

August President's Update

Where is the summer going? I just returned from a trip to Whistler and you should really check it out for a summer destination! There is lots to do and the the area is into "adventure" type activities! Oh, the mountain looks os different without snow although the ski/snowboard/training on Horstman Glacier was still going on! You can ride lifts up there in the summer and there was lots of snow!

On a sadder not, please keep Lisa Beregi and Ron Scott in your thoughts and prayers. Llsa lost her grandmother and Ron lost his father.

PRESIDENT

CSC is now up and going on Facebook so be sure and and friend us. A big thanks to Pat Harvey who straightened out my attempt to get us going! We are adding "Friends" daily so please let your club members know about our Facebook page. Send out to your friends!

I am off to Telluride for the National Ski Council Federation meeting , August 23-26. I hope to bring I back lots of information for your clubs! A thanks to the clubs that participated in the NSCF survey that I sent out. NSCF has a new logo. Please make sure you delete the old logo and use the new one. I will attach.

The September update will be out on time as I had a change in my plans.

Please send your new officer's info to Bruce!

CONVENTIONS

Fall Conference is: **October 25-28, 2012** in Gatlinburg, Tennessee at Glenstone (same as before)

Attached is information about the Fall Conference. More info with pricing will be out soon.

Diann Wells of Cape Fear has volunteered to run Beach Olympics 2013. Margot Payne, Charlotte ,has also volunteered. **More people are needed.** Please contact Michelle if you are interested!

TRIPS

Steamboat Ski and Race Camp is December 1-8, 2012. Information has been sent out to Trip Leaders.

Crested Butte Ski Week is January 12-19, 2013. The trip is ready to sell and your club trip leader has the information.

Tahoe and Banff are on the short list for 2014...voting will take place at the October Fall meeting.

MEMBER SERVICES

Please remember to send Bruce your information as listed below:

Newly elected Officers and Board Members of your club:

Name, mailing address, Phone #s (Home, work, cell), email address, Board position(s)

If you are not the Club President any longer please forward to the new President.

Bruce's email address is snowdawgasoc@bellsouth.net.

RACING

The 2012/2013 Crescent Race Schedule has been sent to your club Race Director. Many of the Crescent clubs are now planning their club ski trips around the dates on the race schedule. Having club Trip Directors working with their club Race Directors when scheduling club ski trips allows racers to attend the scheduled races and club ski trips. I know there will be conflicts from time to time, but the effort of avoiding race and ski trip conflicts is appreciated by all.

Crescent Racing is for the young and old. We welcome everyone, even snowboards. If you have a question concerning the Crescent Race Series please contact me, Ron Scott at : rscott0132nc.rr.com
Crescent Racing is the type of racing program the other ski councils wish they had.

ADMINISTRATIVE

Please don't forget to send me an electronic copy of your club newsletter. I really do read them and enjoy seeing what our clubs are doing.

The NSCF website is currently undergoing a complete make-over. A new logo has been voted on and hopefully the website will be completed by the August meeting. Some things are accessible but others are not. Please be patient. Remember to check out all the benefits that NSCF offers to member councils/clubs. New benefits have been added.

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Please distribute these updates to your members, via email, your newsletters or by placing them on your web site. If you received this update and are not the current officer, please forward to the appropriate person. Let's keep our members informed!

Everyone, including the committee chairs, is hard at work. Crescent is fortunate to have an excellent group of people who have volunteered to serve in many capacities. Be sure to thank them and remember that we are always looking for more volunteers.

Thank you for allowing me to serve as your president. for another year. Please feel free to email me any concerns, suggestions etc., at any time.

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