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Monthly Meeting & Social, Elections, and 2011 Ski Trip Photos



Crowne Plaza Valley Forge, KOP

Tuesday, April 12th 7:30 pm

Come out to our final meeting of the winter and help us celebrate another great ski year. Trip leaders have collected all of our pictures from this year's ski trips and have forwarded them to Fletcher Swanson who will be presenting a wrap-up slide show narrated by each of the leaders. See yourselves and your friends and the great times we have had on MLSC trips - only the most complimentary picture of each person, of course!

The Nominating Committee will present the following 2011-2012 slate of officers to the membership:

President	Fletcher Swanson
Vice President	Bob Campbell
Secretary	Sally Swanson
Treasurer	Frank Milotich

Election of officers will occur at the meeting.

In addition, the results of the trips survey will be reviewed. The results of the survey will guide the trip coordinators and the Board in the selection of next year's trips. Destinations will be announced as soon as they are known. And remember, early signups are allowed for members only any time before the September meeting! A \$50 deposit will be required to show members' intent.

Questions? Call our Vice President, Fletcher Swanson, at 610-431-1850 or fswanson@rcn.com.

DIRECTIONS: The Crowne Plaza Valley Forge Hotel is located on Mall Boulevard across from the King of Prussia Plaza. If you are coming on 202 North, turn LEFT onto Mall Boulevard, then a right into the hotel entrance road.

Welcome to Newcomers!!

Tuesday, April 12th

7:30 pm

All newcomers and prospective members are invited to an informal gathering at the beginning of each monthly meeting. Starting at 7:30, we will be meeting each other as well as learning about all the ski club has to offer!! We all know that MLSC is a lot more than ski trips!!

Look for the round table by the sign-in table next to the entrance to the meeting room. Sea Kaplan and Rosemarie Romano, New Member/Hospitality Co-chairs, will be conducting these informative and welcoming sessions. If newcomers have questions, call Sea at 610-722-9907 or Rosemarie at 610-688-6192.

MLSC members: tell your friends and co-workers all about MLSC and to come out for this event.

Welcome New Members

Louis Hill	Willow Grove PA	Sandy Fink	Fort Lee NJ
Ursula and Pat Hobson	Philadelphia PA	Hazel Lafleur-Vetter	Media PA
Diane Fromm	Berwyn PA	Judith Waxberg	Lakewood Ranch FL
Karen Blank	Newtown Square PA		

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Message from the Prez



Three years ago, when I started writing these monthly messages I figured it would be easy. In high school we had to write a 150-word essay every Monday morning, in 45 minutes. That was only one semester, but I think I have written a semester's worth of stuff in my monthly messages.

Being President has been lots of fun, since I had lots of help from all the people listed on the left side of this page, so thank you all. Special thanks to Carolyn Bringham, who corrects all of my messages, publishes the newsletter, handles all of our e-mail blasts, and helps maintain our website. Also special thanks to Sally Hilderbrand, our Activities Chair who coordinates all of our events and leads the Wine and Cheese party and Progressive Dinner every year. Also, thanks to Sue McDaniel for her help in planning and arranging the 50th Anniversary Bash. Thanks also to the Dyers, inventors and purveyors of our annual Lobster Feast. Also thanks to all of our trip leaders, Kathleen, Jack Behrle, Glenn and Sally Price, and Sally Hilderbrand. Also, thanks to my wife, Kathleen, for being the "first lady" of the club and being the driving force behind our anniversary cookbook.

I would also like to thank everyone who ran trips or was on the board in our past 51 years—you all have helped us to get this far. Ralph Jensen was VP back in the 60s. As a VP then, you were expected to go on every trip at your own expense—the term "comp" had not been "invented" in the "olden days."

At Casino night last meeting, Bob Campbell won the booby prize for going broke first. Peggy Collingwood was the big winner.

Johnny Bacon, one of our members, has been nominated for Vice President of the Eastern Pennsylvania Ski Council. Like MLSC, the VP of EPSC is also President elect. Way to go, Johnny!

Factoid of the month: OK, I admit that my monthly factoids have come from e-mails I have received over the past several years from my past and current acquaintances. Maybe if I get really bored in the future, I'll compile a list and call it stuff you really did not need to know.

