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Board Meeting

Oct. 23



Dear Ski Bums,

For those who missed the September membership meeting, our program consisted of pizza and a movie. It was also a night of trip sign ups and special recognition. We recognized Charlie Stuhre for his years of commitment and dedication to the York Ski Club. Over the years, Charlie has served in every capacity, mentoring newbie's as well as seasoned trip leaders. We wish Charlie well as he transitions into the role of Club Patriarch.

Another announcement at our meeting was the pilot program of reciprocity for other EPSC members. In recognition of the economy and the realization that our sign-ups aren't as robust as we anticipated, we have decided to allow sister club members the opportunity to sign up for our trips without joining our club. They must however, be current with their club dues and be in good standing with the EPSC. We are piloting this program with all of our scheduled trips this year. The Board will re-evaluate the program at season's end.

Please note that all of our meetings this year will be held at Tailgaters. We have learned that the Tailgaters will be renovating their "Subs" –side during the winter months. In order to minimize disruption to our club, they volunteered to heat the patio all year-so we can continue to enjoy their menu and refreshments. Happy hours will continue to start around 6p as usual...Our program for October will be Craig from Ullers. Craig will be presenting their new line of equipment and will be available for questions. Ullers has been a long time supporter of our club, so plan to attend and bring your friends.

Another program that our club is considering is a Groupon membership. Research is currently underway to determine the pros and cons of membership. If you would like to learn more about this offering, or if you have any comments, please contact a board member.

I look forward to a great season and I hope to see you at the October meeting if not sooner. Come early to socialize and sign up for trips.

THINK SNOW

Scott

SUN VALLEY
FEBRUARY 9 TO 16, 2013
\$1,399.00 PP/DO

Sun Valley is a down hill paradise found with more than 3400 vertical feet and over 2000 acres of varied terrain. Bald Mt features the consistency of pitch - lack of lift lines and a variety of terrain. A total of 13 chair lifts and 65 varied runs await skiers and boarders. Adding to the "Baldy" this season are 30 acres of glade skiing terrain for all. Also available to skiers and for non-skiers there is the new gondola which will take you to the Roundhouse Lodge.

We will be staying at the Christophe Condos within walking distance to the River Run Plaza (lifts) and downtown. Don't want to walk - ride the bus.

Mt Rides provides free bus service through-out the town and to the slopes.

With all the restaurants, bars and shops - apres ski and night life will keep you busy. One more tip: No Sun Valley trip is complete without taking the sleigh ride to the Trail Creek Cabin for a sumptuous dinner in the historic cabin built in 1937.

Package Includes:

R/T Ground York to BWI - R/T Air via Delta BWI to Boise - R/T Boise to Resort - 7 nights lodging at the Christophe Condos (2br/2ba) with full kitchen - 5 of 6 day lift tickets (non skier deduct \$300.00)

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All current taxes and gratuities on included items.

Reminder 2nd pmt is due October 16th

PAYMENT SCHEDULE:

\$500.00 Deposit Sep 18th

\$500.00 Pmt due Oct 16th

Balance Due Nov 20th

CANCELLATION:

\$200.00 TO OCT. 16th

\$500.00 10/16 to 11/20

No refund after Nov 20th

Make checks payable to **YORK SKI CLUB** & pay at meetings or mail to:

Mary Amsbaugh, 1721 Monterey Ct., Dover, PA. 17315 **Questions:**

Call Mary at: 717 764 6145 or e-mail skicats2@comcast.net.

Trip insurance is highly recommended. Check the web link @ www.travelguard.com/agentlink.asp?ta_arc=247146&pcode=SVPP.

You can view coverage and purchase (w/credit card) trip insurance on this link. Please read and sign the trip application prior to your deposit. REMINDER-----TSA requires info same as on your ID for check in.

NOTE: AFTER NOV 20TH UNFILLED ROOMS WILL BE GIVEN UP.

Windham....Windham....Windham.....Windham....Windham....Windham.....January 5-6

This year's carpool trip is to **Windham Mountain**. Accommodations include lodging Friday and Saturday nights at the Windwood Inn, and skiing Saturday and Sunday. A hearty continental breakfast is included in the stay package along with a two-day lift package. Extended stay options are available for those interested.

A shuttle bus will provide transportation to and from the mountain. The mountain boasts a vertical rise of 1,600 feet with a 2 mile long trail called the Wonderer. In addition to skiing and snowboarding, Windham offers snow tubing, ice skating, XC skiing and snowshoeing.

Windham is once again offering a "Ski Club Card" that entitles you to a lift ticket for \$25 dollars that can be used the Friday before check in.

Trip pricing is \$275 pp double occupancy.

As always, arrangements can be made for early arrivals and those wishing to rent equipment. To ensure your spot, a deposit of \$100.00 pp will reserve your space. The second payment of \$100.00 pp is due by October 16, 2012. The balance and final payment is due by November 20, 2012.

