

MANCHESTER SKI CLUB

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Presidents Message



Hello everyone,

Wow! What an October!

Who would have thought there would be genuine beach days in October. I'm not complaining as my flowers think its still July.

There is a lot going on, we have the CSC Snowball on the 18th of November. Already approximately 25 are signed up. Don't miss out.

The club holiday meeting is Dec 14th at the Manchester Elks and opening day on the mountain is?

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<i>Presidents Message</i>	1	We are meeting with a potential in-residence lodge manager candidate so stay tuned for more info.
<i>Snowball</i>	2	Regarding the Snowball, we have been tasked with running the raffle
<i>Important Events</i>	3	award process the night of the ball. Kim McLaughlin is the point lead on this and she is in need of volunteers to make this a success that
<i>CSC Awareness</i>	4	night. Come to the ball and share in the fun!
<i>Bronze Membership Form</i>	5	Please remember to promote the club and refer any potential new
<i>Reminders</i>	6	members to the membership chair. Our bronze membership application is now online and attached. Please share with anyone who may be interested.

See you in winter,,,,,

Jon H.

MSC President

CSC Snowball

Theme: “*Shake It Up*”

Date: Saturday, November 18, 2017

Location: Windsor Marriott Hotel

Band: “Eight to the Bar”

Time: 8:00 PM – Midnight

Current List of Raffle Prizes up for Grabs (subject to change as more come in!)

Grand Prize – Mount Snow – Season Pass

Some of the prizes that The Solicitation Team (New Britain Falcons & River Hills Ski Clubs) have obtained through their hard work include but are not limited to:

1. Eight hour Flex Passes to Mount Southington
2. K2 Happy Hour Snowboard
3. Volkl 3D Ridge Powder Boards
4. Overnight accommodations and breakfast for 2 at the Hartford/Windsor Marriott Hotel
5. Bolton Valley – Lift Tickets
6. Waterville Valley – Lift Tickets
7. Mad River Glen – Lift Tickets
8. Pedigree Ski Shop (White Plains NY) Deluxe Tuneups & Release checks
9. Osceola Tug Hill X-Country Center (Camden, NY) – Day Passes

Also, the following prizes have been obtained for the Ambassadors:

1. Pair of Skis or Snowboard to CSC Ambassador Winner
2. Season Pass to Mt. Southington Ski Area to CSC Ambassador Winner
3. 2 Day Lift Ticket to Okemo for On Snow Weekend (every Ambassador)

Contact Jon Hiller if you plan on attending(jhiller55@gmail.com). The club has an allotted number of tickets in advance, but you are also able to buy tickets at the door. The MSC has a hospitality room booked to allow for guests and friends from other clubs to take a break from the dancefloor. Bring food/appetizer to share and your own drinks of choice for the hospitality room.

This is the biggest CSC fundraiser of the year, is a great way to kick off the upcoming ski season, and is definitely something you won't want to miss!

Mark Your Calendar:

Warren Miller "line of descent" –Bushnell Theater Mortensen Hall Nov. 3rd 6:30 and 9:30 Pm

Get Tickets: <http://www.skinet.com/warrenmiller/events/the-bushnell>

OKEMO SKI SCHOOL SWAP Nov. 17-19th

Location: **Base Lodge**

Here's a great opportunity to purchase new and pre-owned ski and snowboard equipment, clothing and accessories at great prices! All proceeds benefit Okemo Mountain School. Sellers keep 75 percent of the selling price and OMS receives 25 percent.

DROP OFF GEAR AT THE SITTING BULL:

November 11, 12, and 15, 2017; 10 a.m.- 3 p.m. in the Sitting Bull.

SALE - CLOCK TOWER BASE LODGE:

November 17, 4pm to 7pm

November 18, 9am to 5pm

November 19, 9am to 1pm

Audi FIS Women's Ski World Cup - Killington, Vermont on November 25 and 26, 2017

Following the rousing success of its 2016 event, Killington has been chosen to host the races on Thanksgiving weekend through 2018. A free concert by Dispatch will follow the Race Saturday Afternoon, and Warren Millers Film will be presented that evening as well!

Cares and Shares Food Drive December 3rd Okemo

When skiers and snowboarders donate at least five non-perishable food items, a new child's toy, new clothing item, or \$20 cash they receive a coupon for a \$39 lift ticket good on this day.

Donations will be collected in the Clock Tower Base Plaza from 7am - 1pm.

*RFID lift access card required for redemption. If guest does not have a registered **Real.EasyCard**, one may be purchased for \$5.00 at time of redemption.

