

Foxtales

January, 2015



Monthly Meetings are held the first & third Wednesday of the month at THE BAR on Lynndale In Appleton.

Upstairs - Social 7 pm
Meeting 7:30 pm
The next January meetings will be the 7th & 21st

Check out our web site:
www.slyfoxskiclub.org

PLEASE JOIN US

Happy New Year!



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President's Column

Fontaine of Knowledge

I hope everyone had a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. With January, the ski season starts in earnest. Coming up is our Big Snow Trip to Indianhead and Black Jack. That will be January 9 to 11. On January 24, 62 of us are leaving for Davos, Switzerland and Venice, Italy. Our Marquette Trip, on February 13 to 15, and Banff, Alberta Trip, March 19 to 23 still have openings available.

Now comes time when I jump up on my soap box and editorialize. The title is ITS ALL ABOUT THE SKIING. The Sly Fox Ski Club, like hundreds of others across the country, is dedicated to skiing (and oops, riding too!). OK, Snow Sports. Keeping this focus is why we were founded in the first place, and why we have continued for over 47 years. Since skiing almost always involves travel (unless you were born in Aspen). It lends itself to joining together in groups and getting quantity discounts for lodging, lift tickets, transportation. Because volunteers do all the work setting up the trips, pricing them to a razor thin margin, and conducting them, we essentially get wholesale priced ski trips for our members. We focus on maximum fun at minimum cost. Anything that adds cost is weighed on the value it brings to the members. Example: people have asked about using credit cards, Pay Pal (no body has mentioned bitcoins yet, but it is probably only a matter of time). This would probably add at least 10% to trip prices. That includes credit card fees and maintaining a credit card clearing account. Besides putting an onerous burden on our already busy Treasurer, the question of credit card security also is a factor. So, for the foreseeable future, we will be relying on good old fashioned checks and cash. Maximum fun, minimum cost. Until next month, keep your tips up.

Sam Fontaine



Meet up @ Happy Hour
 Start the weekend with the Sly Foxes
FUN BEGINS at 5:30

This is not an official club function but rather just an informal gathering of members for Happy Hour at different locations throughout the month.

- **January 2 - Good Company**
 110 N. Richmond Street, Appleton
 920-735-9500
- **January 9 - Houdini's Escape**
 1216 Oneida Street, Appleton
 920-574-2616
- **January 16 - The 5th Quarter**
 2101 American Drive, Little Chute
 920-687-9751
- **January 23 - Flagstone Bar**
 2820 W. Prospect Avenue, Appleton
 920-734-6832
- **January 23 - Fratellos Waterfront Restaurant**
 501 W. Water Street, Appleton
 920-993-9087
- **February 2 - Applebee's (Neenah)**
 1111 Westowne Drive, Neenah
 920-722-0801

Do You have a Happy Hour location that you would like to see the Sly Foxes meet at?
 Please e-mail: newsletter@slyfoxskiclub.org

Birthdays

January

- 4 - Colleen Gorrilla
- 6 - Lynne Sommers
- 11 - Mary Weber
- 17 - Gladys Hansen
- 23 - Nancy Krejcarek
- 24 - Peggy Lee Hoks
- 27 - Keith Breu
- 29 - Lisa Pastula
- 30 - Newman Edwardson
- 31 - Nancy Casey

February

- 3 - Judy Bramschreiber
- 5 - Betty Wochinski
- 7 - Bill Smith
- 13 - John Olson
- 19 - Dave Marfleet
- 20 - Michael Miller
- 21 - Trudy Olsson
- 25 - Sam Fontaine
- 29 - Vicki Martinek



FRIENDS OF FOXES REWARDS 2014/2015

FRIENDS OF FOXES REWARDS program benefits the existing members and builds the membership of our club with new members for the enjoyment and benefits of organized group rate discount ski trips, other club sponsored functions and most of all the camaraderie.

"FRIENDS OF FOXES REWARDS" awards present Sly Fox Ski Club Members with 10 points (or \$10 towards Sly Fox Ski Club sponsored functions) for all New Members they referred, when they join the club.

To receive FOX POINTS, the New Member must document the referring member on their Membership Form when joining the club.

