

THE GREAT SCHUSS

LEXINGTON SKI & SPORTS CLUB



Newsletter: December, 2022

Club Meeting:

December 6, 2022

Location: Roosters

124 Marketplace Dr. Lexington

(off Man of War, just west of Nicholasville
rd.)

Social: 6 p.m.

Meeting: 7 p.m.

Program

HOLIDAY PARTY!!

Please join us!

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE BOARD



2022 – 2023 SEASON



Greetings from the President!

Hi Members,

The Lexington Ski and Sports club board has worked to bring you some great ski trips and destinations for Winter 2023. However, response has been varied. Therefore, the board will be providing updated trip information at the December meeting.

Lexington Ski and Sports club is a group of local (bluegrass area) residents who love the sport of skiing and snowboarding and like to have the benefits of traveling with other of like interest to destination for Ski vacations in North America and Europe. We are a member of the Ohio Valley Ski Council ([Home - The Ohio Valley Ski Council \(clubexpress.com\)](http://clubexpress.com)) which is comprised of members from 15 ski clubs in the Ohio River Valley area. This membership allows us to participate in group trips to destinations at great value for our members. Your annual membership fee for the club (\$40) allows you the benefits of travelling on all club trips (subject to space availability) and participating in all social and local skiing activities with other club members.

Please plan to attend the membership meeting (open to anyone) at Roosters South Lexington location at 124 Marketplace Ave. (In the parking lot for the Nicholasville Rd. Walmart)

If you have any questions regarding the club or our activities, please reach out to one of the board members listed on this newsletter or to me.

President, Tom O'Donnell president@lexskisports.org.

PROGRAM

December 6, 2022

HOLIDAY PARTY!!



Join Your Snow Sport Friends for a Holiday Party!

Door Prizes!!

Celebrate the End of 2022 and the Upcoming 2023 Season

Last Chance To Sign Up For The Crested Butte Trip

Now that we are back to in-person monthly membership meetings, your board of directors wants to fill the calendar for 2023 with programming that is of interest to YOU! Please submit any ideas you have to enrich our monthly programming by emailing or speaking to a board member.

NEWS FROM THE EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENT

**The Western and European trips for the
2022-2023 season have been confirmed!!**

Snowbasin and Powder Mountain, Utah

January 21-28, 2023



Your Trip Includes

Ground ONLY*

\$1595.00

- 7 nights in the OGDEN MARRIOTT HOTEL (king or 2 queens)
- Hot daily breakfast
- Ground transfers between Salt Lake City and Ogden
- Lift tickets for Snowbasin & Powder Mountain
- Daily transportation to Snowbasin & Powder Mountain
- Welcome reception and farewell party

***Optional Group Airfare, Cincinnati – Salt Lake City (Round Trip) and extra night/hotel in Northern KY, due to early flight: \$500.** *Airfare includes all current airline taxes, fuel surcharges and round trip transportation from SLC airport to Ogden. Extra night/hotel in Northern KY, includes free parking for the entire week for the first 15 vehicles. **Airfare only (no extra night/hotel): \$432**

Registration has begun. Online trip applications and payments are available on the trip's webpage: <https://www.lexskisports.org/2023-utah-trip>

2023 Snowbasin and Powder Mountain Utah Trip

January 21-28, 2023

\$1,595 (Ground Only*)

Snowbasin Resort has 3,000 vertical feet and 3,000 acres of terrain for every skier to explore. Renowned as a world-class destination, Powder Mountain has over 8,000 acres of skiable terrain. Even on the busiest day, you may only find one skier per two acres of terrain at Pow!

Base Package Includes:

- 7 nights in the Ogden Marriott Hotel (double queen rooms, 2x occupancy)
- Hot daily breakfast
- Porter fees
- Lift tickets (4 days at Snowbasin, and 1 day at Powder Mountain)
- Round trip shuttles to Snowbasin and Powder Mountain (5 Days)
- Welcome reception and farewell party

Options / Add-on's :

- *Group Airfare: \$432
- Lodging near CVG airport on 1/20: \$68/person (2x Occupancy)
(Airport Lodging includes **Free Parking the entire week** for up to 15 vehicles)
- Single Supplement (Ogden): +\$668
- No Lift Tickets: -\$479
- Full Ikon (or Ikon Base PLUS) Pass Holders: -\$392 (Snowbasin is an Ikon resort)
- Other Lift Ticket options, including Senior (65+) options are available.

