SCOL News

January

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Always a Great Time!!!

Hello SCOLers!!

I hope everyone had a safe and joyful holiday season. With the holidays behind us and Mother Nature is finally working that winter magic that we have hoped for. If you have been on the hills to this point it's pretty remarkable to have any ski conditions considering the weather we've had. Please make sure to thank your local snowmakers.

It's January and our SCOL activity schedule definitely ramps up. Make sure you are signed up for the upcoming events soon. Better yet come out to the January meeting on the 16th and sign up in person. With winter finally showing up we should expect some really good conditions and I hope to see many of you taking advantage of the events the Club has planned. Attendance at these events helps the club plan what to do in the next year.

I would like to thank everyone for taking the time to take the SCOL survey. We had a tremendous response with over 100 people completing the survey. The results show us most are happy with the general operation of the club. The board is always looking to improve on what has been done and really appreciates the comments that were included. The membership's voice is important to us and we hope you like the opportunity to participate. I will update you more on the results at the January meeting.

Don't forget in February we have nominations for our officers. Please consider running for one of these positions. New faces bring new ideas and new ideas promote progress. Any of our current officers will tell that we all feel good about giving something back to a great organization. We will appoint an election committee at the January meeting, if you are interested you can start a conversation with them or a board member.

Looking forward to seeing you at the upcoming events! Thank a snowmaker, cheers to the lifties and make sure to get out and take advantage of the snow. Please be safe and we'll ski ya later.

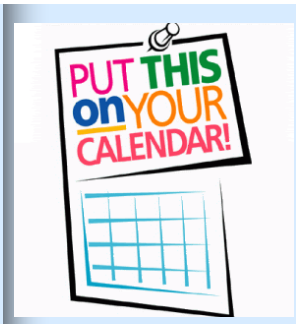
Let it SNOW!!!

Holiday Valley Cold Brews & Hot Balls (Wine & Cheese) Weekend

1/25/19 Contractors Day Holimont
Chair: Paul Fournier 716-628-0357

1/25/19 Happy Hour @ Balloons @ 6:00, see Roxanne, Keith Wallace or Derrick for wrist band for drink & appetizer specials

1/26/19 Cold Brews & Hot Balls—Chair: Anthony Lozzi 716-957-4896
All Day Lift Tickets $58 (pre-purchase required)
party 4:30 – 7:30 at Tannenbaum Lodge, upper level
Sign- up encouraged FREE to members
Non-members $10



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Check This Out

- Meetings : Doors open @ 7:30, meeting at 8:00
- Jan 16th
- Feb 20th
- Mar 20th
- April 17th
- April 27th Installation Dinner

Refer to the SCOL web site or the "Official Ski Club of Lockport" Facebook Page, for up to date information

DATE	EVENT	CHAIR
1/25/19	Contractor Day at Holimont—no price info yet	Paul Fournier
1/25/19	Happy Hour at Balloons	Keith Wallace
1/26/19	Wine and Cheese at Holiday Valley	Anthony Lozzi
2/3/19	Superbowl Sunday @ Kissing Bridge lift ticket advanced purchase needed	Steve Korn, Gary Gottlieb
2/7/19	Swain Day Trip	Linda O'Donnell
2/15/19	Bristol Mountain Day trip	Melissa Napoli, Rick Cameron
3/2/19	East Trip	Pam Fekete
3/16/19	Luck of the Irish Potluck	Sue Clark
3/26/19	West Trip	Rusty Fogle
TBD	Last Chair at Holiday Valley	TBD
4/27/19	Installation Dinner—Sean Patrick's	Joe and Melissa Kubis
TBD	SCOL Summer Picnic	Lin Pecoraro

Still looking for Chairs for 1 event above in RED. If you have an idea or want to run a trip contact a board member

SCOL LOCKPORT N.Y.
SKI Fever

Don't forget to get your SCOL merchandise just in time for Ski Season!!!

Go to the SkiClubofLockport.com
Click on: "Ski Club Merchandise Shop"
Shipping is included in the Price!!!

Great Turn-out for out December Meeting:) Big Thank You to Kevin & Leilani AKA SCOL photographer's!!!

Save the DATE!!!

2019 Installation Dinner

Saturday April 27, 2019

Sean Patrick's on Millersport

Doors Open at 6:00

Dinner at 6:30

Awards and Recognition at 7:30

Band— Mo Porter Band 8:00—11:00 pm

Price will include Dinner & 4 hours of open bar

Price TBD

Don't Miss it, Melissa & Joe throw a GREAT party!!!