Question of the month: Hey "T", do you really want to be a pig, again, in your next life?

Kathleen and I hope to see you all at many more MLSC events, and of course on the slopes.

Howard

Warmest Thanks!!!

WARMEST THANKS to March's event leaders -- Bob Campbell for the Wine & Dine on March 19th, Rich Schonwald for the Happy Hour on March 11th, and Jim Sayne for the hike on March 27th! Thanks also to Kathleen Weisz for agreeing to do a Movie & Munch on March 6th even though it didn't roster. Bless you, all!

A VERY special "**THANKS SO MUCH**" to all those who assisted Sally Hilderbrand on her ski trip to Stowe, VT on March 3 to 7th. Thanks to Krystyna Knight for helping with the refreshments on the bus, to Helen Angelina for doing "trash duty," to John Kapusta who is always kind enough to help with the wine, beer, and other drinks at the rear of the bus, and to Vivian Kermon, Sally's "roomie", for generally assisting whenever she could -- usually by CARRYING stuff!! This year an extra-special and very BIG "thank you" is due to Rick Izard for volunteering to go back down the hill to search for Sally's ski when it zoomed out of sight, and for also volunteering to go get it two days later when it was finally found. You are a TRUE GENTLEMAN, Rick!!

Wine & Dine at Mythos - BYOB Saturday, April 2nd



6:30 pm

West Chester

Come and enjoy the Greek experience of dining at Mythos, a delightful little BYOB Greek restaurant located on West Chester Pike approx. 7.5 miles west of Newtown Square (252). Here you will enjoy a feast of great traditional dishes - tzatziki, saganaki, pastichio, mousaka, paidakia arnisia. Check out the menu at www.mythosgreekrestaurant.com. FYI: there is a \$3.00 corkage fee for your bottle of wine.

The reservation will be for 10. **Please RSVP to Alleen Andre alleenandre@yahoo.com or call her at 610-209-3614 no later than March 30.** Mythos boasts of "Waiting to Bring the Greek Out of You", so let's get together and create a memorable evening!

Address of Mythos: 2 Waterview Rd., West Chester, PA 484-887-0513

(A little help: Immediately after passing the Goshen Baptist Church, turn right onto Waterview Rd., and Mythos will be on your left.)

Spring Bike Ride on River and Creek Trails



Sunday, April 10th

12:45 pm

Come join us for a Spring ride on the Schuylkill River & Perkiomen Creek Trails. We'll meet at the Betzwood Trailhead around 12:45 pm and leave promptly at 1:00 pm. Together we'll ride 55 minutes up the trails, turn around and ride to the Pawlings Road Trailhead, then take a lovely, woodsy ride along the banks of the Schuylkill back to our starting point. Along the river we should see some spring flowers to brighten our way.

Please contact Jay & Ellen Minnicks at 215-855-6405 or jayellenminnicks@verizon.net if you are interested in joining us.

This is the first of several bike rides we plan to lead along these trails. They'll be of varying lengths and destinations, some including food. So if you can't join us for this ride, look for more to come. Rain cancels.

Happy Hour at The Paddock - Strafford



Friday, April 15th

6 to 7 pm

We continue to have our Happy Hour at the Paddock. Most people arrive around 6:00 and HH ends at 7:00. There is a bar menu for \$5, which might be ample and some discounted drinks. So come out, bring a friend, and join in the libations and camaraderie. (Note we have been able to have the background music lowered.) See you there.

Directions: The Paddock is on the NW corner of Lancaster Ave. and Old Eagle School Road in Strafford.

The MLSC Annual Progressive Potluck Dinner!



Saturday, April 16th

5:30 pm

Radnor/Berwyn area

Around 40 MLSC'ers typically enjoy this evening so you will want to check out the date, then call and reserve **PRONTO** because it has become one of our most popular events!! The cost is \$10 a person for drinks and main course (non-members \$20). In addition, each person must bring either an appetizer, salad, or dessert for **8** people. (Couples must bring two items OR double quantity.)

