



THE SNOWFLAKE

News from the Finger Lakes Ski Club, Auburn, NY

www.fingerlakeskiclub.com



October 2023

FLSC is Celebrating 50 Years! 1973 - 2023

Calendar of Events

- **Fri-Sun October 6-8 Greek Peak Ski Swap**
- **Saturday Oct 7 @ 12:30-4:30 Greek Peak Hops & Swaps**
- **Tuesday October 10 - Last day to sign up for Whistler Trip**
- **Sunday October 15 @ 1:00 Road Rally**
- **Thursday October 19 @ 5:30 – 7:30 co-club Happy Hour with Onondaga Ski Club at Heuga's at Song Mountain**
- **Thursday November 2 @ 7:30 Warren Miller's "All Time" Palace Theatre, Syracuse**
- **Saturday November 4 @ 11:00 – Tour of Erie Canal Museum in Syracuse**
• **Followed by lunch downtown and maybe a brewery or two**
- **Tuesday December 5 @ 7:00 Club Holiday Party at Elks Club**
- **January 27-February 3, 2024 -Whistler Big Trip**
- **Friday February 16 Ski With Heart Day with Triple Cities SC @ Bristol Mt**
- **February 25-28, 2024 - Stowe, VT - Drive yourself Ski Trip**

For up to date info go to our website

<https://fingerlakeskiclub.com>

President's Message:



After a few days at the end of August that felt like fall, September began with very hot, summer weather. Soon enough it will be sweater weather however. Our club's kick-off meeting / party was Tuesday, October 3rd at 7:00 pm. We have moved to a new location to accommodate larger groups (a good thing !). What a great turnout and lots of fun!

The Auburn Elks Club is located at 314 State St at the intersection of York St. Look for our December holiday meeting there too!

Along with the usual food, drinks, and door prizes, it was a good time to renew memberships, sign up for trips and chat with friends. It is especially nice for new members who have registered for trips to meet some those of those who regularly participate on weekend and/or week-long events.

Stay connected with our newsletter about upcoming activities like the ever popular Road Rally on October 15 and Warren Miller movie on November 2 at the Palace Theater.

~ Linda Tersegno, President

It's time Renew or Join!

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

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 from 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

Great Deals from our local Ski Mountains for our members!

Song and Lab

Discounts on Season Pass purchase until Oct 16

[Click here to see them!](#)

Discount on 8 hour ticket \$59 - Night Ticket \$35 - Thursdays \$49

Greek Peak

Discount on 8 hour pass \$68

New Members Welcome Aboard!

Look forward to seeing you at our many events!

Werner Holtze
Thomas Kemp
Michele & Bob Yohon
John Carr
Dennis and Deborah Daly
Laura Hinman
David Ruppel

Steve Burns
Tony Mueller
Bradley Kranz
Robert Bacon
Bruce Texeira
Patti Texeira



Onondaga & Finger Lakes Ski Club's FALL ROAD RALLY 2024

Sunday October 15th @ 1 pm

We will be starting 1:00 at the main parking lot at Song Mt. The route will take us less than 40 miles, a few of these roads will be seasonal gravel roads. We will end up at a restaurant where people can eat while waiting for others to come in and for us to correct the paper work. Our finish will be about an hour from Auburn/Syracuse. All clues can easily be seen from inside the vehicle, THERE IS NO NEED TO GET OUT OF THE VEHICLE! Please respect all private property.

Last year we had over 20 cars, if we have the same amount this year our start time will be spread out until almost 2 pm. There will be several minutes between each car's start so there is no rush to get to the start right at 1 pm. This rally will be judged solely on answering the clues. We will not be checking mileage or time. So please drive carefully and be safe.

RSVP so we have a 'car' count! Contact Bob Sloan- bobsloan@verizon.net

Happy Hour at Aurora Brewery

Last Thursday was a great night out with 20 people, including long lost members Carl and Sue Cuipylo. It was also Doug Gilbert's birthday.





Warren Miller's "All Time" Syracuse, NY

Thursday, November 2 @ 7:30pm
The Palace Theatre
2384 James Street Syracuse, NY 13206
Buy tickets online \$20.

'Go deep into the stuff of which snowy dreams are made with Warren Miller's ALL TIME. Celebrate ski towns, icons, and far out locations.

For more information about the Warren Miller Entertainment visit

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/syracuse-ny-warren-millers-all-time-730pm-tickets-698427404167>

**GREEK PEAK
SKI & BIKE
SWAP**

Gloves Helmets Skis Boots Bikes
Snowboards Jackets Poles Racing Gear

10,000+ pieces of new and used
inventory for kids and adults
GREAT PRICES!

