

# Tracks Keeping you up to date on the Chesapeake Ski and Board Club

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#### From the Prez

Another month gone and fall is coming! September finds myself and the other Officers busy gearing up our Night Club Card program. Last year we had well over a hundred of us out and hitting the slopes weekly and we'll have a big group again this year for sure. Details for the program are the highlight of this issue!



Trip signups are ongoing as well, details for each of the big trips are up on the website and we have some smaller ones in the planning now. We've also been making incremental improvements and updates to our website so check it often for updates. If you read through the articles, you might even find a way or two to save a Benjamin on our Killington trip...

We're taking our first turns of the season at the end of the month, are you?



## Night Club Card Signups!

Our Night Club Card program is back once

again and signups are on! A NCC will get you a lift ticket any day from 4pm - 10pm (3pm on Sundays) at Liberty, Whitetail, and Roundtop any time after January  $2^{nd}$ . It's basically a Season Pass for night skiing and riding! It's by far the most active thing we do and we're one of the resorts biggest groups. Plus with rates this low and rental packages available, this is by far the most affordable way to get on the snow to learn or just have a good time.

We tend to recommend the Advantage Card. It gives you 40% off of lift tickets, lessons, and rentals and is usually priced at \$84 - \$119 – you get it for only \$20. It will save you some bones if you plan to get out in December when the snow starts flying. Also this card gives STEEP discounts at Stratton, VT any day the three local slopes are closed. This

is a great thing to have for some late season action and especially recommended if you want to come Snow Camping with us!

You can sign up for your Night Club Card through the online system by vising our website or you can come to one of our NCC Signup Events! We'll be having signup events every week during the Early Bird signup period, check our website and Facebook often for details.

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# Check out some of our favorite free skiing apps:





These handy apps let you track the snowfall at your favorite resorts, and download the trail maps right to your smart phone.

#### \$100 Giveaway Fine Print

- Vouchers are for the 2012
   Killington trip only.
- Vouchers are nontransferable
- · Officers are not eligible

Note – Trip Costs are subject to change and will be finalized once we get signups. But, we tend to be pretty good with it so changes will be minimal.

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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#### Night Club Card Options

This year the resorts are also offering a Night Season Pass for \$239 for unlimited access all season long from 5pm – 10pm. The great part is it is a direct-to-lift pass, so you don't have to hassle with going to the ticket office every time. Might want to think about it if you plan on getting out a few times in December.

As a bonus for signing up early, anyone who purchases a Night Club Card by October 15<sup>th</sup> is automatically entered in a drawing for \$100 off of our Killington trip!

## Killington Trip \$100 Giveaways

This year we are going to try something new. We are going to be giving away five \$100 vouchers for the Killington trip. There are several different ways to win these awesome prizes.

- We will be giving away a voucher at Snowflex, and at Go Ape. So be sure to sign up for those summer events.
- Two names will be drawn from the list of people who sign up for their Night Club Card by October 15<sup>th</sup>.
- There will also be a giveaway at one of our happy hour events.

### 2012 Trip Calendar

#### Signup Deadline is Halloween 10/31:

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

#### 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.

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# Snow Flex Sep 24th - 25th



RSVP by September 11<sup>th</sup>, Payment due by the 18<sup>th</sup>. Cost of trip \$60 w/o rentals \$72 w/ Rentals. Transportation, 3 hours, overnight lodging and breakfast included.

One of the most unique surfaces your board/skis will ever encounter. Snowflex is like no other and provides year round training for those looking to learn to ride or hone in their riding skills. The facility offers terrain for all levels, from casual riders to the more advance with several jumps, rails and a quarter pipe. This will be my 4th time back to the facility and I have seen major improvements in my riding from each visit. For more info check out <a href="http://www.liberty.edu/snowflex/index.cfm">http://www.liberty.edu/snowflex/index.cfm</a>. We hope to see you there to get this season started off with a bang!

## Go Ape Oct 15th



Date: October 15th. RSVP/Payment due by Friday 9/30/2011

Cost of Trip: Approx \$63pp including pay pal fees. Email us for pay pal instructions.

We were on our toes all week long wondering if Hurricane Irene would make an impact on our adventure to Go Ape! When we found out the park was only going to be open for morning and mid afternoon sessions we decided to brave it, grab our rain gear and take our chances. We arrived, filled out our paper work and they were getting ready to let us climb... then the park ranger came through and shut us down! We've rescheduled this adventure for Saturday, October 15th. If you're interested in attending please RSVP by email to <a href="mailto:chesapeakeskiandboard@gmail.com">chesapeakeskiandboard@gmail.com</a> by Friday September 30th. The cost of this adventure is \$61 and payment instructions will be emailed to you. From Blizzards to Hurricanes it's always an adventure with the Chesapeake Ski & Board Club! Hope to see you in the trees!

#### Street Team Needed!

We're forming a Street Team to do some promo work for the club over the next few months and need volunteers! All that is required is to show up to an event, hang/hand out fliers, flier cars, and do anything you can do to promote the club. Each event will only be a few hours at most, and it just might work in with plans you already have – Virgin Free Fest, Fell's Point Fest, Renaissance Festival. If you'd like to help out just email us back at <a href="mailto:chesapeakeskiandboard@gmail.com">chesapeakeskiandboard@gmail.com</a> and we'll hook you up. Since we're always giving money back, we're pretty broke, but will hook you up with \$10 off of a Night Club Card purchase and maybe more if you really throw down.

### Social Networking







Members have been providing us with feedback, and some people have asked us to cut back on the number of emails we send out. In an effort to make everyone happy we will be working to limit our emails to newsletters, a periodic update, and information on events you sign up for.

For those members who want more information, we are going to put a larger emphasis on our social networking outlets. So follow us on *Twitter*, friend us on *Facebook*, and join us *Meetup.com*. Click any of the buttons above to go right to our pages. This winter social networking will be the best way to join us for trips to the local resorts, or anywhere else the snow is falling.