



MANCHESTER SKI CLUB

February, 2007

Manchester Ski Club, P.O. Box 1267, Manchester, CT 06045
Manchester Ski Club Lodge, 4 Pleasant St., Ludlow, VT 05149 (802) 228-2226
Reservations: manchesterskiclub@gmail.com or call Frank Stadmeyer (860) 872-6400
Please pay lodge overnight and dinner fees by check only
CLUB WEBSITE WWW.MANCHESTERSKICLUB.ORG

OK, NOW IT'S WINTER! LET'S GO SKIING!

March Membership Meeting:

The next meeting will be on Monday March 5th, at the same location. This month's program TBD. There will be an April membership meeting this year. This meeting will be the 2007 MSC Annual Meeting and will be used to allow members to turn in unused tickets for return to the CSC (where applicable) and to have the membership vote in a slate of officers and elected board members for the 2007-2008 season.

Annual Club Elections: The Manchester Ski Club Board of Directors is developing the slate of candidates for next year's board. The slate will be voted on at the April Membership meeting. If you are interested in helping with the organization of our club as a board member please contact: Al Brunner (860-647-1000) Mary Sylvestre (860-633-2261) or Loisann Sisson (860-870-7471)

Discount Ticket Returns: It is very important that you use as many of your tickets as possible. The CSC has warned us that Okemo may only accept back 20% of the tickets that have been sold this for season. Some of the other mountains may only accept back 15%. MSC will take any unused tickets at the membership meeting in APRIL, but at this time it is not known how the CSC will apply the 20% or 15% limits on a club by club basis, so the easiest solution is to use up all your tickets!

Discount Ticket Exchange: If you have more tickets than you think you will use this year or you need tickets contact Matt Schauster at 860-872-8509 (before 9PM) or mattzs@comcast.net. Matt will provide you with the names of other club members who have tickets to buy or sell.

»»»Lodge Reservations«««

Call (860) 872-6400.

The email address for reservations is manchesterskiclub@gmail.com.

Or go on the website and fill out the provided form

Lodge Sign-in Sheet - Please remember to fill in all the information on the lodge sign-in sheet. The board needs this information to keep the various accounts straight, such as members vs. guests, number of nights stayed, dinners consumed etc. This just makes life easier for the reservation committee, Frank, Mark and our treasurer Gary Warzocha

Please Note! All Lodge users should make an annual check of the lodge rules and regulations. Please go to the website and make sure you are clear on the rules.

TIP OF THE MONTH: DO NOT PARK IN BACK OF THE SMALL HOUSE NEXT DOOR!!! The four parking spots behind the house belong to the new owners. Please take a look at the MSC parking plan posted on the bulletin board in the lodge kitchen

Manchester Ski Club Races

The next ski race of the season is our own club's race the **Robert W. Blake Challenge Race**, to be held on Saturday March 10th. This race is open to all skiers, of any ability so please join us. This is a great way to give racing a try if you have not raced before. The course can be run at any speed you are comfortable with. Sign in at the base lodge between 8-9AM and the race starts at 10AM. A wonderful party and awards reception is held in the late afternoon at the MSC lodge. The party is open to all club members whether you raced or not! To register send an email to Preston Maynard, at pres102@yahoo.com or mail to him, at 49 South Fair Street, Guilford CT. We are to LINE-UP at the race start-gate (same one as last few years) starting at 10AM. They want our race done by NOON.

Please Note!! Skiers of all ages and skiing abilities are welcome and encouraged to participate!

Manchester Ski Club – Race Entry Form

Name _____

Address _____

Town _____ State _____ Zip _____

Email _____

Phone Number_(H) _____

Phone Number_(W) _____

Age: ____ Male: ____ Female: ____

Skier: ____ Snowboarder: ____

Check one or both races:

R.W. Blake Challenge Race (3/11): ____

Return to:

Preston Maynard, 49 South Fair St., Guilford, CT 06437

Press102@yahoo.com (203) 458-0344

A Big Thank You!

