A Message from Our President

My Fellow Fagowees,

It looks like we have found a new home!!! We will now have all of our formal meetings at the VFW Post 1974 in Parma. The address of the hall is 4305 Woodrow Ave., Parma, OH 44130. Thank you to Bruce and Ivette V and Mike G for finding the hall. It is a nice hall. It is plenty big enough to hold our meetings. It has a big kitchen with a lot of kitchen utensils we can use. There is a storage room for all of our stuff we don't want to carry. The hall has a stage for our shot skis. Nice bathrooms. And, most of all, the hall has a large bar!!! We are now in search of a couple of Kegerators. So, if you know of somewhere to find some cheap Kegerators, or some alternative way of keeping our beer cold let me know!

February 20 we will have a ski and snowboard swap, and tuning party. If you have ski and/or snowboard equipment that you no longer use, bring it in to the meeting. We will try to have ski tuners at the meeting to educate people that would like to know how.

The Fagowees have been doing well at the CMSC races. We are in close competition with the Snowballers ski club. Let's keep up the tradition of coming in first every year. We need a good Fagowees turnout at the weekend races. Look further in the newsletter for the dates of the races. Also, don't forget every Wednesday night there are races that start at 7PM at Boston Mills. If you want to race, get in touch with one of our race committee members; Jered P, Larry F, or Mike K. I hope to see you at one of the races. They are always a good time.

There is no race scheduled for Presidents Day weekend, so let's go get some culture in our life and attend a play. We have group going on Saturday February 17 to the Near West Theater to see the play Aida. These are always fun to attend. See the advertisement later in the Newsletter. If attending a play isn't your thing, then there is a JIFFI skate planned for Tuesday, February 27. We will be ice skating at Halloran Ice Skating Rink. It costs 25 cents to ice skate. Come on and join us and watch me make a fool of myself! Contact Vonne or Naynay for more information.

I hope to see you guys on the slopes!

Cheers! Don

The Newsletter of the Cleveland Fagowees

FAGOWEE MEETING INFORMATION

The Fagowees Ski Club is a proud member of the Cleveland Metro Ski Council

Club Meetings are held on the 1st and 3rd Tuesday of the Month

VFW Hall - Parma 4305 Woodrow Ave.

Doors Open at 7:00pm-Meeting starts at 8:00pm \$6.00 Members- \$8.00 Guests Beer, Wine, Pop and Munchies (Specialty Nights- \$1.00 Additional)

MOVING?

Let us know!

Lisa Giba at membership@fagowees.org

Greeting you at the door will be...

Feb. 6th, 2018	Formal meeting- VFW Hall - Parma 4305 Woodrow Ave.
Feb. 20th, 2018	Formal Mtg.VFW Hall - Parma4305 Woodrow Ave.
Mar. 6th, 2018	Formal Mtg. VFW Hall - Parma 4305 Woodrow Ave.
Mar. 20th, 2018 4	Formal Mtg. VFW Hall - Parma 4305 Woodrow Ave.

50 Years of Fun And Games On Week Ends, Especially Skiing

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HOW TO GET THE FAGOWEES EMBLEM ON YOUR LAND'S END PURCHASE.

- 1. Set up an account at https://business.landsend.com
- 2. Add anyone of these logos to your item
- 3. You can add the logos below w customer number 3017540

4. You can add the logos to your acct. under "my logos" then "associate logos to your account"

Many times, they have free logos and free shipping. Get on the mailing list to be informed of sales.

NEW FROM D.C. CLUB!



