



**Finger Lakes
Ski Club**

The SNOWFLAKE March 2024

Calendar of Events

- **Saturday March 23 - SOLD OUT! 5:30 Cocktails 6:30 Dinner Annual Banquet - Springside Inn**
- **Winter 2025 Big Trip - TBA - Bob is working diligently to get the details for us!**

For up-to-date info visit our website

<https://fingerlakesskiclub.com>



President's Message:

Hi All,

As the roller coaster weather continued, we were still enjoying some great local skiing conditions. Bristol Mt was very good on the 16th. President's week at Song / Lab and Greek Peak also had some beautiful days fortunately. The mid-week trip to Stowe led by Paulette LeFever and Chris Christensen at the nice Innsbruck Inn was very sunny...a bit too warm on Tuesday but good in the morning. A rainy Wednesday gave members an early start back home instead of skiing. We can only guess what snowfall happens the rest of March!

Our Annual Banquet at the Springside Inn restaurant on March 23rd has a limit of 60 people so sign up early. It is always a nice time with good food, serious & fun awards and fun company ! We will be announcing plans for 2025 trips soon after the banquet.

~ Linda

SOLD OUT!

To get on the waiting list,
email Joan Bozogian jbozogian@gmail.com

Finger Lakes Ski Club Annual Awards Banquet



Saturday March 23

Springside Inn

5:30 Cocktails 6:30 Dinner
Family Style meal - Dessert - Cash Bar

\$36 per person
RSVP with payment by **March 15**
Limited to the first 60 people
Three ways to Pay!

- *On our website with PayPal or Venmo
- *Send a check to
Finger Lakes Ski Club
P.O. Box 161
Auburn, NY 13021
- *In person at the March 5th Meeting!



Door Prizes and
Raffles!
Mix and Mingle with
old friends and
make new friends!

See who is winning what
Awards!

- ★ Rookie of the Year
- ★ Project of the Year
- ★ Member of the Year
- ★ Pat Glancy Enthusiasm Award
- ★ and many more!

If you have any questions...Contact
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Finger Lakes Ski Club

2024-25

Club Officers:

President: Linda Tersegno

Vice President: Andrea Price

Secretary: Kathy Dischner

Treasurer: Carol Hamilton

Board Members at Large:

Kelly Buck Kevin Moraghan

Kathy Dischner Bob Sloan

Art Price Teresa Hoy-Gilbert

Bob Trama Elaine Buchberger

Committees

Newsletter: Pat Personius

Membership: Elaine Buchberger

Big Trip 2025: Bob Sloan

Weekend / midweek ski trip 2025: Kelly Buck

Website: (currently Andrea Price) Looking for a new chair!

Scholarship: Christine Christensen & Midge Fricano

Good Will: Lauri Heath

It's time Renew or Join

for the 2023-24 season

FLSC MEMBERSHIP

Finger Lakes Ski Club membership is effective

October 1, 2023 thru September 30, 2024

\$21 single; \$32 couple/family

Pay online - Membership cards will be mailed within a week!

Go to the website and complete your membership renewal online
and pay electronically using PayPal

<https://fingerlakesskiclub.com/membership/>

Mail to club - You can use the fillable form online -
print it out and mail!

Check it out, easy to use.

Mail your completed application and check to:

Finger Lakes Ski Club Membership, PO Box 161, Auburn, NY 13021

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The March 5th Meeting with Election of Officers was a great night out!

Great Wings from the Elks Lodge and Pizza and goodies from our members.

The results of the Election are in and here is the Slate of Officers/Board Members/Committees.

If anyone is Interested in being a **WebMaster** to manage our web page, we would **love to hear from you!** Contact any Officer or Board Member to see what the position entails.

Winter isn't over, but Spring is starting to Sprung! Ready for Hikes - Bikes and other outings. Stay tuned and Let us know if you have any ideas for what you would like to see or Host!



Whistler Adventure 2024

Kelly Buck, trip leader

34 adventurers set off for the Pacific Northwest on Friday, January 26. Most of us drove up to Toronto, crossing the border, and staying overnight at the airport. We met at the gate Saturday morning for our non-stop domestic Air Canada flight to Vancouver, British Columbia. Upon arriving in Vancouver, we met up with 6 others who had flown in from other airports. We all bused up to Whistler along the Sea to Sky Highway, arriving in the heavy rain about 5:30pm after a stop in Squamish for groceries and beer/wine.