We want to thank Preston Maynard, Paul Marchinetti, Neil Nichols, Sandy Cohen, & Don Eberhardt for all the work they did on the Lysobey/Bloom Memorial 3-Club Race on February 10th. We also wish to thank Doug & Joanne Nelson, and any others who tirelessly helped Chris Lysobey prepare food, etc. Everyone's help was greatly appreciated! - Kathie Eberhardt

For those attending the Blake Post-Race Party:

Everyone please bring their favorite appetizer for the Ski Club Party following the Blake Race. It seems to have worked well, the last couple of years. - Kathie Eberhardt

RACE RESULTS

Bloom - Lysobey Memorial Race 2/10/07			
MSC Racer	Actual Time	Adjusted Time	
Rachel Jackman	43.18	25.91	1st place 5-6 yrs.
Gracie Schauster	49.10	29.46	
Leah Jackman	40.88	26.57	1st place 7-9 yrs.
Louis Gaedt Jr	27.79	24.32	1st place 13-15 yrs., MSC Adj. Top Ten
Julie Sylvestre	27.50	23.38	1st place 13-15 yrs. , MSC Adj. Top Ten
Louis Gaedt Sr.	25.01	21.26	MSC Adj. Top Ten
Anna Foley-Schain	28.26	25.43	1st place 20-29 yrs.
Brendan Foley-Schain	24.33	22.51	MSC Adj. Top Ten
Donna Jackman	31.83	27.85	
Matt Schauster	22.85	20.57	1st place 30-39 yrs., MSC Adj. Top Ten
Paul Marchinetti	32.97	28.82	
Jon Jackman	28.00	24.50	MSC Adj. Top Ten
Gary Sylvestre	28.57	24.28	MSC Adj. Top Ten
Karen Foley-Schain	30.59	25.24	
Dennis Schain	30.44	25.90	
Al Brunner	31.39	26.88	
John Orzolek	23.78	20.20	MSC Adj. Top Ten
Neil Nichols	30.23	24.94	
Don Eberhardt	51.52	42.58	
Joan Youngs	29.58	23.66	1st place 60-69 yrs., MSC Adj. Top Ten
Doug Nelson	31.66	24.54	MSC Adj. Top 10

Club	Cummulative Top Ten Adj Times	Placement
Grumman Ski Club	193.22	1st
Norwalk Ski Club	197.86	2nd
Manchester Ski Club	229.22	3rd

MANCHESTER SKI CLUB DINNER CALENDAR 2006-2007

Date	Member	Menu
February 24, 2007	Glen & Patty Coates	Swiss Cheese Chicken
March 3, 2007	Kathy & Richard Choma	Beef & Broccoli
March 10, 2007	Margaret Kehoe	Spiral Ham & ??
March 17, 2007	Paula & Phil Kelly	
March 24, 2007	Carol Newman	
March 31, 2007		
April 7, 2007		
April 14, 2007		

Reservations:

- Members make reservations for dinner when they reserve rooms for the weekend. [Reservations](#) will indicate number of adults and number of children (under 13).
- Changes in reservations must be made by 8:00 p.m. on the Wednesday prior to the meal.
- Costs: Adults, \$8.00, and Children (under 13) \$6.00.
- Payment is to be made by check along with payment for lodging. Indicated the split for lodging & dinner on your check.
- The cooking member does not pay for his/her meal.

Additional meals may be purchased on Saturday on an "as available" basis only, as determined by the cook and the reservations coordinator.

Cooking:

- The cooking member(s) will plan the menu, shop, and cook the meal.
- **ALL** dining members will clean up after dinner. (Cooks are exempt)
- Food costs should be calculated at \$3.00 per child & \$5.00 per adult.
- Menus should be submitted one month in advance to avoid repetition.
- Menu planning should emphasize "**home cooked**" selections.
- The cooking member will call the reservations coordinator for the number of adults & children dining. A minimum of 15 reservations will be required; if fewer reservations are made, the dinner will be cancelled.
- Dinner menu will include appetizer, salad, **homemade entree**, dessert, & beverages.
- The availability of staple items & paper goods should be checked with the Dinner Coordinator.
- Appetizers are to be served from 4:00 pm until 5:45pm.
- Dinner is to be served at 6:00 p.m.