*****MSC Holiday Party December 14th Elks Lodge Bissel St Manchester CT 6:30 PM*****

Come celebrate a very special anniversary for our club with fellow members, by taking part in a fantastic dinner at our local Elks club, followed by a quick meeting, raffle prize drawings and more!

Okemo Demo Day Dec 16th

Time: **8:00 AM - 1:00 PM**

Location: Solitude **Base Area –Okemo Mountain Resort**

Test-drive the latest ski and snowboard equipment for free at the Solitude base area. Registration is scheduled from 8am to 1pm. A credit card imprint is required and snowboarders must provide their own bindings. Last demo goes out at 1pm.

2017-2018 CSC Monday Night Racing

Pizza kickoff/registration night on December 18, (There is no racing on Pizza and Registration night, Dec. 18), skip 2 weeks, than January 8, 15,22,29 and February 5, 12,19,26 = there will be NO makeup dates.

!!!!!!! PRELIMINARY !!!!!!!! CT SKI COUNCIL AWARENESS DAYS 2017-2018

Members MUST show valid CSC Club Membership card and can ONLY purchase one ticket for each CSC sticker on the membership card. Tickets are available at the listed pickup location ONLY and sales close at 1 PM.

John G Filakovsky jgfilakovsky19@gmail.com 203-372-6683 Revised: 10/22/17

Please extend every courtesy and a sincere thank you to the following ski areas and staff for their participation.

