

# NWSCC NEWSLETTER JUNE 2005

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## JUNE 15 MEETING LOCATION: SYLVIA'S - FREE PIZZA AND BEVERAGES!!!

SYLVIA'S RESTAURANT, 5115 NE SANDY BOULEVARD, PORTLAND, 503-288-6828; OUR ROOM IS ON THE LEFT THROUGH THE LOUNGE - FREE PARKING IN REAR

PLEASE NOTE THAT ALL MONTHLY MEETINGS ARE "OPEN," AND PARTICIPATION BY CLUB MEMBERS IS ENCOURAGED!

#### **NWSCC ELECTIONS!!!**

NWSCC is taking names of people who want to run for office in this great organization we have. Elections will be held at the June 15 NWSCC meeting, and we encourage all clubs to have their representatives available at the meeting to VOTE! Nominations will be accepted for President, Vice President. Secretary, and Treasurer, as well as two Board of Directors positions. The Board positions are "open" and people don't run for a specific director position. Following the election the President, with the assistance of the elected Board members, will assign duties to the elected directors and appoint persons to the remaining director positions. The nominations committee includes Steve Coxen (who will not be running for President again), Barbara Parshall, Diane Hicks, and Shawn Storey. Nominations will also be taken from the floor on June 15.

#### **DIRECTORY COVER CONTEST - PICTURES WANTED!**

We're starting to plan next year's Northwest Skiers' Directory, and are now accepting submissions for the annual cover contest sponsored by Mt. Hood Meadows, and for pictures for the interior of the Directory. The winner of the cover contest receives a 10-time punch pass for Mt. Hood Meadows, valued at \$325! Digital pictures may be e-mailed to Leslie Baird, our graphic designer, at <a href="leslie@egr.up.edu">leslie@egr.up.edu</a>. Pictures for the cover contest should be in vertical format that Leslie can crop to 4"x9", and should be as high resolution as possible (the more pixels, the better!). Please be sure to provide your name, address, and telephone number so Leslie

can get in touch with you with any questions. Credit will be given to the photographer for all pictures used in the interior of the Directory, but no monetary compensation is paid. Photos of skiing or snowboarding, of club activities, or anything related to the mountains will be considered.

Don't have a digital camera yet? Arrangements can be made with Leslie to mail her photographs which she will scan; call her at 503-245-4368.

#### SKI SHOWS!!!

Mark your calendar now for the **Portland Ski Show November 4-6, 2005**, and the **Seattle Snow Sports Expo November 11-13, 2005**!! As usual, NWSCC will have free booth space available for your club promotion, and will have the Northwest Skiers' Directory available with all the member clubs' listings. Club volunteers needed!!

The Man and Woman of the Year Committee (Sylvia Kearns, John Reinhardt, and Emilio Trampuz) is pleased to announce that this year's **NWSCC Man of the Year** is **Steve Coxen** and our **Woman of the Year** is **Debbi Kor-Lew**.

**CLUB PRESIDENTS' NIGHT** is being resurrected this year-mark your calendars for **September 21**, **2005** for a fun and social event at McMenamin's Kennedy School!

**SKI FAIR** will be held **November 9, 2005**, at the Monarch in Clackamas, Oregon. Mark your calendars now and start getting ready to decorate a booth for your club, to obtain super discounts from local ski areas on passes, to buy a ski helmet at unbelievable prices, and to bid on outrageous trips at bargain prices! Watch for further details.

#### **MEMBER BENEFITS AND DISCOUNTS:**

Keep in mind that ALL NWSCC members (Oregon and Washington) have access to **SPECIAL FLEET PRICING at Carr Auto Group!!** Click onto the link on the NWSCC website and go to the Carr fleet website (<a href="www.carrautofleet.com">www.carrautofleet.com</a>), where you will access a drop-down menu to select NWSCC pricing. The login is "skiclub" and the password is "downhill."

Look at the NWSCC website at <u>www.nwskiers.org</u> to see an updated list of member benefits and discounts, and check out

the FWSA website at <a href="www.fwsa.org">www.fwsa.org</a> under Membership to see the current discounts across the western United States and Canada.

NWSCC members can also obtain benefits through the National Ski Council Federation. A current list of NSCF benefits can be found at <a href="https://www.skifederation.org">www.skifederation.org</a> in the Members Only section. The user name is <a href="https://www.skigederation.org">skigroup</a> and the password is <a href="https://www.skigederation.org">24councils</a>.

## SKI CLUB TRIPS / EVENTS OPEN TO ALL MEMBERS OF NWSCC AND FWSA CLUBS:

Mark your calendar NOW for this summer's annual **CLUBS 4-PLAY GOLF TOURNAMENT**, to be held July 24, 2005, at the Oregon City Golf Course at Lone Oak (Beavercreek Road). Price is only \$49 for tournament, food and prizes. Cart not included. Contact Marilyn Sigler at <a href="marski@teleport.com">marski@teleport.com</a> or phone 360-883-6937 for further information or to volunteer to assist with this fun event! See flier in this newsletter.

