

SNOW PLOW SCRAPINGS

THE NEWSLETTER OF THE WILMINGTON SKI CLUB

JULY 2023



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President's Message

Hello, I am John Lenz, the newly elected President of the Wilmington Ski Club. Along with Mat Mitten, our new VP, and Raciell Moratin, our new Assistant Treasurer, we will be working with other members of our Club Council to help make your 2023-2024 ski season a success. Denise Bassett, our Secretary, and Pam Kiss, our Treasurer, are our returning elected members of the Board. Please refer to the Council Directory on page 2 or to our website for a list and the contact information of all of your Board members.

The sign-up for our European trip has already started. The acceptance date for applications for our Western trips is July 1 for "Continuous" members and July 15 for "non-Continuous" members. Please make sure your applications are "postage" dated correctly. See page 17, below ("*WSC TRIP MEMBER APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS*"), for signup instructions.

On Wednesday, July 12, we will be returning to the Marshallton Steakhouse (formerly The Hunter's Den) for our monthly meeting. The management has informed us that we will be given an extended meeting area due to our large turnout there in May. Our trip leaders will be available to answer any of your questions about their trips. And don't forget about the 50-50 raffle!

I would like to thank Sandy Dobbs and Mike and Sarah Berninger for hosting Home Happy Hours in June and Lois Morris for organizing the Kalmar Nickel cruise. Lois has accepted the position of Activities Coordinator, so please contact her if you have ideas for future club activities.

I am sorry to announce that Brian and Madeline Auman will both be ending their careers as WSC Council members. They each served in several positions with the Board over the past several years, most recently as President and Meetings Coordinator, respectively. They will be missed, but their many contributions will be remembered.

And lastly, but most assuredly, I want to thank Chris Bassett for the wonderful job he did as President of the WSC Board. He, as others before him, have set a high standard for me and other to match. I know that I will be seeking his advice during the coming year. Luckily, for us, Denise will remain as Board Secretary to keep us all on target.

THINK SNOW

John Lenz
President, Wilmington Ski Club, 2023-2024

Next Meeting:

The Marshallton Steakhouse & Seafood

**3517 Old Capitol Trail
Wilmington, DE 19808**

Wednesday, July 12, 2023

Social: 7 to 8 pm, Business: 8 to 9 pm

THIS IS AN IN-PERSON MEETING. PLEASE EXERCISE THE APPROPRIATE SAFEGUARDS: VACCINATION and/or MASKING.

2023-2024 Officer and Council Member Directory

Elected Officers

President: John Lenz	302-598-3764	johnlenz2309@gmail.com
Vice President: Mat Mitten	302-530-8712	matmitten@comcast.net
Secretary: Denise Bassett	302-530-5546	dmbassett62@gmail.com
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*Non-voting position

July WSC Council Meeting Tuesday, July 24, 7:30 pm via Video Conference

Council meetings are held via video conference on the fourth Tuesday of each month unless otherwise noted in the *Snow Plow Scrapings*, on the website or by email. Meetings start at 7:30 pm and are open to all WSC members. Please contact a Council member for access information.

MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION: Prospective members can pick up an application at the monthly club meeting or download a membership form from our website (www.wilmski.org) and mail to WSC, PO Box 4759, Wilmington, DE 19807 along with your check made out to WSC. Yearly Dues: \$40.00 (individual) or \$56.00 (family) membership.

MEETINGS: 8:00 PM (Social Hour at 7:00 pm) on the second Wednesday of each month. The meeting location will be announced in the *Snow Plow Scrapings*, on the website or by email. Check website (wilmski.org) for directions.

SNOW PLOW SCRAPINGS is the monthly newsletter of the Wilmington Ski Club. Please contact the Membership Committee about questions concerning the *Scrapings*. In order to have the *Snow Plow Scrapings* issued in a timely manner, submissions will generally not be accepted after the 20th of each month. All submissions are subject to WSC Council approval.