The FOX POINTS can accumulate during the one ski season that they have been earned and can be used towards club trips, renewal of their present membership dues, Spring and Christmas Holiday banquets.

The FOX POINTS must be used by the end of the season on or before April 30th and cannot be carried over to the following year.

The New Member joining the club may not be a past member of the club within the last 4 years or a renewing member.

FOX POINTS are not transferable to another member.

The new and present members must be a minimum of 21 years of age.

The FOX POINTS will be documented by the Treasurer when the New Membership Form with payment is received.



Membership Form 2014-2015



Membership runs from May 1 to April 30 to anyone over the age of 21.

Please complete the **ENTIRE** form and sign.

Name: (1) _____ Birth Month: _____ and Day: _____

Name: (2) _____ Birth Month : _____ and Day: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Home Phone Number: _____ Cell Phone (optional): _____

E-mail address: (1) _____ (2) _____

In the event of an emergency, please contact: _____ Phone: _____

New Member Referred by: (Enter Sly Fox member name) _____

Circle One

How would you like to receive the "Foxtales" newsletter? (Mailed only if you do not have E-mail) E-mail OR Mail

Would you like to be a Trip Leader?

For an Out West Trip?

Yes

No

For a Midwest Trip?

Yes

No

Would you like to be serve on a committee?

Yes

No

Please recommend one ski destination you'd like to see the club take a trip to: _____

Membership Dues

Membership Type	If Paid by 10/31/14	If Paid After 10/31/14
New Member	\$25	\$25
New Married Members (as defined by the IRS)	\$40	\$40
Renewing Single	\$25	\$35
Renewing Married (as defined by the IRS)	\$40	\$50

Please mail your check for dues made out to: **Sly Fox Ski Club**

PO Box 1613

Appleton, WI 54912-1613

PLEASE READ BEFORE SIGNING

I certify that I am at least 21 years of age and do hereby accept the policies and practices of the Sly Fox Ski Club. I understand that in my participation in club-sponsored events carries a degree of risk of injury or death. I hereby unconditionally waive and release the Sly Fox Ski Club, its officers, directors, agents, and members from any and all liabilities arising from any injury, property damage or loss I may suffer as a result of my actions. Further, I hereby grant full permission to any and all foregoing to use any photograph, videotape, motion pictures, recordings, or other record of any ski club event for any legitimate purpose. Please see the current Sly Fox Club policies or view them at the website listed below.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

For current trip policies and other details, please see the website: **www.slyfoxskiclub.org**



2014 - 2015 SLY FOX TRIP LIST



BIG SNOW - Indianhead & Blackjack

JANUARY 9-11, 2015

COST - \$255 at the Indianhead Resort (w/ Hot tub & Pool)

Initial deposit \$100

Includes: Bus ride, subs on the bus up to Wakefield, 2 nights lodging at the Indianhead Lodge, 2 breakfasts & 1 dinner, 2 lift tickets - Indianhead on Sat. & Blackjack on Sun. The bus will depart from The Bar in Appleton at 6:00 pm and from Wal-mart in Depere at 6:30 pm. Return trip includes a stop for food in Minocqua (on your own) and return around 10:30 pm on Sunday. **Trip Leader: Deb Mossong**



Davos, Switzerland & Venice, Italy

JANUARY 24 - FEBRUARY 3, 2015

Cost - \$2695 (Includes 3 Days in Venice)

Trip Opened June 6, 2014 - \$500 Deposit

Includes: Bus Transfer to & from Chicago O'Hare, Round Trip Airfare from Chicago to Zurich. Bus transfer to Davos. 6 Nights lodging at the 3 Star Hotel Davos, including daily breakfast and 4-course dinners nightly. 5 Day lift tickets for the mountains. Bus transfer to Zurich Airport w/ flight to Venice. Private Ferry transfer to the 3 Star Hotel Continental near the Grand Canal w/ 3 nights lodging. Private Ferry transfer to Venice Airport & Swiss flight to Chicago Tuesday, February 3.