Work Units:

- Cooking a Saturday Night dinner fulfills yours YEARLY work assignment responsibility.
- Cost of groceries will be reimbursed upon submission of all receipts to Dinner Coordinator, with SIGN IN SHEET of GUESTS eating dinner. USE BACK of REIMBURSEMENT FORM, for SIGN IN.
- MAIL all above WITHIN 2 WEEEEKS of the night you cooked dinner.
- Reimbursements will be made prior to the end of the fiscal year (May 31).
- Any costs not submitted prior to that time will be forfeited.

Questions should be directed to the Dinner Coordinator, email: sgt40@charter.net or 1-413-596-9497.

Thank you for JOINING in the FUN and MSC FAMILY nights!

SANDRA THORNE
 2 MIRICK LANE
 WILBRAHAM, MA 01095

Membership Drive: This will remain open for the season - we need to replenish our membership

MSC still has memberships available for the both general membership and lodge membership. If you know some good candidates please tell them about our great club. For further information please contact Arlene Gazza (860-633-2312/argazza@cox.net)

Nominating Committee Members Needed!

The Board of Directors is beginning the nominating process for the 2007-2008 board. We would like to have one or two people from the membership to participate in the nominating committee. If you are interested please contact Brian Beal at 860-794-9833. The current board will vote a slate for membership approval at the March board meeting, and a slate will be voted in at the annual membership meeting in April.

CSC News and Events:

● **SAVE THE DATE – 2007 CSC Snow Ball – Windsor Marriott – November 10, 2007**

Every 3 years, each club must participate on a Snow Ball Committee to maintain membership in the Connecticut Ski Council. 2007 is our year. The Manchester Ski Club has requested the Security Committee. We will need a Security Committee Coordinator and members to work the day of the Snow Ball. Please see Leigh Nelson if you are interested.

● **Connecticut Senior Games – Ski Sundown – February 27, 2007 - see [CT Senior Games](#)**

The registration form is now available on the web site. Volunteers are needed - a volunteer registration form is also available.

● **Chairman needed for Connecticut State Races**

If you are interested in Chairing the state races or volunteering to assist in the state races, please call Rich Cholewinski, CSC President at 203-260-2200.

● **CSC Days, Seasonal discounts and Lodging discounts – see <http://www.skiclub.com>**

[Click Here](#) for one two-sided page with ALL of the CSC discounts (CSC Days, Seasonal and Lodging Discounts). See the individual items below for details!

● **Council Awareness Days**

[Click Here](#) for the FINAL 2006-2007 Council Awareness Days (Specially discounted dates at individual resorts with reduced lift ticket pricing for CSC Members).

● **Seasonal Discounts**

UPDATED for 2006-2007: [Click Here](#) for a full list of the 2006-2007 seasonal skiing & riding discounts offered by our local resorts.

● **CSC Lodging Discounts**

As a CSC Member you can benefit from these discounts given by some great lodges & motels. Please use your membership cards when applying for the discounts and remember YOU represent the CSC. [Click Here](#) for a full list of the 2006-2007 seasonal lodging discounts offered by our local resorts.

● **National Ski Council Federation – see <http://www.skifederation.org>**

CSC is now a member of the National Ski Council Federation. See their web site for great benefits and discounts. The members only logon is "skiclub" and the password is "member".

● **Other Discounts**

See the CSC Bulletin Board on the web site for Piccolo Bradley Parking and Hertz discounts. Show your Manchester Ski Club card.

MT. LAUREL JAY PEAK SKI TRIP

March 4 – 19 2007



Hotel Accomodations: (All rooms are non-smoking)

Double Occupancy (2 people per room)	\$475 per person
Single Occupancy (1 person per room)	\$650 per person
No Skiing	deduct \$105 per person
Nonmember	add \$35.00

Pricing includes:

- 5 _ days of skiing
- 5 nights lodging (ski in/ski out)
- 5 breakfasts
- 5 sit down, order from the menu dinners
- 5 2-hour ski lessons
- 1 wine and cheese party

Deposit: \$150 deposit per person due by 10/15/06

No refunds on deposit after December 15, 2006

Balance due: January 10, 2007 * No Refunds after February 10, 2007

Rooms are first come/first served – 25 rooms reserved

(Checks payable to Mt. Laurel Ski Club)

