

Swiss Ski Club of NY

Your monthly newsletter



December 2014

Please log in to the [Swiss Ski Club Website](#) or our [Facebook page](#) for more details or additional events.

If you wish to organize an event, please contact Ioana at events@SwissSkiClub.org

We are looking for Monday dinner hosts. Contact Iona at events@SwissSkiClub.org



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Member's info

Your 2014-2015 membership cards and Winter Calendar have been mailed. Remember to write your name and sign the card. Keep it with you as it is requested to exchange your ski lift vouchers in Sugarbush. If you have not yet renewed your membership, you can do so by logging in to your profile on the [SSC Website](#).

You can always check events on the [club's website](#) or on [Facebook](#). For a preview of what's to come: [Printed Calendar](#), [Bus trip schedule](#) and [Annual Ski Trip](#).

Zoom on...Ski the French Alps!

Ski season has just started and Alpe d'Huez already had record snow!

The resort is one of Europe's premier skiing venues, hosted the 1968 Winter Olympics and one of the featured mountains in the Tour de France. Known as the 'Sunny Island in the Clouds' with 300 days of sunshine, it has 240km of trails, making it one of the world's largest resort and offering skiers runs from easy to difficult. Home to the world's longest run at 16km (10 miles), starting from the 'Pic Blanc' glacier towering at 10,930 ft of elevation.

You will be staying in charming and cozy luxury chalets, located on the slopes. Alpe d'Huez has a lively après-ski life, many shopping options and plenty of sporting options from ice rink, swimming pool, to motor and aerial sports.

\$2,500 (Members) - \$2,600 (non-Members) - Package includes:

- Air Round trip on Swiss Air JFK to Geneva, Switzerland

- Round trip bus transfers from Geneva to Alpe d'Huez
- 7 nights lodging in ski in/ski out chalets at Alpe d'Huez resort. 2 people per room. Individual room with supplement available
- Linen rental and cleaning fees
- All taxes and surcharges
- 6 day lift pass for the Alpe d'Huez domain, including the resorts of Auris en Oisans, Alpe d'Huez, Oz en Oisans, Vaujany, Villard reculas, La Garde en Oisans and Le Freney.
- Welcome dinner and farewell dinner
- Mid week happy hour

Jan 15, 2015: Last Day for reservation

For more information and to sign up contact Barbara Marcoz at pres@SwissSkiClub.org and look at the event details on our website: [Ski the French Alps](#)

NEW - Give the gift of skiing!

Looking for the perfect holiday gift! The Swiss Ski Club has you covered. You can now offer a gift certificate to your love ones for a wonderful ski week-end at the lodge. Whether, you want to offer a bus trip or a regular weekend, we will tailor the certificate to match your needs and make it a wonderful skiing experience with the club. For information, please contact Barbara at pres@SwissSkiClub.org.

Past Months in pictures

We had two very well attended business meetings at O'Cabanon. Wine was flowing and the chef had prepared some tasty snacks to keep the conversation going. We also welcomed two new members that will be an excellent addition to our club! Welcome Azita and Michael!



Upcoming events

Vermont



Sat-Sun, December 13-14 - Wax those Skis :

You need to get a little in shape and tune up those skis, why don't you do that in Vermont. To reserve Contact Carol at waxyourskis2014@SwissSkiClub.org.

Sat-Sun, December 20-21 - Hit the Slopes :

The holidays are just a few days away, why not starting the party early...on your skis. To reserve Contact Stephan at hitslopes@SwissSkiClub.org.

Tue-Wed, December 23-31 - Holiday week :

Enjoy the first snow up at the lodge and celebrate the holidays with friends and family. To reserve contact Francesca at Holidayweek@SwissSkiClub.org.

Wed-Sun, Dec 31- Jan 4 - New Year's week :

The New Years Eve Celebration at the SSC lodge is always outrageous. After you take off your ski boots, put on your dancing shoes. (Okay, après-ski boots and party hats are in there somewhere, too.). To reserve contact Francesca at NewYear@SwissSkiClub.org.

