



# MANCHESTER SKI CLUB

## March, 2007

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*IT'S STILL WINTER! TIME TO USE UP YOUR  
TICKETS!!*

### April Membership Meeting

The MSC Annual meeting will be held on **MONDAY APRIL 9th**. The meeting will be held at the South Methodist Church in the main hall. This meeting will be the 2007 MSC Annual Meeting and will used to:

- 1.) Allow members to turn in unused tickets for return to the CSC (where applicable)
- 2.) Have the membership vote in a slate of officers and elected board members for the 2007-2008 season.
- 3.) Vote on the By-Law changes provided in this newsletter.

If you are unable to attend the annual meeting, please use the proxy voting form in this newsletter.

**The program for this meeting will be a special event. Conrad Banas a long-time member of the club from the 1950's and 1960's will provide Manchester Ski Club History program. Please attend to enjoy this unique program.**

**ALSO:** This is an excellent opportunity to introduce candidate members to our club! If you know of any persons or families who might be interested, please invite them to this meeting

**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!

**2007-2008 Work Job Sign-ups** – it's that time again to sign-up to help your club. The new sign-up sheet for next season will be available at the Annual Meeting in April for all to sign-up for their choice of work jobs. Remember our club is only as good as the volunteer effort our members provide.

**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](mailto: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 a 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.

**SAVE THE DATE – 2007 CSC Snow Ball – Windsor Marriott**

**Saturday, November 10, 2007**

**A Great Holiday Ball for all CSC Members**

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 contact Leigh Nelson if you are interested. This job will be much easier than the raffle we ran 3 years ago, especially if we have enough volunteers. The event is a large holiday ball event with live music dancing and a great time overall, with many raffle prizes from ski shops and other retail shops.

**Proxy Votes** – A membership vote may be accomplished by use of a written proxy vote if the member is not able to attend a club membership meeting. As a minimum the proxy vote will require the exact text of the item(s) being voted and names and signatures of the voting member, and the member who is delivering the proxy vote. The proxy vote must be presented in person by the delivering member, to the meeting where the vote is being taken. The voting member and the delivering member must both be in good standing with the Manchester Ski Club at the time of the vote. The vote will count as part of the quorum count for the meeting. The proxy form is provided by the Board of Directors and contained herein:

I \_\_\_\_\_ (print name) hereby assign my membership vote to

\_\_\_\_\_ (print name) for the following membership vote:

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**BY-LAW CHANGES:** Additional text is underlined.

### Article III

Section 1: All persons shall be eligible for membership who are in sympathy with the ideals of the Club and who wish to promote its objectives. However, the membership may be limited as recommended by the Board of Directors. In establishing a limit the Board of Directors shall be guided by the extent of the then current Club facilities and services, but the limit may in no case be less than the existing membership. Further, the limit shall not serve to exclude eighteen-year olds transferring from family to single status. - ***No change to this section.***

Section 2: The following types of memberships exist: Full Lodge Winter Use, Mid-Week Lodge Winter Use, Non-Lodge Winter Use, and Affiliate Memberships of either family or single class. All memberships except Affiliate Memberships have the same voting rights, one vote per membership, but may have different fees as defined by the Board of Directors.

A. Full Lodge Winter Use Membership provides the rights for use of the club lodge at any time, based on availability

B. Mid-Week Winter Lodge Use Membership restricts the use of the club lodge to Sunday through Thursday nights during the ski season from November 15th through April 15th, based on availability. All other rights are the same

C. Non-Lodge Winter Use Membership rights differ from Full Lodge Winter Use Memberships only in the lack of the right to use the club lodge during the ski season from November 15th through April 15th. All other rights are the same.