Contact: Sam Fontaine 920-337-0975

MARQUETTE MOUNTAIN

FEBRUARY 13-15, 2015

COST - \$255 at the Ramada Inn (Downtown Marquette w/ Hot tub & Pool)

Initial deposit \$100

Includes: Bus ride, sub sandwiches on the bus, 2 nights lodging, 2 day lift ticket, NASTAR, 2 trail-side lunches. Breakfasts & dinner is on your own (Ramada has a full restaurant available & restaurants for dinner available downtown Marquette). The bus will depart from The Bar in Appleton at 6:00 pm and from Wal-mart in DePere at 6:30 pm and will return around 10:30 pm on Sunday with a food stop in Escanaba (on your own). **LOTS OF FUN!!** **Trip Leader: TBA**



BANFF, ALBERTA, CANADA

MARCH 19 - 23, 2015

Cost - \$1005

Trip Opens Oct. 1, 2014 - Initial deposit \$300

Includes: Motorcoach travel from Green Bay and Appleton to Chicago O'Hare, Leaving at 11:30 am, Returning to Appleton at 4:30 pm. Round Trip Airfare from Chicago to Calgary. Motorcoach transfer to Banff, Alberta. Hotel Lodging at Banff Ptarmigan Inn, 2 per room. Free shuttle to the Ski areas. Hot Tubs & Pool located on premises. 3 Day Lift Pass - Good at Norquay, Sunshine, Lake Louise. (A valid passport is required to participate in this trip.)

Trip Leader: Sam Fontaine 920-337-0975 samfont@athenet.net



GELANDESPRUNG SKI CLUB

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2014-2015 Trip List

www.gelandesprung.org



MARQUETTE DAY TRIP

\$ 80.00

Saturday December 27th

Trip Leader: (to follow)

Assistant TL: (to follow)

We are starting the season & ending 2014 with a Day Trip to Marquette Mountain. Travel in the comfort of a Deluxe Motor Coach. This trip includes travel, lift ticket, snacks & beverages on the bus plus "Lunch on the Mountain!" Bus Loading at [WAL-MART in De Pere](#). The bus will load at **5:30 AM and leaves at 6:00 AM sharp!** The total trip cost is \$ 80.00 due by December 1st, 2014.

SOUTH LAKE TAHOE, CA

FEB 21-FEB 28

\$1,400+

(SEE FULL PAGE SIGNUP)



LUTSEN LONG WEEKEND

\$ 395.00

Thursday January 1st - Sunday January 4th

Trip Leader: (to follow)

Assistant TL: (to follow)

We are heading for MINNESOTA to LUTSEN MOUNTAIN & SPIRIT MOUNTAIN. If you haven't been there you will be pleasantly surprised with our first LONG WEEKEND TRIP in the Mid-West. 3-nights lodging just a short ride from Lutsen. 2-Day Lift Ticket at Lutsen & on Sunday a 1-Day Lift Ticket for Spirit Mountain. Travel included in the comfort of a Deluxe Motor Coach with snacks & beverages. This trip also includes lift tickets for three (3) days. Bus Loading at [WAL-MART in De Pere](#). The bus will load at **2:00PM & leaves at 2:30PM Sharp!** \$100 Deposit by November 17th. Final Payment by December 15th. The total trip cost is \$ 395.00.



BOYNE HIGHLANDS WEEKEND

\$ 430.00

Friday, March 6th - Sunday, March 8th

Trip Leader: (to follow)

Assistant TL: (to follow)

By far becoming our most popular bus trip for the last number of years. We take to the road once again. Boyne Highlands in lower Michigan offers 55 well groomed runs, beautiful scenery and 10 lifts including a high-speed quad. Skiers of all ability will enjoy this Mountain. Two nights Slope-Side lodging at the Highlands, 2 breakfasts and dinner Saturday night are included as well as snacks & beverages on the bus. Saturday lift ticket at Boyne Highlands and on Sunday, lift ticket at Nub's Nob. Bus Loading at [WAL-MART in De Pere](#). The bus will load at **2:00PM & leaves at 2:30PM Sharp!** \$100 Deposit by January 12th. Final Payment by February 9th, 2015. The total trip cost is \$ 430.00.

