

TCSC Snowplow



January 2021



From the President

Dear TCSC members,

Happy New Year and wishes for a 2021 full of good health, adventures and activities. TCSC has a xcountrty/snowshoe group and some are looking for new grounds for their next trek. Contact [Ingrid Jordak](#) for a copy of the list, and subscribe to the xcountrty forum on our website to share information.

Have you been watching all the postings on the website and Facebook from the skiers out there on the slopes? For those of you who, like me, that have wondered what to do to follow all the pandemic rules for safe skiing, resort websites are posting their individual protocols following state dictates. Seems rules are relaxing a bit, but we're adapting in our own ways, bringing chairs, umbrellas, and heated water bottles in your ski boots.

Thanks to a great team, we had a successful move from the Knights of Columbus to American Legion Post 80 in Binghamton, ending with a Rossi pizza lunch. Who showed: Bert Gancarz, Norm Cheney, Mike Reitenauer, Wayne Matthews, Les and Ann Smith, Ingrid Jordak, the new and gorgeous Donna Creamer, Denny Ebert, John Gerty, Nina Nesky, Bill Schweizer, Jeff Smith, and a special thanks to Steve Lupo for offer the floor space of Lupo's Glendale store space in case we needed it.

This was a perfect example of how our club responds when the need arises. We have a new contract with Post 80 for our club meetings (when they happen), the ski sale, and storage for all our equipment. It is a beautiful facility of old Triple Cities grandeur.

Get in touch with Wayne and Mike for the New Hampshire ski trip as there are still available places. Anybody can go to Windham, so get on it. The Neskys have a waiting list for the Gore trip. Bristol is still a big question, and Ingrid and I will post information on the website as we approach Feb. 12.

There are still board positions open. It doesn't matter about your experience because your predecessor will coach you and the board is a team and will get you started. It is work and fun, projects and parties. Please give me a call, 785-0117 or email mariedmonaco@aol.com, if you want to know how you can contribute.

As soon as we're able to have general meetings at Post 80, we'll send out a notice. Till then, stay connected with each other with activit(ies), emails, phone calls, and any way you feel safe. Go to triplecitieskiclub.com regularly and visit our Facebook pages for the latest information.

your pres, Marie

'Twas the Move Before Christmas

First there was a record-breaking snowstorm. Then, the new owner of the Knights of Columbus Hall told the club that everything had to be moved out of storage in the basement.

After securing new space at the American Legion, a hardy group met on Saturday, Dec. 20, to relocate ski sale racks, countless merchandise, and club records up the stairs, over the roads, and up two flights of stairs to our new storage space.

What a great way to get in shape for the ski season! Kudos to everyone who pitched in with cars, trucks, trailers and muscle power!



Election Update - TCSC Board of Directors

TCSC will be having its election for the new Board of Directors soon. The following positions are open: President, Membership Director: Promotion, and Meeting Director. Here are brief descriptions for each position.

President: Preside over monthly club and board meetings. Appoint committee members and chairs, install new officers, pass ideas on to committee heads. Periodically write an informative column for distribution to club members.

Membership Director - Promotion: Coordinate activities to promote the club and recruit new members. Distribute club information at informational events. Can work together with Publicity Director. (Two-year term.)

Meeting Director: Coordinate activities related to the meetings, including scheduling membership and board meeting facilities, getting speakers for the meetings, providing name tags, and providing refreshments.

For more information, contact [Marie Monaco](#), [Donna McCall](#) or [Carol Aronowitz](#). Also, consider being a guest at our next Zoom board meeting on Thursday, Jan. 21. Check the website calendar for the Zoom login information.

Trips/Ski Days

Windham - Jan 22

It's a drive yourself, so there is no waitlist, but if you don't have the Peak Express card, get your lift ticket online asap for the best deal.

Ski with Heart Day - Feb. 12

It's still in the works. We hope to go to either Bristol or Belleayre. It will be a drive yourself trip.

New Hampshire - Feb. 22-26

There are still some spots available. Check with [Wayne Matthews](#) or [Mike Reitenauer](#). Click for [More information](#).

Gore Mtn.- March 7-10

This trip is full but you can put your name on the waitlist. Check our [website](#) for information.

Killington - March

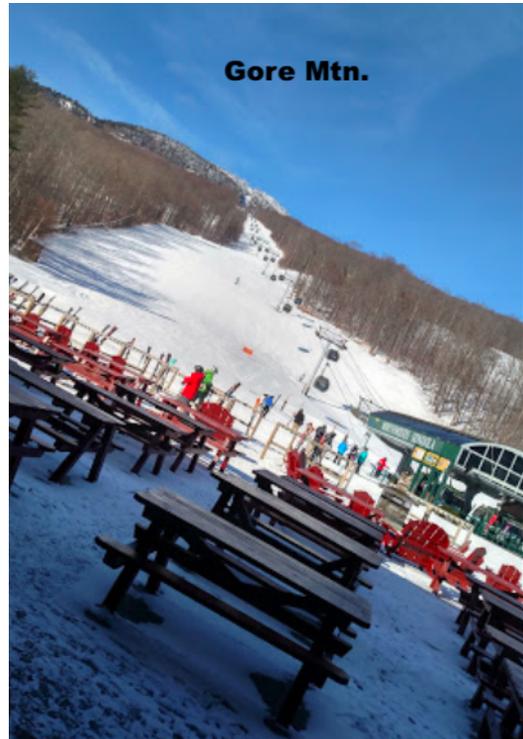
This trip has been postponed to 2022.

Senior Tuesdays at Elk

Elk Mtn. in Pa. is offering senior discounts for 65+ on Tuesdays for \$35. You'll usually find a group skiing there.

Stay posted for more events throughout the season.

Also, be sure to regularly check ski area websites as well as our Facebook pages and website for updates. Hunter Mtn. closed for several days to COVID-19 cases.

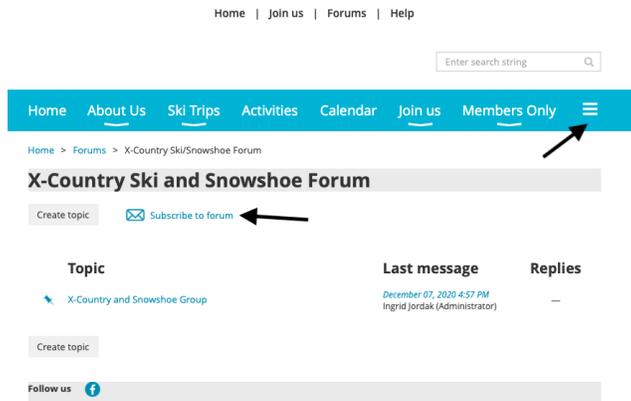


Save Around Books Still Available

You can still purchase a 2021 Save Around coupon book for a discounted price of \$20, a \$5 savings off the regular price. Contact [Gabriele Liepert](#) to purchase. We receive a portion of the sales.

Website Tips: Forums

A new feature has been set up on the website. It's called Forums and can be found at the far right of the main menu bar. You may have to go to the three horizontal lines to open it. See upper arrow.



Right now, the only forum set up is for xcountry/snowshoe activities, but other forums can be created. Users can to subscribe to a specific forum to post to it and to receive messages. (Lower arrow points to link to subscribe.) Forums can be set up for trips, activities, discussions, etc. Please take some time to explore.

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