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Upcoming Events

SnoBall

September 9, 2005

Dragonboat Practice

September 10, 2005

R Mac HH

September 16, 2005

Sailing Weekend

September 23-25, 2005

MS 150

September 24-25, 2005

Dragonboat Festival

October 1, 2005

SNOBALL 2005

Friday, September 9, 2005 8:30 PM - 1:00 AM

Clarion Hotel, Rt. 70, Cherry Hill, NJ

Over \$12,000 in Door Prizes - 5 Grand Prizes

- ❖ Bormio, Italy
- ❖ Steamboat, Colorado
- ❖ Jay Peak, Vermont
- ❖ Winter Park, Colorado
- ❖ Round-Trip Airline Ticket to any ski destination in the U.S.



Music – Cash Bar / Food

Talk With Representatives From Major Ski Resorts.

For Additional Information Call:

Siobhan @ 856.608-1320 -or-

Mike@609-417-1159 -or-

Brad or Robin @215-969-4736 -or-

FLSC Hotline @ 856.931.4462 -or-

Tickets@FallLineSkiClub.org

Portion of Proceeds Donated to U.S. Ski Team.

Tickets: One For \$5 or

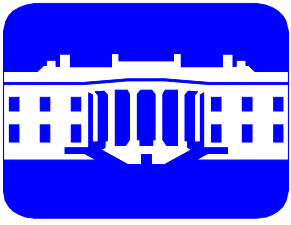
Five for \$20 - In Advance;

\$15 Each At The Door.

Check out our website for more activities

www.FallLineSkiClub.org





President's Message

Get It With G

Hello everyone. I do not know about everyone else, but right about now I could use a nice winter breeze to blow into town to cool us off a little. Speaking of cooler weather, the first of our weekend trips will be opening up soon for all of our weekend warriors. You may want to mark the dates from the enclosed schedule so you do not miss it.

However, before we get deep into the winter season we still have a lot of good summer events that are coming up. For example, The SnoBall will be held this year at the Clarion Hotel on Friday September 9, 2005 and is located on Rte 70 & Rte 295 in Cherry Hill, NJ. If you do not get a chance to purchase your tickets from a fellow Fall Liner, don't worry because you can purchase tickets at the door, but for an added price. You may want to consider buying them early. Each ticket gives you the opportunity to win one of our fabulous door prizes. This list includes Jackson Hole; Bormio, Italy; and Winter Park to name a few. This is a huge fundraiser and the party includes a DJ, cash bar / food. There will be representatives from many of the major resorts, so you can ask them any questions that you have without leaving town. Don't forget to stop and check out the latest ski equipment as well. Fall Line is challenging every member to bring a new friend to this fun event to help us keep our membership going strong.

Our well-known Halterman Fall weekend trip is coming up in October and is being lead by our experienced veteran, Mr. Chris Nast. During this weekend all who attend usually have fun playing golf, hiking, biking and dancing the night away at AJ's. For any interested parties contact Mr. Chris Nast to sign up because this trip will sell out fast.

We need everyone to come out and cheer on all the Fall Liners who are participating in the Dragon Boat Race to victory. Mike Gramsammer is doing a good job directing us Fall Liners during our grueling practices. The Dragon Boat Race will be held on October 1st and this will be a great opportunity for Fall Line to attract some new members into the club. So, while you are cheering us on remember to stop and talk to a potential new member about the #1 ski club in the Delaware Valley – Fall Line.

Steve Lange is running our MS 150 bike ride event being held in September. He is looking for Fall Liners who have a business or who just want to make a donation to contact him. The donation will go to the Fall Line team for a bike shirt, registration signup, and the MS Society. This is another great event that will give Fall Line a lot of exposure, and a fun day for all. More details on this event are outlined in the article in this newsletter.

Wow, I am tired just thinking about all the fun events to come. See you at SnoBall.**G**

Flying W Happy Hour
Medford, NJ
Friday - September 30, 2005
6:00 PM - ??

Come out to Flying W for one of their last outdoor deck happy hours of the season on Friday September 30th. The weather should be nice by then, perfect weather to enjoy another outdoor happy hour with your Fall Line friends. After it gets dark, come inside to their Avion Lounge(Inside Bar), to listen to the band *No Relation*. There is no cover charge that night and the band will be playing from about 9:30 PM to 1:00 AM.