Banner Pictures (Page 1, L to R):

Schweitzer trip group photo; Spring Flowers, from Lois Morris; "Being One with the Mountain" at Lake Louise



Wilmington Ski Club Upcoming Meeting



July Meeting

Wednesday, July 12

**The Marshallton Steakhouse & Seafood
3517 Old Capitol Trail
Wilmington, DE 19808**

<https://themarshallton.com>

Social: 7:00 pm, Meeting: 8:00 pm

Drinks and food are available for purchase from the Happy Hour Menu. Unfortunately, at this venue the club cannot provide food for the meeting.

Please note we had our May ski club meeting here. The bar [happy hour](#) is extended for the WSC until 9:00 pm.

More details on WSC Website <https://www.wilmski.org/meetings>

This will be an in-person meeting. Please follow COVID-19 safeguards: vaccination and/or masking.



Wilmington Ski Club Volunteers Needed

The Wilmington Ski Club is an all-volunteer organization. We can succeed only with member participation. Most of the positions in the club are filled, however we still have several openings that need to be filled. The open positions include :

- **Ski Club Meeting Greeters**
- **Day Ski Trip Coordinator**
- ***Scrapings* Editor(*) or Asst. Editor**

Positions marked with (*) are voting Council members.

Contact John Lenz or refer to WSC website for more information.

<https://www.wilmski.org/open-council-positions>



Election of Club Officers for 2023-24

Our list of club officers for 2023-24 is shown below. John Lenz has served twice as Vice-President and is now President. Mat Mitten joins council this year as Vice-President. Denise Bassett continues as Secretary. Pam Kiss continues as Treasurer. Raciél Moratin joins Council as Assistant Treasurer.

Thank you to our incoming Council for taking on these positions. And thank you to Chris Bassett who has admirably filled several positions on Council including as President. He now has the best position in the club as President Emeritus.

New officers are:

President – **John Lenz**

Vice-President – **Mat Mitten**

Secretary – **Denise Bassett**

Treasurer – **Pam Kiss**

Asst-Treasurer – **Raciél Moratin**

It's time to renew your membership!

It's that time of year again when we ask you to renew your membership in the Wilmington Ski Club.

Your annual dues fund club activities like **meetings (room rental and/or food), barbeques and club dinners**. They allow us to procure outings **supplies** and support other club costs such as **website hosting, email services, surveys, printing, insurance, taxes and other fees**.

Your dues do not fund ski trips which are self-funded by those who go on them. Thus even if you do not ski or snowboard, but participate in club activities, we ask that you renew your membership. This will help the club continue to operate and provide fun social activities for all our members. Annual dues are only \$40 for an individual or \$56 for a family. Our membership year runs from July 1 through June 30. **Please renew now.**

Thank you and we look forward to another active year in the WSC.



UPCOMING EVENTS

Signup for North American Ski Trips Opens:

- **July 1, 2023 – Continuous WSC Members**
- **July 15, 2023 – All WSC Members**
- **June 29, 2023 – EPSC Club Members**

Friday, June 30, 2023

Home Happy Hour at Sandy Dobbs'

Thursday, July 6, 2023

**Happy at the Sculpture Garden of the
Delaware Art Museum**

Wednesday, July 12, 2023

July Ski Club Meeting,

Thursday, July 20, 2023

Pickleball, Hershey Run

Friday, July 21, 2023

Group outing to Blue Rocks Game

Friday, July 28, 2023

Home Happy Hour at Anne Ceres'

Saturday, Aug 5, 2023

**Home Happy Hour at Greg and Linda
Falconi's**

Upcoming club activities are shown on the WSC website under the tab for **Activities** (<https://www.wilmski.org/>) and under the tab for **Calendar** (<https://www.wilmski.org/calendar>)

UPCOMING HAPPY HOURS AND EVENTS

UPCOMING Home Happy Hours for 2023

- June 30, Sandy Dobbs
- July 28, Anne Ceres
- August 5, Greg and Linda Falconi
- Sept 8, Pam and Larry Kiss
- Oct 6, Maria Kosmidou and Keith Hutchenson
- Nov 3, Sue and Jim Gargel
- Dec 1, Suzanne and Mat Mitten

Bring a bottle of wine or beer to share, an appetizer or dessert for four and relax with your club friends.

<https://www.wilmski.org/happy-hours>

UPCOMING HAPPY HOURS AND EVENTS

Wilmington Ski Club Home

Happy Hour – TWO IN JUNE!!!

