



“A ski club...  
and a whole lot more”

### October at a glance

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### GM SKI CLUB Website:

[www.gmskiclub.org](http://www.gmskiclub.org)

(recent photos, upcoming events, membership applications, bylaws, forms, and fun music)

MDSC Website: [www.mdscski.org](http://www.mdscski.org)

#### Deadline

The deadline for articles or pictures submitted for inclusion in the next newsletter is the second to last Thursday of the month.

The deadline for the next issue is:

**5:00 p.m. October 24, 2002**

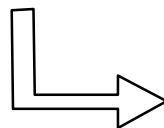
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c/o Les Skrzycki  
451 Heights Rd.  
Lake Orion, MI 48362



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# NEWSLETTER

SKI CLUB

OCTOBER 2002

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GM SKI CLUB FOUNDED 1957

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### October GENERAL MEETING

## Thursday October 10, 2002

(Always the 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of the month)

Our **NEW** location for the general meetings will be:

### 14th Street Steak House

350 E. 14 Mile Road  
Madison Heights, MI Phone # 248 589-9900

Just East of John R on the South side of 14 Mile Road, across from the Oakland Plaza shopping center.  
Parking in rear of Building.

October general meeting is:

### Halloween costume night.



& second best costume.

Come dressed in your favorite costume (optional) There will be a prize for best

Gregg,

Hospitality

**\$3.00 Admission for our members and \$5.00 for Guests**



## GM SKI CLUB BOARD OF DIRECTORS

### President

Les Skrzycki, 248-693-1794

### Vice President

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### Treasurer

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### Ski Trips

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The board meets once a month, the week after the General Meeting

## TO JOIN THE GM SKI CLUB:

Please send completed application below along with check (payable to "GM Ski Club") to:

**GM Ski Club**  
451 Heights Rd.  
Lake Orion, MI 48362

Or sign-up at our General Meeting. Membership runs Oct. through Sept. Mail changes of address to the above.

**You don't have to work for General Motors to belong to the GM Ski Club!**

## October Birthdays

- 1 Michael Linebaugh
- 5 Karen Bergeron
- 5 Lance Englund
- 12 Christine Rollins
- 27 Connie Casey
- 31 Dale Goolsby

## Board Meeting

Everyone is welcome to attend the monthly meeting of our Board of Directors, held the Tuesday after the general meeting. We order drinks and dinner at 6:30 p.m., socialize, and also conduct club business.

The next board meeting is Tuesday, Oct. 15, at Chi Chi's, just south of 14 Mile Road and one block east of I-75.

**-G.M. Ski Club Board**



# Calendar Of Events

## October

- 5 Sat Windsor Raceway-Windsor Ontario Dinner, Music and horse racing  
Call Les 248 693-1794
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Watch for flyer for more info and at General Meeting.



## November

- 9 Sat Little Abner/Daisy May Dance
- 14 Thur General Meeting, 14<sup>th</sup> Street Steak House
- 16 Sat Feather Bowling at the Cadeux Café 4 p.m. Bowling and dinner after
- 19 Tue GMSC Board Meeting
- 28 Thur Thanksgiving
- 29 Fri Toronto by Train to see the Lion King.  
Watch for Flyer in next Newsletter

## December

- 12 Thur General Meeting, 14<sup>th</sup> Street Steak House
- 14 Sat Holiday Party Location to be Announced
- 25 Wed Christmas
- 31 Tue News Years Eve



## GM SKI CLUB MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: (day) \_\_\_\_\_ (Evening) \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

- RENEWAL MEMBERSHIP \$20
- NEW MEMBERSHIP \$25

In consideration for me being able to join the GM Ski Club, I agree to abide by the GM SKI Clubs By-Laws and constitution. Membership runs October through September.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

How did you hear about the GM Ski Club?  Friend  Newspaper

Racing  Event (list)

### Skiing Interest:

- Downhill
- Racing
- X-country
- Snowboard

### Skiing Ability:

- Beginner
- Intermediate
- Advanced

### I'd like to help:

- Ski Trips
- Publicity
- General Meetings
- Activities
- Other (list) \_\_\_\_\_

• Referral: I am a New Member and was referred to the GM Ski Club by:

Referring Members Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Payment made by:  Cash  Check Check # \_\_\_\_\_

# Memo to the Wise

October 10 is the deadline for renewing your membership at the \$20 rate!

After midnight, October 10, it will cost all current members the new member price of \$25 to continue receiving all the many club benefits.

Either way, as a new member or a renewal, when you sign up, you will receive, with our compliments, a deluxe CD carrying case with the GM Ski Club logo.

**-Membership  
Committee**

## Coming Ski Trips

Here is an idea of some of the ski trips in the works for next winter, (more will be added as the information comes in):

◆ December night get-together [with discount] at Mt Brighton, Alpine, Mt. Holly and Pine Knob.