The specials that night are:

Inside (Avion Lounge)
Mixed Drinks - \$1 Off
Beer and Wine - .50 cents off

Outside Bar (Poolside)
\$1.50 Miller Lite Drafts
\$2.50 Foster Drafts

No RSVY needed, just show up ready to have fun

Flying W is located at:
60 Fostertown Rd, Medford, NJ 08055

For directions, call the Restaurant at
(609) 267-8787, or check out their website at
www.flyingwairport.com

Dues
Just a reminder!
Membership dues go up \$5 after Snoball, 9/9/05
Renew at the meeting, Snoball or by mail before
9/9/05 to get the discounted price.
Check your mailing label to see if you
need to renew.
For membership information go to the website at
www.FallLineSkiClub.org



MEETINGS, MEETINGS AND MORE ...

General Meetings... are held the first and third Tuesday each month (*except for December*) at The Elephant & Castle on Route 70 in Cherry Hill. Meetings are from 8:00 pm until 10:30 pm for trip sign-ups, announcements, information and socializing. Please bring a friend, for newcomers are always welcome.

Board Meetings... are held the 2nd and 4th Tuesday of each month and start at 7:30 p.m. In order for the board to discuss all agenda topics in a timely fashion, members who wish to attend a meeting must contact the Fall Line President prior to the meeting. Your cooperation in this matter is appreciated.

Winter Trip Committee Meetings... are conducted by Bill Caden, board member and Winter Trip Chair, and occur monthly. Please call Bill (856/461.4157) if you are interested in attending or participating.

ABS Committee Meetings... are conducted by Carrie Silk, board member and Summer Trip Chair, and occur monthly. Please call Carrie (609/410.1232) if you are interested in attending or participating.

MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION

Fall Line Ski Club membership begins May 1 and ends April 30. Membership applications for renewals and new membership are accepted anytime during the year. The membership fee is \$25.00 through 9/9/05 and \$30.00 afterwards.

Members have the privilege of attending all Fall Line Ski Club activities during the summer season as well as next ski season. Membership applications may be obtained at any General Meeting, on the penultimate page of most newsletters, at our web site at www.FallLineSkiClub.org or through the mail by contacting:

Robyn Taddei
9109 Verree Road
Philadelphia, PA 19115-2801
Phone: 215/969.4736
eMail: Membership@FallLine.org

The membership application should be completed in a legible manner to ensure the proper forwarding of all club correspondence. Any member not receiving the newsletter should stop at the membership table during a General Meeting.

Changes in address or phone numbers should be reported as soon as possible so that you may remain informed of all Fall Line events and activities.

It's Snow Problem!

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DON'T BE AFRAID OF WAIT LISTS

by Bill Caden

We are all busy and have trouble managing our time to fit it all in. So you walk up to the trip leader for your chosen winter ski trip to your absolute favorite mountain, with your filled out sign-up sheet in hand and start writing out your check and the leader says "That makes you #____ on the Wait List."

Your heart stops and your stomach crawls up your esophagus into your throat because of those 2 little words, **WAIT LIST**. You try to explain that all your friends are on that trip, you meant to come to the last meeting, but something came up and it's the only time your no good boss will let you have off. Unfortunately your excuses are to no avail, because you are still #____.

- #1 Don't fret. **Get on the Wait List**. All too often, the smart people that thought far enough ahead to sign up early enough to ensure their spot on the trip, are now not so sure because they didn't think enough to check with their boss and now have to cancel off because their boss is an even bigger schmuck than yours is because they absolutely won't give them that week off, even though the trip is still 4 months away.
- #2 **Get on the Wait List**. Last minute emergencies do happen, as do unfortunate injuries. And let us not forget about the unplanned break-ups of not so forever loves. The emergencies and injuries and the "I can't stay with him/her" any more for some, translate into opportunities for others. I can't recall any recent trips that have not had to tap the Wait List pool to fill the trip out.
- #3 **Most importantly, plunk the money down and GET ON THE WAIT LIST ANYWAY**. Seeing significant numbers of people on a Wait List allows the Winter Trip Committee to judge the popularity of each trip and allows them to start thinking about expanding the size of a given trip to accommodate more participants. If the Wait List numbers aren't there, there is no perceived need to expand a trip. Be aware, that just like the airlines need to overbook flights to best keep their planes flying as full as possible, FLSC needs to keep **some** level of people on a wait list, just in case #1 and #2 happen.