For more information contact: Tim 717-873-2612

Club Calendar

2012

Brews, Brats & Bands.....	Oct 13
YSC Meeting Tailgaters.....	Oct 16
38th Annual Oyster Fest.....	Oct 21
Uller's Ski Swap.....	Oct 27 & 28
EPSC Annual Ski Expo.....	Nov 4
YSC Meeting Tailgaters.....	Nov 20
YSC Meeting Tailgaters.....	Dec 18

2013

Windham Car Pool.....	Jan 5 & 6
Blue Mountain	Jan 13
YSC Meeting Tailgaters/Subs Side....	Jan 15
Sun Valley-Western Trip.....	Feb 9-16
Gore Mountain Trip.....	March 9-12

BLUE MOUNTAIN DAY TRIP

January 13, 2013

Blue Mountain is big enough to offer something for everyone. With its 39 trails, they have increased chairlift capacity and mastered the art of snow making. For the skiers/boarders with a riskier appetite, "Blue" offers terrain parks, a snow cross trail with banked turns, and plenty of trails to meet your needs.

Blue Mountain is fun for the whole family. Even the diehard "Big Dogs" will get a thrill from their lightning-speed tubing runs. They have family sized tubes and solo tubes...Their tubing hill offers 3 lifts and 21 slides...

If that is not enough, "Blue" offers a "Big Air Bag" for those who have ice in their veins. The Big Air Bag will be open on Sunday's from 11a-8p---at an additional cost of \$25(not included in our club package).

The Day trip includes the lift ticket and light snacks during the lunch hour. Car pooling is encouraged and a strong attempt to coordinate ridership will occur during the weeks leading up to the trip. A modest \$10 deposit will reserve your space. If you have any questions, please contact Scott at 717-779-9141 or email burfordjs@yahoo.com

MORE GORE

Saturday, March 9 thru Tuesday, March 12, 2013

The York Ski Club will be skiing MORE days at Gore Mountain, NY than any prior trip to this destination. We will also save you MORE vacation time by leaving a day earlier than our normal bus trip. That's right, we will travel on Saturday and ski Gore on Sunday and Monday. There will be an option to ski or board one MORE half-day on Tuesday before departing for home.

Gore Mountain has slopes for every type of skier or rider. The mountain has 95 slopes, covering over 40 miles and 437 acres of fun. The trail ratings are 13% easiest, 53% more difficult and 34% most difficult. With a peak elevation of 3600', a 2537' vertical drop (6th greatest in the East); great snowmaking, 5 terrain parks; and 21 glade areas, this will be an exciting trip.

You will be staying at the upscale and luxurious Copperfield Inn Resort in downtown North Creek, NY. It is the premier resort with an outdoor hot tub and a fitness club on-site. The resort offers shuttle service to all area slopes and has two on-site restaurants, Trapper's Tavern and Lorenzo's. There are other restaurants within walking distance in town.

The cost is \$465 per person/double occupancy. The trip includes all transportation, 3-nights lodging, 2-day lift ticket, taxes and gratuities. There are no meals with this package. Trip application forms are available online at www.yorkskiclub.org or by contacting Rick Resh (Home Phone No: 717-767-5951). There will be an \$80 - \$92 discount for non-skiers and there will be reduced lift pricing for Juniors, Teens and Seniors (70+). Checks should be payable to "York Ski Club" and mailed to Rick Resh at 1360 Briargate Drive, York, PA 17404. No credit cards or pay-pal payments accepted. Payments are due as follows:

\$300.00 due by October 16, 2012

Balance by November 20, 2012

No refunds after December 1, 2012

Trip price is based upon 32 minimum group size and we'd like to fill the bus. You do not need to be a member of the York Ski Club to take advantage of this offer as long as you're a member of another club in the Eastern PA Ski Council.

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PHILLY WINTER EXPO AND EPSC AUCTION

Sunday, November 4, 2012
2-5:30 p.m.

Located at the Crowne Plaza Hotel, 260 Mall Blvd, King of Prussia, PA
(Just behind the King of Prussia Mall area)

ADMISSISON IS FREE

The Philly Winter Expo & EPSC Auction is the annual kick off to the ski season. It's a combination trade-show and auction. It is a great chance for skiers and boarders to meet and talk with ski resort representatives and other related vendors.

EPSC will have tons of cool items to auction off in our LIVE & SILENT AUCTIONS including vacation packages, lift tickets, and gear. This is your chance to meet with resort representatives from all over the world, local ski shops, and tour operators. There will be door prizes, and most vendors will have free items and information to give away.

For more information or to register, please visit the auction page of EPSC's website: www.easternpaski council.org.

Proceeds benefit EPSC sponsored programs and charities.

DISCOUNT LIFT TICKETS

Several ski resorts have offered reduced lift ticket prices for the 2012-2013 Season. Ski Club Appreciation Days will be held at:

Mt. Snow, VT. - 1/4 - 1/6/13; 2/22-2/24/13 or 3/15 - 3/16/13

Stowe, VT. - 12/07 - 12/09/12; 1/09-1/11/13 or 3/13 - 3/17/13

Pickup information at the next Ski Club Meeting. At Bolton Valley, VT., show your club card and pay just \$35 for a lift ticket any day.

Discount lift tickets through the EPSC can also be purchased from Mid-Atlantic and New England resorts. Program details should be released in November. Enjoy your session by paying less for your tickets.