TRIP SIGN-UP / PAYMENTS 2014 – 2015



Skier 1: _____ ☐ Male ☐ Female
(Name as it appears on Passport, Drivers License or Government issued ID)
 Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____
 Phone: _____ Cell: _____ E-mail: _____
 Date of birth: Month _____ Day _____ Year _____
(Date of birth is required for air travel)
 Emergency Contact: _____ Phone: _____
(Person not traveling with you)

Skier 2: _____ ☐ Male ☐ Female
(Name as it appears on Passport, Drivers License or Government issued ID)
 Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____
 Phone: _____ Cell: _____ E-mail: _____
 Date of birth: Month _____ Day _____ Year _____
(Date of birth is required for air travel)
 Emergency Contact: _____ Phone: _____
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SKI CLUB ☐ Sly Fox ☐ Gelandesprung

(To participate on Ski Trips: You must be a member of either the Sly Fox Ski Club or Gelandesprung Ski Club for the 2014-2015 Ski Season)

Ski Trip	Dates	Trip Payment & Due Dates	Skier 1 \$ Paid	Skier 2 \$ Paid
Big Snow Indianhead & Blackjack Roommate Request ♦ _____ Roommate Request ♦ _____ Roommate Request ♦ _____	January 9 th – 11 th	\$255**/\$230***/\$220****/\$335* Trip opens Oct 1, 2014 \$100 Deposit due on sign-up Balance due by Jan 2, 2015		
Marquette, MI Roommate Request ♦ _____ Roommate Request ♦ _____ Roommate Request ♦ _____	February 13 th – 15 th	\$255**/\$210***/\$190****/\$375* Trip opens Oct 1, 2014 \$100 Deposit due on sign-up Balance due by Feb 4, 2015		
♦ Roommate Requests honored <u>ONLY IF ALL PARTIES</u> agree and rooming is available!		* Single occupancy ** Double occupancy *** Triple occupancy, if available **** Quad Occupancy, if available Total		
		☐ Includes Membership dues Check Amount:		
		Check Number:		

Sly Fox Ski Club Waiver: PLEASE READ BEFORE SIGNING!

If not a member of the Sly Fox or Gelandesprung Ski Clubs, a Membership form must be completed & Membership paid.

I certify that I am at least 21 years of age and do hereby accept the policies and practices of the Sly Fox Ski Club. I understand that in my participation in club-sponsored events carries a degree of risk, injury or death. I hereby unconditionally waive and release the Sly Fox Ski Club, its officers, directors, agents and members from any and all liabilities arising from any injury, property damage or loss I may suffer as a result of my actions.

Further, I hereby grant full permission to any and all foregoing to use any photograph, videotape, motion pictures, recordings or other record of any ski club event for any legitimate purpose.

All moneys paid for a trip canceled by the club will be refunded. Refunds for cancellations by the participant must be submitted in writing to the Sly Fox Ski Club, Board of Directors, P.O. Box 1613, Appleton, WI. 54912-1613. A written request must indicate which specific future Sly Fox event any refund is to be credited towards, or for the Sly Fox Treasurer to issue a refund check. Refunds will only be issued after all of the bills related to the trip have been paid. All decisions on refund amounts made by the Board of Directors are final. By signing and submitting this for I agree that I have read and accept the trip policies as set for by Sly Fox Ski Club.

Skier 1	Name: _____	Signature: _____	Date: _____
Skier 2	Name: _____	Signature: _____	Date: _____

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO:

SLY FOX SKI CLUB, PO Box 1613, APPLETON, WI 54912-1613

PLEASE INCLUDE A COPY OF THIS FORM WITH EVERY PAYMENT

The Sly Fox Ski Club is going to ski



Banff, Alberta, Canada

Thur. Mar 19 to Mon. Mar 23, 2015

\$1005

Open for sign-ups on Oct 1, 2014

Trip Includes:

Motorcoach travel from Green Bay and Appleton to Chicago O'Hare

Leaving at 11:30 am, Returning to Appleton at 4:30 pm

Round trip United Airlines from Chicago to Calgary.

Motorcoach transfer to Banff, Alberta.

Hotel Lodging at Banff Ptarmigan Inn. 2 per room

Free shuttle to the Ski areas.

Hot Tubs and Pool located on premises.

3 Day Lift Pass - Good at Norquay, Sunshine, Lake Louise

A valid passport is required to participate in this trip

Fine Print: You must be a member of the *Sly Fox Ski Club* or *Gelandesprung Ski Club* to participate.

