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SCHNEE VOGELI SKI CLUB

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Presidents Corner: Happy Chinese new year, it's the year of the pig. Well, it looks like winter is back on! With a little snow in Portland this morning and the forecast calling for quite a bit more on the mountain starting Friday, it looks like we will have to say goodbye to January's Spring-like conditions and pull out the powder skis! Thank you to Ed Rogers and the crew for hosting the annual Crab and Prime Rib Feed at the Huck – it was a super fun event and the food was amazing! Our first Condor Cup Race is coming up on Friday, February 15th at Skibowl, start time 7pm. See the full race schedule below. The Skiyente's are hosting their annual King Winter Dance this Saturday (2/9/19) at Charlie's with the band Thrillride playing at 8:00. **Our next club meeting is February 12th at the Buffalo Gap. Doors open at 615p and the meeting starts at 7p. Hope to see you there.** – Scott

Membership: Please welcome our newest Full member, Jeff Ely, his sponsors were his brother Alex, and co-sponsors were Gordon Lusk and Jack Walker. We also have a new Associate member, Stasi Rodgers, Stasi's sponsor is his Father Dave. Co-sponsors are Ed Rodgers and Jack Walker

PACRAT Racing: We have 22 PACRAT racers signed up through the club plus several members racing on teams from other clubs. We have had two races so far and the Ruttin' Rats have moved into 1st place. Newcomer Neal Japport has scored two first place finishes to help the cause and the team has had strong participation. The Schnee Ratten team includes racers who could not commit to all race dates so participation and results aren't quite as good. However, that team has some of our faster racers including Mike Peck who was fastest overall in race 2. Remaining race dates are: Feb 24th Ski Bowl, Mar 17th Meadows, Mar 31st Timberline.

Racing: Condor Cup #1: February 15 (Fri) **7pm** @ Skibowl on Dogleg.
Masters Mania: March 2-3 @ Skibowl
Condor Cup #2: March 16 @ Meadows
Club Championships: March 23 @ Skibowl
Snowbird Race: March 23 @ Skibowl
Condor Cup #3: March 30 @ Skibowl

Historian: I am looking for long time Schnee's that have a good story or two to share about the Club Picnic from years past. Please contact me at historian@schneevogeli.com if you are willing to share. 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 2019 NWSCC presents its Second Annual Bachelor Blast from April 5-7, 2019, staying at the Red Lion Deschutes River. The trip price includes 2 nights lodging, a hosted reception, and 2-out-of-3 day lift tickets to Mt. Bachelor. There are discounted rates for seniors, super seniors, and juniors - bring the kids or grandkids! Add on nights and lift tickets at very reasonable prices!

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1. **Ski the Glade Trail Day**, March 2, 2019 (Saturday). A fundraiser for the Mt. Hood Museum and Cultural Center. A fun way to ski from Timberline to Government Camp, the way skiers used to do when there were no lifts. Except that we will now have unlimited shuttle bus rides from Government Camp up to Timberline. Also, breakfast and lunch are included. An you don't need a Timberline lift ticket. Click on the event name above.

2. **Hope on the Slopes** at Mt. Hood Ski bowl, March 2 - 3 , 2019(Sat.-Sun.) A fundraiser for the American Cancer Society. Ski all night. Break all records. The goal is to raise funds for the American Cancer Society before the event, and also to ski as much vertical as possible in a 24 hour period. For more info, click on the event name above.

NOT PC: A woman goes to the doctor all black and blue. Doctor: "What happened?" Woman: "Doctor, I don't know what to do. Every time my husband comes home drunk on Bud Light he beats me to a pulp." Doctor: "I have a real good medicine for that. When your husband comes home drunk on Bud Light, just take a glass of sweet tea and start swishing it in your mouth but don't swallow. Just keep swishing and swishing until he goes to bed in his Bud Light stupor."Two weeks later the woman comes back to the doctor looking fresh and reborn. Woman: "Doctor that was a brilliant idea. Every time my husband came home drunk on Bud Light, I swished with sweet tea. I swished and swished, and he didn't touch me!" Doctor: "You see how much keeping your mouth shut helps?"

3. **Ski to Defeat ALS** at Mt. Hood Meadows, March 9, 2019 (Sat.) A fundraiser for the ALS Association to help those suffering from ALS, which is also known as Lou Gehrig's disease. Just a day event. The goal is to raise funds for the ALS Association before the event, and also to ski during the event. To see more info, click on the event name above.

4. **Oregon Cancer Ski Out** at Meadows, March 10-11 (Sun.-Mon.) A fundraiser for the local cancer institutions. A two-day event for skiers and snowboarders that combines fun, competition, and fundraising with a unique racing format designed to let even novice skiers or snowboarders participate in the fight against cancer. Each year, teams of 5 compete for prizes at Mt. Hood Meadows, in a race that rewards consistency and teamwork rather than individual speed. To see more info, click on the event name above.

Calendar Of Upcoming Events:

- 🏂 12 Feb. **SVSC** Meeting Doors Open at 615p the Meeting Begins at 7p at The Gap
- 🏂 15 Feb. Condor Cup #1 7P Ski Bowl
- 🏂 26 Feb. **SVSC** Meeting Doors Open at 615p the Meeting Begins at 7p at The Gap
- 🏂 2&3 Mar. Masters Mania Ski Bowl
- 🏂 12 Mar. **SVSC** Meeting Doors Open at 615p the Meeting Begins at 7p at The Gap
We will also hold the **Calcutta** to bid on who will win The Snow Bird – Pizza Night
- 🏂 16 Mar. Condor Cup #2 MHM
- 🍷 19 Mar. Corned Beef Dinner at Otto's. 6pm (no earlier)
- 🏂 23 Mar. Club Championships SB and Steak Fry
- 🏂 26 Mar. **SVSC** Meeting Doors Open at 615p the Meeting Begins at 7p at The Gap
- 🏂 30 Mar. Condor Cup #3 Ski Bowl
- 🏂 09 April **SVSC** Meeting Doors Open at 615p the Meeting Begins at 7p at The Gap
- 🍷 20 April **SVSC** Season Ender Bender Party
- 🏂 23 April **SVSC** Meeting Doors Open at 615p the Meeting Begins at 7p at The Gap
- 🏂 14 May **SVSC** Meeting Doors Open at 615p the Meeting Begins at 7p at The Gap
Last Meeting of this Season-Pizza Night

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