Hosted by Sandy Dobbs'

June 30, 2023 from 6 pm to 10 pm



Bring a bottle of wine or beer to share, an appetizer or dessert for four and relax with your club friends.

**Please RSVP to Sandy by Wednesday,
June 28, 2023,**

**sdobbs@comcast.net or 302.753.0004,
so she can have an idea of expected attendance.**

**21 Woodbrook Circle
Wilmington DE 19810**

<https://www.wilmski.org/home-happy-hour-dobbs>

UPCOMING HAPPY HOURS AND EVENTS

Happy Hour

Sculpture Garden, Delaware Art Museum

<https://www.wilmski.org/happy-hour-delaware-art-museum>

Thursday, July 6, 2023

5 pm to 7 pm

**Music with food and drink available
for purchase**

4:00-8:00 p.m. free admission to
museum and galleries (donations encouraged)

DON'T FORGET A LAWN CHAIR OR BLANKET!

Weather dependent. May be moved inside or
cancelled due to weather.

Check [Delaware Art Museum](#) for more details/cancellation.

Contact: [Beth Lovering](#) - 302-290-9200



UPCOMING HAPPY HOURS AND EVENTS

Newly Renovated Courts!



LET'S PLAY PICKLEBALL!

----- Thursday, July 20 at 5:30 pm -----

Raindate - Thr., 07/27/23

1 Hershey Run Drive, Wilm. 19804

What do you do in the off season when there's no skiing? You play the fastest growing sport in the nation - pickleball! I have 2 private pickleball courts where I live and I'd love to share what I've learned so far. It's a super fun sport, easy to learn, (harder to master)! No experience necessary and we have enough equipment for 8 players. If we have more than 8, we'll rotate new players in. Both experienced and newbies players are welcome. Also feel free to come and watch.

Rain/high winds/extreme temps will force a cancellation. Please email or text with your contact info if you'll be playing. I'll contact those who've confirmed if a cancellation occurs. If you're interested in future pickup games email me with your info. See you on the courts!

Kathy Chidester 302.545.4817 or via email at skikat9@hotmail.com

<https://www.wilmski.org/pickleball>

HAPPY HOURS AND EVENTS

Blue Rocks Baseball

<https://www.wilmski.org/blue-rocks>

Come Cheer on Mr. Celery!
Friday, July 21, 2023

Fireworks After the Game

Game Time 6:35 pm

Seats in Upper Boxes



**If you are interested in
going or for more information,
contact Bill Champion at
wilmingtonskiclub@gmail.com**

UPCOMING HAPPY HOURS AND EVENTS

Wilmington Ski Club Home

July Happy Hour

Hosted by Anne Ceres'

July 28, 2023 from 6 pm to 10 pm



Bring a bottle of wine or beer to share, an appetizer or dessert for four and relax with your club friends.

**Please RSVP to Anne by Wednesday,
July 26, 2023,**

**aceres9@gmail.com or 302-229-9905,
so she can have an idea of expected attendance.**

**313 Regis Falls Ave.
Wilmington DE 19808**

<https://www.wilmski.org/home-happy-hour-ceres>

UPCOMING HAPPY HOURS AND EVENTS

Wilmington Ski Club Home

August Happy Hour

Hosted by Greg and Linda Falconi

Saturday, August 5, 2023 from 5 pm to 10 pm

Note, the happy hour is on a Saturday to avoid Friday evening beach traffic



Bring a bottle of wine or beer to share, an appetizer or dessert for four and relax with your club friends.

**Please RSVP to Linda or Greg by Wednesday,
August 2, 2023,**

**Linda or text 856.332.4039,
so she can have an idea of expected attendance.**

**719 Chelsea Road
Mullica Hill, NJ 08062**

<https://www.wilmski.org/home-happy-hour-falconi>

Next Year's Trips

2024 Ski Trips Preview

ANNOUNCING 2024 WSC SKI TRIPS

<https://www.wilmski.org/2024-trips>

2024 WILL BE AN EPIC PASS YEAR

2024 EPIC Pass Sale Started in March 2023 (plan to buy yours now)

Our club will run the following 2024 ski trips. WSC provides the trip, YOU provide the ski pass. If demand warrants, we may add a 4-5 day or long weekend trip. Sign-up procedures/rules will be reviewed/updated at our May meeting.

