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2013 LexSki Membership Meeting Calendar

Meetings of the membership are held on the 3rd Tuesday of the month at First Parish Church, Lexington (by the Green) at 7:30 p.m. in Parker Hall (rear entrance, lower level) unless otherwise noted.

The first family listed is responsible for bringing the coffee, tea, dessert, etc., and also for reminding the other families listed of their host and hostess duties. Host families are responsible for set-up before and clean-up after each meeting. The supply bins are passed along to hosts at each meeting. **If you can't serve, get a sub – in advance.**

January 15, 2013, 7:30 PM: Yasaitis, Yee, Alspaugh

February: No meeting

March 19, 2013, 7:30 PM: Bogosian, Brandenburg, Brewer; **Annual Meeting**

April 10, 2013, 7:00 PM: Burnell, Butler, Chan; **Wine Tasting**

President's Report

Winter is here, the ski areas are having a great start on the season, and the club is busy. We had a strong turnout over the holiday vacation week, and even the cross-country skiing was excellent. Not bad for late December!

The club appears to be in good shape, and the new kitchen team of Chip and Mary is working well. Chip's new baked chicken recipe last week was excellent, and Mary is a real dynamo in the kitchen. Chip also suggested identifying leftover food for use by mid-weekers, as it will otherwise be thrown out. For now, he is putting a note on the kitchen refrigerator door to identify leftovers and will talk with Kathi about how best to handle this.

As mentioned in the last Yodeler, the general meeting start time has been changed to 7:30 PM starting with our next meeting on January 15. I look forward to seeing you all there, and at the club.

John Yasaitis

Membership Report

Please welcome Michael Sciaretta and Christian Stone as new Derivative Members.

The Kilbridge Family has decided to stop their Membership Application. They are unable to make it to the club with their busy schedules but hope to revisit applying to the club at a later date.

Prospective Families:

- Julie and Patrick McVeigh with their children Finn, 7 and Gus, 3 are sponsored by the Butlers and the Turner Rossis.
- Deborah and Mike Sabin with their children Zachary, 18, Matthew, 14, and Elena, 9 are sponsored by the Chans and the Sciarettas.
- Stephen and Virginia Alfano with their daughter Emily, 17 are sponsored by Peter Forte and the Stones. They also have a daughter Justina, 22.

Donna and Barry Griffiths will be inactive for this year and will reactivate next year. Their son Ben was biking home from work just before Christmas and was hit by a car. He will be living with his parents while he recovers and his leg and arm heal...probably through late spring.

Thank you,
Shari Marquis and Membership Committee

Lodge Report

Hey Lexskiers, I hope your 2013 is filled with snow and happiness.

Attic Lockers: The Lodge Committee will review the available space and the locker arrangements upstairs. A survey was conducted during one of the WWs. Any new member looking for locker space should send me an e-mail.

Recycling: We are looking to improve recycling at the Lodge. Returnable beer bottles are collected in the bar and then transferred to the plastic barrel outside the kitchen exit door. A "friend" picks them up and redeems them. Any ideas? Should we try "carry in and carry out" ?

Snow Removal: Hosts should ensure that assets (teens or tweens through their parents) be employed to remove snow from the outside stairways (side and back). A path has to be cleared between Paradise Road and the oil fill inlet outside the bar on the east side to permit delivery of heating oil.

Caulking: We experienced a leak from the shower in Room 4 to the living room over the holidays. We now know (this from Jim Stone) that silicone does not adhere well to plastic. Acrylic caulking is much better. The leak has been repaired, and we will inspect and correct during the season and in the summer.

Keep holding your collective breath; the ping pong table is coming.

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Treasurer's Report

As of December 31, 2012:

TD BankNorth Accounts:

Checking: \$ 12,696

Savings: \$ 50,211

Total \$ 62,908