The year 2005 is **Skiyente Ski Club's 50th Anniversary**, and they plan to celebrate for one full year, starting July 1, 2005! In January 2006 a special après ski event will be held at the Mt. Hood Museum in Government Camp which will be open to the public. Watch for further details.

Skiyente is also planning a **FAMILY BUS TRIP TO BIG WHITE**, **February 22-26**, **2006** which will be open to all NWSCC clubs. The bus, 4 nights' lodging, 3 days of skiing, a pizza party and an ending party, will be offered for prices ranging from \$480 pp for adults to \$160 pp for small children (in the same room as the parents). This is a cheap way to get your kids on a real ski trip! Deposits of \$20 per person or \$100 per family will hold your spot. Contact Sheri Parshall at 503-245-3782 or <a href="mailto:cougskier@aol.com">cougskier@aol.com</a> to sign up or for further details.

#### **PACRAT RACING:**

The final results of PACRAT for the year are published on their website: <a href="https://www.pacrats.org">www.pacrats.org</a>. NOTE THAT SOON THE TELEPHONE ANSWERING SERVICE WILL BE DISCONTINUED. Tentative dates for next year (subject to ski area approval) are: January 8 and 29; March 5 and 19, makeup race on March 26 (if needed); final race April 2, and Rat Attack April 7 or 14. There were no races planned for February because of conflicts with FWSA, NWSCC, and member club trips that are already set. Contact Jack Folliard (<a href="mailto:ifolliard@comcast.net">ifolliard@comcast.net</a>) or 503-975-4488 (cell) for information.

#### **NWSCC TRAVEL:**

Please contact our new Director of Travel, Debbi Kor, at <a href="mailto:ijustwannarun@aol.com">ijustwannarun@aol.com</a> or 503-682-1563, regarding where your club plans to or would like to travel next year; perhaps we can assist you in getting more than one club together for group discounts, etc.

#### 2005-06 NWSCC SKI TRIPS

The following NWSCC ski trips are tentatively scheduled for next ski season.

Breckenridge and Keystone Dec. 7-12, 2005
Telluride (FWSA Ski Week) Feb. 4-11, 2006
Mt. Bachelor Mar. 17-19, 2006
Whistler/Blackcomb (w/Sno Joke) April 7-9, 2006

The Breckenridge/Keystone trip has been changed to December 7-12, 2005, to coordinate with a National Race Clinic for Councils and Clubs, which will include lessons and races. This doesn't mean you HAVE to race - but if you want some high caliber early season training it's just another reason to come on this trip! The price is \$750 for airfare from Portland, transfers, 5 nights' lodging, 3 days of skiing (additional days available at \$31), and some parties. The San Diego Ski Council and possibly the Arizona Ski Council will be joining us on this trip. See flier in this newsletter.

#### **FAR WEST SKI ASSOCIATION /TRAVEL:**

THE COUNCILMAN NEWSLETTER is available online at <a href="https://www.FWSA.org">www.FWSA.org</a>.

The FWSA Ski Week 2006 will be held in Telluride, Colorado, February 4-11, 2006. Cost estimated at \$895 plus airfare. Limited to 44 spots. A \$100 deposit will hold a spot for you. Contact Debbi Kor at 503-682-1563 or <a href="mailto:ijustwannarun@aol.com">ijustwannarun@aol.com</a> - this trip will sell out fast! See flier in this newsletter.

Hawaii Cruise, October 9-16, 2005, AVAILABLE!!! 7 days and 4 islands. 1 comp per 16 people! Contact Montrose Travel at 800-301-9673 or groups@montrosetravel.com.

#### **FWSA INTERNATIONAL TRIPS**

For information on all FWSA International trips go to www.FWSA.org or contact Tucker Hoffmann, FWSA VP International Travel by email <a href="mailto:TravelFWSA@aol.com">TravelFWSA@aol.com</a> or phone 510-278-5900.

### FWSA 2006 EUROPEAN SKI WEEK - ZERMATT

March 11-18, 2006. Cost will be \$2,195-2,250 including airfare. Optional extensions, pre-trip to Davos and post-trip Nile River cruise. Few spots remaining. We recommend that you send your \$200 deposit now. Contact Tucker Hoffmann, <a href="mailto:TravelFWSA@aol.com">TravelFWSA@aol.com</a> or 510-278-5900. See flier.

#### NORTHWEST SNOWSPORTS ADVOCATES NEWS:

For more information on how you can help support our Northwest ski areas with their expansion plans, go to our website at <a href="www.nwskiers.org">www.nwskiers.org</a> or contact Steve Coxen at 503-679-9022 or email at <a href="mailto:sacoxen@aol.com">sacoxen@aol.com</a>.

