

The Yodeler

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March 2010 Lexington Ski Club P.O. Box 123 Lexington, MA 02420
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2010 LexSki Calendar/ Host Family List for Meetings

Meetings of the membership are held on the 3rd Tuesday of the month at First Parish Church, Lexington (by the Green) at 8 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 also responsible for set-up before and clean-up after each meeting. The supply bins are passed along to hosts at each meeting.

March 16, 2010 Hammer*, Harding, Kent, Keroes (Annual Meeting, Elections)

April 13, 2010 Kourian*, Levin, Levin, Levin (Winetasting Party at the Rose's)

May 18, 2010 Lynn*, Mahoney, Marquis, Martin (Annual Budget Meeting)

June 15, 2010 McCarthy*, Miles, Moore, Morrison (Annual Picnic)

President's Report March 2010

The skiing in January was fantastic, and I survived a weekend with four 14 year old boys at the lodge. The lodge has been very busy with members and guests and full on most weekends. Thank you to all members who are inviting guests to the club to spark their interest as potential members. We have a number of families in process, and we welcome skiing families.

We are a family club and need to work together. If you see a member not following the rules:

1. Take the member aside and talk to them about the issue
2. If the issue is not resolved, talk to the host and hostess
3. If the issue is still not resolved, contact a member of the E-Board for discussion

I would like to see more people attending the membership meetings. The March membership meeting is coming up, and we will be electing new officers to the E-Board. I want to thank Burt Perlmutter for being the chair of the Nomination Committee and for all of his work to get the nominees. This can be a thankless task but he accepted quickly.

I know everyone has been thinking snow. I don't know who was thinking about the mid-Atlantic region. Please focus the snow on northern New Hampshire.

Wayne Foster

Treasurer's Report

TD Bank North Deposit Accounts March 8, 2010

Name	Current Balance
CHECKING	\$ 2,559.49
MONEYMARKET	\$50,543.97

Lodge Committee Report

The last couple of weekends we have been trying to put multiple families on meal duty in an effort to shorten the length of time needed for cleanup. In an effort to help with this, please remember to scrape your plates, and put the utensils in their proper place. You'll appreciate it when it's your turn in the kitchen!

Also, regarding meals and any changes to your weekend reservations: please remember to call (or notify) the weekend host as soon as you know your plans have changed. There can be a charge for missed meals unless sufficient notice has been given.

The Yodeler in April will have the schedule for the WW's for this year. We plan on having the usual 6 WW's; May, June, July, September, October, and November.

Two **large groups** are scheduled to date: July 9-11, Butler (approx 15); Aug 6-8, Hammer (approx 25)

Phil Brewer

Membership Report

Members are doing a great job of getting their friends up to the club and sparking interest in membership.

Bill and Amelia Mueller and their son Matthew, 14, have completed the application process. The Muellers live in Arlington. They will be offered membership in two weeks unless there are any objections from the membership. The Muellers were sponsored by the Butlers and Cotrans.

Please welcome Zachary Levin to Derivative Membership.

Prospective Members include: David and Kristen Tasker with Kera and Kate are sponsored by the Speare-Flynns and Brandenburgs.

Leslie and Lorelle Yee with Colby and Carter are sponsored by the Erbin-Grants and Chans. David Dove and Leigh Tiedemann with Dylan, Avery, and Aidan are sponsored by the Redmons and Alan Bogosian.

Mary Lynn for Derivative Membership with son Eric is sponsored by the Hammers and Morrisons.

Josh and Marina Bers with Tali, Alan, and Nico are sponsored by the Yasaitis and Ostens.

The Perlmutter brought another interested family to the club this past weekend.

Shari Marquis and the Membership Committee.

Activities Report

Our March Membership meeting is Tuesday, March 16th, the day before Saint Patrick's Day. If you are on the coffee/dessert crew for that meeting, consider bringing something green (for dessert) to get a jump start on the following day's festivities!

Annual April Wine and Cheese Tasting Party: Tuesday, April 13, from 7:00 - 9:00 PM

The Wine Tasting Party will be at the home of Betsey and Mark Rose, 21 Normandy Road, in Lexington from 7:00 - 9:00 PM. Wine and cheese are provided by the club. The monthly host families should plan on providing dessert and coffee as usual.

Annual Family Picnic: Tuesday, June 15, from 6:00 - 8:00 PM

We are looking for a family to host the June Picnic. If you are willing to host this fun family event, please let me know.

The skiing was great this weekend. Enjoy the rest of the ski season.

Donna Griffiths

<p>NEXT MEMBERSHIP MEETING TUESDAY, MARCH 16, 8:00 P.M.</p>