The bottom line is, the more people that sign up on a Wait List, the better the chances of those people on the wait list going on the trip.

Stratton, VT

Dec 9th –11th, 2005

By: Maryanne Teesdale

Let's get it started!!!! Well Fall Liners it's that time of year again. It's time to Kick off the ski season and what better place to do it than Stratton, Vt. Forty-two Fall Liners will be returning to the Lifeline Lodge, which offers no-frills basic lodging, but it gets the job done with two indoor hot tubs, one outdoor Russian spa and an on-mountain location. The lodge is within easy walking distance to the village for shopping, restaurants & lift area or if you don't feel like walking you can catch the shuttle that runs daily. Stratton has over 90 trails, a vertical drop of 2,003 feet, multiple lifts, one 12-passenger gondola and their snowmaking covers over 90% of the terrain.

As always, the bus will be departing promptly at 6:00 (that's PM – Mark Williams) on **Friday, December 9th and will be returning approximately 11:00 PM on Sunday evening, December 11th**. It's a short bus ride up and with Jerry at the wheel, I'm sure it will be a smooth trip. Terry Family has agreed to make her now famous jello-shots. For those of you who didn't get the recipe last year, that's one cup cold Vodka & one cup hot Vodka. So come on along...catch up with old ski buddies, meet new ones, relax, enjoy, drink, ski and let's get the ski season started!!

The early-bird discount sign-up price is \$194 when the trip opens on September 20th, after that date it will increase to \$214. Contact Maryanne Teesdale at (609) 889-4054 or via e-mail at mteesdale@ipak.com.

Want To Have Some Fun On The Water?

September 23-25, 2005

By: Brad Land

Then come with Fall Line as we join Captains Todd, Dick & Bob on a weekend sailing trip in Maryland.

We will depart from Middle River on Friday evening, September 23rd and sail to a Marina to spend the evening. The marina is fully stocked with a great dining place and beverages, of course.

Saturday morning, we will depart on our sailing vessels for a full day of sailing on or near the Chesapeake Bay.

Saturday evening we will arrive near Annapolis (weather permitting). The Marina has shower facilities and is within walking distance to local pubs

Your boat is your home away from home for the weekend. Beverages, breakfasts & lunches are included (dinner is on your own).

Sunday the group sets sail for the return sail to Middle River. Everyone in the group has the opportunity to take the helm (conditions permitting). Captains Todd, Dick & Bob are great teachers, as well as expert sailors. This weekend will be lots of fun and hopefully, lots of sun. Enjoy the Fall Line way.

Contact trip leader Brad Land to sign up (Home # 856-784-8524 or cell 609-605-0861). The cost of this weekend sailing adventure is \$250. A \$125 deposit will hold your spot at the August 2nd meeting. Space is limited to 14 spots and is expected to go quickly, so come early for sign-up and remember that you must be a current member.



Fall Line Ski Club

2005 ABS Schedule as of September

This schedule is a work in progress, prices are subject to change.
Come to an ABS meeting and help us plan

| EVENT DATE | EVENT NAME | EVENT LEADER | SOME FEATURES | OPENS | PRICE |
|-------------|-----------------------------------|--|--|---------------------|---------------------------------------|
| 9/9 | Snoball | Mike Gilbert 856-983-8157 | Great party and even better door prizes | Open | \$5 for one, \$20 for 5, \$10 at door |
| 9/10 | Dragon Boat practice-on the water | Mike Gramsammer 856-810-1196 | On Schuylkill River | Open | See below |
| 9/16 | R Mac's Happy Hour | Beth Eilers 609-518-0182 or 609-346-4244 | R Mac's – Happy Hour Haddonfield, NJ. Extended discounted drinks to those who RSVP | RSVP Beth Eilers | OYO |
| 9/23-9/25 | Sailing the Chesapeake | Brad Land 856-784-8524 | Sailing on the Chesapeake | 8/2 | \$250 |
| 9/24-9/25 | MS 150 Bike Ride | Steve Lange 215-333-9838 | Team Fall Line Ski Club See article for details | Call now | See article |
| 9/28 | Dragon Boat – Off-water practice | Mike Gramsammer 856-810-1196 | E&C 7-9PM | RSVP Mike | OYO |
| 9/29 | ABS Committee Meeting | Carrie Silk 609-410-1232 | Carrie's House 7PM | RSVP Carrie | OYO |
| Sat 10/1/05 | Dragon Boat Festival | Mike Gramsammer 856-810-1196 | Come party with the Dragon Boat racers. \$ includes breakfast & lunch (T-Shirt to early sign-ups) | Open for non-rowers | \$20 non-rowers |
| 10/14-10/16 | Pocono Halterman Weekend | Mr. Chris Nast 610-449-3784 | Spend the weekend and enjoy the scenic Pocono area | Open | \$65 |
| Fri 11/4 | IMAX II | TBD | IMAX Theatre and Pub Crawl. More info to come. | TBD | TBD |
| Sat 11/12 | Lion King Broadway Show | Nona Luce | Bus trip to NYC to see Lion King. | Open | \$150 |