Mail or Give Checks and Registration Form to:

Dave England, PO Box 330614, W. Hartford, CT 06133-0614

For additional trip information contact either:

Dave England (Cell) 860-614-1348, or Jenny Ebner (Cell) 860-402-6232

(E-mail) jennyebner@sbcglobal.net

Jay Peak is the Colorado in the East

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**MT. LAUREL JAY PEAK SKI TRIP**

**March 5-10, 2006**

**REGISTRATION FORM**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone No. \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_

**Name of Roommate** \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Double - \$475 per person \_\_\_\_\_ Single - \$650 per person

\_\_\_\_\_ No Ski - deduct \$105 per person \_\_\_\_\_ add \$35 nonmember

For Senior Discount, Age 65 or over at time of trip, please check \_\_\_\_\_

MOUNT LAUREL JAY PEAK TRIP  
MARCH 4 -9-2007

AGENDA

**SUNDAY:**

**Check-in 4:00 p.m.**

**IMPORTANT:** Rooms will **NOT BE READY** before 4:00 p.m.; however there will be a room in which to change clothes if you wish to ski earlier. Sunday is a free \_ day skiing for our group. Ask for the Mount Laurel changing room, or Dave England's room)

**IMPORTANT:** You **MUST MAKE DINNER RESERVATIONS** for Sunday night when you check in.

Your lift tickets will be available at the Registration Desk whenever you get there, whether you can check in yet or not. Seniors, 65 and older who did purchase the ticket package need to buy them at the ticket window.

**EVERYDAY:** 9:45 OR 1:15 Ski lessons

4:00 Ski Lifts close

7:30 – 10:00 Buffet Breakfast

5:30 – 8:30 Dinner

**IMPORTANT:** You must make your dinner reservations at Breakfast

**SUNDAY**

**5:00 - 6:00 WINE AND CHEESE PARTY** in the Long Trail Lounge

**MONDAY**

**5:00 Mountain Welcome Party, International Room.**

Two drink vouchers included in your registration packet.

**TUESDAY:**

**4:15 SNOW CAT RIDES**

(they will continue until everyone who wants to ride gets a ride. Meet at the Moving Carpet)

**5:30 MTL Social Hour - Second Floor Lobby (Bring your own snacks and drinks)**

**WEDNESDAY:**

**7:30 - ? Dancing and Karaoke** to tunes spun by **Disk Jockey Sean Bakos** at the **GOLDEN EAGLE** (Those who attend will receive two drink vouchers.)

**THURSDAY:**

**5:00 Ski School Party – International Room** (This party is for **EVERYONE**, not just those who took lessons)

**6:30 and 7:30 MTL Group Dinner in Dining Room. (Reservations MUST be made for which time you prefer.)**

**FRIDAY:**

**11:00 CHECK OUT**

*The Resort Phone Number is: 800-451-4449*

**TIPPING**

Last year it was brought to our attention that very few were tipping the bartenders when they used their Drink Vouchers. Your fee for this trip includes tips in the dining room, but not for the bar or housekeeping or the ski instructors.

Therefore, we are suggesting the following minimum amounts:

\$1.00 per drink voucher

\$5.00 per day for instructor or

\$20 – 40 per week if you had the same instructor all week.

Instructors should be tipped at the end of the week (Thursday)

The Second Floor Lobby is an area where you are welcome to gather and socialize, and you may bring your own alcoholic beverages and food.

**Directions to Jay Peak:** (Hartford to Jay Peak: estimated 260 miles)

1. Merge onto I-91 North in Connecticut
  2. Merge onto US-5 North via Exit 26 in VERMONT towards ORLEANS/ IRASBURG
  3. Turn onto VT-14 NORTH 4.8 miles
  4. Go straight onto VT-100 South 5.7 miles
  5. Turn right onto VT-101 North and at next Right, onto 101 North 3.0 miles
  6. Turn Left onto VT-242
  7. Go 3.7miles PAST "JAY COUNTRY STORE" (which is on the Left.)
  8. Turn Right at JAY PEAK RESORT sign
  9. Go into "Resort Parking Lot" to "Jay Peak Resort Hotel"
- Ph: 802-988-2611