Whistler/Blackcomb, BC

January 20-27

Staying in the Delta Whistler Village Suites (1 and 2 bedroom; full kitchen)

Trips Leader: *Michael Berninger*, Asst. Leader: *Suzanne Prestileo-King*

Vail, CO

February 3-10

Staying at the Hilton Highline – Double Q/Q Rooms

Trips Leader: *Patricia Bartlett*, Asst. Leader: *Ann Meyer*

Madonna di Campiglio (Trentino) and Milan, Italy

March 1-12 with 3 nights in Milan

Staying at the Sport Hotel Romantic Plaza and Milan Hilton (4*)

Trips Leader: *Anne Ceres*, Asst. Leader: *Dan Falcone*

Heavenly/Lake Tahoe, CA/NV

March 16-23

Staying in the Harrah's Lake Tahoe Hotel, Premium King and Q/Q Rooms

Trips Leader: *Kurt Tappe*, Asst. Leader: *Marianne Kennedy*

Next Year's Trips **This Year's Signup Dates**



Madonna di Campiglio Ski Trip Signup Opened:

- May 15, 2023 – Continuous WSC Members**
- May 29, 2023 – All WSC Members**
- June 5, 2023 – Members of EPSC Clubs**

North American Ski Trips Signup Opens: **(Whistler/Blackcomb, Vail, Heavenly)**

- July 1, 2023 – Continuous WSC Members**
- July 15, 2023 – All WSC Members**
- July 29 5, 2023 – Members of EPSC Clubs**

<https://www.wilmski.org/2024-trips>

WSC TRIP MEMBER APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

Implementation: March 2023

Given the popularity of WSC trips, Council believes it is important to establish a clear trip application process in order to make the process fair for all members. [This process will also provide our trip leaders with a consistent process.](#)

Please carefully review the information below for a list of changes and some highlights.

- 1) Postmark
ALL applications **must be** Postmarked (or an express delivery ship date). Postmark will be the date used to determine how applications are considered, not date received.
- 1) Date Trip Opens (publicized sign up date)
The earliest Postmark date is the publicized “Date Trip Opens” or sign up date.
- 1) Early Applications
Any applications Postmarked before the “Date Trip Opens” will be deemed postmarked 2 days after the “Date Trip Opens”.
- 1) Complete Application
To be considered timely, an application must include all the necessary documents. A checklist has been created to assist. Important: An incomplete submission may delay or disqualify your application for the trip.

The details are posted on our website under the *Policies & Forms tab > Policies & Procedures >* or can be accessed through the links below.

- A) Details: For complete details click on the link below:

Trip Application Member Instructions <https://www.wilmski.org>

- A) Checklist: For a helpful checklist to ensure your application is completed click on the link below:

Trip Application Member Checklist <https://www.wilmski.org>

For any questions about this new process, please contact Kurt Tappe (ktappe@mac.com) or Anne Ceres (aceres9@gmail.com).

WILMINGTON SKI CLUB TRIP

Whistler/ Blackcomb BC, Canada

January 20 - 27, 2024

<https://www.wilmski.org/whistler>

Whistler and Blackcomb are two side-by-side mountains with over 200 slopes, 16 Alpine bowls and three glaciers. We will be staying at Delta Whistler Village Suites a 4 1/2 star hotel. The rooms we will be staying in are suites and are equipped with a full kitchen. You will purchase your own ski pass through Epic Pass. This year all of WSC trips will be on Epic Pass so consider that when buying your ski pass.