MS150 Bike Ride – September 24 & 25

Over the past years, many Fall Line members have participated in the Fabulous MS-150 Charity Bike Ride. This year Fall Line is entering our own team to help fight this terrible disease. Mike Gilbert and Steve Lange will be organizing our team. If you have been on this ride before, you know you can simply select Fall Line as your Team when you sign up. If this event is new to you, and you want to learn more about it, you can visit the MS 150 Web Site: <http://www.ms150biketour.org> or contact Mike or Steve. Here is a preview of what you can expect!

Named by Bicycling Magazine as the “Best Cycling Getaway in NJ,” the 25th Anniversary MS 150 City to Shore Bike Tour promises to be the best cycling journey on the east coast.

Ride with over 6,000 cyclists of all ages and cycling abilities for the challenge of your choice with several route options. Enjoy flat terrain as you travel through the blueberry fields and the NJ Pine Barrens and into the sweet smells of salt-water taffy and ocean air in historic Ocean City, NJ.

This ride is fully supported with catered rest stops, bike support, and SAG transportation. Ride as many miles as you can. Choose from these routes:

New This Year!!!

- One-day, 25-mile
- One-day, 45-mile
- One-day, 75-mile
- Two-day, 75 mile each day
- Two-day, plus extra 25 mile loop (scenic Century)ons:

Our promise to you:

Rest Stops every 15-20 miles stocked with fresh fruit, snacks and refreshing beverages;

Full lunch both days, pasta dinner on Saturday, and continental breakfast on Sunday;

Bike mechanics at each rest stop and constantly roving the route;

Luggage transport from the start to the finish each day;

Jitney service to transport you and your luggage to your hotel; Smiling volunteers cheering you on and keeping your spirits lifted when the cycling gets tough;

All the fun you could hope for: enjoy themed rest stops and excitement at each finish line.

Ordinary people, just like you, are taking extraordinary challenges to make a difference in the world. Are you up for the challenge? Get your heart pumping and your mind racing as you push yourself beyond limits you never dreamed possible!



Fall Line Ski Club

2005-2006 Winter Trip Schedule as of September 2005

All FLSC trips include Lift Tickets. FLSC provides Beer, Wine & Soda on weekend bus trips.

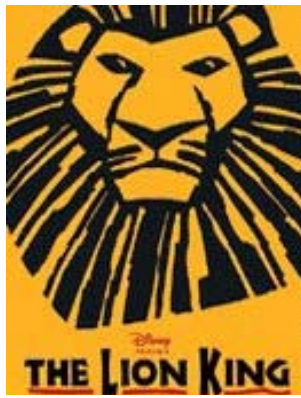
Extended trips include air and ground transportation. Lodging is two per room.

