

January President's Update

Happy New Year's! The snow gods have certainly been good to us in December and January. Snow is falling almost everyday in Colorado which means lots of snow for the Crested Butte trip. The cold weather here in NC also means great racing conditions after a slow start!

PRESIDENT

CSC is now up and going on Facebook so be sure and friend us. Our numbers are climbing so keep signing up! Share with all your club members and friends....even if they aren't members....they may see how much fun we have and how versatile we are and decide to join!

Please send your new officer's info to Bruce! there are still a few clubs that have NOT updated their info!

Also, a reminder that I sent out the new NSCF logo that should be displayed on your website and in your newsletter. The new club logo should be displayed as well....yes, there are clubs that have the old logo!

VICE PRESIDENT

CSC members are reminded to sign up and "like" the Crescent Facebook Page? The link to the page is: <https://www.facebook.com/#!/CrescentSkiCouncil>. We're up to 61 "likes" but with the numbers in CSC, we should have a whole lot more.

TREASURER

Several clubs have not paid their dues that are now late (see note below) Please send Alice your checks ASAP.

Please remember that membership dues are now past **due** by **December 31st**. Alice Taylor, CSC's treasurer, issued the invoices via email to each club's treasurer and president. If any club has not received the email, please contact Alice at luvs2ski@frontier.com.

Big news: Alice received word from the IRS that they accepted our abatement request and that there will be no penalties. Alice deserves a huge thanks for accomplishing this issue!

CONVENTIONS

Here is this year's Lodging Pricing for the Beach. Good News! The rates have not gone up. But the 2 bedroom Brighton Towers are now on a wait list. They currently have no more units to give us...so those clubs that have been told you are wait listed will have to wait to see if clubs currently holding BT units will drop any. All others should just plan on going into the Villas.

Get your registration form and deposits in!

The Deposit form will be attached to the President's Update. As usual, it will be first come / first serve...email the form to me and put the check in the mail!

TRIPS

Tahoe was voted on for January 11-18, 2014

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 Racing Newsletter Credit Sheets have been e-mailed to each Club Race Director. Printing instructions were included as an attachment in the e-mail. ***If your Club no longer prints a paper newsletter, please post the sponsorship logos on your web site.*** When your Club broadcasts a monthly e-blast, please include one of the newsletter sheets, of which there are four. As you have done in the past, please include me in your e-blast mailings and your hard-copy newsletter mailings. I will forward your e-blast and newsletters to Crescent Racing sponsors.

Crescent Racing is for the young and old. We welcome everyone, even snowboarders. 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.

Enjoy the up-coming holidays and remember our soldiers and those less fortunate than each of us.

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.

No update on the NSCF website. The NSCF website is currently undergoing a complete make-over. 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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