We begin at 5:30 for wine and appetizers at the home of Rob Kuhne in Radnor. Betsy Kimmel of Berwyn will be our host for the main course and salads. Then it's on to Ralph and Elizabeth von dem Hagen's home also in Berwyn for dessert and coffee.

Call Sally Hilderbrand at 610-489-4718 or contact her via email at shilderbrand@comcast.net to sign up and let us know what you will be bringing. Please be SPECIFIC about your dish so we can be sure to have a varied selection of culinary treats at each place. The **DEADLINE** for reservations is **Thursday evening, April 14th**, assuming we don't fill up before then!!!

For those with reservations, please note: Bring your dish READY TO SERVE (on a dish, platter,

etc.) AND with appropriate utensils. Please LABEL all utensils and dishes with your name. We want you to go home with what you brought!

Directions to Rob Kuhne's In Radnor (# 5 Harford Lane):

FROM King of Prussia and Rt. 202 corridor: Take the EXPRESSWAY towards Philadelphia and get off at Exit 330, Rt. 320, Gulph Mills. At the bottom of the ramp, bear right on Rt. 320 (Montgomery Ave). In a HALF mile (second stoplight) turn RIGHT at the traffic light onto Matson Ford Road. Proceed ONE MILE on Matson Ford Road and turn RIGHT onto Harford Lane. Look for #5 -- Rob's mailbox, and park along the street. Follow the LONG driveway to Rob's house -- you will not be able to see it from the street!

In Rob's words, "We are the third house on the left (number 5) sitting behind house number 3. It is *not* the mansion sitting close to the road. Our drive way starts at the first street light on the left hand side of the road and is between house number 3 and the mansion."

FROM MAIN LINE & SOUTH: From Rt. 30 (at the Radnor Hotel), turn onto Radnor-Chester Road and proceed 0.5 mile where you will turn LEFT onto King of Prussia Road. In just 0.2 mile, turn right at the light onto Matson Ford Road. In 0.6 mile, turn LEFT onto Harford Lane and follow directions above.

Please CARPOOL for this event so there are 2 to 4 people in each car. To carpool, meet at the Radnor Hotel at 5:25 p.m. and follow directions above.

Activities Meeting

Tuesday, April 19th

7:30 pm

Collegeville



It may be early winter, but the Activities Committee is already thinking spring into summer!!! We will be finalizing January events, and then planning February through May/June. New activities and ideas are ALWAYS appreciated so come and give your input!! ALL are welcome! We try to not only plan but have a good time as well.

We will be meeting at Sally Hilderbrand's home in Collegeville. For directions, email her at shilderbrand@comcast.net OR give her a call at 610-489-4718. Hope to see you there!



Easter Sunday, Apr. 24th

No MLSC activities this weekend

Valley Forge Park (Betzwood Bridge) to Mill Grove Loop Bike Ride



Sunday, May 1st

2:00 pm

Last year MLSC bikers enjoyed this beautiful ride so bring your mountain or hybrid bike to the Betzwood Bridge parking lot in Valley Forge Park. Meet up with other MLSC'ers for a delightful spring bike ride via the Perkiomen Bike Trail to Pawlings Road where we will take a "spur" to Mill Grove Sanctuary (home of John James Audubon).

After a snack break on the lawn overlooking the Perkiomen Creek, we will continue on the spur to Lower Perkiomen Park where we will rejoin the Perkiomen Trail and head back to Betzwood. The bluebells are GORGEOUS along this trail and should be at their peak on this date!

Bring water and a helmet (required on all MLSC bike rides!!) as well as a mid-afternoon snack and we'll all share in a snack "potluck" at Mill Grove!!

Contact leaders Jay and Ellen Minnicks at jayellenminnicks@verizon.net or call at 215-855-6405 to let us know you'll be coming. Rain cancels. Total mileage is approximately 10 miles with longer options possible for those who want to go farther.