Prices Are Subject To Change

| Date | Location | Trip Leader | Lodging | Some Features | Opens | Price |
|---|------------------------|-----------------------------------|------------------------|--|------------------------|------------------------|
| December 9 th – 11 th | Stratton, Vermont | Maryanne Teesdale 609-889-4054 | The Liftline Lodge | On mountain lodging, 2 days skiing and non-stop Parties | Sept. 20 th | \$194/ \$214 |
| December 14 th – 19 th | Snowbird, Utah | Bob Suravage 609-654-5521 | The Lodge At Snowbird | Roundtrip airfare Phila. - Salt Lake City. All Mountain Snowbird/Alta ski pass | Open | \$829 |
| January 6 th – 8 th | Okemo, Vermont | Steve Beach 856-627-8565 | Best Western Ludlow | Lodging in Villiage , Lifts and continental breakfast | Oct. 4 th | \$335/ \$355 |
| January 7 th – 14 th | Steamboat, Colorado | Sara Walls 609-747-8582 | The Lodge Condos | Non-stop airfare Newark - Hayden. 5 of 7 day lift ticket. Welcome wine & cheese party. | Open | \$1109 |
| January 20 th - 22 nd | Killington, Vermont | Ed Keating 856-429-0708 | North Star Lodge | Fall Line's favorite, outdoor pool/hot tub combo | Oct. 4 th | \$349/ \$369 |
| January 27 th – February 5 th | Bormio, Italy | Pat Maguire 856-772-1120 | **** Hotel Rezia | Non-stop airfare Newark to Milan. 1 night Milan/7 nights in Bormio with daily buffet breakfast & dinner. 6-day Alta Valtellina ski pass. | Open | \$1749 |
| January 28 th – February 4 th | Jackson Hole, Wyoming | Jim Morris 856-795-2446 | Wort Hotel | Roundtrip airfare Phila. To Jackson. 5 of 7 day lift ticket. Group party. | Wait List | \$1329 |
| February 3 rd – 6 th | Sunday River, Maine | Sally Velez 856-273-9079 | Snow Cap Inn | 3-day Weekend including Super Bowl Party | Oct. 18 th | \$399/ \$419 |
| February 10 th – 12 th | Mt. Snow, Vermont | Deb Gallagher 856-802-6356 | The Lodge at Mt. Snow | 2 nights lodging, 2 breakfasts and 1 dinner. Après ski party on Sat. night. | Oct. 18 th | \$344/ \$364 |
| February 24 th – 26 th | Sugarbush, Vermont | Kati Galiszuski 856-795-5193 | Inn at Sugarbush | Return to a favorite Fall Line area and Inn. Breakfast included! | Nov. 1 st | \$344/ \$364 |
| February 25 th – March 4 th | Taos, New Mexico | Dave Lummis 856-787-1338 | The Inn at Snakedance | Roundtrip airfare Phila. To Albuquerque. 5 of 7 day lift ticket. Breakfasts. Group Party. | Open | \$1219 |
| March 2 nd – 5 th | Jay Peak, Vermont | Deb Taraska 609-747-8582 | Hotel Jay | Ski In/Out, 2-hour group lesson or mountain guide for 2 days. 3 breakfasts, 2 dinners and a wine & cheese party | Nov. 15 th | \$435/ \$455 |
| March 3 rd – 11 th | Engelberg, Switzerland | Ann Marsteller 856-772-9414 | Central Hotel | Non-stop flight JFK-Zurich. 7 nights lodging. Daily buffet breakfast and dinner. 6 day lift ticket. | Open | \$1659 |
| March 30 th – April 4 th | Winter Park, Colorado | Marge Gilbert 609-440-3897 | Crestview Place Condos | Non-stop airfare Phila. To Denver. 5 nights lodging in 6 person condos. 4 day lift ticket | Open | \$699 |

Prices in **bold** reflect early sign-up discount. This discount is available only at trip opening for weekend trips; for weeklong trips it's available for the first two meetings the trip is open. You must be a member to sign up!





See The Lion King on Broadway!

by Nona Luce

Date: November 12, 2005

Cost: \$150 per person
(As with any show ticket, the cost is non-refundable)

Contact: Nona Luce at 856-778-1942 for tickets.

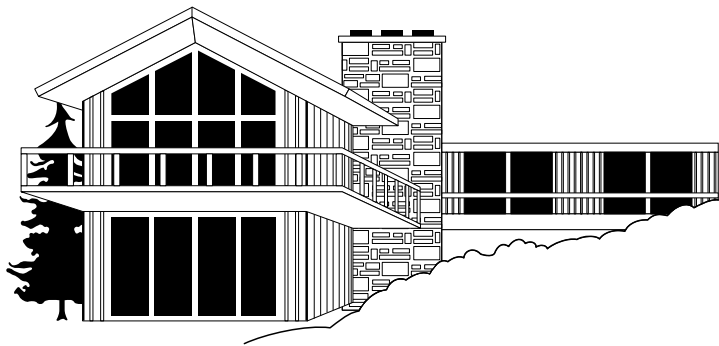
There are only 42 tickets available and this event will be opened to non-members and other clubs, so if you want to go, purchase your tickets now.

