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2015/16 LexSki Membership Meeting Calendar

Meetings of the membership are held on the 3rd Tuesday of the month at First Parish Church, Lexington (by the Green) at 7:30 p.m. in Parker Hall (rear entrance, lower level) unless otherwise noted.

The first family listed is responsible for bringing the coffee, tea, dessert, etc., and also for reminding the other families listed of their host and hostess duties. Host families are responsible for set-up before and clean-up after each meeting. The supply bins are passed along to hosts at each meeting. **If you can't serve, get a sub – in advance.**

October 20, 2015, 6:30-8:30: Oktoberfest: **Yasaitis**, Yee, Bagosian

November 17, 2015: **Brandenburg**, Brewer, Butler

December 15, 2015, 6:00-8:00, Holiday Party: **Chan**, Colburn, Colby

President's Report

I know ski season seems far away, but before we know it, it will be opening day of the 2015/16 ski season. The Eboard has already begun meeting, and the first membership meeting of the year is October 20. Amelia Mueller is gearing up for our Oktoberfest celebration. It is important that everyone try to make it to as many membership meetings as possible. The lodge is looking good, and we have made fantastic progress on sprucing up the rooms, as well as several other important projects, but most families have not yet done their work weekends, and we are running out of time. Please be sure to sign up for a work weekend as soon as possible. Members who do not complete a work weekend will forfeit their priority numbers for the season. If the rumors are true, we are going to have another record-breaking snow year. I am looking forward a great season and to seeing all of you at the meetings and at the club. Think Snow!

Thanks! John Marquis

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Lodge Report

We hope everyone had a fantastic summer and is enjoying the fall weather as the leaves are now changing colors. It won't be long before the snow starts flying. Cannon reports that it is less than two months away until opening day, weather permitting.

Five down and one to go for work weekends. The last work weekend is November 14 and 15. Please send your reservations to Eddie & Chris Doctoroff as soon as you know that you will be going. Remember that every member needs to do one work weekend a year. If not, you will lose your priority numbers for the year.

There is still plenty to do. We continue to renovate guest rooms and make needed repairs.

Enjoy the last of the warm weather.

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Membership Report

There has been a lot of membership activity during the last few months!

As of October 6, 2015, there are 52 active family members. As you may know, the club voted to limit the number of family members to 55 for 2015-16. Last winter, the club was very full, and we want to make sure that our membership numbers are in line with lodge capacity. For those of you sponsoring prospective members, please do not lose heart. Prospective members have priority over guests, and each year there is natural turnover in the club's membership.

For the upcoming season, a number of families have moved to or remain on inactive status: Eagle, A. Levin, Mary Van Sinek, Fearnside, J. Levin, Sinnot, and Christian Stone. We wish them the best during this coming year and hope to welcome them back next year.

Several families who were inactive have resigned from the club: Erbin-Grant, Foster, Griffiths, and Zach Levin. We will miss them!

Two prospective members have completed all the application requirements:

Adriana Mendes-Sheldon and Matthew Sheldon, with their children Sophia (14), Luke (8), and Noah (8), live at 6 Mikaila Way, Woburn, MA 01801 and are sponsored by the Courturiers and the Hardmans.

Christian and Carrie Ehrbar, with their children Max (17), Sophie (14), and Addie (11), live at 39 Salem Street, Winchester, MA 01890 and are sponsored by the Martins and Kelly/Cotrans.

If any member has any doubts about these families becoming members, please contact me within two weeks of publication of this Yodeler. If there are no doubts, they will be offered membership in the club.

We have one new prospective family. Please join me in welcoming Stacey and Dan Raiche, along with their children Owen (11), Austin (9), and Christopher (6). They live at 16 Glen Road, Lexington, MA 02420 and are sponsored by the Fahys and the Yeas.

We look forward to seeing everyone at the Oktoberfest meeting.

Cathy Fahy and the Membership Committee

Social Report

Social Activities Report

After the summer break, the first monthly ski meeting will be our annual Oktoberfest, Tuesday, October 20, 2015, 6:30 to 8:30 pm.

We will be celebrating the start of our new ski season in style with seasonal beers and German wines, apple cider, and other nonalcoholic beverage selections. Looking forward to seeing everyone there.

Please bring an hors d'oeuvre or sweet to share.

Anyone able to come early to the church to help with set up at 6:00 pm is more than welcome.

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Social Committee Chair

Treasurer's Report

Peter has been out of town and will have a treasurer's report for next month.