"Volunteers are the backbone of SCOL"

SCOL Members of the Month

- Anyone check out that Awesome YouTube video **Rob Daeschler** put together for SCOL—I think we have our next News Letter editor… Hint Hint (available on Facebook)
- Thank you **Sue Clark** for volunteering to chair Pot Luck.
- Thank you **Lin Pecoraro** for volunteering to chair the Summer Picnic

The success of SCOL is dependent on our members stepping up, thanks to all of you!!!

Facebook

We know FB can be confusing (especially if you are over 50)

To add to the confusion there is more than one FB page distributing SCOL information.

Please be sure you are using the **OFFICIAL Ski CLUB of Lockport** Facebook page as this is **authorized and updated** by the club and trip coordinators will check and post updates here. Not a member yet of Official Ski Club of Lockport FB page,

Join:

> Log into FaceBook

>> Search for "**OFFICIAL Ski CLUB of Lockport"**

>>> Click Join

Bring your $$ & Sign-up

The January meeting is the last meeting prior to many of our day events.

All of these events require tickets to be purchased in advance, plus SCOL has minimums it needs to sell.

***Sign up now so you aren't left out in the COLD :)

Super Bowl Sunday February 3, 2019

Join us at KB on Super Bowl Sunday 2/3/19.

Two options for ski passes: 2:00 until 8:00 is $20.00 or an all day ticket is $45.00

SCOL will provide pizza, wings and Pepsi @ 4:00

Need to meet the Minimum 15 skiers!!! Pre-sign-up only

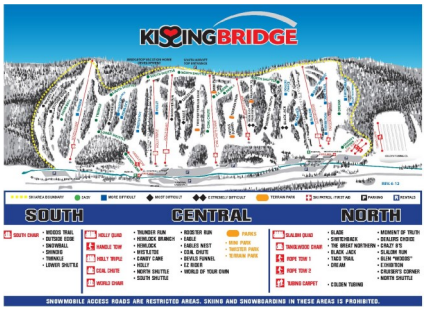
Chair: Steve Korn

payment accepted in cash, check or Venmo

Contact Info:

stevekorn52@gmail.com

Send checks to: 45 Wild-wood Lane , Orchard Park, NY 14127



Don't miss your Chance to WIN!!!

Don't forget your Super Bowel Square!!!

Joe Kubis is selling squares at the monthly meetings, last chance Wine & Cheese. **$20 a square**

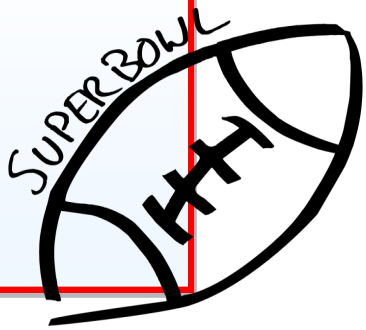
Payout:

***1st quarter– $125.00**

***Half–$250.00**

***3rd quarter–$125.00**

***Final–$500.00**



Bristol Mountain Day trip Friday February 15th

Chairs: Melissa Napoli (716-807-6373) & Rick Cameron

Group Rates:
Bus & Ticket price $72.50
Pre-purchase required
Sign-ups & payment due at January meeting

SCOL will be providing refreshment's on the bus!!!

Thursday, Feb. 7, 2019 Swain Mt.

18 people signed up, need 30 minimum, Contact Linda ASAP

Looking for someplace different to ski? Maybe you've never been to Swain Mt. Here's your chance to enjoy a fun day of skiing with SCOL friends at a different local resort and not have to drive your car. We will travel by bus with all the comforts and refreshments you need

Bus cost: $25…Pick up at Tops on Transit Rd at 7:00AM. The bus ride will take approximately 2 hrs. We need a minimum of 25 paid bus riders to cover the bus cost. Bus has a bathroom and ski storage. We can only take 32 people on the bus so don't delay. Sign up at the December meeting.

Lift tickets - $20 pp Group rate. We need a minimum of 15 paying skiers to get the group rate. As a bonus, Holiday Valley Season Pass holders ski for FREE. You must present your season pass with picture for your FREE lift ticket. 2 for 1 certificates will be accepted at weekday rates at the resort. ($49 or $39 Sr.) Thursdays Seniors ski all day for $29…will confirm the Sr. age limit and which rate is in play.

A light breakfast will be available on the bus….coffee, orange juice, breakfast pizza.
Lunch – on your own. There is a restaurant and bar in the lodge so we can meet after skiing before departing for some refreshments.

Depart Swain at 4:00PM. Traveling Happy Hour on the bus for the return trip to Lockport. Beer, wine, water, pop and snacks provided. We should get back to Lockport by 6:00PM.

