

Penguin Ski Club
General Meeting Minutes

Date: January 5, 2010

Location: Phoenix Sports Club

Members Present:

Guests Present:

Called to order by: Joe Shoemaker @ 8:28 pm

President Joe Shoemaker:

This is going to be a great 2010.

Initiated the practice of Saluting the Flag.

Minutes:

Read by: Bill Hyndman

Approved by: Frank Heebner and Andy Polovoy

Treasurer's Report prepared by: Andy Polovoy

Operating Acct: \$37637.34

(This includes Lift Tickets).

Committees called by: Bill Hyndman

Trips: Doreen Howley

We're inviting anyone to entertain the thought of running a trip.

There are many members of the club who have run trips and are willing to help you develop your trip.

The Eastern Pennsylvania Ski Council (EPSC) has scheduled their Winter Carnival for Waterville Valley in 2011. There were 400 people from all the EPSC clubs who went to the last Carnival held on the east coast. Each club runs its own trip. This would be a good start for someone who runs the trip...EPSC has travel agents that plan most of the specifics.

For Trip Leaders: Please send your list of the folks who will be on your trip to Rick Hocker so he can post that list to the Web site.

Sunday River: January 10 – 15 Andy Polovoy

Should be good snow on the trails.

<http://www.penguinskiclub.com/SundayRiver2010Flyer.pdf>

Lake Tahoe, Heavenly January 23 – 30 Jimmy Kennedy

The Packages from the travel agent have been received..

<http://www.penguinskiclub.com/Heavenly%20Lake%20Tahoe%20Flyer%20for%20Penguins.pdf>

Twenty-One going on the trip...three spots still open.

**To Sign Up Contact: Jim Kennedy @ 215-266-1423 or
Jimbotile@comcast.net**

New York Trip February 9th and 10th Colleen and Derek Grim
Ski Wyndham and Bellayre
Hannah Resort.
Buffet Breakfast and Buffet Dinner
Bus ride.
\$255 / member.

Elk Mountain – Wednesday, February 24. Bill and Bill.

Bus Trip to Elk.
\$75 for members; \$80 for non-members.
Bus ride up to Elk, ski all day; pizza and beer for an hour, then ride bus home.
Sounds like a perfect day.
We're taking deposits.

Loon March 5 – March 8 Dave & Doreen Howley

Five Spots on the bus are available...
<http://www.penguinskiclub.com/LoonFlyer2010.pdf>
Ski in / Ski Out; Bus trip; Accommodations at the Five Star Mountain Club @
Loon.
See above web site for price options.
Hagey Bus ride up.
Possibly a vaudeville review on the ride up and back.
Doreen is getting her material together.
Non-refundable deposit of \$150 required.
Limit of 28 people on the bus.

Programs: Eddie Martin.

Eddie brought to the club Mary Jane Hagen who gave an excellent presentation on Kayaking including equipment and clothing.
Mary Jane started kayaking to build upper body strength to complement her lower body strength arrived at by her large bicycling activity. Mary Jane is a member of the Central Bucks Bike Club. Now, Mary Jane kayaks all year long at Core Creek Park.

Publicity/Website: Rich Hocker *penguinskiclub.com*

Pretty much everything you need to know is on the web site.

It is a wonderful source of information.

Contact Richie directly if you have changed your phone number, email, etc.
Contact Doreen Howley if you have a change recommendation to the web.

Memberships: Ellen Adams

There are currently fifty-two memberships.

Lift tickets: Andy Polovoy

Jack Frost/Big Boulder junior and weekend tickets are available this season.
Blue Mountain did not have an attractive alternative for vouchers.

Entertainment: Karen Jaxheimer:

Let Karen know if you have any ideas about getting together as a group.

By Laws: Bill Hyndman

<http://www.penguinskiclub.com/by-laws.htm>

The by-laws will be reviewed this year to determine if any changes are needed.
Let Bill know if you are interested in joining a committee to look over the by laws. Meetings are held at Art Scena's house that has a very respectable bar, we've been told.

Nominating Committee: Art Scena, Frank Heebner, Fred Niedermeier, and Eddie Martin.

Fred is looking for some folks to step forward.

EPSC: Ron Annunziata

Next EPSC meeting is February 4, 2010.
Ron handed out the Snow East magazine.

Hospitality: Annette Marks

A little bit of everything is left for sale.

You need them: **We got them:**

Patches	Hats,	Bags	License Plates	Fleece
Vests	T shirts	Turtle Necks	Sweat Shirts	Mugs

for One Dollar, **ONE DOLLAR, ONE DOLLAR.**

Social Committee: Karen Jaxheimer

Nothing to Report.

Old Business:

None.

New Business:

Frankie Heebner showed off a birthday gift...a decorated thong.
Thank God he wasn't wearing it.

Fred Neidermier commented on those shirts that wick away the moisture. He loves them and suggested not drying them with a dryer sheet in the dryer.

Ways and Means: Colleen and Derek Grim

Nothing to Report.

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50/50 Drawing:

Two Drawings: \$52 each to Tim Kaighn and Frankie Heebner

Penguin Song:

Song by all

Motion to Adjourn: At 9:36 pm

Prepared by: Jim Searl.

Think Snow