

THE GREAT SCHUSS

LEXINGTON SKI & SPORTS CLUB/AUGUST 2014/JAN CLARK, EDITOR

August Meeting: Picnic with the Pops Ticket Sales, Membership Renewals and Trip-Sign-Ups Start!

August is the official start of the 2014-15 ski season! Applications will be available for updating membership and dues will be collected. All OVSC and LSSC trips will be introduced and trip sign-ups begin. And NEW this year . . . you can pay your trip deposits on the LSSC website. Each trip page in this newsletter will have a link that goes straight to the spot where you can do that! In addition to trip sign-ups, tickets will be available for Picnic with the Pops at \$26 each. Burgers, hot-dogs, soft drinks and sides will be available for \$5.50 each. Adult beverages can be purchased separately at the bar. Social time and trip sign-ups will begin at 6:00 p.m. and the meeting starts at 7:00 p.m. The meeting is **August 5th** at the Lexington Racquet Club, 3900 Crosby Drive, off Man-O-War Blvd. Bring your check-book! There will be a lot going on so don't miss this important meeting!



PICNIC
WITH THE
POPS

Michael Cavanaugh in Concert:

The Songs of Elton John!

with The Lexington Philharmonic

Saturday, August 16, 2014

The Meadow at Keene Barn

Keeneland

For tickets contact Si Morrison during the August meeting or contact her by e-mail at sraftery@gmail.com. Tickets are \$26 each. Only 16 spots available!

LSSC Officers and Directors 2014-15



The August board meeting will be **Wednesday, August 13th** at 6:30 pm, The meeting will be held at 1880 Ft. Harrods Drive. Members may attend any meeting of the board by notifying any board member in advance.



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Three days of skiing available . . .



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NEW YEAR'S - QUEBEC



The OVSC is going to party in Quebec City for New Years 2014. We will be staying at the castle on the hill in Old Quebec City, the Chateau Frontenac



Dec 30, 2014
thru
Jan 4, 2015

For the non skiers and skiers alike there are loads of activities and sightseeing to do. Tour old Quebec City or for an adventure. Head out to Village Vacances Valcartier, the original snow tubing park, the Ice Hotel, and much, much more.

TOURING QUEBEC: PLENTY TO SEE & DO!



Old Quebec City



The Ice Hotel

Land pkg.	\$540
3-day lifts	\$225
Opt brkfst pkg.	\$155
Air from CVG or Day	\$410
Contact Marty Baldwin	**
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**Whistler Blackcomb,
British Columbia
January 24-31, 2015
Trip Cost: \$1,430**

Nothing short of "massive" could be used to describe Whistler Blackcomb! With over 7,000 acres of terrain, it is hands-down the largest resort on the NA continent. And, thanks to a favorable Canadian exchange rate, you can enjoy this awesome, action-packed, fun-filled ski destination for a more-than-reasonable rate.

Lodging: Tantalus Lodge

We will be staying in The Tantalus Lodge, which offers twenty-four hour hospitality, guest services & housekeeping daily, to help you make the most of your time in Whistler. Conveniently located near the heart of Whistler Village, you are no more than a 5 minute walk away from world-class dining, trendy shops and spas, golf and of course skiing, snowboarding, biking and hiking on Whistler Blackcomb. Two separate bedrooms with a queen bed in one and two twins in the second bedroom. Two full baths, living room, dining room, balcony and fireplace.



Trip Includes:

- Roundtrip airfare between Lexington and Vancouver, British Columbia
- Roundtrip airport/lodging transfers from Vancouver International to Whistler.
- 7 nights lodging at the Tantalus Lodge
- Five of six day adult lift ticket to Whistler Blackcomb
- Welcome Reception – Sunday evening

Trip Leaders:

Dan Geiger and Howard Glauert
E-mail: dangeiger17@gmail.com
and hglauert@uky.edu.

Air:

Lexington to Vancouver, BC

Payment Schedule:

Click here to pay your deposit: <http://www.lexskisports.org/2015-whistler-trip>
August \$100
September \$400
October \$400
November \$400
December \$130



WHISTLER BLACKCOMB
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Whistler & Blackcomb Mountains

Located approximately 72 miles north of Vancouver, Whistler Blackcomb boasts two enormous mountains and a whopping 7,071 acres of ski terrain. Each of these mountains offers a drop of nearly one vertical mile, and more than 200 amazing trails span their combined slopes. This is the only place in North America where you can ski on a glacier and there are **three** to choose from! Thirty lifts compose one of the most advanced systems in the industry, allowing you explore this ski resort more efficiently. And despite the low base altitude, Whistler receives an excess of 30 annual feet of snow so you will breathe easier while tackling a mountain of amazing powder.



Whistler Village

Modeled after a European ski community, Whistler ranks as one of the finest ski towns on the continent. From candle-lit bistros to pulse-pounding clubs to world-class shopping, Whistler Village has it. The village was designed to be centralized around the mountain, so as a result, most everything is at least walking distance to the ski slopes and the resort center. And no matter what you decide to do, the infamously friendly Canadian hospitality will be there to greet you.