Kentucky Derby Party

Saturday, May 7th

See timing below



At Howard & Kathleen Weisz's, West Chester

4:00 pm to 5:45 pm Cocktails, Appetizers, Betting
6:04 pm (Race starts - No more betting)
6:15 pm-6:45 pm - Award prizes/Take pictures
7:15 pm Buffet Dinner

We're all too busy to go to Louisville, so let's just get all decked out and come out to West Chester for Kentucky Derby #137...Big Screen/HDTV-style! This Churchill Downs extravaganza has been a celebrated event ever since its inception in 1875. It's all about tradition, it's all about style, it's all about partying, and it's also the greatest two minutes in sports. Held annually on the first Saturday in May, it's the first jewel in the Triple Crown of Thoroughbred Horseracing. It's the biggest party in the South but we've been bringing it out West (to West Chester that is, for six years now!) Who knows, maybe we'll have another local favorite again! No matter what, we'll all be winners with a terrific cocktail party followed by a wonderful Buffet Dinner.

We'll serve mint juleps and sodas/wine/beer, plus a few appetizers. Cost is \$10 p/p for members, \$20 p/p for non-members. Everyone attending must also bring one dish per person (appetizer, side, entree or dessert) and let us know in advance what it is. Before the race, we'll mill around like millionaires in our own "Millionaire's Row", sipping our mint juleps, welcoming in Spring, checking out everyone's Derby Hat, and singing "My Old Kentucky Home." We'll award prizes for "Best Hat", "Fastest Horse" (betting is random) and some other fun Derby trivia. This party is always a big hit and goes on and on, so we have decided to stay in for dinner instead of going out. Please contact Kathleen Weisz at 610-918-3780 or kqweisz@aol.com by Friday, April 29 to sign up for the Kentucky Derby Cocktail/Dinner Party, and to tell her what dish you will bring.

Happy Hour at The Paddock - Strafford

Friday, May 13th

6 to 7 pm



We continue to have our Happy Hour at the Paddock. Most people arrive around 6:00 and HH ends at 7:00. There is a bar menu for \$5, which might be ample and some discounted drinks. So come out, bring a friend, and join in the libations and camaraderie. (Note we have been able to have the background music lowered.) See you there. [Rich Schonwald, 610-356-2936]

Directions: The Paddock is on the NW corner of Lancaster Ave. and Old Eagle School Road in Strafford.

Hike/Stroll Chanticleer Gardens

Sunday, May 15th

2:00 pm



Join us for an easy hike in the beautiful gardens of Chanticleer. For reservations, call Jim Sayne 610-222-0413, cell 610-564-3590 OR email him at jimsayne@yahoo.com (please be sure you get a response to ensure your email has been received!). Meet at **2:00 PM** at the entrance. Bring water, a snack and money for admission. Since parking is limited, carpooling is recommended.

Chanticleer is a 30-acre pleasure garden located outside Philadelphia featuring tropicals, perennials, containers, a vegetable garden, woodlands, and wildflowers from April to October. Entry cost is \$10. For

directions and additional information please use this link. Chanticleer is located at 786 Church Road, Wayne (intersects with Conestoga Rd). Hope to see you there!! <http://www.chanticleergarden.org/index.html>

In case of heavy rain the hike will be canceled.

"Spring Fling" Potluck Celebration



Saturday, May 21st

6:00 pm

Malvern

Join host Steve Hendrix on his screened-in porch and patio for a "Spring Fling" potluck dinner on May 21st -- a MLSC celebration before Memorial Day weekend and the unofficial start of summer! In case of inclement weather, the event will be held inside. You will need to bring either an appetizer, main dish, salad, or dessert. Also be sure to bring all utensils needed for your dish and label them, plus your dish with your name. Cost for dinner including wine, beer, and sodas is \$10 for members, \$20 for non-members (exact cash would be appreciated).

For reservations, contact Sally Hilderbrand at 610-489-4718 OR email her at shilderbrand@comcast.net (please be sure you get a reply to ensure your email has been received!). Tell what you will be bringing and be specific if you can so we can avoid duplications.

Deadline for reservations is Thursday evening, May 19th; reserve early since this event will have a maximum number of participants.

