MAIN LINE SKI CLUB SKI TRACKS

Visit our website www.mainlineskiclub.com for current information & trip forms

Next Membership Meeting: Feb 11 @ the bar Next: Feb 22 Membership Cards are available 24/7



Main Line Ski Club

A Message from our President

Hi all. I know a few of you have been skiing already, others are still planning. So far so good with snow. Many of you are on the Ski on Weekdays, SOW, contact list that Fletcher maintains. Give it a shot! His letter is below if you missed the notice.

Our 2020 ski trips are getting close. Cross country and downhill at Waterville Valley is nearly sold out, recall it's Linda LaChapelle for a late signup.

Fletcher Swanson has room for one more on the Steamboat trip. Call soon. Both trip leaders have sufficient funds for nightly special events.

If you're not a skier, I hope you are part of Sunday tennis, or that you are making our other social events. Contact Sue Lior about our annual Hilton Head Trip in May. I understand we ran out of time to run a Superbowl party; however, our April Progressive Dinner and May Kentucky Derby events are in the works!

Membership meetings resume in the bar in February, also March and April. I look forward to seeing many of you.

Our website Event Calendar includes the above and several other planned activities. If you have ideas for new events contact the Activities Planning Committee with your suggestions: shilderbrand2@verizon.net.

Finally, the club continues to look for members who would like to lead. We currently have a vacancy to represents us at the Eastern Pennsylvania Ski Council and Communications.

See you soon.
Ralph von dem Hagen, President



(visit these events on our website for further details & to RSVP)

1/29	Happy	/ Hour	333	Belrose

- 2/7 Elk Mountain Day Trip
- 2/11 MLSC Membership Meeting @ The Bar
- 2/14 Happy Hour at Glenmorgan Grill
- 2/22 MLSC Wine n' Dine
- 2/26 Happy Hour 333 Belrose
- 3/6 Elk Mountain Day Trip
- 3/8 MLSC Winter Walk & Cookies
- 3/13 Happy Hour Glenmorgan Grill
- 3/15 MLSC Bike Ride
- 3/25 Happy Hour 333 Belrose
- 3/28 MLSC Wine n' Dine

MLSC Sunday Afternoon Tennis played weekly!

2020 Trips

2/22 to 2/29 MLSC Trip to Steamboat

2/9 to 2/13 MLSC Trip to Waterville Valley, NH

3/15 PSC & MLSC Sail the Mississippi from Memphis to New Orleans

5/2 - 5/9 MLSC Hilton Head Tennis & Spring Trip



Reminder: Your Membership Card is available 24/7. Sign in with your unique member ID to view or download.

Click 'Member Login' at top right of your home screen.



Log in using your unique member credentials





Click the arrow next to your name, then select 'PROFILE' in the down down menu

Member Profile Membership Summary Type: Member Status: Active Status: Active Exp. Date: 9/30/2020 Exp. Date: 9/30/2020 Download Membership Card Download Membership Card

When you reach your Member Profile, Click the 'Download Membership Card' link to generate your card.

Enjoy your Member Discounts & Benefits!



Hello MLSC Skiers.

Many of us are able to ski the Poconos on weekdays and would love to have another person to share the day with. So we are resurrecting SOW or Ski on Weekdays. Here is how it works: Send your name and email address to Fletcher Swanson at hfswanson@gmail.com. He will add your email address to an email distribution list. When the list is complete he will send out a blast to all the names on the list.

Save that email! When you are planning a ski trip to the Poconos, recall this new email (referenced above), change the subject line, add your message to the body of the email and Reply to All.

Everyone on the list will get your message and will be able to see if their plans allow them to join you. If so, they will respond to you directly to make arrangement to meet you on the mountain or even perhaps to carpool.

This is a simple way to communicate with all the MLSC members who are interested in skiing the Poconos on weekdays.

Let's have some fun out there!

Fletcher Swanson 484-467-2718 hfswanson@gmail.com





Ticket Voucher Store NOW ONLINE

Tickets are now available for purchase to EPSC members! Instructions for purchase are detailed below. Please read carefully as there are changes from previous years.

Plan Ahead

For the 2019-20 Season, we will be processing orders in monthly batches. Unlike past years, EPSC will not be keeping an inventory of tickets. **This means you must plan ahead** Vouchers will be ordered as needed following the schedule outlined here.

Ord	ers	Rece	ived	By:
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12/31/2019 1/31/2020 2/28/2020

Estimated Mailing Date:

1/7/2020 2/7/2020 3/7/2020

A small inventory of tickets is on hand. If we have your tickets at the time of your order, we will ship your order as soon as possible. Otherwise, all orders will ship on the estimated mailing dates listed above.

Website Account

In order to access the Voucher Store, you will need to log into your website account. If you don not have a website account, **create one here**. Accounts will be approved upon membership verification.

If your account is not approved, it is likely your club has not submitted their roster. Pass this message along to your club representative or membership chair to visit the **Roster Submission Guidelines**. Any club who does not submit a roster will not be able to purchase vouchers. This process is in place to ensure only EPSC club members are able to make purchases.

Voucher Store

- Go to https://easternpaskicouncil.org/wp/lift-tickets/voucher-program/
- · Log In to your Account
- Click on the "EPSC Vouchers" Logo
- · Browse the store & make selections
- Be sure to review the Terms & Conditions prior to completing an order

.Main Line Ski Club's 2020 Hilton Head Tennis Week

It is time to plan for tennis camp and spring vacation in Hilton Head! This year the overall program is May 2-9, 2020. The program will provide a great mix of tennis instruction, social events and free time to play tennis, sun or explore on your own.