Cost Includes: round trip motorcoach from Cherry Hill to Manhattan, tip for bus driver and 1st mezzanine seats to the 2pm performance. The rest of the day is to yourself to either shop, sightsee or have dinner. We will arrive in Manhattan early enough to have lunch before the show and you will have time to have dinner after the show.

Arrangements for pickup time and departure time from Manhattan are still being worked out to give us the most time in the city.

“YOU HOPE ALL NIGHTS IN THE THEATRE WILL BE LIKE THIS!”

Giraffes strut, birds swoop, gazelles leap! The entire savanna comes to life and, as the music soars, Pride Rock slowly rises out of the stage. This is “The Lion King.”



Home for rent on Seabrook Island

3BR, 2BA home for rent on Seabrook Island, outside of Charleston, SC.
Ideal time for golf, walking on the beach, viewing the decorated Charleston homes:
Friday to Friday of weeks beginning December 2 and 9.
Great deal...
Call Fran Harrelson 856-728-5324.

Marvel at the breathtaking spectacle of animals miraculously brought to life “in a blaze of fabulous imagination” by a cast of over 40 actors. Wonder at the inspiration of award-winning director/designer Julie Taymor, as one of the most successful films in history is stunningly recreated live on stage. Thrill to the pulsating rhythms of the African Pridelands and an unforgettable score including Elton John and Tim Rice’s Oscar® -winning “Can You Feel the Love Tonight” and songs by South African composer Lebo M, Mark Mancina, Jay Rifkin, Julie Taymor, and Hans Zimmer.

The winner of six 1998 Tony Awards, including Best New Musical, it is the story of a young lion cub named Simba who struggles to accept the responsibilities of adulthood and his destined role as king. To bring the classic 1994 film to life, Disney turned to the story’s roots, its rich mythology, powerful human drama and primal African rhythms to create a fantastic new musical unlike anything Broadway has ever seen.

Treat yourself and your friends and family to a memory that will last a lifetime at the musical Time Magazine calls “awe-inspiring! A gorgeous, gasp-inducing spectacle!”

SNOBALL DONATIONS

By: Patty Shearer

As you know, Fall Line’s SnoBall is scheduled for September 9, 2005 at the Clarion Hotel in Cherry Hill, NJ from 8:30 pm – 1:00 am. This is the Ski Club’s only fundraiser and we are searching for companies that are interested in donating prizes. If you are self-employed perhaps you would like to donate a prize to be auctioned off at our SnoBall. If not, please check with the company you work for to see if they would be interested in donating a prize.

All donators will be listed in the Ski Club’s Newsletter and on the Website. It is a great opportunity to have your company name advertised to a large audience. For additional information, please contact Mike Gilbert (President-Elect / SnoBall Chair) at **856/983.8157** or via e-mail to SnoBall@FallLine.org.

Thanks so much for your assistance in helping me make this a successful event for the Club!

Ski Chalet for Rent

Ski Chalet for rent, Killington VT, Christmas week-Saturday 12/24/2005 to 12/31/2005. Sleeps 10+ people, 4 bedrooms, two baths, 1 sauna and passes to the health spa / pool at Pico. It is across from Casey Caboose on Killington access road.

Asking \$2,000 for the week.
Phone Ted at 609 567 5675 day, 609 820 0837 night.



Dragon Boat Race

By: Janice Lynch and Mike Gramsammer

Even though the Dragon Boat Festival is not being held until October 1, 2005, training for the race team and alternates, along with collecting donations for the Fox Chase Cancer Center, will continue throughout the summer. Also, you can try your luck at winning the Miller Lite Guitar at any of the general meetings for only \$2 per chance. All proceeds will go to Fox Chase Cancer Center. If you wish, you can make a straight tax deductible donation by making your check payable to "Fox Chase Cancer Center" and giving it to Janice Lynch.

The FLSC Dragon Boat team had its first two practices so far. There was a lot of splashing and laughing going on. Next water practice Sat., September 10th at 2pm (note change in previous time) at Lloyd Hall, behind the Art Museum, in Philadelphia. If the weather does not cooperate, the practices will be held inside Lloyd Hall on their paddling machine. In addition there will be a practice on 8/28 at 7pm at the Elephant & Castle backroom. All FLSC members are welcome to join us during practices to watch the team get ready for the big day. A happy hour will be held in Philly after the practices. Please note: We will be meeting at a different location on Race Day.

Come on down and support your FLSC team!