1319770-Est. Application Fee: Check w Donna B



1325215 Est. Application Fee:\$8.50



935279 Est. Application Fee:\$8.50

COMING ATTRACTIONS

Go to Meetup.com and Fagowees.org for the most current info

February 9 th -11 th	Kissing Bridge/Holiday Valley Bus Trip Contact Mark P. or Wes G.
February 14 th	Bus Trip to Holimont & Tony's famous Apres Ski Cookout!
February 17	Fagowees Theater Event – Aida @ The Near West Theater
February 22 nd	Happy Hour @ O'Tooles Pub 13601 Detroit Ave, Lakewood, OH 44107
February 23 rd -25 th	Swain Two Contract Bruce V. for lodging.
February 27	Wetto Skate @ The Halloran Ice Skating Rink, 3550 W 117 Street Cleveland
March 2 nd -4 th	Bristol Bus Trip – Contact Rita M. or Yvonne D.
March 10	Euchre Tournament at Cynthia D's house
March 11 – 18	SNOWMASS SKI TRIP!!!! 7 Night stay at the Top of the Village condos!!!!
	Contact Matt K. or Bill W.



Cleveland Metro Ski Council CMSC

I am the representative/delegate for the Fagowees Ski Club to the Council. The delegates meet on the first Thursday of the month with the Executive Board, Trustees, and various chair positions. We meet to discuss issues to the 25 or so clubs who comprise this Council. Any member is always welcome to attend these meetings and is encouraged to do so. Several Fagowees members have asked me why they have not received their copy of the Sitzmark in the mail. This Council publication is now only on the website. Printed copies are being distributed to area ski shops.

In order to read the latest and earlier issues you will need to go to <u>www.skicleveland.com</u> and click on the drop-down box entitled "About Us" and click on publications. On the right side of the page are the quarterly issues. Anyone wishing to submit an article can do and the website details how this is done. If you have any questions about our Council please let me know and I will do my best to have them answered.

Bruce Vinicky <u>440 781-0830</u> <u>bvsnoman@gmail.com</u> <u>cmsc@fagowees.org</u>



The triumphant love story between an Egyptian prince and a slave transcends warring nations and brings a country together. Winner of four 2000 Tony Awards, *Elton John and Tim Rice's Aida* is an epic tale of love, loyalty and betrayal, chronicling the love triangle between Aida, a Nubian princess stolen from her country, Amneris, an Egyptian princess, and Radames, the soldier they both love.







formerly know as WETTO SKATE

WHEN: 6:00-7:30 pm Tues • February 27, 2018 Where: Halloran Ice Rink

3550 W 117th St, Cleveland, OH 44111

SKATE PRACTICALLY FREE! Skate Rental \$1.00 With Own Skates .25cent!! APRES SKATE: 7.30p-?? LUCHITAS 3456 West 117th Street Cleveland, Ohio 44111 Taco Tuesday! 99¢ beef, chicken and veggie tacos from 4-10 pm WHO: Renee S....lives in Solon now, but formerly of the Philly Wetto... & Yvonne, current Wetto dweller

411: Naynay & Vonne decided since it's a JIFFI, what's to stop us from meeting at Halloran, tailgating 6pm in parking lot, ice skating and following up @ Luchitas for Taco Tues? Hope to cya there!!







Trip Includes:

- 2 Night Stay in Swain, NY
- 3 Lodging options (all within walking distance of the slopes, bars & fun!!)
 - 6 person, 2 bedroom condominium, 3 queen beds
 - 6 person, 2 bedroom condominium, 3 queen beds
 - 9 person (lofted), 2 bedroom condominium & loft, 3 queen beds, 3 single beds

Trip Leaders:

Bruce Vinicky (440-781-0830) bvsnoman@gmail.com Don Stricker (914-489-3642) dstric9753@aol.com

Pricing:

CONDOS	MEMBER	GUEST
Condo #1 (6 people)	\$90.00	\$95.00
Condo #3 (6 people)	\$90.00	\$95.00
Condo #12 - Lofted (9 people)	\$70.00	\$75.00

Deposit: \$25.00

Cancellation By: January 24, 2018

Lift Tickets Not Included: Get CMSC pricing for \$40.00 @ the main ticket counter

"Hello Boss? I'm S.O.O.O.O Sick"



