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All transportation will be coordinated for you by the Club. If you'd like to arrange your own flight, just let us know and we'll discount the price!

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From the Prez

Another month closer to winter and we're rolling along - this is it folks, the TRIPS ISSUE! Inside you are going to find information about all of our "big trips" that we are doing this year. This season promises to have some of our most epic trips ever and we've tried to offer up something for just about every price range. I'd say that every trip has something special for you, whether you're heading out of the country, taking the party train, living in a tent for the weekend, or joining us on some of our trips that have become tradition – there's much to make you happy.

A couple things are different this year, most notably, the fact that we are actually starting signups for the trips NOW. Our payment plans were a big hit last year, so we've got the trips ready even earlier this year so that you can spread the cost out over the next couple of months. Also, deadlines for the trip signups are on Halloween (eek!) which will allow us time to get you the best deals on flights, but it does mean that you'll have to do some forward thinking about the trips you want join in on.

Don't forget that we've still got some events going on this summer and into the fall. They'll be a great time to get out and meet some new people and talk with our Officers about the upcoming season. After all, you don't need snow to have fun!

2012 Trip Calendar

January	Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
	15	16	17	18	19	Jay Peak	
	VT	23	24	25	26	27	28
2012	29	30	31				

February	Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1	2	3	4
	5	6	7	8	9	Killington	
	12	13	14	15	16	Park City	
	Utah	20	21	22	23	24	25
2012	26	27	28	29			

March	Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	
					1	2	3	
	4	Whistler/Blackcomb						
	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	
	18	19	20	21	22	Stratton		
2012	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	

April	Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
	22	23	24	25	Mammoth		
2012	CA	30					

Want to sign up for a trip or get more information?

Send us an email with which trips interest you, and we will send you the full details.

Payment Plan Options:

- Early Bird Plan – Sign up by 8/31/11. Payments begin in September
- Regular Payment Plan – Sign up by 10/31/11. Payments begin in November.
- You can contact us to make other payment arrangements.



Jay Peak Vermont

Thursday 1/19/12 – Monday 1/23/12

Price: \$950 / \$1000 with glade clinic

Register for payment plan by **8/31**

Regular sign up and deposit due by **10/31**

Price Includes: 3 Day Lift Ticket, Lodging, Train Ticket, Ground Transportation, breakfast and dinner

JAY PEAK
VERMONT



Jay Peak resort in Northern Vermont is not your typical East Coast resort - this resort has an annual snowfall of 355 inches, rivaling many of the resorts out west! Jay Peak is well-known for glade skiing and off-piste fun. This trip is geared to the more serious skiers and riders, since the one thing Jay Peak is lacking are green circle beginner runs. We guarantee that this will be a trip you remember and one you'll be wanting to come back to.

Getting There – The Vermonter. Rather than a grueling car ride, or dealing with the cost and hassles of flying, we'll be going on a train ride on The Vermonter. We'll catch the train in the morning on Thursday for a day-long trip through New England and do the same on Monday when we return.

Get More! - Optional Glade Clinic. For those interested in getting some pointers on glade riding or looking to fine-tune your swagger in the trees there is an optional glade clinic for \$50

Killington Vermont

Thursday 2/9/12 – Sunday 2/12/12

Price: \$550

Register for payment plan by **8/31**

Regular sign up and deposit due by **10/31**

Price Includes: 3 Day Lift Ticket, Lodging, Ground Transportation, breakfast and dinner.



It's not always convenient to make it out west to experience their amazing mountains and snow conditions. Are you feeling anxious with all of these big west trips popping up? Not sure if you can afford a trip of that caliber or be able to take the time off of work? How about a 3 day weekend in Vermont to experience **The Beast that makes molehills out of other mountains?!**

That's right; Chesapeake Ski and Board Club will be making another annual trip to Killington Resort. Only this year we want Killington to be the biggest in trip attendance so grab your friends and let's make it happen!



Whistler Blackcomb

Sunday 3/4 /12 – Sunday 3/11/12

Register for payment plan by **8/31**

Regular sign up and deposit due by **10/31**

Price Includes: 6 Day Lift Ticket, Lodging, Airline Ticket, Ground Transportation, Breakfast and Dinner, Date with Lindsay Vonn (not really).

We've spent years watering our mouths over this resort and are finally able to get out there this coming season! Many of you have asked for this trip, so we thought we'd put it together for this year. Since this is the premier trip for the season, we're doing a full week covering President's Day and will be spending 5 or 6 days on the snow. Whistler can be expensive to get to, and no matter what way you hack it, it's still a hike. We'll be flying in to Seattle, WA and making the 4.5 hr drive to Whistler. It's about \$400 bucks cheaper than flying in to Vancouver and only adds 2.5 more hours in the car each way.

Get More! – Optional Snowmobile Tour

Choose a down-day and hit up a 3 hour snowmobile tour or just relax. Pricing for these options is below.