DIRECTIONS: From Rt. 202, take the Rt. 252 South Paoli exit. Go SOUTH on Rt. 252 to Rt. 30 intersection in Paoli (just past the Septa/Amtrak tunnel) and proceed straight through two lights. Turn first RIGHT onto Waynesboro Rd (Waynesboro CC is then on your left) for 0.7 miles to stop sign (Paoli Presbyterian Church is on your right). Turn LEFT onto S. Valley Rd for 0.7 miles to stop sign. Turn RIGHT onto Whitehorse Rd for 0.2 miles to stop sign and turn LEFT to stay on Whitehorse Rd for 0.6 miles and make the SECOND Right onto Rabbit Run Rd. Go 0.6 mi. to the top. Steve lives at #11 Rabbit Run, a white two-story Colonial on the RIGHT. Please park along the street but on only ONE side! Call Steve at 610-647-2267 if you have any difficulty.

May 28 - 30th

**Memorial Day weekend
No activities planned**

FROM THIS



TO THIS



AND HERE'S US



**Join PSC and Friends for a bus ride to
New York State's Finger Lakes Wineries
August 26 – 28, 2011**



We leave Friday by bus for the Finger Lake Wine Region returning Sunday.

All Inclusive Tour:

Two nights at the Ramada on the Lake

Breakfasts

Two Lunches BOTH at Wineries

One Buffet Dinner at the Ramada

AND A

FOUR COURSE DINNER at historic Belhurst Castle

Tastings at 14 Wineries and one Brewery

All this for \$550

Only 30 spots, \$50 per person deposit holds your place (not refundable)

**Send deposit payable to PSC to
Linda LaChapelle, One Braxton Road, Rosemont, PA 19010
610-662-1843 lindala2sail@verizon.net**

Trip Report for Lech, Austria and Berlin

February 2011

Submitted by Jack Behrle, Trip Leader

On Friday evening, 16 MLSC members took off for Munich and ultimately the Austrian ski town of Lech. Located in the Arlberg region of Austria, this area is the cradle of Austrian skiing and the home of Hannes Schneider, an Austrian national hero credited with the invention of modern skiing.

Upon arrival on Saturday, our bus was waiting and after a brief delay trying to locate Sue and Chase McDaniels' ski bag, we headed out for Lech. (The skis arrived the next evening so fortunately Sue and Chase were not too inconvenienced.)

After a three-hour ride to Lech, we had a welcoming drink in the bar at the Hotel Elisabeth, and a sumptuous dinner followed on Saturday night.

Sunday dawned clear, sunny and fairly cold, but the skiing looked terrific so we all walked out the door of the Elisabeth and headed for the myriad of lifts located virtually everywhere. With over 200 lifts included in the area package, nobody complained about the cost which was really modest compared to the good, ol' US of A! (Lift tickets were a bargain, about \$35/day for a six-day ticket!)

Lech is one small part of a vast ski circus of interconnected runs heading virtually everywhere. With Tom Vernon leading us up, we soon settled into a rhythm of cruising to various locations and then heading out in a totally different direction. Trails were all very well marked so nobody opted for a guide. We cruised to Zurs, a neighboring village, Oberlech, St Christoph, St Anton and found getting around the Arlberg region easy and efficient. During our skiing, most of us enjoyed many of the Austrian delicacies on the mountain such as Germknodel, Kaiserschwarm, Apfel Strudel mit Vanillin sauce, etc. After six days of this experience, many of us noted that somehow our clothes/outfits had shrunk! No one had any idea how this happened...

The weather stayed gorgeous all week, and most of us seemed to run out of legs well before they turned any of the lifts off! After six days of skiing, we were all ready for a break so we boarded our bus on Sunday morning and headed for Berlin. Since buses in Europe cannot exceed 100kph, the trip to Berlin took almost 11 hours! (Yes, we stopped a number of times for a break!)

Our arrival in Berlin on Sunday night was quick and seamless since we were all pre-registered. On Monday, we had a five-hour Berlin tour with a bus and a tour guide that gave us all an in-depth orientation to the historic city of Berlin. For the following days, we explored on our own, and all agreed Berlin was a fascinating city and well worth the ride. On Thursday, we flew from Berlin to Frankfurt and then on to Philadelphia.

Already we are planning for 2012, ideas anyone?