Deadline for sign-up and payment: Thur. January 24. If you cannot attend the January General meeting and would like to join us please send your check (payable: SCOL to :

Linda O'Donnell – trip chair
57 Fordham Dr.
Buffalo, NY 14216
Cell: 716-754-0300….call me if you have any questions
Email: lindaod245@aol.com

IMPORTANT!! If you have to cancel after the deadline you will be responsible for your $25 bus cost unless you can find a replacement.

SKI YA AT SWAIN MT.
IT'S ALWAYS A GOOD TIME!

Nominations for Board are Coming…

Thinking about running for the Board
Know someone who wants to become a officer or board member
Nominations will be coming soon

WEEKdays! SKIdays!

play Hooky

Then at 4, we'll have some more.
A BYOB Happy Hour is
our way, to end the day.

with us!

Meet us in the morning,
ground floor HV- Yodler Lodge.
Bring a Lunch. There's usually a bunch.

Get listed with Linda O'Donnell,
lindaod245@aol.com ***or***
Peggy Schill, snowybuflo@roadrunner.com

Thank you to our December Door Prize Donations

Melissa Napoli- Mary Kay Representative 716-807-6373

Pam and Bill Fekete (SCOL wine bag with wine)

Are you a Business owner/representative? Want to get the word out and have support from your fellow members? SCOL is looking for door prize donations. It must be a $50.00 minimum value. You will be mentioned at the meeting, in a newsletter and we are working on a SCOL Business partner page on our website.

Please Contact Sergeant at Arms- Joe Kubis 716-725-2001

East Trip Updates:

- Final payments are due at January meeting
- Bring your check book

Saturday - MARCH 2 to Wednesday - MARCH 6

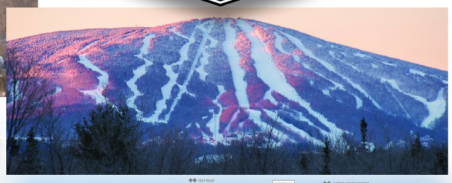
EAST TRIP

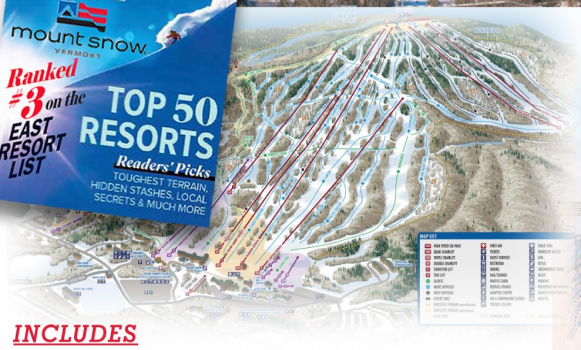
mount snow VERMONT

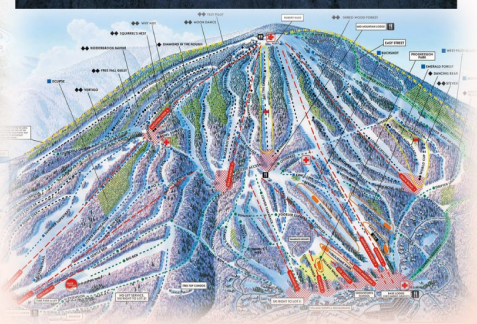
SCOL LOCKPORT N.Y.

STRATTON VT

$635 SCOL Member
$725 Non-Member
RETAIL VALUE **$1062**







INCLUDES

- **Roudtrip Motocoach Bus**
- **Beverages & Snacks** *on route each way*
- **4-Nights Stay** *at Big Bears Lodge in West Dover, Vermont*
- **Full Hot Breakfast** *each morning*
- **2-Day Lift Ticket** *at Mount Snow* **(Sunday & Monday)**
  FREE Shuttle to Mount Snow (runs every 20-30 mins. 10-15 min. ride)
- **1-Day Lift Ticket** *at Stratton* **(Tuesday)**
  Roundtrip SCOL Motorcoach Bus to Stratton (30 min. ride)
- **Mountain Tours** *at each Location*
- **Brewery Tour** *prior to Lodge check-in*
- *Sunday Night* **Pizza Party**
- *Tuesday Night* **SCOL Dinner**

2019

PAYMENT PLAN

$150 *non-refundable* **Deposit**
due at Sept/Oct Meeting Sign-Up
$250 due at Nov/Dec Meeting
$235 *FINAL* **due at Jan Meeting**

Rooming will be arranged unless you are mutually signing up together

Trip Chairman: **PAM FEKETE** - 628-9896 - pamgun@hotmail.com

West Trip Update:

* Final Payment due at January meeting
* If you are unable to make the meeting please contact Rusty or Linda at 716 628-6545 or 716 628-6550