Never ski alone...

by Glenn Myers

Editors Note- Glenn wrote this as part of the Alaska trip. It did not fit in the original article, but we thought everyone would enjoy learning what Glenn learned the hard way.

Tuesday ahhhh...the snow day, but then again Tuesday afternoon, just after it sort of cleared out from the storm...I was skiing alone and dropped in on the North Face. Up at the first drop in point I traversed over to the right trying to get to some untracked powder that I just assumed would be there (I was wrong, but that comes later....)

To my amazement, the white out socked right back in. What was once a calm and gentle cat track across the north face, quickly turned into a freaky and fast vertigo as I felt the last bump (whoopie woo) on the cat track. The next sensation I felt was free falling, and then rolling very fast head over heels. Once I realized that I was gaining speed, I quickly started digging my heels in as hard as I could. Luckily I did this as I only was looking up at about 30 feet of almost sheer vertical. Sheer because as I turned around to look up at where my skies were, the mountain was on my chest.

I could see the florescent orange of my pole straps murling through the whiteness of my surroundings and I thought to myself, I am in some serious crap now. It took me a good 35-40 minutes to climb up with crusty give-able snow underneath about 2.5 feet of powder to deal with. I would climb up 10 feet to slid back down 4 to 5. When I thought I had good footing, I would be sliding back. I felt like I was the game Donkey Kong.

Moral of this... don't ski alone.. you never know when a white out is going to get you.

Oh btw.. 2 skiers did stop briefly to tell me how much of a predicament I was in before they continued on their way. Gee, thanks guys. I knew that there was nothing

that they could have done to help me (but if they had a rope, I would have been quite miffed).

Alaska was a trip in of itself. The locals were all so friendly, kind, and polite. What a vacation !!! Great trip leader and a great bunch of Fall Liners to make a fantastic time...

HH - R Macs Pub

Friday, September 16th
5:00 PM - 8:00 PM

Come on out on Friday, September 16th and party with Fellow Fall Liners on the deck of R Macs Pub in Haddonfield, NJ. R Macs is located on Crystal Lake Avenue in Haddonfield (same road as the Westmont PATCO station).

A modern rock band "HardAttack" will be playing that night starting at 9:30 P.M. until 1:30 A.M. This is a band that is sure to keep things going!

Drink specials that night are:

- \$3.00 Wine and Mixed Drinks
- \$1.50 Domestic Bottle and Draft Beer
- \$2.75 Imported Beer - Bottles and Drafts

Happy Hour specials generally run until 6:00 P.M., but R Macs is willing to extend these specials for Fall Liners until 8:00 P.M.

RSVP is required since a list must be provided to the bar staff of Fall Liners eligible for the extended Happy Hour specials. Please email the names of all attendees in your party to Beth Eilers - hocps@yahoo.com.

If you would like more info, or directions to R Macs, please call the bar at (856) 854-4255.



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Ber, wine, soda, snacks, and continental breakfast are included. Dinner at Cricket Hill can be arranged if enough golfers commit or there are many fine four star (subjective) restaurants in the area.

Sound interesting? See (Mr.) Chris Nast at a meeting or contact him at 610-449-3784 or chris.nast@verizon.net

Cost: \$65 per person (this includes cabin, beverage, 2 continental breakfasts and snacks).

The Trip is open. Hurry! Limited to the first 25 signups!!!

Options abound for adventurers or the sedate. You may choose to: Golf at the "World Famous" and very scenic Cricket Hill Golf Course; Hike or bike the numerous local trails and parks; Enjoy the quaint architecture of the many local towns filled with opportunities for antique collectors; Kayak, canoe, boating, and fishing on a huge body of clear, clean water; or just relax with a good book and beverage on the water lapped shore line of the "Halterman Estates". A few hardy souls (me included) have even been known to go swimming if the weather is right!

What better way to end the summer and prepare for winter's embrace than with a mind-clearing weekend enjoying nature's at its finest!

Fall Line returns once again to the Poconos for the weekend of October 14-16. We'll have deluxe accommodations (indoor plumbing), entertainment (liberated/librated/opinionated Fall Liners), atmosphere (campfire under the stars), and gorgeous surroundings (fall colors) literally overlooking Pennsylvania's 2nd largest lake.

**Fall Golf/Foliage Outing at Halterman Estates
on Beautiful Lake Wallenpaupack.**
By: Mr. Chris Nast