Main Line Racers Succeed at Breck! March 6 to 11, 2011

by Kerwin Nailor

We had a great week of skiing at Breckenridge from March 6 to 11, 2011. Lots of blue skies and great snow had everyone in high spirits. As always, there are those of us who just have to test our skill and competitive ability on the race course. Always ready to provide the chance, NASTAR, the long-running recreational racing organization, was there to give us the chance to excel.

First try was on Monday, when Fletcher and Sally Swanson, and Kerwin and Jorie Nailor ran the Green and Yellow courses on intermediate Sundown Trail. Even with perfect conditions, there was disappointment, when only one medal was garnered. Kerwin got a **Silver**, but nobody else scored - big surprise, since all had won at least Bronze medals on prior years' tries. Oh well, there are more days ahead. On Thursday, Kerwin and Jorie went back to the hill to see if Jorie could ski faster after a few days on the slopes. Well, she felt faster, but the officials did not announce her time after the race. We did not find out the results until we called later in the day. **Bronze** it was! Kerwin skied the course again, too, with another **Silver** time.

During the phone call, the race director offered us complimentary runs the next day to make up for the staff error and inconvenience. Needing to go to the course anyway, to get Jorie's medal, and having the complementary offer, we were eager to have one last shot at the hill on Friday morning. At the 10am opening, we were near the front of the racers lined up at the starting gates. Jorie went first, psyched up a little more by yesterday's Bronze medal now in her pocket. No surprise, then, that she got **Bronze** again! Next up, Kerwin, hoping to break out of the Silver rut, ran the course. Success again - **he won the Gold!** Fletcher and Sally were skiing Friday with John Wilusz and Sandy Pyle. They all got to the course around noon, inspired by Kerwin and Jorie's success. Their first runs were great, too and **all won Bronze medals**. As is typical of competitive people, Fletcher and Sally just had to try again; maybe that Silver was within reach. So, back to the course before it closed they went. Giving it the old college try, both moved up a notch and won their first **Silver medals!**



Kerwin and Jorie Nailor

Reflecting on this racing success, it is the first time we can remember of 6 people all moving up one level in medals, and two people moving up 2 levels—for a total of 11 medals. This fits right in with the club's tradition of racing success with Council Cup, ASRA, and national NASTAR competition. Congratulations to all.

A photo of the six MLSC medalists at NASTAR at Breckenridge follows



**MLSC Six Medalists at NASTAR at Breckenridge:
John Wilusz and Sandy Pyle, Kerwin and Jorie Nailor, Fletcher and Sally Swanson**

Note: Kerwin Nailor has been invited to the NASTAR finals at Winter Park, CO the weekend of March 25-26, 2011. So, looking at the list of 10 or so competitors in the male 70-74 Silver category, he says he has a chance to be famous.

MAIN LINE SKI CLUB HILTON HEAD TENNIS TRIP

Saturday, April 30 – Saturday, May 7, 2011

The Tennis: It is time to plan for tennis camp and spring vacation! We will be taking lessons at the South Beach Racquet Club, in the Sea Pines Plantation (a TENNIS Magazine Top-50 Resort).

- Morning clinics have stroke instruction and drills, doubles strategy, and match-play evaluation.
- A pro for every four to six players.
- These clinics are open (and enjoyable) to all levels including beginners.
- Free tennis is available in the afternoon and private lessons can be arranged at extra cost

The Island and where we will be staying:

Hilton Head Island is a vacation paradise with long beaches, golf courses, bike paths though out the island, good restaurants, and lots of shopping. We are staying at condos within walking distance of the courts in the Sea Pines area, sharing two and three bedroom units. Master bedrooms have a king bed and en suite bathroom, non-master bedrooms have a variety of bed arrangements and a bathroom off the hall. Some participants arrange their own housing and some don't play tennis, but enjoy the group fun.

Cost: See the chart on the sign-up sheet (below). The cost includes seven nights in the condos (double occupancy), 15 hours of instruction, a round robin Friday afternoon, and group activities. Guaranteeing a master bedroom is \$25/person (two in a king, known roommate required); guaranteeing a room without a roommate is \$245 (single occupancy). The organizer matches solos with a same-sex roommate – no single supplement is charged if she cannot. Transportation is NOT included; flights are available into Hilton Head or Savannah. Driving time is 12 hours. Non-members must become members, see: <http://mainlineskiclub.com/members.asp>.