#### NWSCC OFFICERS and COMMITTEES 2004 - 2005

(503) 679-9022 (Cell) sacoxen@aol.com President Steve Coxen John Reinhardt Vice President (503) 590-6901 (H) (360) 260-7169 (H) Secretary Sylvia Kearns (503) 679-6425 (Cell) (503) 412-3531 (W) Linda Coxen Treasurer Director, Communications Linda McGavin Director, Membership (& Web Site Coordinator) (360) 892-1814 (H) Mary Olhausen Director, Racing (PACRAT Chair) Jack Folliard (503) 975-4488 (Cell) (503) 682-1563 Director, Travel Debbi Kor Past President Sheri Parshall (503) 245-3782 (H) Commercial Membership Program/Advertising Barb Parshall (503) 267-9522 (Cell) PACRAT WORLD HEADQUARTERS

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PLATINUM MEMBERS:

Mt. Bachelor Ski Area, Bend, OR GI Joe's, OR & WA

**GOLD MEMBERS:** 

Mt. Hood Meadows Ski Area, OR Barbara Parshall, RE/MAX Equity Group Sun Valley Ski Area, ID

SILVER MEMBERS:

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BC Ski Country, Canada
Apex Ski Area, BC, Canada
Big White Ski Area, BC, Canada
Silver Star Mountain, BC, Canada
Sun Peaks Ski Area, BC, Canada
Inn of the Seventh Mountain, Bend, OR
Resorts of the Canadian Rockies
Fernie Ski Area, BC, Canada
Kimberley Alpine Resort, BC, Canada
Ski Big 3 (Banff, Lake Louise, Sunshine, Fairmont)
Ski Chalet, Portland, OR
Timberline Ski Area, OR

ung mountain Resort, M1
Grouse Mountain Lodge, Whitefish, MT
Mission Ridge Ski Area, WA
Pacific Northwest Ski Areas Association
Prudential Financial, Tracy Chosa
Silver Mountain, ID

2004-2005 NWSCC COMMERCIAL MEMBERS:
BRONZE MEMBERS:
Anthony Lakes Ski Area/Geiser Grand Hotel, OR
Aspen/Snowmass, CO
Big Sky Resort, MT
Brundage Mountain, ID
Carr Subaru (Fleet Pricing to NWSCC Members!)
Collins Lake Resort, Government Camp, OR
Cooper Spur Mountain Resort, OR
Hillcrest Ski & Sports, Portland, OR
Huckleberry Inn, Gov't Camp, OR
Jackson Hole Mountain Resort, WY
Journal Graphics, Portland, OR (Directory printer!)
The Mountain Shop, Portland, OR
Mt. Hood Ski Bowl, OR
The Resort at the Mountain, Welches, OR
Schweitzer Mountain Resort, ID
Ski Pak/Pacific NW Tours (Travel Agency, WA)
Stevens Pass Ski Area, WA
Vail Resorts, CO / Heavenly Ski Area, CA/NV
Whistler/Blackcomb, BC, Canada PLEASE PATRONIZE AND SUPPORT THESE **COMMERCIAL MEMBERS** AND LET THEM KNOW YOU'RE WITH NWSCC!!

#### **NWSCC MEMBER CLUBS - NWSCC REPRESENTATIVES**

Please check **www.nwskiers.org** or the NWSCC's Northwest Skiers' Directory for a complete list of member clubs as well as contacts and their phone numbers and/or email addresses. Or, you may contact any of the board members listed above.

WWW.NWSKIERS.ORG - E-Groups:

**E-Letter**: General list subscription. This is not a chat room, and does not allow replies. Subscribers receive messages regarding announcements from NWSCC, FWSA, and commercial members.

E-Reps is for NWSCC club reps to receive timely announcements to relay to their club membership. E-PACRATs is for PACRAT announcements.

NWskiers-Advocates is for updates on development plans at Northwest Ski resorts.

Have an event open to all NWSCC members or the public? Post it on www.nwskiers.org, Event Calendar, and then Add An Event. Types of events listed in the calendar include club sponsored events open to NWSCC members and/or the public, NWSCC events, FWSA events, and announcements from ski/snowboard related non-profit groups and vendors

**NORTHWEST SKI CLUB COUNCIL** 

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#### **NEXT MEETING:**

Wednesday, June 15, 2005 7:00 PM - COME EARLY TO SOCALIZE FREE PIZZA and ELECTIONS

SYLVIA'S RESTAURANT 5115 N.E. Sandy Boulevard, Portland (503) 288-6828 \*\* DOOR PRIZES!! \*\* **EVERYONE IS WELCOME!!** 

3 NOTE **MEETING** LOCATION!!!

Far West Ski Association Safety Slogan: SKI WITH PRIDE, LET IT RIDE, WATCH ALL SIDES! First With Safety Awareness!

The Northwest Ski Club Council is a member of: Far West Ski Association: www.fwsa.org National Ski Council Federation: www.skifederation.org