Six days on the snow - \$1750

Five days on the snow - \$1700

Five Days with Snowmobile - \$1900*

*additional charges for snowmobile equipment rental may apply the day of the snowmobiling (bring cash)

Park City Utah

Thursday 2/16/12 – Monday 2/20/12

Price: \$1250

Register for payment plan by **8/31**

Regular sign up and deposit due by **10/31**

Price Includes: 3 Day Lift Ticket, Lodging, Airline Flight, Ground Transportation, Breakfast and Dinner.

While the season is wrapping up at the local resorts, SLC Utah is still in full swing. Join the Club on another fantastic trip out west to one of North America's premier locations. We'll be hitting up Park City for 3 days on the snow. This will be sure to give you an excellent sample of what Utah has to offer, and continuously keep things as fresh as the pow we're hoping for.

The town of Park City will also keep you interested as it is a sweet town nestled in the mountains just outside of Salt Lake City. You'll find plenty to do from good eats, local drinks, and with any luck, some great music.



Stratton Snow Camping

Thursday 3/22/12 – Sunday 3/25/12

Estimated Price : \$200-\$300 (out of pocket)

3 Days on the Snow

Snow Camping has turned out to be a great semi-annual tradition of the Club. This year we're doing it again and it'll be bigger and grander than ever!

This trip is unique so there are a few things you should know...

This trip is designed with the mantra of *keeping things simple!* Since the weather can quickly require last-minute changes, and estimating the number of people on this trip can be a tough target to hit, we run this as a "Show Up and Go Up" type trip. That means there are no sign-ups, no advance payments, no huge commitments. Just show up the day we are leaving with your gear, some cash, and whatever else you'll need. You are responsible for your own stuff this weekend, from you camping gear to food, to lift tickets. We'll do a food run once we get up there, probably on the second day since we'll arrive late on Thursday night. We'll certainly be in touch with each other regarding gear, so if you don't have everything you need, there's a good chance someone does. We time this trip so that we go when our local resorts are closed. As a result, those of you that have a Night Club Card will get huge discounts on lift tickets!

Complaining about the cold costs \$1.

Mammoth California

Wednesday 4/25/12 – Monday 4/30/12

Price: \$1250

Register for payment plan by 8/31

Regular sign up and deposit due by 10/31

Price Includes: 4 Day Lift Ticket, Lodging, Airline Flight, Ground Transportation, Breakfast and Dinner

For everyone who hates that the season starts wrapping up by the beginning of April, we've got a trip for you! Mammoth Mountain in California has one of the longest seasons in the States, boasting a season that often stretches into June. Our new late season trip will be sure to keep your season going long after everyone else has hung their skis up for the summer.

If the long season isn't enough, check the stats and you'll see that Mammoth lives up to its name by being simply massive - a vertical rise of 3,100 ft, nearly 400 inches of snow a year, and 3,500 skiable acres!

We've priced out a great trip that will get you out on the snow for 4 great days over 5 nights at a time when you simply can't ski or ride just about anywhere else.



Looking for more Adventures?

Check out this Harpers Ferry Tubing Trip with a BBQ Picnic and Beer offered by [Living Social](#). Only \$89

Save the Date!

September 24th we will be doing an overnight trip to [Snowflex](#) in Liberty, VA!

Want to earn some free swag, lift tickets, and possibly your own NCC?

If you got what it takes to be part of our membership committee please hit us up, we would love to hear from you!

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Beaver Dam

The Summer Kick Off at Beaver Dam Swim Club was the perfect way to have some fun, socialize, and cool off this weekend. We cooked up some grub on the grill, did some serious swimming, and even took our chances at rock jumping and the infamous rope swing. All in all it was a great time and we're hoping to get out there again before the summer is over.



Adventure Park August

If you missed Beaver Dam you're not going to want to miss the offseason event. It looks like August is the month for adventure and there has been talk all year long about a ropes/zip line course, and we're finally making that happen! Adventure Park August, mark your calendar now for Saturday August 27th, 2011. What better way to spend the day then to swing from the trees and laugh with some great friends! Reservations do need to be made in advance and depending on how many members attend we can get group rates and possibly add a picnic, dinner, car pool to the mix. With all of this in mind please RSVP to Chesapeakeskiandboard@gmail.com Subject: Adventure Park/Kimie by Monday August 15th. Generally, we will try to plan our events the last Saturday of every month, so feel free to save those dates.



Membership/Night Club Cards

Liberty Mountain Resort released an email today that winter passes were now available for purchase. I know that most of you are probably thinking to yourself "It's August, why would I care?" Well, if you're affiliated with Chesapeake Ski and Board Club you can take advantage of the group rates for Night Club Cards, starting at \$174. That's right... you can hit the slopes every day between the hours of 4PM - 10PM & 3PM – 10PM on Sunday all season long and it's super cheap (it pays for itself in less than 4 trips) and there are no blackout dates. Did I mention that the NCC is good all season long at Ski Liberty, Ski Roundtop, and Whitetail?! Night Club Card sign ups start in September so stay tuned and we'll let you know how to take advantage of this wonderful deal!