◆ New years party at Brighton or some place better.

◆ January 13 to 16 learn to ski (snowboard) trip that includes ski in/out plus daily lessons to improve your fun.[[www.bluemountain.ca/](http://www.bluemountain.ca/)].

◆ February 15-22 seven nights at The Trickle Creek Residence by Marriott ski-in/ski-out, breakfasts, 6 days lifts, night skiing 1,800+ skiable acres [[www.skikimberley.com](http://www.skikimberley.com)].

◆ February 28-March 2, romantic Petoskey weekend.

◆ March 14-16 Carnival weekend.

Think SNOW

**Alan Urban**

## Newsletter Production

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If you have mailing or collating needs, please contact Sandy Horton at Oakland School Autism Program, (248) 288-4523. There is no charge, but small donations are accepted for program activities (pizza parties, etc.)

## Treasurer's report

The treasurer's report for August 31, 2002 is \$12,474.66.

**-Linda Urban  
Treasurer**

## Editor's Notes

Submissions to this newsletter will be accepted in any visual, but not verbal, form. Electronic transmissions are preferred.

We can design the flyer, so long as you provide the accurate information.

The deadline, carved in stone, is 5:00 p.m. on the second to the last Thursday of the month.

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## Presidents Corner

Fall is upon us and the temps are beginning to dip; it seems like ski season is just around the corner. Now is the time to think about getting those skis out and getting them tuned up. I know I am. I am hoping that all of you have signed up for one or 2 of the trips we have planned. I think that the Kimberley trip is an outstanding value. I hope to see most of you on this one. Watch for and read in the newsletter of other MDSC trips planned as well. The calendar is full again this month with things to do. Don't forget to renew your membership at this month's meeting; it will be your last chance for the renewal rate. Keep your newsletters coming so you can stay abreast of all the events.



There were some changes made last month to the calendar of events so I hope everyone read those and updated their personal calendars. I am looking forward to Ted's pub and La Fondue this month; these are a couple of my favorite places. If there are questions or comments or ideas, please let us on the board know of them. We try our best to put together good trips and fun events, but it takes you, the membership, to give us feedback to let us know how we are doing. Let us know by email or comments on the web or just talk to us at the meeting.

The articles that we include in the newsletter are informative and hopefully enjoyable. They are for your benefit and amusement; please help us help you. Let us know if there is something you see, that might be as helpful to the rest of the membership.

See you at the next meeting.

**Les Skrzycki, President**

# Kimberley British Columbia

## **KIMBERLY, BC—“The Bavarian City of the Rockies”**

Bonus for first sign-ups...only 28 places total

\$799.00 for the works!

(10% less than last year)

\$100.00 Deposit holds your spot  
for all this:

- ❖ 7 Nights at the new Trickle Creek Residence Inn by Marriott
- ❖ 6 days lifts on 1,800 plus skiable acres, 2,400 plus vertical feet
- ❖ Longest Run “4” Miles—Wednesday-Saturday Night Skiing

Something for everyone: 20% beginner, 45% intermediate, 35% expert

- ❖ Ski in/ski out . . .free breakfasts

February 15<sup>th</sup> to the 22<sup>nd</sup> prime ski time

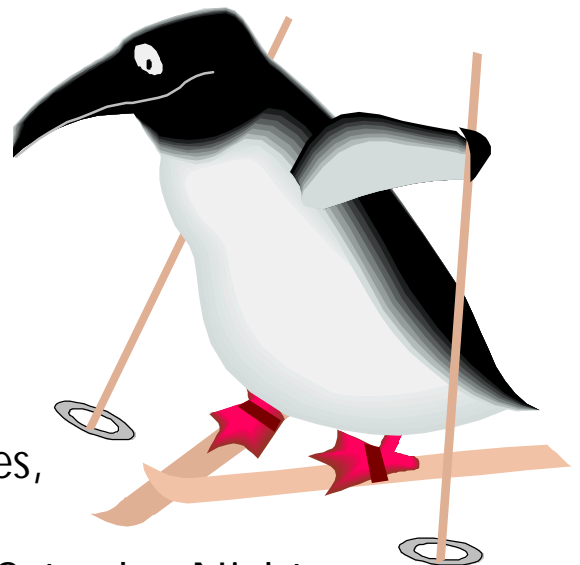
Outdoor heated pool and hot tubs. . .

full kitchens, gas fireplaces

Fly out of convenient, friendly Windsor Airport

To Sign up, Contact Alan Urban, [alurban2001@yahoo.com](mailto:alurban2001@yahoo.com)

248-525-2520



Payment

schedule

\$100 now

\$350 Nov. 10

\$349 Dec. 11