42 SPOTS AVAILABLE

TRIP INCLUDES:

- Air transportation from Philadelphia to Vancouver direct
- Ground transportation to and from hotel
- One group dinner
- Food stop on the way to the hotel to stock up.
- Seven nights at Delta Whistler Village suites
- Welcome reception and ski resort briefing
- **Breakfast is NOT included**

PRICING:

- \$2,100 double occupancy*
 - 2 room suites & 1 room suites
 - Single occupancy +\$1,000 for 2 rooms Suite
 - Single occupancy +\$1,150 for 1 room Suite
- Ski passes through Epic Pass
- Land only deduction \$600
- Trips sign up will start July 01, 2023
- Please make out your checks to: Wilmington Ski Club

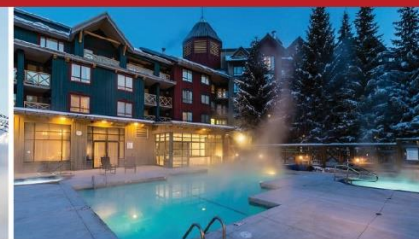
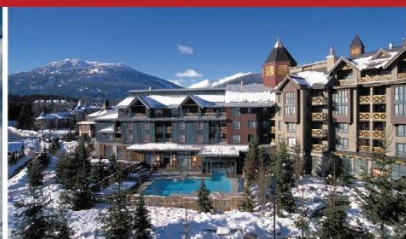
**Flight cost estimated; final payment may be adjusted.*

PAYMENT SCHEDULE:

- **Initial payment:** \$1,000.00 (July 1st, 2023)
- **Final Payment:** Balance (October 1st, 2023)

Send to Michael Berninger at 2119 Swinnen Drive, Wilmington, DE 19810

Trip Go/Cancel decision date is September 10th, 2023. Trip insurance is highly encouraged.



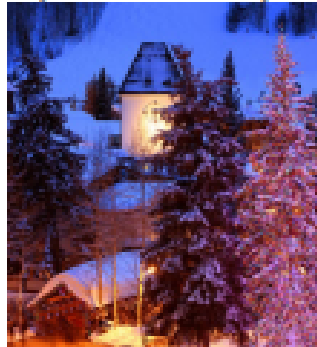
WSC Trip Leaders

Leader: Michael Berninger • 302-275-1791

Co-Leader: Suzanne Prestileo • 302-234-7979

Vail Ski Trip

February 3 to February 10, 2024



Trip Price \$2,100.00

\$750.00 at sign-up, balance due by October 31, 2023

WSC Member Sign-ups begin July 1, 2023

Adults 21 and Over Only

Included: Airfare, Lodging, Welcome Party, Group Dinner, Bus between Denver Airport & Vail

Lodging: Highline Vail Doubletree by Hilton Hotel is 5 minutes to slopes. Hotel shuttle runs 7AM-11PM continuously. Complimentary hot breakfast buffet. Two Queens or limited King bedrooms.

- 2 per room, 7 nights
- Outdoor heated pool and oversized hot tub

Available for an additional fee: Charter Sports equipment rental office onsite

Epic Pass: You must purchase Epic Pass separately at <https://passes.ski.com/marcie-passes>

- Full Epic Pass, Epic Local Pass, 5-Day Epic Day Pass/6-day Epic Pass (holiday restrictions)

Travel Insurance: We highly recommend that participants purchase Travel Insurance to cover investment. Travel protection must be purchased prior to final payment. Travel insurance is approximately 7.25% of your package price. For details visit one of these two options:

- https://webservices.travelguard.com/Product/FileRetrieval.aspx?CountryCode=US&StateCode=AL&ProductCode=951501&PlanCode=NW21&FileType=PROD_PLAN_GM
- Also, Anne Ceres offers Allianz Odyessy with/without cancel anytime policy through Cruiseplanners.

Vail Ski Area:

- Total skiable Terrain – 5,317 acres
- Beginner – 18%, Intermediate – 29%, Advanced/Expert – 53%
- Base Elevation – 8,120 ft., Peak Elevation – 11,570 ft.
-

Essential: Complete sign-up form on Wilmington Ski Club web page and include with check. WSC dues must be paid to Membership.