KEYSTONE, CO



Feb. 7-14, 2015
\$1,095
20 Spots

On Dercum Mountain: Long green and blue cruisers; Night skiing; Full grooming; Top-ranked A51 Terrain Park; Access to "The Windows" tree skiing; Bergman, Erickson and Independence Bowls!

On North Peak: Blues, Blacks and Moguls; The Outpost and Timber Ridge; Award-Winning Alpenglow Stube!

The Outback: Intermediate and expert terrain for skiers and riders; 11,980 Summit; Hike or take Outback Shuttle to tree-skiing in North and South Bowls.

Snowcat Tours: Full-day guided tours with catered meals; into Independence Bowl; great place for beginners to get started!



Evergreen Condominiums: 2 bedroom, 2 bath units; Shuttle to Mountain House and River Run; Hot tub and indoor pool.

Multiple Mountains: 5-day interchangeable lift ticket; valid everyday at Keystone and A-Basin; Valid 2 of 5 days at Vail, Beaver Creek and Breckenridge.

Air: United, Lexington - Denver

Trip Leader: Charlie Lisle, clisle1512@aol.com

Payments: Aug. \$100; Sept. \$275; Oct. \$275; Nov. \$275; Dec. \$170. To make your deposit payment, click here: <http://www.lexskisports.org/2015-whistler-trip>



Dercum Mountain
(Front Side)



The North Peak



The Outback

Trip Leader:
Catherine Monzingo



- **E-mail:**
camonzingo@yahoo.com
- **Lodging:** Teton Village
- **Location:** Close to lifts
- **Apres Ski:** Mangy Moose
- **Bus Service:** To town for shopping, dining and more skiing
- **Optional Activities:** Dog.-sledding, galleries, snowmobiling, shopping, & more!
- **Payment Schedule:**
Aug.-\$100; Sept-\$250;
Oct-\$250; N.ov-\$250;
Dec-\$250; Jan-\$250.

Jackson Hole, WY-Feb. 21-28



DETAILS

Land Only

\$1320

Availability

18

Lift Tickets

**5
days**

OVSC PERKS

Special Package

Welcome Reception

NASTAR Race

Mountain Picnic

Banquet

Mountain Tours

OVSC Favors

Click
here to pay your
deposit

Europe 2015: Where to Begin??



Madonna di Campiglio
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Cortina, Italy Pre-trip. At present there is no additional information regarding the pre-trip to Cortina but it is a spectacular ski destination, set among the soaring Dolomites. Add to that, flight arrival through Venice, and you've got a great pre-trip! Lodging is 7 nights at the 4-star Concordia Parc. Breakfast and dinner included daily. Feb 28-Mar 8.

THE MAIN EVENT: MADONNA DI CAMPIGLIO, ITALY - MAR 7-15

Flights arriving and departing through the fashion-capitol of the world, Milan! Breakfast and dinner included. Mountaintop dinner with wine via snowcat atop Mountain Rigugio. Wine and cheese welcome reception.

Madonna di Campiglio, a discreet and elegant town nestling at an altitude of 1550 metres in the stupendous valley between the Brenta Dolomites and the glaciers of Adamello and Presanella, is today most certainly Italy's number one ski resort as well as one of the most important resorts in the Alps.



Ireland & Scotland, Post-trip. How unbelievable is this one? Flight from Milan to Dublin via Aer Lingus. Bus to Limerick with a stop at the National Gardens. Four nights lodging in Limerick at the 4-Star George Boutique Hotel in city center. Breakfast buffet daily. Guided tour of Limerick and entrance to St. John's Castle. Full day tour of Kilarney and Ring of Kerry. Medieval banquet at Bunratty Castle and then St. Patrick's Day in Limerick! Full day tour of Cliffs of Moher. Visits of Kilkenny and the Rock of Cashel on the way back to Dublin. Three nights in Dublin at the Gibson Hotel. Breakfast buffet daily. Half day tour of Dublin, including St. Patrick's Cathedral and Trinity College. Full day tour to Boyne Valley with visits to Bru na Boinne Visitors Center and Trim Castle. Flight to USA or Edinburgh. Full day tour of Edinburgh with visit to Edinburgh Castle and Royal Yacht Britannia. Lodging at 3-star Novotel in city center, breakfast included.

1. **Pre-trip: Cortina, Italy**
Feb 28-Mar 8

2. **Madonna di Campiglio**
Mar 7-15

3. **Ireland & Scotland**
Mar 15-25

FROM THE TRIP LEADER:

Prices will vary depending upon exchange rates, fuel surcharges and departure taxes but following are ballpark figures for the various trip segments:

Cortina-approximately \$1300 per double occupancy;

Madonna di Campiglio-approximately \$2600 per double occupancy; and

Ireland/Scotland-approximately \$2100 per double occupancy.

To pay your deposit online click here: <http://www.lexskisports.org/2015-international-trip>



PICK ONE , TWO OR ALL THREE TRIP SEGMENTS! DETAILS: AVAILABLE AT AUGUST 5TH MEETING

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