Call in sick and join the Fagowees at



A private ski area in New York

Wednesday February 14, 2018

West side pick-up: Bus leaves 5:30 A.M (Sharp) Lakefront Bus lines-13315 Brookpark Rd., Cleveland (Across from Malleys)

East side pick-up: Bus leaves 6:00 A.M (Sharp) Lakeland Community College Park-n-Ride Lot, 7700 Clock tower Dr. Kirtland (Exit 193 for Rt 306 South off I-90)

Members \$ 85, Guests: \$ 90, Lifts Only \$41

No Refunds after February 2, unless event sells Out **Includes:**

Bus, lift Ticket, Continental Breakfast, Coffee, Beer, Wine, Bloody Marys, Etc Also Featuring!

Tony's Famous Apres Ski Cookout, if the event sells out!

Contact: holimont@fagowees.org

Trip Leaders: Tony Tomsic (440-225-5035) and Gary Krusinski (216-925-2221)



WEDNESDAY FEBRUARY 14, 2018 CMSC NIGHT at **Boston Mills Ski Area** *Ski from 4 p.m. to closing* <u>You can also sign up for the races with a</u> <u>chance for glory and awards</u> After race party and awards

CLEVELAND METRO SKI COUNCIL

BRING ONE, BRING ALL TO CMSC NIGHT AT BOSTON MILLS

Verified CMSC members will get \$25 lift tickets***

Come to ski and stay for the party

Race Presented by: CMSC Sponsored by: <u>Buckeye Sports Center</u> <u>Banc Consulting Partners</u> <u>The Law Firm of</u> <u>Reitz, Paul & Shorr</u>

NEED-TO-KNOW INFO for the race:

- Bib pick-up 6:30- 7 p.m. upstairs bar.
- Registration fee for non-series racers is \$10.
- ✤ Races begin at 7:30 p.m.
- Visit <u>www.skicleveland.com</u> for day-of race status
- ✤ For more info, contact: Frank Houdek, (C: 216-403-9191) or <u>fhr14400@gmail.com</u>

***To get verified, clubs to provide lists of members to Boston Mills and to identify their club upon purchase of lift ticket. Please provide lists to Greg Schmid, <u>president@skicleveland.com</u> prior to February 10. Only verified members will receive \$25 lift tickets.

MAIL WITH RACE FEE TO: FRANK HOUDEK, 14400 HUBBARD RD. BURTON OH 44021					
(Make check payable to "CMSC NAME:	•	CMSC CLUB:			
ADDRESS:					
CITY:	ZIP	CMSC RACE CLASS:			
HOME PHONE:	WORK PHONE:	EMAIL:			

February 9-11, 2018 Kissing Bridge/ Holiday Valley Fagouree Bus Trip



WAX LIGHTING PARTY

There will be a 1990's dress contrict based on the dramatters from the movie Grease. Whoever books and acts most like their character wins!

> PLUS, First 10 to sign up and pay will recieve first class accommodations on the bust

BUS TRIP INCLUDES

- · Bus transportation, lift tickets, food, beer and wine
- Westside departure, Friday 6:00pm Lake Front Bus Terminal / Brookpark Rd
- Eastside departure, Friday 6:45pm Lakeland College / Broadmore + Kirtland Rd
- 2 night hotel stay

Sign Up Today!

- PLUS! Continental breakfast in main lobby
- PLUS! Early and late morning departures to the hill
- PLUS! Saturday night party bus to Ellicottville

TRIP COST PER PERSON	Member Price*
4 PEOPLE / 2 QUEEN BEDS	\$240
3 PEOPLE / 2 QUEEN BEDS	\$260
2 PEOPLE / 2 QUEEN BEDS	\$290

\$100 deposit holds your reservation. Balance due, in full, by January 23, 2018. Make check poyable to Fagowees Ski Club or pay in person. Mail check to: Mark Pillon, 13163 East Heather Lane, Columbia Station, Ohio 44028 * Not a Fagowees member? Add \$10.