Trip Leader:

Assistant Leader:

Patricia Bartlett 302-584-4811 Phone or Text	16 Kentshire Court Wilmington, DE 19807 Bartlepm@comcast.net	Ann Meyer 302-463-4590 Phone or Text	28 Kings Grant Road Hockessin, DE 19707 Annmeyer924@gmail.com
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<https://www.wilmski.org/vail>

MADONNA DI CAMPIGLIO (TRENTINO) AND MILAN, ITALY
March 1-12, 2024 –FULL Epic Pass (only) = 7 days at Madonna



SportHotel Romantic Plaza – March 2-9
 Hydropool, Sauna, Spa, and Fitness
 Located in the center of Madonna di Campiglio
 50 meters to chairlift; 150 meters to cable car

Hilton Milano – March 9-12

(5) Dinners included, 2 group nights on our own
 and all Breakfasts

Lift Tickets Extra (~\$350-\$400, no senior disc.); or
<https://www.skirama.it/en> (full epic pass only)

Trip Insurance is Encouraged

TRIP SIGNUPS BEGIN

May 15 – 29 Consecutive Members Only

May 29 – June 12 Non-Consecutive and New Members

June 12 on – EPSC Members welcomed

(15) Superior Rooms with balcony - **\$2,990.00 per**

(2) Single Occupancy - **add \$510 (1 left)**

(7) Panoramic Rooms (living room or balcony) - **\$3,050.00 per (sold out)**

Land Only – (spots 43-46+ only) - **Less \$1,067.00 per (2 left)**

Trip Payments: \$1,000 (2) at signup; balance divided equally, due August 15 and October 15



Madonna di Campiglio (Trentino), one of the world's best ski resorts with lots of activities for skiers and non-skiers; and Milan, the fashion capital of the World with not to miss attractions including the Duomo, Sforza Castle, the Scala Theater, Navigli (canals), art galleries and museums.



Leader: Anne Ceres
(302) 229-9905; aceres9@gmail.com

Asst. Leader: Dan Falcone
dan.a.falcone@gmail.com

*** NONSTOP on United Air EWR to/from Milan; Bus to/from EWR from Wilmington with stop in Conshohocken included.**

<https://www.wilmski.org/trips-trentino-and-milan>



Wilmington Ski Club visits:



MARCH 16-23, 2024

\$2100 (DOUBLE OCCUPANCY)
EPIC PASS NOT INCLUDED, MUST
BE PURCHASED INDIVIDUALLY

**ENJOY SKIING TWO STATES AT
HEAVENLY**

4800 ACRES OF SKIING

3500' VERTICAL

20 % ● BEGINNER

45 % ■ INTERMEDIATE

35 % ◆ ADVANCED

Trip Includes

- Round trip airfare from & to Philadelphia (details & airline pending; price may vary)
- Ground transportation to & from Harrah's in South Lake Tahoe
- 7 nights lodging at Harrah's
- \$15 daily breakfast vouchers included
- 2 queen beds or 1 king bed (limited quantity)
 - Walking distance to Heavenly gondola
 - Pool, fitness center, spa
- Day of skiing at Kirkwood (also on the Epic Pass)
- Mid-week group dinner

Trip Leaders: Kurt Tappe, Marianne Kennedy
ktappe@mac.com - (302) 290-4371

Prices subject to change. **Payment Schedule:** 1st deposit of \$750 on July 1st,
100% of total by October 31.

<https://www.wilmski.org/lake-tahoe>

It's not really an epic adventure to select the right pass for next season.

Chris Bassett

As you know, the Club's 2024 North American ski trips are all to ski areas operated by Vail Resorts. Accordingly, Whistler Blackcomb (January 20-27,) Vail (February 3-10,) and Heavenly (March 16-23) all accept the Epic Pass®. And for our European trip, Madonna di Campiglio (March 1-12) accepts the full Epic Pass as well. Indeed, you may well find it less expensive to use some version of an Epic Pass than trying to buy tickets directly from the resorts.

But you may be thinking, "I only plan to go on one of the trips next year and I don't think that a full-blown Epic Pass will be right for me." That is certainly a reasonable concern. But the good news is that the Epic Pass program has a variety of pass options, from a single day for one resort to up to 7 days at each of over 40 locations.

Probably you know about the full **Epic Pass**; 7 days of skiing, over 40 resorts, no blackout dates. Or, maybe you've considered the **Epic Local Pass** that gets you 5 days at most of those resorts but with some restrictions, such as holiday blackouts or 10 combined days at Whistler Blackcomb, Vail, and Beaver Creek. But did you know about the **Epic Day Pass**?

The Epic Day Pass might be right for you.