The tennis program will again be at the South Beach Racquet Club (SBRC) in the Sea Pines Plantation, a TENNIS Magazine Top-50 Resort. Gavin Cox, head coach, with his outstanding staff of national tennis professionals, will conduct 3-hour morning clinics focusing on stroke instruction and drills, doubles strategy, and match-play evaluation. Participants have free access to South Beach's Har Tru tennis courts during their free time. Gavin hosts a lunch and round robin competition at the completion of the lessons, complete with prizes for top men's and woman's players.

As repeat members know, Hilton Head Island is a vacation paradise with long beaches, golf courses, bike paths, loads of restaurants, and lots of shopping. We are staying at South Beach condos within walking distance of the SBRC's courts. Some participants arrange their own housing and some don't play tennis but enjoy the group fun. The cost for all options follows.

Housing

Condos are available from Saturday (3PM) to Saturday (12 PM). Housing reservations are based on double occupancy unless a single supplement is added. Each condo has a master bedroom and one or more additional bedrooms. All masters have an en-suite bathroom and a private deck. Non master bedrooms may or may not have an en-suite bathroom. Most condos do not exceed two people per bathroom, but never more than three. The organizer matches solos with a same-sex roommate – no single supplement is charged if a roommate is not available. Housing is not mandatory to participate in tennis

Tennis

The tennis program will be held Monday through Friday, May 4th thru May 8th and is suitable for all levels of players, except for beginners (first time players.) The program focuses on stroke instruction and drills, doubles strategy, and match-play evaluation. Pro to student ratio is one pro to four to six players. Tennis pros rotate so that players can learn from the styles and techniques of each. All instructions are held on HarTru courts, which are easy on the knees and legs. Free tennis is available after the tennis program until sunset. If that isn't enough tennis, private lessons can be arranged at extra cost.

Social Program

Besides tennis several group activities are planned to get to know one another and to experience Hilton Head and the surrounding area. Besides the Sunday Welcome Party and Friday Tennis Luncheon, group activities in the past have included Sunset Sails, Kayaking, Walking Tours, and mid-week dinners. Events this year will be planned based upon input from participants.

Cost Options

Tennis Option	Non-Master Bedroom	Master Bedroom	No Housing
Housing w/ Tennis	\$615	\$675	
Housing w/out Tennis	\$350	\$400	
Single Supplement	\$270	\$330	
Tennis w/out Housing			\$375
Social Only			\$75

Cost does not include transportation and participants must make their own travel arrangement. Critical dates for payments:

- Deposit of \$150.00 per person with application by Dec 31st. This deposit is non-refundable.
- Full amount is due by March 31st. The full amount can be paid at any time.
- · Please make checks payable to Main Line Ski Club
- Signup form/check mailed to: Sue Lior, 2433 Lombard St., Philadelphia, PA 19146

Questions? Email Sue Lior at LiorSoln@gmail.com or call at 267-738-8160



Wilmington Ski Club invites MLSC Members Elk Mountain Day Trips



Friday, February 7

Friday, March 6 (Party Trip)

Sign - Up Forms & Contacts available directly on Wilmington Ski Club Website

Click Here for Sign-up Form

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 7

Members Wilmington Ski Club, Main Line Ski and Social Club, and EPSC: \$98

Non-Members: \$108 (\$10 credit towards membership if you join)

Leader: Suzanne Mitten Co-Leader: Mike Berninger

For February 7 trip: Make Check payable to: Wilmington Ski Club and mail check and completed sign-up form to: Suzanne Mitten

1306 Healy Court Bear, DE 19701

FRIDAY, MARCH 6 (PARTY TRIP)

Members Wilmington Ski Club, Main Line Ski and Social Club, and EPSC: \$80

Non-Members: \$90 (\$10 credit towards membership if you join)

Leader: Ted Patten Co-Leader: Mike Berninger

Note: Our Party Trip is a thank you to the Elk Trip Skiers for joining our previous trips. Trip includes same as previous day trips PLUS LUNCH. Thank you for participating in our day trips and making this celebration possible.

For March 6 trip: Make Check payable to: Wilmington Ski Club and mail check and completed sign-up form to: Ted Patten

56 Welsh Tract Rd., Unit 206 Newark, DE 19713

Departure:

6:00 a.m. from Brandywine Town. The DE Park and Ride is the far parking lot opposite Lowe's, Regal Cinemas, and Johnny Janosik Furniture on Brandywine Parkway. Closest intersection is Rt 202 (Concord Pike) and Rt 92 (Naamans Road), Wilmington, DE.

Loading bus at 5:45am or sooner.

Note: The bus will not wait for late attendees!!!

6:30-6:45 a.m. PA Stop and Go Pickup at the I-476/76 Interchange. Exit 16 Conshohocken (PA 23) Park-n-Ride 900 Matsonford Rd. West Conshohocken, PA. Please notify leader if using this pick-up. Note: The bus will not wait for late attendees!!!

Returning: Approximately 3 hours after Elk Mountain departure at 5:00 p.m.

Trip includes: lift ticket, DE Express transportation, bus driver tip, subs, chips, snacks, water and soft drinks; free Wi-Fi on bus, electrical outlets at seats; Happy Hour at 4:00pm with beer and wine.

Note: Party Trip is a pah-t!!! Trip includes lunch.

Lesson, Rental Costs:

- \$55 First-time Skier Package (includes Beginner's lift ticket, rentals and lesson)
- \$62 First-time Boarder Package (includes Beginner's lift ticket, rentals and lesson)
- \$22 Group lesson
- \$26 Ski rentals
- \$32 Snowboard rentals
- \$7 Helmet rental (Highly Recommended);
 Note: Helmet costs are not included in First-time packages.