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# *SCHNEE VOGELI SKI CLUB*

## *The Green Buzzard*

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**Presidents Corner:** Wow, what a great weekend of Masters Mania racing that we just had! There was a substantially larger turn out than is typical as this was the last race of the season for the PNSA region and there were still a lot of season titles being fought for. I want to thank all of those who showed up and helped make this year's Masters Mania race weekend another great event. We had competitors from all over the Northwest and I heard nothing but positive feedback from all the racers I talked to this weekend and that wouldn't have happened without all of you who donated your time. I especially want to thank Peter Dodd for organizing the whole event: GREAT JOB PETER! I also want to thank John Orefice and Peter Baggenstos for their work and coordinating all the volunteers. **Otto's Corned Beef Dinner is tonight at 6:00 pm.** A big thank you to Jerry and Gretchen Eichentopf for again hosting this fabulous dinner that they put on for us at Otto's Sausage Kitchen. Make sure you thank them when you see them. Also remember that Otto's is open to the public until 6pm, so please don't get there before that, unless you want to buy some of their great sausages (and I highly recommend that you do!) This is one of our most popular events and I hope to see all of you there. The Condor Cup season is finally here. The re-scheduled Condor Cup #1 will be Friday night, March 16th at Ski Bowl. We will have a 6:30 pm start to give as many of you a chance to get up to Ski Bowl as we can and still get everything torn down and put away at a decent time. Get there early so you have time to inspect the course before we start racing. This is your chance to get a warm-up race in before the Club Championship, Snowbird race, Tailgater, and Steak Fry all on March 24th. Whew, that's going to be a fun packed day! We will be auctioning off the Calcutta teams for the Snowbird race at our meeting next week (3/13,) so check the list that Dale handed out at the last meeting, and pick your teams wisely. **Our next meeting will be March 13th at the Buffalo Gap. Doors open at 6:15pm and the meeting starts at 7pm. This will be a pizza night. Hope to see you there.**  
**Scott**

**CONDOR CUP\CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS\SNOW BIRD:** Our rescheduled Condor Cup #1 race is, Friday March 16th at Ski Bowl. We will shoot for a 6:30PMish start. We still have Saturday, March 31st at Meadows and Saturday, April 7th at Timberline scheduled for the other Condor Cup races. Our **SVSC** Club Championships are scheduled for March 24th at Ski Bowl with a back-up at Meadows (separate email the proposed class listing). The Club Championships will be followed by the famous Steak Fry at the Welches Lion's Club (\$10 at the door for a nice steak dinner – BYOB, 6PM doors open, 7ish food served). At our March 13th meeting we will hold the Calcutta on the Snow Bird competition. Bid on one of six groupings of the qualified Snow Bird racers. Payouts for win, place and show. It will be a pizza night.

**MASTERS:** We had approximately 60 racers for each of the Masters races (two slaloms and one GS) and **SVSC** made up about a third of the racers. Peter Dodd and his crew did a great job organizing and running the event. Everyone had nothing but good things to say about the weekend and how the races were run. And the Gumbo and Prime Rib Awards dinner at Huckleberry Inn was outstanding. We even had to seat some of the overflow out in the main dining area. We are waiting on the final accounting, but we expect to see a good profit.

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**PACRAT:** The fourth PACRAT race is scheduled for March 11th at Ski Bowl. We'll see if the boys can make a move up the standings. The remaining PACRAT schedule is: Timberline -3/18/18; Rat Attack – 4/14/18. For more info, see the PACRAT web site: [www.pacrats.org](http://www.pacrats.org).

**Historian:** I want to put out a standing request for Club related pictures you may have and want to see included in the Club's photo albums, face book or Flicker. Contact Christian Bennett.

**Bachelor Blast:** April 6th – 8th, 2018. (Friday - Sunday) A drive-to or carpooling trip. Two days of skiing and two nights lodging. News Flash! NWSCC just announced it has scheduled a Bachelor Blast trip for April 6-8, 2018, staying in downtown Bend at two Marriott properties: the Fairfield Inn and Town place Suites. April 6th is First Friday in Bend, so come over in time to enjoy the event! Further details will be provided soon. Check the NWSCC website for details. [www.nwskiers.org](http://www.nwskiers.org). All members of all clubs are invited!! Cost = \$285 per person, double occupancy. Price reductions for seniors, Super Seniors, and Youth.

**Sex with a Cowboy:** Prior to her trip to Texas, Carol (a blonde chick from England), confided to her co-workers and friends she had three goals for her trip to Cowboy country:

1. She wanted to taste some real western Bar-B-Q
2. She wanted to take in a bona fide rodeo and
3. She wanted to have sex with a local cowboy.

Upon returning, the girls were curious as to how she fared. 'Let me tell you, they have Texas beef to die for and when they bar-b-q it the taste is unbelievable!' 'I went to a real rodeo. Talks about athletes, those guys wrestle full grown bulls! They ride horses at a full gallop, then jump off the horses and grab the bull by the horns and throw them to the ground! It is just incredible!' Then came the big question, 'Well tell us, did you have sex with a real cowboy?' 'Are you kidding? When I saw the size of the condoms they carry in their back pockets I changed my mind!'

(That's a snuff can for the uninitiated) Thanks Bill Leeper

### **Calendar Of Upcoming Events:**

- 🍷 06 Mar. Corned Beef Dinner at 6p, **no earlier Please**, at Otto's
- 📅 13 Mar. **SVSC** Meeting at The Gap doors open at 615p meeting starts at 7p-**Calcutta & Pizza**
- 📅 11 Mar. Pacrat Race Ski Bowl
- 📅 18 Mar. Pacrat Race TL
- 📅 24 Mar. Club Championships & Steak Fry - Tailgater after the Races
- 📅 27 Mar. **SVSC** Meeting at The Gap doors open at 615p meeting starts at 7p
- 🍷 07 Apr. Bus Ride dinner at MHM Cocktails at Trails End 5p.
- 📅 06-08 Apr. Bachelor Blast – Bend
- 📅 10 Apr. **SVSC** Meeting at The Gap doors open at 615p meeting starts at 7p
- 🍷 14 Apr. Rat Attack Party
- 📅 24 Apr. **SVSC** Meeting at The Gap doors open at 615p meeting starts at 7p
- 🍷 28 Apr. Seasons Ender Bender
- 📅 08 May **SVSC** Meeting at The Gap doors open at 615p meeting starts at 7p ( last one )
- 🏹 11 Aug. His & Hers Tourney
- 🏹 25 Aug. Club Picnic and Golf Tourney at Wildwood Park

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