

THE GREAT SCHUSS

LEXINGTON SKI & SPORTS CLUB



NOVEMBER 2023 Newsletter

NOVEMBER MEMBERSHIP MEETING:

Tuesday, 11/7/2023

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 Thursday, November 7, 2023. The name of the winner of the Mammoth Mountain trip will be drawn at the meeting. As there is not a formal presentation planned for the November meeting it is the perfect time to meet other members and friends, find out who is going on the trip or trips you are registered for and simply enjoy an evening socializing.

This is your final opportunity to Win a FREE two-night stay at Mammoth Mountain Resort in CA. Anyone who is registered for one of the LSSC Western trips qualifies for the drawing. You need to be registered and paid up, including your club membership, to be eligible. Deadline: Midnight on November 6th!

Look forward to seeing everyone at the meeting!

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

2023 – 2024 CALENDAR OF EVENTS

November 7, 2023	General Membership Meeting: MAMMOTH MTN PRIZE DRAWING!!
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 meeting 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**. There is only one spot open on the Breckenridge trip. The deadline for Tahoe signups is in mid-November. 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

Plans are in the works for a ski trip to Timberline Mountain, West Virginia with options for weekend or weekday options or both. Keep watch for additional details!



Once Perfect North Slopes in Lawrenceburg, IN opens for the season we will begin hosting day trips. PNS is located about 1 hour from Lexington and offers both downhill skiing and snowtubing. A day at PNS is the perfect way to warm up for the season or, introduce a friend to the sport! These day trips are open to all (LSSC membership is not required).



PHOTO GALLERY



The Gorge Underground kayak tour was a unique adventure that included history of the area and a fun paddling experience in a water-filled cave enjoyed by all. After lunch at the Hemlock Lodge, our hiking group went up the Original Trail, walked up the tight rock stairs to Natural Bridge, and across the ridge to Lovers Leap, where the views were spectacular. We made a loop down the Needle's Eye Staircase to Battleship Rock Trail back to the parking lot. It was a beautiful day just perfect for hiking!

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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