Other stuff:

- **Deposits** of \$350.00 (or the full amount) by **February 25** and balance by **April 1**:
 - o Checks made out to Main Line Ski Club
 - o Signup form and check mailed to: Christine Cobb, 850 S. Tamiami Trail #334, Sarasota, FL 43236.
- The normal Main Line Ski Club policies for cancellations will be followed.
- Questions? Check out: <http://www.cjcoobb.com/HiltonHead/HHTennisCamp.html> or email Chris Cobb at Chris@cjcoobb.com or call at 610-308-2468.

Circle Choice	Non-master BR	Master King BR	No housing	Other chgs*	Total
With tennis	575	600	305		
Without tennis	315	340	30		
Other charges (*):		*Single supplement add \$245			

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ (H) _____ (C) Email: _____

Tennis level: Rating: ____ or self-evaluation: _____

Roommate (request) & bed preference: _____

Emergency Contact Name & Phone #: _____

Tell us a little about yourself for a group introduction sheet (where you live, what you do (or don't do) for a living, children, other interests, etc, etc. If you don't fill this in, and I know you, beware that I will write it!

MAIN LINE SKI CLUB SUNDAY NIGHT TENNIS, 2010-11

When Sundays, Beginning September 12th , 4:30 – 6:30 p.m. thru May 1, 2011
Where Springton Tennis & Racquet Club, Rte. 252, Media (610) 356-2003
Cost: \$15/member; \$18/guest of member.
 Cost includes the courts, balls, and refreshments.

SUNDAY NIGHT FORMAT

On Sunday nights we play 4 courts/2 hours per week from 4:30 to 6:30 p.m. The format will be round robin, 4 half-hour sessions.

If the initial response to the Fall program warrants more courts or more hours, we will adjust the program accordingly.

"A-B" Players - Must have a Springton rating of 3.5 or better. The round robin schedule will be organized for maximum competitiveness, according to level of play.

"C" Level// Non-Rated Players - In weeks where there are enough to fill at least one court (4 players) or more, one court will be designated for this group.

To participate, mail the Mixed Doubles Round Robin reservation form, along with your check, **payable to Main Line Ski Club**, to:

Stacey Roehrs
 315 Spencer Road
 Devon, PA 19333

Free Rating Clinics

You are encouraged to have your level of play rated. Springton Racquet Club is providing free ratings clinics as follows: Thursday, September 9th at 1:30pm & 7:00pm; Saturday, September 11th at 12:00pm; Saturday, October 2nd at 12:00am. Ratings are also given the first Saturday of each month - October thru May

You must call 610-356-2003 in advance to register for the rating clinics.

Cancellation Policy:

If you find you cannot make a session you've signed up and paid for in advance, try to arrange for your own sub and have them reimburse you. If you cannot find a sub, PLEASE contact the coordinator as early as possible so they can try to fill your spot. If the coordinator finds a sub for you, you will be eligible for a make- good session. If no sub is found, no refund or make-good session will be given.

Main Line Ski Club Tennis Coordinators 2010-2011 Season

		Home Phone	Work Phone
Overall Tennis Coordinator	Stacey Roehrs	610-804-5891	610-363-7999
A/B Group Coordinator	Stacey Roehrs	610-889-9086	610-363-7999
C Group Coordinator	Sue Kapusta	610-284-1069	610-626-1400 x312
Hilton Head Coordinator	Chris Cobb	610-308-2468	
Ski Club Meeting Spokesperson	Cindy Doan	610-642-0746	215-255-1760

MLSC
TENNIS 2010 – 2011 CONTRACT SIGN-UP
SUNDAY EVENING MIXED DOUBLES ROUND ROBIN
(Circle below all dates that you wish to play)

Mail this form—along with your check payable to Main Line Ski Club—to:

Stacey Roehrs
 315 Spencer Road
 Devon, PA 19333

Per Session: \$15/member; \$18/non-member
 Cost includes the courts, balls, and refreshments.

