

## November President's Update

FALL CONFERENCE has come and gone for 2012 ...a big thanks to Mary Ann Koltowich who always plans a great weekend. Who would have thought we would have a winter storm as the results of Hurricane Sandy and two of our NC resorts would open! Colorado has already had snow and resorts are opening so get ready for the upcoming ski season!! Happy Thanksgiving!!!!

### PRESIDENT

A thanks to all the club presidents and reps that attended the Workshop on Saturday. I am looking into getting all the presentations posted on the CSC website so that you will be able to access what you need. In the meantime, if there is a presentation you would like, let me know and I will send to you.

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

Please remember that membership dues are **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](mailto:luvs2ski@frontier.com).

### CONVENTIONS

I realize the Beach Convention is a long way off, but clubs have already started putting bids and deposits in for condos. Spring convention dates are: **April 25-28, 2013**

I'll have the pricing out soon, but you've been there, done that and the prices won't change much if any. 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

**November 12th** is the deadline for both Steamboat and Crested Butte.

**Tahoe** was voted on for January 11-18, 2014

Silvercreek 2013 info is attached.

### 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](mailto: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](mailto: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.

As stated at Fall Conference, NSCF hopes to have a draft website by Thanksgiving. The final website will hopefully be up and running by Christmas. 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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