Sat-Sun, January 10-11 - It's Cold so Ski:

A warm sauna, blazing flames in the fireplace and a hot apple cider. Does that sound good? Come enjoy Vermont skiing to experience all that. To reserve Contact Laura at itiscold@SwissSkiClub.org.

Sat-Mon, January 17- 19 - MLK week-end :

Get in on Godi Haab Memorial annual Race, just among ourselves, all in fun. Everyone participates – including snowboarders – regardless of ability. Race day is Sunday. They're the highlight of a long weekend of special skiing and evening fun. Participation in race is optional. To reserve contact Simon at MLK@SwissSkiClub.org.

Sat-Sun, January 24 - 25 - Bus trip 1 :

Bus trips are always fun! We'll board Friday evening in Manhattan, Long Island and New Jersey, and enjoy the good times, a sandwich dinner, wine and bottled water during the rapid ride direct to our lodge. Discount Lift Ticket Vouchers available. Early bird gets a discount, reserve Now!. To reserve contact Noreen at bustrip1@SwissSkiClub.org. [Sat-Sun, January 24 - 25 - Bus trip 1](#)

Sat-Sun, January 31- February 1 - Groundhog Weekend:

To be on the safe side, just in case Punxsutawney Phil get confused with its shadow, ski some more and come enjoy Vermont snow. To reserve Contact Noreen at groundhog@SwissSkiClub.org.

Sat-Sun, February 7- 8 - Super Snow :

Best snow of the season, not to be missed. To reserve Contact Evan at Supersnow@SwissSkiClub.org.

Sat-Mon, February 14 - 16 - Bus trip 2 - President's day week-end :

Who needs a valentine when you have snowy slopes! We'll board Friday evening in Manhattan, Long Island and New Jersey, and enjoy the good times, a sandwich dinner, wine and bottled water during the rapid ride direct to our lodge. Discount Lift Ticket Vouchers available. Early bird gets a discount, reserve Now!. To reserve contact Susi at bustrip2@SwissSkiClub.org. [Sat-Mon, February 14 - 16 - Bus trip 2](#)

Mon-Sun, February 16 - 22 - Family week :

Enjoy a week with your family and friends in Vermont. Singles are welcomed. To reserve contact Rob at PresFamily@SwissSkiClub.org.

Sat-Sun, February 28 - March 1st - Bus trip 3 :

Start the month of March right, go skiing! We'll board Friday evening in Manhattan, Long Island and New Jersey, and enjoy the good times, a sandwich dinner, wine and bottled water during the rapid ride direct to our lodge. Discount Lift Ticket Vouchers available. Early bird gets a discount, reserve Now!. To reserve contact Claudia at bustrip3@SwissSkiClub.org. [Sat-Sun, February 28 - March 1st - Bus trip 3](#)

Sat-Sun, March 7- 8 - Not Yet Spring :

Vermont is still covered with snow and it would be sad to let it go to waste. Let's ski some more! To reserve Contact Joan at notyetspring@SwissSkiClub.org.

Sat-Sun, March 14 - 15 - Bus trip 4 :

Start St Patrick's day early on the slopes! We'll board Friday evening in Manhattan, Long Island and New Jersey, and enjoy the good times, a sandwich dinner, wine and bottled water during the rapid ride direct to our lodge. Discount Lift Ticket Vouchers available. Early bird gets a discount, reserve Now!. To reserve contact Irina at bustrip4@SwissSkiClub.org. [Sat-Sun, March 14 - 15 - Bus trip 4](#)

Sat-Sun, March 21- 22 - One More Run :

Ski Season is not over until we decide it is over! If there is snow, there is skiing. To reserve Contact Maria Christina at OneMoreRun@SwissSkiClub.org.

