hour

7pm Meeting

Location: Roosters

124 Marketplace Drive

Lexington, KY

(Off Man of War, just west of: Nicholasville Rd.)

GREETING FROM THE PRESIDENT!



2023 – 2024 SEASON



Hi members!

Our next club meeting will be this Tuesday, December 5, 2023. Come celebrate the holidays with us!

Be sure to read this edition of the newsletter for new details about our upcoming Western and Local trips. We are still accepting registrations for Lake Tahoe and have announced a local trip to WV which provides early season opportunities to ski at both Timberline Mountain and Canaan Valley Ski Resort.

Look forward to seeing everyone at the meeting!

President, Tom O'Donnell president@lexskisports.org.

2023 – 2024 CALENDAR OF EVENTS

December 5, 2023	Holiday party!! 
January 2, 2024	General Membership Meeting
January 27-February 3, 2024	Breckenridge Resort Ski Trip
February 6, 2024	Presentation of Breckenridge Trip Highlights by Trip Leader
February 24-March 2, 2024	Heavenly Resort Ski Trip
March 5, 2024	Presentation of Heavenly Trip Highlights by Trip Leader
April 2, 2024	Agenda TBD
May 7, 2024	End of Season Picnic – location TBD

A note regarding membership meetings attendance:

Our monthly general membership meetings are open to the public. We are always happy to welcome newcomers and encourage everyone to bring a friend (or several) to attend meetings. The meetings begin with a “social hour” at 6pm. This is an opportunity to introduce yourself and make welcome any newcomers, as well as your chance to catch up with friends and talk about your snowy adventures! At 7pm we typically have a planned presentation on a topic relevant to skiing & snowboarding. We are always seeking new ideas for topics and/or presenters. Please share your ideas with us by dropping a line via email to any board member.

NEWS FROM THE EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENT

This is LAST CALL to sign up for Western Trips for the 2023-2024 Ski Season. The deadline has passed for the Breckenridge trip, but it is still possible to sign up for Lake Tahoe.

The time to sign up is NOW!

Breckenridge Resort, Colorado
January 27, 2024 – February 3, 2024 (Saturday - Saturday)

Trip Cost: \$1,649 (per person double occupancy)

Add-on: Possible Day trip to Vail (Cost: TBD)



Breckenridge has some of the best terrain in Colorado. Beginners will have no shortage of runs to choose from. There's intermediate terrain across all the Peaks at Breckenridge but Peak 7 is where you'll find plenty of perfect corduroys and gently rolling runs. Don't underestimate Breckenridge, it's got expert terrain well above the tree line unlike many Colorado resorts



Base Package Includes:

- 7 nights Beaver Run Resort (2-bedroom Suites, Ski In & Ski Out)
- Round trip airfare on United Airlines from Cincinnati (CVG) non-stop to Denver (Den)
- Round trip transfers from Denver airport to Beaver Run Resort (includes grocery stop)
- Welcome reception
- Does NOT include Lift Tickets. Lift ticket options are available on the webpage

Please click the following links for more information on Breckenridge Ski Resort and Beaver Run Resort.

<https://www.breckenridge.com/>

<https://www.beaverrun.com/breckenridge-condominiums/breckenridge-hotel-2-bedroom-suite>



For more information, trip application, and payment options, please visit the trip's webpage at:

<https://www.lexskisports.org/2024-breck-trip>

Heavenly Ski Resort, Lake Tahoe, CA

February 24, 2024 – March 2, 2024 (Saturday - Saturday)

Trip Cost: \$1,599 (per person double occupancy)



Heavenly Resort is a true heaven for intermediates with blue trails at almost every lift! Advanced skiers and riders also have their fair share of black runs including double black-diamond runs.

Base Package Includes:

- 7 nights Forest Suites Resort (2-bedroom suites). Includes daily Breakfast!
- Round trip airfare from Cincinnati (CVG) to Reno (RNO)
- Round trip transfers from Reno airport to Forest Suites Resort
- Welcome reception
- Does NOT include Lift Tickets. Lift ticket options are available on the webpage





Please click the following links for more information on Heavenly Ski Resort, and Forest Suites Resort.

<https://www.skiheavenly.com/>

<https://www.forestsuites.com/>

Ski Heavenly!!



Optional day trips to nearby Kirkwood and Northstar Resorts (both are Epic resorts)! Cost TBD.

Optional non-ski trip to Virginia City, Nevada. Cost TBD.

For more information, trip application, and payment options, please visit the trip's webpage at:

<https://www.lexskisports.org/2024-tahoe-trip>

LOCAL TRIPS

Need to warm up your ski legs before the western trips? Let's go ski or board at Timberline Mountain and Canaan Valley, West Virginia in early January! Options of staying at the Canaan Valley Resort Lodge for the weekend Fri/Sat nights Jan 5 & 6, or Sunday thru Tuesday nights Jan 7-9, or the whole time for 5 nights. Thursday night can also be added on. Winter rates are 20% off lodging. To book your room online visit their website at <https://www.canaanresort.com> or call the resort 800-622-4121.

If you have a Perfect North Season Pass, you can purchase your Timberline Mountain lift ticket at 50%. Own the Perfect Pass? It will get you on the slopes at both Timberline and Perfect North Slopes. Or more information or, to purchase lift tickets go to <https://timberlinemountain.com>

If you need a ski tune-up visit Timberline Mountain, Driftland Ski & Sport, or Ski Barn in Davis, W. VA.

Contact Robin Jones if interested at 859-948-2934 or email localactivity@lexskisports.org



Perfect North Slopes in Lawrenceburg, IN opened for the season on Saturday, December 2nd! Keep watch on our Facebook page for details on upcoming day trips.

These day trips are open to all (LSSC membership is not required).

<https://perfectnorth.com/>



YOUR HELP IS NEED TO KEEP US ON THE SNOW.....

MORE VOLUNTEERS = MORE DAY TRIPS TO PERFECT NORTH SLOPES!



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If you would like to volunteer as a host for a day trip to PNS, please contact a board member. As host, you choose the date, local meeting location/time for car-pooling and greet the group. It's a great way to meet and make new snow fun friends!! PNS offers both downhill skiing and snowtubing, making it a great day out for skiers and non-skiing family and friends. A day at PNS is the perfect way to warm up for the season or, introduce a friend to the sport!

<https://perfectnorth.com/>

PHOTO GALLERY

We need photos of all the fun and exciting things our members are out there doing so Please submit your photos.....past and present! Photos will be included in this section of the newsletter and can be submitted to tara Keegan at tara.keegan@gmail.com.

MEMBERSHIP



NEW MEMBERS ARE ALWAYS WELCOME!!

Renewal for LSSC membership has begun for the upcoming season. Go to the LSSC website for online renewal or pay in person at the September meeting. Dues are \$40.00 per year and may be paid online or by check. Checks should be made out to LSSC.

NEW members: your membership fee will be credited against the cost of a qualifying LSSC trip for the first year.

Remember your LSSC membership automatically includes membership to OVSC which sponsors additional trip opportunities throughout the year!

Click here to pay dues online: <https://www.lexskisports.org/membership>





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<http://www.ovsc.org>



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