



#### LEXINGTON SKI & SPORTS CLUB/April, 2017





#### **APRIL BIRTHDAYS**

LISLE, MARY

APRIL 30



# 2017 SKI SEASON!!

#### *News from the Executive Vice President*

The 2016-7 LSSC ski trips have now all been completed. We are starting to think about our 2017-8 trips. The OVSC trips have not been determined at this time. The January OVSC Breckenridge trip was cancelled and will be replaced by another trip. We are also considering other LSSC destinations. If you have any recommendations, please contact me or any other board member.

Completed LSSC Ski trips for 2016/2017:

Big Sky Montana (January 22-29)

Park City Utah (February 25 – March 4)

Engelberg, Switzerland (March 18-28)

#### **TRIP REPORT - BIG SKY**



LSSC was well represented on the OVSC trip to Big Sky, MT. Eighteen of us participated in the club offering from Jan 22 - 29, while two more travelled with the Cincinnati club, and another joined us mid-week. We had a good mix of people with participants ranging from age 20 to 86.

New club members Bud Blair and Declan Keegan joined us for the first time. Tara Keegan rejoined the club after a multi-year absence. Congrats to Rose Glasser, the 3rd fastest female snowboarder among the OVSC racers!

There was plenty of snow on the mountain. We had a little bit of fresh snow during the week, while the temperature stayed quite chilly. The upper reaches of the mountain always seemed to have a stiff breeze, with the Lone Peak tram closing several times due to high winds.

The Big Sky base area doesn't seem to have grown significantly in the last 20 years. The number and variety of restaurants is still rather limited. What has changed is the amount of skiable terrain, as they have added the Spanish Peaks and Moonlight Basin areas to the Big Sky resort. Also new are upgraded lifts, including the Powder Seeker, a high-speed 6-pack with heated seats, headrests, and covered by blue bubbles! Lift lines were non-existent across the mountain. Lodging at the Big Horn Condos, right next to the Bear Back Poma lift, provided us with the ski-in ski-out convenience we prefer. It was a bit of a hike to the hot tubs, but several found it worthwhile to make the trek.

Travel from Lexington to Bozeman and back (through Chicago) was thankfully uneventful. Since our group size was relatively small, instead of a bus, our tour operator arranged for three luxury SUV's to transport us between Bozeman and Big Sky. One unexpected twist - we had to pre-order groceries from Albertson's - turned out better than expected. I'm not sure if it really saved any time at the store, but it was nice not to have to search an unfamiliar store for the items that we needed.

Overall, everyone had a great time. Hopefully we can get the group back together next year (and recruit a few more to join us) to go on another trip.

Ray Clark, Trip Leader



#### **Views of Big Sky**

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## **SAVE THE DATE**

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!!



#### OVSC Summit in Louisville, KY May 19-21, 2017

Watch for details in the May newsletter and on the LSSC website <u>www.lexskisports.org</u>

## **HAPPY HOUR**





## APRIL 21, 2017

PAZZO'S 6:30 P.M. 385 S. Limestone St.

47 Beers on Tap

## **BOARD NOTES**



#### **BOARD ELECTIONS**

The nominees for Club officers and directors for 2017-18 open positions are:

2017-18 LSSC Board Slate of Candidates	
President (elected last year)	Dan Geiger
POSITION	NOMINEE(S)
President elect (will serve in 2018)	Jerry Anderson
Executive Vice President	Howard Glauert
Treasurer	Charlie Lisle
Secretary	Janet Graham Jones
Web Master	David Morrison
Newsletter Editor	Annette Riehle
Membership Director	Cecile McKinney
Marketing & Publicity Director	Terry Carrico
Social Director	Tara Keegan
Racing Director (Does not serve on the Board)	Dianna Miller

#### Cast your vote at the April members meeting!



The next board meeting will be held April 12, 2017. Members may attend any meeting of the board by notifying any board member in advance. Contact a board member if you are interested in attending and to obtain meeting location.

# LSSC Officers and Directors 2016-17

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