Make payments to: Sly Fox Ski Club, PO Box 1613, Appleton WI 54912

Payment Schedule: Trip is open for sign-up on Oct 1, 2014 either in person or by mail postmarked on Oct. 2

Do not mail deposit before Oct. 1, it will go to the back of the line. Only 50 air and 50 lodging spots are available.

\$300 Deposit on sign-up; \$350 by Dec 3, 2014, Balance by Jan. 21, 2015

A \$10 late charge will be assessed for payments made after these dates.

Cancellations: Full Refund before Dec 3, 2014 ; \$100 Cancellation fee before Jan 21, 2015

After Jan 21, 2014, Refunds are limited to whatever refunds we can obtain
from the lodging , airlines and lift operator, less \$100 cancellation fee.

Questions? Call Sam Fontaine days: 920-337-0975 or email samfont@athenet.net

Do not mail before October 1, 2014

Yes, sign me up for the Banff trip. I have read the conditions stated above and agree to the terms.

NAME exactly as it appears on your passport. Use Skier 2 only if both are at the same address:

Skier 1 _____ Skier 2 _____

Date of Birth (Mo/Day/year) Skier 1 _____ Sex (M/F) _____ Skier 2 _____ Sex (M/F) _____

Passport number Skier 1 _____ Skier 2 _____

Passport Expiration Date Skier 1 _____ Skier 2 _____

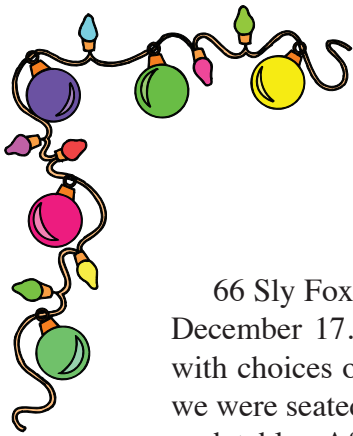
Address _____

Home phone number with area code _____ Cell phone number _____

Email address _____

Signature: Skier 1 _____ Date _____ Skier 2 _____ Date _____

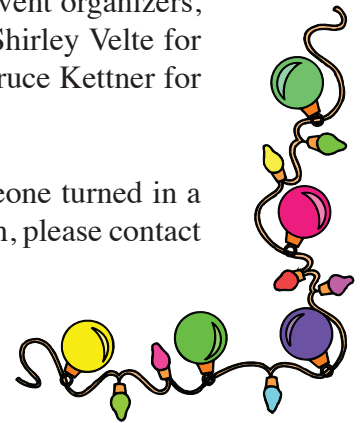
Questions? Contact Sam Fontaine, samfont@athenet.net



Sly Fox Ski Club Annual Christmas Party Wrap Up

66 Sly Foxes and friends gathered for our annual Holiday Party on Wednesday, December 17. Once again, the Red Ox Supper Club provided us a terrific meal with choices of 10 items from their menu. Beginning with refreshments at 6 pm, we were seated and began the dinner at 7:30, after drawing for the wrapped gifts at each table. After dinner (desserts by Veronica by way of Costco) and a few remarks on upcoming events, the gift exchange began. This year, we called people up 5 at a time, and they could “steal” gifts from each other before the next 5 names were drawn. This was a bit more expeditious way of getting everyone their gifts. Finally, we pulled the name for the 50-50 raffle. I won’t tell you who won, but Salvation Army is getting a \$160 kettle stuffer this year. Special thanks to event organizers, Vicky Voght, Julie Buechner, and Deb Bramschreiber, Chris and Shirley Velte for handling registration, and the gift exchange, and Tom Sitter and Bruce Kettner for selling the “wing-span” 50-50 tickets.

Lastly, we had one young lady lose a black bracelet, and someone turned in a watch that was on the floor. So if you found a bracelet or lost a watch, please contact President@SlyFoxSkiClub.org



FOR SALE CORNER

If you are a member of the Sly Fox Ski Club, you can have your item(s) that you wish to sell or buy, placed in the newsletter at no cost. It can be anything you want to sell; not just ski stuff or if you are looking for anything to purchase. To place your ad, simply e-mail the description & contact information to:

Sandy McMonagle @
newsletter@slyfoxskiclub.org.

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Gelandesprung Ski Trip - December 27

Sly Fox Ski Trip - February 13-15

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