The Listel Hotel was ready for our arrival and suited our needs for the most part. Sunday was our first ski day and we lucked out with some decent weather (sun!) that afternoon. We knew the forecast was not in our favor all week, so we took advantage of it. Many enjoyed the Peak to Peak gondola, with some cars having clear, see-through bottoms, looking down 800' into the gorge between Whistler and Blackcomb mountains. Sunday night we went to Skiers Plaza and watched the free Fire & Ice show, with ski jumping through rings of fire, native dancers, fireworks, and more.

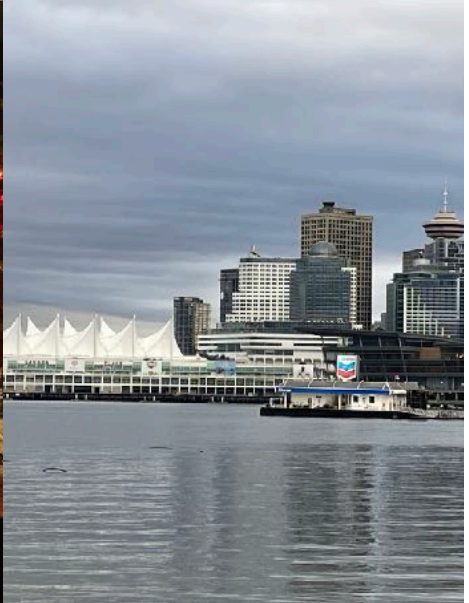
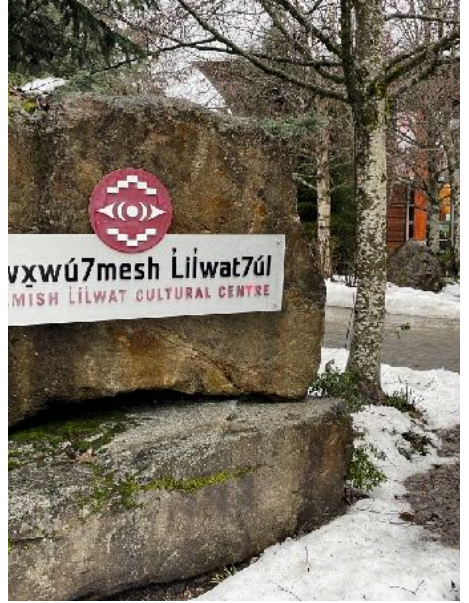
Sadly, the rain was relentless on Monday, but some die-hards in our group skied anyway! They get gold stars. Some asked for trash bags from the front desk to use as rain ponchos. Others borrowed umbrellas and strolled the amazing Whistler village. That night was the trip highlight – happy hour at Merlin's Bar. We gathered about 3:30 when the classic rock band The Hair Farmers (!) played and the place was packed. People were singing, drinking and dancing on the furniture. Our budget included pitchers of local beer and some apps, featuring “mountainous” nachos, poutine, and yam fries. There are some black-mailable pictures of certain people “dancing” (I use the term loosely) on the tables! [?] It was a blast!

Tuesday was a better ski day. Wednesday brought the rain again. We finished that day with a wonderful tour of the First Nations Squamish Lil' Wat Cultural Center. Admission was included in the trip price, and 24 folks went. We got to learn about the native history of the local tribes in a beautiful facility. Thursday was the final ski day, and we ended with a “hallway happy hour.” We dragged tables out of our hotel rooms into the wide corridor, and everyone brought their leftover food and drinks to share to get rid of before we departed the following morning. It was fun!

Friday morning, we gathered at Pangea Living Room for breakfast, the only full meal included in the trip package. Afterwards we loaded the bus back to Vancouver. Much better visibility allowed us to actually see the Sea to Sky Highway, ocean inlets, mountains, waterfalls, etc. We had the afternoon on our own to explore the fabulous city of Vancouver. Many enjoyed the harbor front with the float planes coming and going. Others went out to Stanley Park and walked along the shoreline path, viewing the totem poles, Lion's Gate Bridge, aquarium, the Royal Vancouver Yacht Club, and an amazing skyline view of Vancouver across the water. Dinner in Gastown was the place to be.