Sat-Sun, March 28 - 29 - Bus trip 5 :

Final bus trip of the season, don't miss your chance to have all the fun! We'll board Friday evening in Manhattan, Long Island and New Jersey, and enjoy the good times, a sandwich dinner, wine and bottled water during the rapid ride direct to our lodge. Discount Lift Ticket Vouchers available. Early bird gets a discount, reserve Now!. To reserve contact Noreen at bustrip5@SwissSkiClub.org. [Sat-Sun, March 28 - 29 - Bus trip 5](#)

Sat-Sun, April 4- 12 - Family Week :

Enjoy a week with family and friends. Singles are welcomed as well. To reserve Contact Kathi at tourmanager@SwissSkiClub.org.

Sat-Sun, April 18- 19 - It's Not Over Yet :

Flowers might be blooming but we would not know since they are covered with snow. To reserve Contact Kathi at tourmanager@SwissSkiClub.org.

Sat-Sun, April 25- 26 - Last Chance Weekend :

Don't miss it or you will have to wait until next year! To reserve Contact Kathi at tourmanager@SwissSkiClub.org.

New York and New Jersey

**Wed, December 10 -Holiday Party:**

'Tis the season to celebrate! Join us at our traditional Holiday Party to share food and drinks and be merry. Location: Cotta Osteria, 513 Columbus Avenue. Contact Grigor for details at vp@SwissSkiClub.org. To reserve [Holiday Party - NYC](#)

Wed, December 17 - New York Happy Hour:

Let's keep being festive and meet for a drink after work and meet new friends and old friends. Your Host: Noreen Location: TBD.

Wed, January 14 -Business Meeting and Social:

New year, new resolutions. Join us for the first business meeting of 2015. Food and

drinks will be served during the meeting. Friends are welcomed at 8pm. Location: O'Cabanon, 245 West 29th Street. Contact Barbara for questions pres@SwissSkiClub.org

Wed, January 28 - New York Happy Hour:

Now that we have recovered from our Holiday's excesses, it's time to start right back again and meet for a drink after work and meet new friends and old friends. Your Host: Noreen Location: TBD.

Wed, February 11 -Business Meeting and Social:

Ski season is in full gear. Join us for the business meeting. Food and drinks will be served during the meeting. Friends are welcomed at 8pm. Location: O'Cabanon, 245 West 29th Street. Contact Barbara for questions pres@SwissSkiClub.org

Wed, February 25 - New York Happy Hour:

Ski season is fully under way, let's meet for a drink after work to make new friends and see old friends. Your Host: Noreen Location: TBD.

Wed, March 18 -Business Meeting and Social:

We are freshly back from our Annual ski trip. Join us for the business meeting. Food and drinks will be served during the meeting. Friends are welcomed at 8pm. Location: O'Cabanon, 245 West 29th Street. Contact Barbara for questions pres@SwissSkiClub.org

Wed, March 25 - New York Happy Hour:

Let's wrap up our ski season in style and meet for a drink after work to make new friends and see old friends. Your Host: Noreen Location: TBD.

Wed, April 1 - New York Happy Hour:

It is no joke, let's meet for a drink after work to make new friends and see old friends. Your Host: Noreen Location: TBD.

Wed, April 8 -Business Meeting and Social:

Last Business meeting at O'Cabanon, let's make it count. Food and drinks will be served during the meeting. Friends are welcomed at 8pm. Location: O'Cabanon, 245 West 29th Street. Contact Barbara for questions pres@SwissSkiClub.org

Wed, April 22 -Annual Business Meeting:

Season is over, time to wrap up. Join us for annual business meeting. Location: Liederkrantz, 6 East 87th street. Members only - starts at 7PM. Contact Barbara for questions pres@SwissSkiClub.org

Sat, May 2 - Spring Dinner Dance:

By popular demand, we are returning to Battery Gardens. Let's make it another memorable party! Cocktails will be served in the atrium, followed by dinner and more. So get your dancing shoes ready. Location: Battery Gardens Restaurant, 1 Battery Place. Contact Barbara at pres@SwissSkiClub.org for details. To reserve [Spring Dinner Dance - towards the Century Anniversary!](#)



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