D. Family Membership - ***No Changes***

E. Single Membership - ***No Changes***

F. Senior Membership - ***No Changes***

G. Junior Membership - ***No Changes***

H. Affiliate Membership shall consist of members of another club who may join the Manchester Ski club if:

1.) The Manchester Ski Club Board of Directors votes to complete an affiliate membership agreement with the candidate affiliate club

2.) The candidate members meet the requirements of the By-Laws Article III Section 1.

In addition Affiliate Members shall also be classified as non-voting, Non-Lodge Winter Use members

## Race News:

Thank you to all who turned out for a great Blake Race day at Okemo. We had a lot of fun and the conditions could not have been better. We ranged in age from 6 to 82 and were well represented men and women. There were some surprises this year especially from some of our younger members, Gracie Shauster, Katie Raynor and Parker Ashton-Youngs. Please take a look at the listing for club champions and top ten as well as for your specific score. And congratulations to all our participants!

The club extends a big thank you to Preston Maynard, Paul Marchinetti and Don Eberhardt for all their help putting together the race and helping out during the race. We also send a special thanks to everyone who organized the Awards Ceremony and brought goodies for the party. A great time was had by all!

### MSC Blake Club Race March 10, 2007

	Name	Age		Real time	With handic
1	Gracie Shauster	6	F	37.21	37.21
2	Calvin Folmsbee	82	M	27.84	22.27
3	Doug Nelson	71	M	29.56	23.64
4	Joan Youngs	69	F	27.32	21.85
5	Pat Folmsbee	67	F	26.55	21.24
6	Don Eberhardt	65	M	46.13	38.74
7	Bill Celani	54	M	34.78	30.60
8	Karen Foley Schain	53	F	28.20	23.68
9	Maryann Orzolek	52	F	29.52	24.79
10	Joan Raynor	52	F	30.60	25.70
12	Jon Orzolek	56	M	23.23	20.44
13	Dennis Foley	54	M	29.45	25.91
14	Preston Maynard	53	M	25.36	22.31
15	John Germano	52	M	24.73	21.76
16	Win Raynor	54	M	31.21	27.46
17	Paul Marchinetti	52	M	30.43	27.99
18	Gary Sylvestre	50	M	25.94	23.68
37	Mark Reitsma	51	M	36.49	32.11
11	Debbie Celani	49	F	31.19	27.44
19	Lois Ann Sisson	46	F	31.87	28.00
20	John Hiller	48	M	26.34	24.22
21	Louis Gaedt	43	M	24.14	22.75
22	Matt Shauster	36	M	22.00	21.12
23	Erin Cuginello	23	F	30.24	30.24
24	Anna Foley-Schain	22	F	25.02	25.02
25	Brendon Foley-Schain	24	M	23.13	23.13
26	Kevin Stadmeier	24	M	22.60	22.60
27	Michael Germano	21	M	21.86	21.86
28	Sam Raynor	24	M	22.80	22.80
29	Katie Raynor	16	F	23.98	23.98
30	Jennifer Sylvestre	18	F	25.80	25.80
31	Julie Sylvestre	14	F	25.90	25.90
32	Louis Gaedt	14	M	24.83	24.83
33	Parker Ashton Youngs	15	M	22.84	22.84
34	Sean Orzolek	15	M	23.61	23.61
35	Jacob Allen	16	M	36.85	36.85

#### Club Champion

**Matt Shauster** 44.03  
**Katie Raynor** 48.51

#### Top Ten Adjusted

1 **Jon Orzolek** 20.44  
2 **Matthew Shauster** 21.12  
3 **Patricia Folmsbee** 21.24  
4 **John Germano** 21.76  
5 **Joan Youngs** 21.85  
6 **Michael Germano** 21.86  
7 **Sam Raynor** 22.08  
8 **Calvin Folmsbee** 22.27  
9 **Preston Maynard** 22.31  
10 **Kevin Stadmeier** 22.60

Snow boarder

## **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](tel:860-633-2312)/[argazza@cox.net](mailto:argazza@cox.net))

### *CSC News and Events:*

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

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#### ● **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.