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Contact Mark Pillon 216-701-5747 mrpillon@email.com

Wes Gussler 216-372-8372 eusswesler@vahoo.com

Bristol Combined!

March 2-4, 2018 Trip Includes:

• Bus transportation to/from Cleveland • Bus party complete with decent beer & somewhat decent wine, subs, pizza, snacks, and special surprises!

• 2 night accommodations at the lovely Canandaigua Inn (pool, hot tub, bar,

restaurant, and frozen lake on premise).

Standard room or suites available.

• 2 day lift ticket to Bristol Mountain (*just like Lake Tahoe, only a tad smaller*).

• Racing awards ceremony.

ROOMS	<u>Member</u>	Guest
Quad Standard	\$305	\$330
Quad Suite	\$320	\$345
Double Standard	\$375	\$400
- 5:00 pm	West Side Dep	parture
- 5:30pm	East Side Dep	arture
Sig	n up today	/!
Rita 440-376-099		
\$125 Deposi	t / \$125 due Jan 16 / Balance due	Feb 6

\$125 Deposit / \$125 due Jan 16 / Balance due Feb 6
Sorry no refunds after Feb 6 unless the trips sells out! Don't need a lift ticket? Deduct \$115

Fagowees Ski Club presents SROYMASS SKI IN / SKI OUT!

March 11-18, 2018

Trip includes: 7 nights ski-in ski-out accommodations 2 bedroom condos, 4 people per condo 5 of 10 day lift tickets for Snowmass, Aspen Mountain, Aspen Highlands and Buttermilk Airfare and transportation from airport Pricing: Parties and prizes!

Member \$1635 / Non-Member \$1660 Ground Only \$1155 / \$1180 Seniors 65+ subtract \$93 No refunds after Feb 5, 2018



Contact:

Matt Klingshirn 440-396-7671 mattklingshirn@yahoo.com Bill Wolohan 216-351-6059 bill@bwolohan.com

Euchre Tournaments



Brrrr . . . LET'S PLAY EUCHRE WHEN WE AREN'T SKIING!

Saturday, March 10th, 2018

Cynthia's house in Medina

Interesting in hosting in the spring? Please see Cynthia & choose the date that works best for you

RULES OF PLAY:

- Arrival: 5:45 p.m. until 6:15 p.m. to eat, drink, & socialize
- Be ready to play: 6:30 p.m. SHARP!!
- BYOB
- Entrance fee: \$3.00 (1st & 2nd place, & maybe 3rd/last place winners take the cash!)
- Bring a side dish or dessert
- Bring a sleeping bag . . . just in case! lol
- RSVP: <u>Euchre@Fagowees.org</u>
- Contact Cynthia (Euchre@Fagowees.org) to be added to the E-mail list for the latest updates!

We need hosts & hostesses for a euchre party at your house!

Check out the numerous free SMART **phone apps** or **pogo.com** if interested in learning how to play or want to brush up on your euchre skills – play against the "robots"/computer!!

2018 CMSC Race Schedule



January 6, 2018 Holiday Valley GS/SB GS January 7, 2018 Holiday Valley SL

January 20, 2018 Swain GS/SB GS January 21, 2018 Swain SL

January 27, 2018 Snow Trails Dual GL/ SB Duals January 28, 2018 Snow Trails SL

February 4, 2018 Boston Mills SL/SB

February 10, 2018 Kissing Bridge Slalom/SB February 11, 2018 Holiday Valley Duals

February 24, 2018 Swain SB Combined/GS February 25, 2018 Swain SB Combined/SL

March 3, 2018 Bristol Combined/SB GS March 4, 2018 Bristol Combined/SB SL Hey everyone! We're taking pre-orders for a CMSC Racing shirt! These will be available at the first Holiday Valley race on January 6th. Check out the photo of the design!

Pricing for the shirts is as follows:

S - XL \$20 2X \$22 3X \$24 4X/5X \$26

Profits will benefit the CMSC Race Program and will also be used for future shirt designs.