Date	Day	Place	Cost	Date	Day	Place	Cost	Date	Day	Place	Cost
11/24/17	Fri	Okemo*	\$43	1/13/18	Sat	BerkshireEast	\$45	2/24/18	Sat	Mt Snow	\$53
11/25/17	Sat	Okemo*	\$43	1/14/18	Sun	BerkshireEast	\$45	2/25/18	Sun	Stratton	\$48
11/26/17	Sun	Okemo*	\$43	1/15/18	MnMLK	Killington/Pico	\$52/42	2/26/18	Mon	Stratton	\$48
12/1/17	Fri	TBD	\$48	1/16/18	Tue	Killington	\$47	2/28/18	Wed	Mt Snow	\$42
12/2/17	Sat	TBD	\$48	1/17/18	Wed	Killington	\$47	3/1/18	Thur	Mt Snow	\$42
12/3/17	Sun	TBD	\$48	1/18/18	Thur	Killington/Pico	\$47/37	3/2/18	Fri	Okemo* ***	\$***
12/8/17	Fri	Killington	\$44	1/19/18	Fri	Killington/Pico	\$47/37	3/3/18	Sat	Okemo* ***	\$***
12/9/17	Sat	Killington	\$44	1/20/18	Sat	JayPeak/Burke	\$47	3/4/18	Sun	Okemo* ***	\$***
12/10/17	Sun	Okemo*	\$46	1/21/18	Sun	JayPeak/Burke	\$47	3/5/18	Mon	Killington/Pico	\$47/37
12/11/17	Mon	Okemo*	\$45	1/22/18	Mon	JayPeak/Burke	\$37	3/6/18	Tue	Killington	\$47
12/12/17	Tue	Okemo*	\$45	1/23/18	Tue	JayPeak/Burke	\$37	3/7/18	Wed	Killington	\$47
12/13/17	Wed	Mt Snow	\$37	1/24/18	Wed	JayPeak/Burke	\$37	3/8/18	Thur	Sunapee*	\$42
12/14/17	Thur	Mt Snow	\$37	1/25/18	Thur	JayPeak/Burke	\$37	3/9/18	Fri	Sunapee*	\$42
12/15/17	Fri	Mt Snow	\$37	1/26/18	Fri	Mt Snow	\$42	3/10/18	Sat	Mt Snow	\$50
12/16/17	Sat	Loon/Waterville	\$45	1/27/18	Sat	Mt Snow	\$53	3/11/18	Sun	Stratton	\$48
12/17/17	Sun	Loon/Waterville	\$45	1/28/18	Sun	Okemo*	\$53	3/12/18	Mon	Bolton Valley	\$30
12/18/17	Mon	Loon/Waterville	\$45	1/29/18	Mon	Okemo*	\$48	3/13/18	Tue	Bolton Valley	\$30
12/19/17	Tue	Loon/Waterville	\$45	1/30/18	Tue	BerkshireEast	\$24	3/14/18	Wed	Bolton Valley	\$30
12/20/17	Wed	Loon/Waterville	\$45	1/31/18	Wed	BerkshireEast	\$24	3/15/18	Thur	Bolton Valley	\$30
12/21/17	Thur	Sunapee*	\$42	2/1/18	Thur	Killington/Pico	\$47/37	3/16/18	Fri	TBD	\$48
12/22/17	Fri	Sunapee*	\$46	2/2/18	Fri	Killington/Pico	\$47/37	3/17/18	Sat	TBD	\$48
12/23/17	Sat	Berkshire East	\$39	2/3/18	Sat	Killington/Pico	\$52/42	3/18/18	Sun	TBD	\$48
12/24/17	Sun	Mt Snow	\$39	2/4/18	Sun	Okemo*	\$51	3/19/18	Mon	Okemo*	\$45
12/25/17	MonXM	Mt Snow	\$39	2/5/18	Mon	Loon/Waterville	\$45	3/20/18	Tue	WatervilleValley	\$44
12/26/17	Tue	Mt Snow	\$49	2/6/18	Tue	Loon/Waterville	\$45	3/21/18	Wed	WatervilleValley	\$44
12/27/17	Wed	Magic	\$49	2/7/18	Wed	Stowe*	\$48	3/22/18	Thur	Sunapee*	\$42
12/28/17	Thur	Magic	\$49	2/8/18	Thur	Stowe*	\$48	3/23/18	Fri	Sunapee*	\$42
12/29/17	Fri	Berkshire East	\$45	2/9/18	Fri	Stowe*	\$48	3/24/18	Sat	Mt Snow	\$43
12/30/17	Sat	Magic	\$49	2/10/18	Sat	Magic	\$45	3/25/18	Sun	Mt Snow	\$39
12/31/17	Sun NY	Magic	\$49	2/11/18	Sun	Magic	\$45	3/26/18	Mon	Mt Snow	\$39
1/1/18	Mon	Mt Snow	\$59	2/12/18	Mon	Mt Snow	\$42	3/27/18	Tue	Mt Snow	\$39
1/2/18	Tue	Mt Snow	\$42	2/13/18	Tue	Okemo*	\$48	3/29/18	Thur	Magic	\$25
1/3/18	Wed	Sunapee*	\$42	2/14/18	WedVD	Okemo*	\$48	3/30/18	Fri	Stratton	\$48
1/4/18	Thur	Sunapee*	\$42	2/15/18	Thur	Sunapee*	\$46	3/31/18	Sat	Stratton	\$48
1/5/18	Fri	Sugarbush*	\$52	2/16/18	Fri	Sunapee*	\$46	4/1/18	Sun	Stratton	\$48
1/6/18	Sat	Mt Snow	\$53	2/17/18	Sat	WatervilleValley	\$48	4/2/18	Mon	Mt Snow	\$39
1/7/18	Sun	Okemo*	\$53	2/18/18	Sun	WatervilleValley	\$48	4/6/18	Fri	Killington	\$45
1/8/18	Mon	Okemo*	\$48	2/19/18	Mon PD	WatervilleValley	\$48	4/7/18	Sat	Killington	\$45
1/9/18	Tue	Stratton	\$48	2/20/18	Tue	Mt Snow	\$49	4/8/18	Sun	Killington	\$45
1/10/18	Wed	Stratton	\$48	2/21/18	Wed	Mt Snow	\$49	* 1 time purchase \$5 RFID tag required			
1/11/18	Thur	Stratton	\$48	2/22/18	Thur	Mt Snow	\$49	*** Check www.skiclub.com for			
1/12/18	Fri	Mt Snow	\$42	2/23/18	Fri	Mt Snow	\$49	ON SNOW info and pricing			

Purchase Awareness days tickets at:	Killington: Any open ticket window	-
Berkshire East: Customer Service Desk	Magic: Base Lodge ticket office	Stratton: Any open ticket window
Bolton Valley: Base Guest Service Counter	Mt Snow: Any open ticket window	Sugarbush: Lincoln Peak or Mt Ellen windows
Burke: Any open ticket window	Okemo: Any open ticket window	Sunapee: Any Guest Service Desk
Jay Peak: Tram Base or Stateside Lodge	Pico: Tickets main office	Loon/ Waterville Valley: Any open ticket window

BRONZE Membership Application The Manchester Ski Club (MSC)

2017-2018

Send completed form to:

Jon Hiller

26 Pinelock Drive

Gales Ferry, CT 06335



renewal (stickers only)

Family Membership \$15

Individual \$10

Student \$5

NAME: _____ Membership \$5 \$10 \$15

ADDRESS: _____ # of Laminated Cards(*) _____ x \$1 ea. _____

CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP: _____ Total _____

Home Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

E-MAIL ADDRESS: _____

All personal information obtained by the MSC will be kept confidential. It will only be used for purposes related to the MSC. This personal information will not be shared with any other person or organization.