For additional information, including other trip options, videos, photos, trail maps, trip registration, and more: Please visit the trip's web page:

<https://www.lexskisports.org/2023-utah-trip>

Trip Leader: Chris Ping, 859-200-1681, localactivity@lexskisports.org

Crested Butte, CO*

February 25-March 4, 2023



Ground ONLY*

\$1325.00

Your Trip Includes

- 7 nights lodging in the Grand Lodge Emmons
- Ground transfers between airport and Crested Butte
- Discounted lift tickets available
- Welcome reception, mountain picnic, and farewell cocktail party

***Awaiting final pricing from airlines for group airfare. Add on optional group airfare pricing is anticipated in December and will be posted as soon as available.** Airfare will include all current airline taxes and fuel surcharges. (Subject to change)

Registration has begun. Online trip applications and payments are available on the trip's webpage: <https://www.lexskisports.org/2023-crested-butte-trip>

***IMPORTANT UPDATE FROM THE BOARD PENDING**

CRESTED BUTTE, CO

February 25 - March 4, 2023



GROUND ONLY* \$1325.00**

Your Trip Includes:

- 7 nights lodging Emmons Studios at the Grand Lodge
- Ground Transfers (with grocery stop) when air purchased with trip
- Lift tickets are not included. (Please see below for prices.)
- Welcome reception, mountain picnic, and farewell cocktail party
- OVSC Participation Fee, Credential & Lanyard
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*Awaiting final pricing from airlines for group airfare.

Airfare pricing is anticipated in September and will be posted as soon as available.

**Revised lower pricing from previous posts.

- Indoor/Outdoor Pool – Outdoor Hot Tub
- Kitchenette
- Washer/Dryer (coin operated)
- Fitness Center/Spa
- 3 minute walk to lifts (250 yards)
- 30-45 minute drive from Gunnison Airport – 32 miles



Mountain Statistics:

Base elevation: 9,375 ft.

Summit Elevation: 12,162 ft.

Average Annual Snowfall: 234 inches

Total Skiable Acres: 1,547 acres

Vertical Rise, Lift-Served 2,775 ft., with Peak Hike 3,062 ft.

26% Beginner

57% Intermediate

14% Advanced

3% Expert

542 Acres of in-bounds, double black-diamond terrain

Longest run: 2.6 miles (Peak to Treasury)

14 Total Lifts including 4 high-speed detachable quads

2022 Lift Rates (subject to change)	OVSC Adult 13-64	OVSC Senior 65+	OVSC Child 7-17
4 out of 7 Day Ticket	\$308	\$248	\$148
5 out of 7 Day Ticket	\$360	\$300	\$180
6 out of 7 Day Ticket	\$408	\$348	\$210

Discounted Epic Passes can be purchased from Winter Ski & Sport. Please see trip leader for more information. This pass may be the best value for our club members.

PAYMENT SCHEDULE:

August	\$100
September	\$400
October	TBD
November	TBD
December	TBD
Total Cost	TBD.

Sign-up at <https://www.lexskisports.org/trips>, or at one of our Club Meetings.

Trip Leader Contact – Frances Woollam, 859 382 9109; frances.woollam@gmail.com

About Crested Butte

Nestled in the heart of Colorado's Rocky Mountains, Crested Butte is committed to preserving the pristine landscape and mountain lifestyle. With vibrant Victorian store fronts and expressive local characters, the small historic town remains true to its heritage and radiates an unparalleled welcoming and inviting spirit that celebrates a simpler life and time. Crested Butte is one of Colorado's best-kept secrets!

Grindelwald, Switzerland

March 9 – 19, 2023

TRIP INCLUDES:

- **Round trip air transportation between LEX and Zurich via American Airlines.**
- **Transfer between Zurich Airport and Grindelwald via 2nd Class Rail**
- **7 nights accommodations at the 3 Star Hotel Derby in Grindelwald**
- **Welcome drink and orientation at the hotel**
- **Full hot and cold breakfast buffet daily.**
- **Dinner for 5 evenings at the hotel (Gives you 2 nights free)**
- **Transfer between Grindelwald and Zurich Airport via 2nd Class Rail**
- **2 nights accommodations at a 4 Star Hotel Radisson Blu located across from the Airport.**
- **Breakfast buffet daily in Zurich.**

For more details, please contact Janet Jones:

ovsc-rep@lexskiSPORTS.org

SOCIAL

NO SOCIAL EVENTS ARE PLANNED FOR DECEMBER

HAPPY HOLIDAYS!

MEMBERSHIP



NEW MEMBERS ARE ALWAYS WELCOME!!

Remember – You **MUST** be a member to go on Western or European Ski trips! Check the LSSC website for online renewal or pay in person at the December meeting. Dues are \$40.00 per year and may be paid online or by check (for *NEW* members, fee will be credited against the cost of a qualifying LSSC trip for the first year).

Please be sure to ***sign the member waiver (on back)*** – it is ***required*** to process an application.



Completed applications can be returned to Cecile McKinney (membership chairperson) at the meeting or mailed to the club's P.O. Box (PO Box 22375, Lexington KY 40522).



BOARD NOTES



LSSC Officers and Directors 2022-2023

PRESIDENT - - Tom O'Donnell president@lexskiSPORTS.org	MEMBERSHIP-CECILE MCKINNEY membership@lexskiSPORTS.org
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<http://www.ovsc.org>

LSSC website: www.lexskiSPORTS.org

LSSC Meetup:

<https://www.meetup.com/Lexington-Ski-and-SPORTS-Meetup/> ?



<http://skifederation.org>