- Pre orders can be sent to Becky Bertuzzi via email at bbertuzzi7@gmail.com; cash, check or PayPal

- The shirts are 100% pre-shrunk cotton; they are long-sleeved

- Pre-order deadline is Thursday, 12.21.17 the order needs to be placed by 12.22 to make sure we have them for the first race
 - We will have some shirts available for sale at Holiday Valley, but if you need a larger size (2X and up), pre-order is the best way to go

This is a great way to promote the CMSC and the racing program while we're out and about doing the other activities that we love.

Don't forget - pre-orders are due to Becky (bbertuzzi7@gmail.com) no later than December 21st!



Washington D.C. Fagowees Trip....



BRSC WESTERN CARNIVAL, FEB 3-10, 2018 Presents ~

Whistler Blackcomb Ski Resort: "#1 Three Years Running!"

This resort area was originally known as "London Mountain" and only officially became Whistler in 1965. ... There are two great mountains for skiers and snowboarders: Whistler Mountain and Blackcomb Mountain. Thanks to the glaciers in the area, ski season often lasts into August. Whistler Mountain is a mountain in the Fitzsimmons Range of the Pacific Ranges of the Coast Mountains, located on the northwestern edge of Garibaldi Provincial Park. It is the location of the Whistler-Blackcomb ski resort and the town of Whistler, British Columbia.

Whistler Canada is the largest ski resort in North America and the biggest ski area in the world outside of Europe. Whistler Blackcomb ski resort consists of the interconnected Whistler Mountain and Blackcomb Mountain, and it has an incredible 8,171 acres (3,307 hectares) of terrain, a huge vertical drop of 1,609 meters (1 mile), over 200 marked trails, and plenty of off-piste opportunities. The Whistler ski resort is so big that instead of having a trail map, they have an atlas!

The skiing and snowboarding terrain varies incredibly from gentle slopes and wide groomed cruisers to tree skiing, steep alpine bowls, couloirs and terrain parks. No other resort offers so much variety. Whistler Resort is suitable for all types of skiers and snowboarders, from first-timers to extreme riders who want to ride hair-raising steeps.

What to do in and around the Whistler Blackcomb area if you are not a skier or boarder? A sample of other Whistler winter activities includes snowmobiling, zip-lining, dog sledding, fondue dinners, tubing, ice-skating, and day spas, and of course there's the famous Whistler shopping.

In addition, other best skiing in Canada awards for Whistler Canada are:

- Top overall ski resort in Canada
- Best après, nightlife and restaurants
- Best ski shops



Bits and Pieces



WELCOME NEW MEMBERS!!!

Andy & Kelsey Wozniak Paul Jagielski Angie greenhill Darlene Greenhill Brian Karn Mike File Paula Hanigosky David Root Steve Harmath Frank Sanovich Annie McCool

	Men	Women	Couples	Total
2018 New	13	6	3	25
2018 Renewals	60	44	39	182
Totals	73	50	42	207





February Birthdays

Michael Z.	6
Ann T.	8
Tom M.	8
Nathan S.	13
Bill Jr. L	18
Cynthia D.	18
Erin L.	18
Chuck M.	19
David T.	21
Donna K.	21
Charlotte M.	23
Steve M.	26
Chrissy B.	27
Lee A.	27
Christee B.	28
Jodi L.	28
Tim. L	28







Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		30	31	1	2	3 D. C Fagowee trip
4 Boston Mills slalom race	5	6 Formal meeting	7	8	9 KB/HV trip bus leaves Lakeland	10 Kissing Bridge slalom race And bus trip
11 Holiday Valley duals race	12	13	14 Holimont day trip	15	16	17 Theater Event- AIDA
18	19	20 Formal meeting	21	22 Happy hour @ O'Tooles Pub	23	24 Swain 2 SB combine- d/GS
25 Swain 2 SB combine- d/Slalom 4 Bristol combin- ed	26	27 Ice skating! Halloran ice rink	28	1	2	3 Bristol combined