Depending on which trip you go on, you may find that the **Epic Day Pass** will fit your needs. Quoting from *epicpass.com*, "The Epic Day Pass can be customized to fit your plans for the season. You can build your own pass based on the number of days you plan to ski or ride (1-7), whether you

want access on restricted days, and how many resorts you want access to (All resorts, 32 resorts, or 22 resorts). You can use your days when you want throughout the season – they do not have to be consecutive."

To help you figure out which option is best for you, the Epic Pass website has a tool to assist. Go to the [Epic Pass](#) website and select the *Passes* dropdown list and then select **Epic Pass**. You will see a description of the pass options. Scroll down to "Not Finding the Pass for You?" and there's a link for "View All Passes." Check out the section on **Epic Day Pass**. You'll see a tool to help you select the right option. And remember that an **Epic Day Pass** allows you to ski at a variety of the Epic resorts, not just one. So, you could ski several days on one of our North American trips and save a day or two for something in Pennsylvania, Vermont or New Hampshire. The tool is quite helpful. You just need to identify where you want to ski and how many days.

Again, if you think you will ski more than 7 days, then an **Epic Local Pass** or a full **Epic Pass** may be right for you. Remember, though, that while **Epic Pass** products have just gone on sale, historically, the prices have increased as we get closer to the season. So, you may save some money by deciding sooner rather than later where you want to ski next season.



EPSC 4th Annual Golf Outing
Co-Sponsored by Merck Ski Association
Monday, September 11, 2023
Mainland Golf Course, Harleysville, PA

<https://www.wilmski.org/epsc-golf-outing>

Registration Starts: 7:30am
Shot Gun Start: 9:00am
Entry Fee, Cart, Food and Prizes
Single: \$110
Foursome: \$440

Complete information and registration at

[EPSC 2023 4th Charity Golf Outing Co](#)
[Sponsored by Merck Ski Assoc. \(perfectgolfevent.com\)](#)

[EPSC 2023 Golf Outing Registration Form](#)

[Mainland Golf Course Map](#)



If you are interested in playing in a WSC foursome,
please contact John Lenz.



Team Name _____ Captain _____ Ski Club _____

Phone _____ Email* _____

Registration is available on the Eastern PA Ski Council at www.easternpaskicouncil.org with Perfect Golf.

____ Foursome: \$440 ____ Single: \$110

Golfer 1 _____ Email _____

Golfer 2 _____ Email _____

Golfer 3 _____ Email _____

Golfer 4 _____ Email _____

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Wilmington Ski Club June Home Happy Hour



**Many Thanks to Our Hosts,
Michael and Sarah Berninger**

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Wilmington Ski Club Cook-Out



Village of Hershey Run Clubhouse Wednesday, June 7

The June meeting was the last ski club meeting of 2022-23 membership year. The results of the election for club officers was announced. Brian Auman and Ted Patten handled the grilling. This was also Madeline Auman's final meeting as Meetings Chair. She has handled this important job with great skill and imagination. We owe her a heartfelt thanks. Marianne Kennedy has agreed to take Madeline's place. Kathy Chidester arranged for us to be able to use the club house for the Club BBQ. Thank you, Kathy. Madeline also took these pictures, but she took no selfies!



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EPSC and National Ski Council Federation NEWS



EPSC

The **Eastern Pennsylvania Ski Council** website is a good resource for snowsports happenings in our area.

For more information, see:

<https://easternpaskicouncil.org/wp/home/>



National Ski Council Federation newsletters.

Catch up with happenings around the country with

<https://skifederation.org/>

LINKS

Trip Application.

This is the link to the WSC Forms Page on our website where you can access the various trip applications:

<http://www.wilmski.org/policies-and-forms/>

The link also takes you to WSC Trip cancellation policies and review is recommended for anyone who has signed up for a Wilmington Ski Club ski vacation.

Membership Application.

This is the link to the WSC membership information and application form:

<http://www.wilmski.org/membership/>



Eastern Pennsylvania Ski Council and National Ski Council Federation

Use these links to find discounts and activities from the National Ski Council Federation and EPSC and other member clubs:

<https://skifederation.org/>

<http://www.wilmski.org/epsc>

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