3 p.m. to 9 p.m. Friday, October 6
9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday, October 7
9 a.m. to 12 p.m. Sunday, October 8
at the Greek Peak main lodge

HAVE GEAR TO SELL?
greekpeaksclub.org/2023skiswap

Curious about **joining** the Greek Peak
Ski Club this season? Visit us on our
website at greekpeaksclub.org.

hops & swaps
BREWFE**ST**

Saturday, October 7, 2023
with
**UNDERGROUND
SPRINGHOUSE** & **GREEN RIVER**
The Ultimate CCR & John Fogerty Tribute Show

Hops and Swaps
Saturday, Oct. 7,
from 12:30 to 4:30 p.m.
Beer and Wine tastings
Chairlift rides (until 5 p.m.),
axe throwing, inflatables,



Tour of Erie Canal Museum Saturday, November 4

11:00am \$10 per person/free for members
318 Erie Blvd. East, Syracuse
<https://eriecanalmuseum.org/>

Learn more about the amazing history of the canal at the museum in downtown Syracuse.

One hour docent-led tour, followed by lunch somewhere (we'll decide together) and maybe hit a brewery nearby too!

RSVP to Kelly: 315-406-0791 or kdbskier@gmail.com

Sell - Buy - Trade

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

Pat Personius- ppersonius1@mac.com



EPIC PASS UPDATE

Still time to get a great discount!
Contact Kelly Buck before Oct 10th

For pass holders needing to respond to emails requesting Epic Pass coverage choices, here's a quick summary, all available on the Epic Pass website:

Coverage is free and includes specific resort closures (Disease, War, Terrorism, Natural Disaster) and a full list of Personal Event Coverage (like job loss, illness, injury, jury duty, etc.). If a pass holder does not go to their online account **before Dec. 6** and specify either Core Season or Primary

Resort Coverage then the plan defaults to Core Season.

- If the pass was purchased mainly to ski at one resort (eg. the Whistler trip & not going to Stowe), then the Primary Resort option should be considered. If Whistler had to close for a covered reason then the pass holder gets the most refund.
- If Core Resorts (planning to be used at multiple resorts throughout the season) is selected, then only a partial amount is refunded.

NO SIGN-UP REQUIRED

Your new season pass will include Epic Coverage and you will be notified in the fall with instructions to customize your protection for your 23/24 season pass, including how to make, update or change your Epic Coverage elections. Elections will be open September 20-December 6, 2023 in My Account. After December 6, Pass holders who have not made elections will be defaulted to "Core Season" and "All Resorts" coverage. Epic Coverage elections do not change the access of your pass; they are used to determine refund eligibility and amount should a qualifying event occur.

If you have more questions, contact either
Kelly Buck kdbskier@gmail.com or Linda Tersegno ltersegno@gmail.com.

2024 WHISTLER, BC SKI TRIP
Sat, January 27 – Sat, February 3, 2024
\$1,380 per person (does NOT include lift tickets)
DEADLINE to sign up = Tues, October 10!



The Finger Lakes Ski Club is finally going to Whistler/Blackcomb in beautiful British Columbia, Canada! The trip begins at the Toronto airport (get yourself there), and we'll fly to Vancouver non-stop. We'll spend six nights at the Listel Hotel right in the center of the wonderful ski village. Ski up to 5 days at the massive Whistler/Blackcomb (EPIC) resort, about 2.5 hours north of Vancouver. Lower elevations make for moderate temperatures and no altitude worries. Then a final overnight in downtown Vancouver, with an afternoon and evening to explore this fabulous city on your own. <https://www.whistlerblackcomb.com/>



Your Trip Includes:

- ◆ Round-trip airfare from Toronto to Vancouver on Air Canada (10am departure, may change)
 - Overnight at Toronto airport the night before is on your own. Options shared w group soon.
- ◆ Bus to and from Vancouver to Whistler (about 2.5 hours north)
- ◆ 6 nights at the Listel Hotel centrally located in the ski village near the lifts, restaurants, bars, etc.
<https://listelhotel.com/> rooms have free wi-fi, small fridges, and coffee pots
- ◆ Midweek happy hour and/or pizza party and group breakfast the final day (Friday) before loading the bus back to Vancouver (both TBD)
- ◆ Last night at the Pinnacle Harbourfront Hotel in the Gastown District of beautiful downtown Vancouver; arrive about Noon and have afternoon and evening to explore on your own.
<https://www.pinnacleharbourfronthotel.com/>
- ◆ Pay on your own: Toronto hotel and/or airport parking, baggage fees, and meals

Registration and Payment: There are 44 spots available on this trip; first come, first served. Mail a \$700 deposit with completed Trip Registration Form (on FLSC website) **by October 10** to Finger Lakes Ski Club, c/o Whistler trip, PO Box 161, Auburn NY 13021.