EVERY ADULT MEMBER (18 and older) MUST SIGN THE WAIVER OF LIABILITY. PARENTS MUST SIGN FOR THEIR CHILDREN UNDER THE AGE OF EIGHTEEN. SKI CLUB MEMBERSHIP WILL NOT BE ISSUED WITHOUT COMPLETING THE LIABILITY WAIVER FORM.

Print the names of children that parents are signing for. Other family members can be listed here. Additional waiver sheets not needed.

(*)Every Member must have a valid membership card to receive benefits.

Please specify A for adult or C for child after each name listed. Ex. John Smith - A or John Smith jr - C

Check box if a new or replacement membership card is needed. Otherwise only CSC stickers will be sent.

1. _____

5. _____

2. _____

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3. _____

7. _____

4. _____

8. _____

Liability Release, Indemnity Agreement and Code of Conduct

1.) I acknowledge that skiing and its' related activities are HAZARDOUS and can result in damage, injury and/or death. I have considered these facts and make a voluntary choice to participate in these activities despite the risks that are present. In consideration for being permitted to participate, I agree to ASSUME ANY AND ALL RISKS OF DAMAGE, INJURY AND/OR DEATH that might be associated with or result from my participation in these activities.

2.) In consideration of my participation in these activities sponsored by the **MSC**, I hereby RELEASE FROM LIABILITY AND AGREE TO INDEMNIFY AND HOLD HARMLESS AND TO FOREVER DISCHARGE the organizers and sponsors of these activities and the following parties:

The **MSC** Ski Club and it's Board of Directors (including it's affiliated organizations), their officers, agents and employees from any and all responsibility, liability, claims and demands whatsoever for any damage, loss, expense, delay, injury, sickness, accident, and/or death, whether caused by negligence, skiing conditions, weather or any other reason. This agreement applies to ALL activities that are in ANY WAY CONNECTED with any membership or participation in **MSC** activities.

3.) I have carefully read and understand this agreement and all of its terms. I understand that this agreement is a release of liability that will legally PREVENT me or any other person from filing suit or making any other legal claim arising out of or related to my membership or participation in **MSC** activities. I, nevertheless, enter into this agreement freely and voluntarily and agree that it is binding upon relatives, my heirs, administrators, executors, legal representatives and me.

4.) While it would be impossible to list all prohibited conduct, the following standards are reasonable and necessary for proper conduct for members and guests at any **MSC** activity. I acknowledge that the **MSC** will not tolerate the following actions and have the right to revoke my **MSC** membership if I do not comply with this code of conduct during **MSC** activities.

- a. Any act in violation of Federal, State, County or local, civil, or penal laws or statutes.
 - i. Any use or possession of narcotics or illegal drugs while attending an **MSC** activity
 - ii. Any act of providing alcoholic beverages to club members, family members, or guests under the legal drinking age in attendance at **MSC** activities.
 - iii. Any act that may create a dangerous situation, such as possessing a weapon at **MSC** activities or verbally, physically, or sexually assaulting another individual.
- b. Any act of dishonesty, theft, or misappropriation of the **MSC**, member or guest's property.
- c. Any issuance of a check to the **MSC** or its' agents, that is returned for insufficient funds that is not rectified within 30 days.
- d. Any use of the **MSC** name, logo, or reputation for personal gain.
- e. Any actions or behaviors that will in any way reflect poorly on the public image of the **MSC**.

Printed Name(s): _____

Signature(s): _____ Date: _____

Make Checks Payable to MSC

Check No. _____ Amount _____



MANCHESTER SKI CLUB

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Lodge Reminders:

For reservations email to manchesterskiclub@gmail.com or submit reservation from the website (please make sure your arrival date is checked correctly in the checkbox)

- Please remember to take home whatever you brought up with you – we have 160 lodge members and space is at a premium.
- Please insure that dishes and utensils are washed, dried and put away after use.
- *If you are feeling ill – do not come up and endanger the health of other members.*
- Please be respectful of the posted quiet hours.
- You can have two outstanding reservations at one time. It is suggested that you book one ahead for busy holidays and or race weekends.
- To allow for additional revenue and solidifying confirmations/reservations for guests, please make your reservations by *Tuesday of the upcoming weekend*. Members who make reservations after Tuesday 8:00 PM will not be able to bump guests who confirmed their reservations by the specified date and time. Also, reservations after Tuesday are first come first served for members and guests.

Please note that through the secured side of the website (where you need to log in with your ID and password) a calendar is available to show you who is staying at the lodge.

PLEASE CLOSE FIRE DOORS DURING SLEEPING HOURS