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

DAYTIME PHONE: _____ **EVENING:** _____

E-MAIL ADDRESS: _____

Level of Play (Check One): A B C

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Note: No tennis scheduled: April 24, 2011 Easter

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Acknowledgement of Responsibility and Release of Liability

The Main Line Ski Club is a year-round social/sports club providing a variety of activities for its members. Most of the activities are, to varying degrees, hazardous. By signing up for this trip/activity, I voluntarily assume the risks involved. By assuming all risks involved, I agree not to hold Main Line Ski Club, its officers or board members, or trip leaders, liable for any accident or injury resulting from my participation in this club activity. After reading, understanding, and accepting the Release of Liability, I hereby make a reservation for this trip/activity.

Signed: _____ Date: _____

Main Line Ski Club Annual Membership Form 2010-2011

Please print legibly:

Member Name: _____

(For Renewals, please include CHANGES ONLY)

Address: _____

Home Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Additional Family Members: _____, _____, _____

E-mail (Print very clearly, please) : _____

Preferred Method of Receiving Ski Tracks E-Mail US Mail *

* Please include a \$20.00 surcharge to receive the newsletter by US Mail.

Interests: Skiing: Eastern Western European Cross Country
Sports: Tennis Biking Hiking Snowshoeing
Socials: Parties Wine & Dine Culture Events/Museums

I would like to help with the following Committee(s)

- Activities Committee
- New Members Committee
- Publicity Committee
- Technical Support Committee
- I am interested in being trained as a possible ski trip leader.

What improvements would you like to see in the Club?

Suggestions for any particular trips or activities: _____

Acknowledgement of Responsibility and Release of Liability

The Main Line Ski Club is a year-round social/sports club providing a variety of activities for its members who must be 21 years of age or older. Most of the activities are, to varying degrees, hazardous. By making this application for membership, I / We voluntarily assume the risks involved. By assuming all risks, I / We agree not to hold the Main Line Ski Club, its officers or board members liable for any accident or injury resulting from my/our participation in a club activity. After reading and understanding this Release of Liability, I / We hereby apply for membership in the Main Line Ski Club.

Member Signature: _____ Date: _____

2nd Adult Family Member Signature: _____ Date: _____

Individual Membership - \$35 * Couple/Family Membership¹ - \$45 *

*** For those electing to receive the Newsletter by US mail add a \$20.00 surcharge to the cost of dues.**

Please return the completed form along with your check, payable to Main Line Ski Club, to:

**Linda LaChapelle, 1 Braxton Road, Rosemont, PA 19010
Membership year expires September 30th.**

¹ 'Family Membership' includes couples living together and all children under the age of 26 living with them.

Linda LaChapelle
1 Braxton Road
Rosemont, PA 19010

Main Line Ski Club *Spring 2011 Calendar of Activities*

Take a look, then MARK your CALENDARS **NOW** so you don't forget!!

Sat., Apr. 2 nd	Wine & Dine at Mythos—West Chester
Sun., Apr. 10 th	Spring Bike Ride on River and Creek Trails—Betzwood
Tues., Apr. 12 th	General MLSC Meeting, Crowne Plaza, KOP—Elections
Fri., Apr. 15 th	Happy Hour at The Paddock—Strafford
Sat., Apr. 16 th	Annual Progressive Dinner—Radnor/Berwyn Area
Tue., Apr. 19 th	Activities Planning Meeting—Collegeville
Sun., Apr. 24 th	Easter—No MLSC activities this weekend
Sat.-Sat., Apr 30 th - May 7 th	Hilton Head Tennis Trip--SC
Sun., May 1 st	VF Park to Mill Grove Loop Bike Ride—Betzwood
Tue., May 3 rd	No Monthly MLSC Meetings until September 13th
Sat., May 7 th	Kentucky Derby Party—West Chester
Fri., May 13 th	Happy Hour at The Paddock—Strafford
Sun., May 15 th	Hike/Stroll Chanticleer Gardens—Wayne
Sat., May 21 st	“Spring Fling” Potluck Celebration—Malvern
Sat.-Mon., May 28 – 30 th	Memorial Day Weekend—No activities planned
Fri.-Sun., Aug. 26 – 28 th	PSC New York Wineries Bus Trip—New York