Remaining payments: October – \$300 November – \$380 / final balance

Valid US passport or enhanced driver's license is required for this trip

Mail payments & forms to: Finger Lakes Ski Club, c/o Whistler trip, PO Box 161, Auburn NY 13021

For more info, contact trip leader Kelly Buck: (315) 406-0791 or email: kdbskier@gmail.com

Go to <https://fingerlakesskiclub.com/events/> to get all forms and details; read FAQs carefully!

Book Your Stowe Trip Today!

Rooms still available!

FLSC is Headed to STOWE, VT!

Sun, Feb 25 – Wed, Feb 28, 2024

\$370 per person double; lift tickets extra

(\$310 for triple in Junior Suite 3 beds. Ask for pricing on limited number single-bed rooms)



This “Drive Yourself” trip includes:

- ◆ Three nights at Innsbruck Inn in Stowe, VT – 1.5 Miles to Stowe Mountain
 - 2 Beds - 1 queen 1 regular, mini fridge and ski lockers in each room.
 - 2 Hot Tubs
 - Hot Breakfast each Morning
 - Afternoon Cheese, Crackers and Homemade Soup
 - Free off-street parking and Free Wi-Fi in the rooms
 - Ski Shuttle TBD. *Town runs shuttle*
 - Snowshoe and Cross Country Trails behind Inn link to Stowe Recreation Path
 - Club Sponsored Happy Hour – More to come!

<https://www.innsbruckinn.com/>

Lift tickets at Stowe are extra. If you have any type of EPIC pass, you may have free access or 50% off. Online lift tickets may be purchased ahead of time. Arrive on Sunday, February 25 and check in after 3:00 pm. EPIC Local Pass is still available at a discount rate. Call for info.

\$180 deposit and trip registration form are due by October 3, 2023. Remaining balance in full by January 7, 2024. Cancel by December 1 for a full refund. Online payment option available on the FLSC website includes 3.5% PayPal fee. There are a limited number of single beds in a room at a reduced rate. Call me to find out more.

Stowe Mountain Stats

Trails: 116, slopes and glades, Annual Snowfall; 314, Lifts: 12 lifts 1 Gondola, Vertical drop; 2360 ft., Snowmaking: 83% of all terrain, Summit elevation 4395 ft., Vermont’s Highest Peak, Ski elevation 3625 ft., Skiable Area: 485 acres

Mail payments & forms to: Finger Lakes Ski Club, P.O. Box 161, Auburn NY 13021

For more info, contact trip leader:

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Do you want to plan an Outing ?

Want others to join you?

Hike - Bike - Wine Tour - Dancing

Beer Tasting - Concert - Back yard party????

With all your summer parties...

**Don't forget to RECYCLE
your bottles and cans**

at The Frosted Nickel....



Community Service Project

Proceeds go to the benefit of local school ski clubs

Community Service Project... by recycling your
bottles and cans at

The Frosted Nickel

located at 28 Clark Street.

**Bring your 5¢ returnables in and tell them it's for
the FLSC. 5¢ really adds up!**

Have all family and friends that want to help out drop
off and let them know it is for the FLSC...

*Can't drop off recycling? Make a donation to this
club project via check!*

NEW LOCATION SALE!

STARTS THURSDAY, OCTOBER 5TH AT 11 AM

UP TO 60% OFF PLUS AN ADDITIONAL
20% OFF AT THE REGISTER

ON ALL WINTER JACKETS, ADULT SNOWBOARDS, ADULT FLAT ALL
MOUNTAIN, TWIN TIP, PIPE, AND PARK SKIS



To our loyal customers,

You are cordially invited to a special soft opening sale at our new larger location! Featuring way more retail space, shop space, and triple the inventory of the old store. We still have the same staff you know and love, but are always looking for winter enthusiasts to join the team in a fun work environment. We are proud to continue offering our famous Ski Company advantages including the guaranteed lowest price, the guaranteed lifetime trade-in program, plus the best brands in winter sports. As a preferred customer, shop today before we announce our official opening to the public!

Thank you for your support in making this new store possible and for making Ski Company one of America's premier ski and board shops.



Syracuse
(BRAND NEW LARGER LOCATION!)

5788 BRIDGE ST

SYRACUSE, NY (315) 445-1890

Store Hours: Mon-Fri: 11am-7:30pm

Sat: 10am-5pm Sun: 12pm-5pm

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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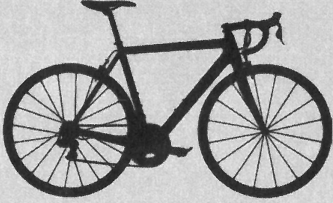
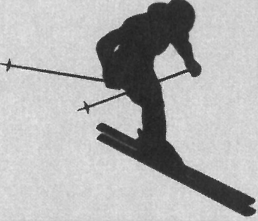
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