Flight home to Toronto went off without a hitch, getting everyone home late. Most arrived back in CNY around 2:00am and had Sunday to unpack and recuperate. End of another fun trip! Many thanks to all for being good sports about the lousy weather and so-so ski conditions. We certainly made the best of it!







Sell - Buy - Trade

Send me an email if you have something you are looking to buy or sell or trade.
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Florida Condo

Off Season Rates for FLSC Members

Ocean Village, Fort Pierce, Florida Steps to the beach, pools, pickle ball, tennis, and on site restaurant.

For More Information - Contact Paulette LeFever

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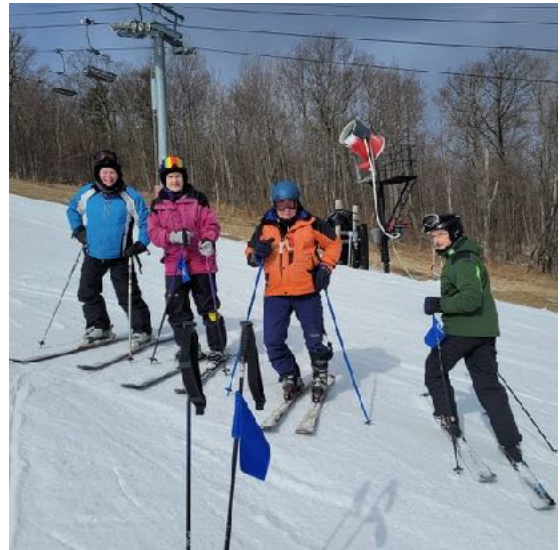
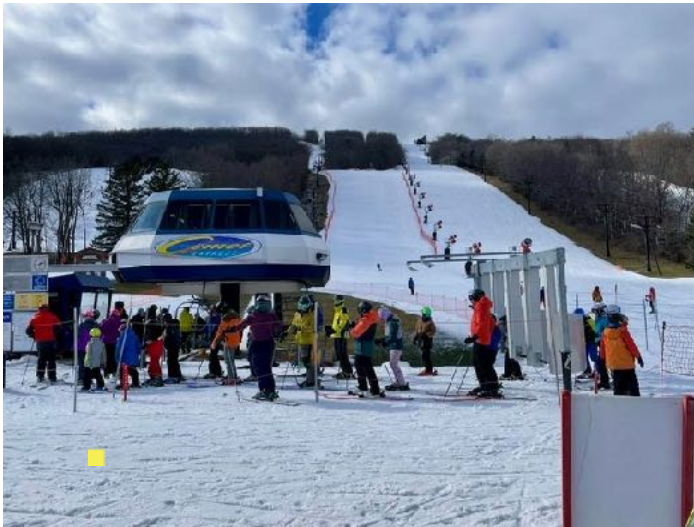


Ski With Heart Day - February 16

Fun day skiing and apres skiing at **Bristol Mountain** with 16 FLSC members and others from Onondaga Ski Club, Triple Cities Ski Club, and Rochester Ski Club.

After a snowy, slick drive part of the way the day quickly became a mix of sun and clouds, great conditions and no lift lines at the high speed quad.

And lots of food after working up an appetite skiing. An interesting trivia contest was fun at the end of the luncheon. And still more time for a few runs before heading home !



Community Service Project

*All proceeds to benefit the Scholarship Fund
for our local school's ski clubs*

Recycle your bottles and cans at

The Frosted Nickel

located at 28 Clark Street, Auburn
(behind St. Mary's)

Bring your returnables in and tell them it's for the FLSC.

5¢ really adds up!

Have your family and friends help out too! Just let them know it is for the FLSC...

If you can't drop off recycling ...

***You can now make a direct donation to the Scholarship Fund on our
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 Want others to join you?
 Hike - Wine Tour - Ski - Snowshoe
 Beer Tasting - Concert - Back yard party????
 Let me know, and I'll get the word out!
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***FLSC Mission Statement:** To promote, plan and participate in year-round recreational sport activities and social events in the Finger Lakes area of New York State for adults and families. The focus is on winter group trips with local, national and European destinations for skiers and non-skiers alike.*

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