### **TCSC Snowplow**



February 2022

## **Ski Days are Here!**



The ski season has kicked into high gear and TCSC members have been actively playing in the snow. Elk Senior Tuesdays are popular. The Holiday Valley/Holimont trip was fabulous, and Mother Nature has even sent snow for the cross country skiers and snowshoers. There is still time to sign up for Ski with Heart Day at Bristol. Killington Midweek and New Hampshire might have some openings. There is even a cross country trip to the Tug Hill Area on the calendar. Check the website and with the trip leaders for details.

#### **Elk Mountain Aims to Please**

You don't have to be a senior to ski at Elk on Tuesdays, it's just a little cheaper if you are. The snowmaking and grooming are top notch, making the mountain a skier's delight. Join the happy skiers in the pictures above and below for a great ski day, if you can.





Top photo: Tuesday group at Elk Mountain.

Left: Lorraine L., Jill M., Ingrid J., Marie M., Wayne M. and Richard G. enjoy a lunch break at Elk. Right: Walt B., wears his fuzzy hair hat at Elk.

#### **Holiday Valley and Holimont Fun Days**

Single digits and sunshine with little to no wind greeted TCSC skiers at Holimont on Friday and Holiday Valley on Saturday, making for pleasant ski days. Warmer temps on Sunday brought some wind but the skiing was still great as the club added two new resorts to its trip roster. The weekend's activities included a cocktail hour at the inn on Friday and a dinner where the crowd cheered on the Buffalo Bills on Saturday. See more pictures under <u>Fun</u> <u>Time Photos</u> on the website.



Above: Susanna S., Angie Z., Donna C, Carol H., Duncan and Mary Z. looking forward to skiing the Happy Glades at HV.

1. Below left: Bob N., Susanna S., Duncan Z., Carol H., Skip T. (?), and Donna C. in the Foxwood Warming Hut at Holimont. Right: Kathy S., Ingrid J., Marie M., Angie Z. at the base area of HV.

2. Below left: 1st row from left, Marie M., Susan S-H., Kathy S., Donna C., Carol H.; 2nd row, Susanna S., Bob N., Janet P., Ingrid J., Mary Z., Duncan Z., Jeff B., Donna M. at Holimont. Right: Turtle Butt on skis at HV.









#### X-C Skiers Hit the Trails



All it takes is a good snowstorm to open up x-c trails, and Carol and Mark Brugger hosted two trips, one to Chenango Valley State Park and one to Greenwood Park.





#### **February General Meeting**

The February General Membership Meeting will be on **Thursday, Feb. 10**, the second Tuesday of the month, due to the Whitefish, Montana, trip taking place on the first Tuesday of the month. Same time, same place. <u>Sign up here</u>.

#### Get on the Slopes

Come ski with us at Bristol Mountain for **Ski With Heart Day** on Friday, Feb. 11. Sign up on the website by Feb. 4 to get the group lift ticket price of \$54 for adults and \$41 for juniors under 13.

We'll be joined by members of other central New York ski clubs for this u-drive day trip.



#### Improve Your Skills; Get Deals

- Greek Peak is offering it's Master Trax program on Thursday mornings. Ski in skill-level groups with a Greek Peak instructor for 1.5 hours. If you have a season pass, each class is \$20. It's \$49 without a pass and includes a two-hour lift ticket. Classes meet at the base of the Visions chairlift at 10 a.m.
- Check out how to ski videos on our <u>How to Ski Better</u> page or on YouTube.
- Go to our <u>Discounts and Deals</u> page for lift ticket savings.

# A Heartfelt Thank You from Jill Darling



I want to thank all of my TCSC friends for the outpouring of caring sympathy cards, online messages, phone calls and American Diabetes Association donations during my siblings' and my time of caring for Dad in his home and his passing on December 14. The Wood Family Care Team, along with his part-time caregiver, made it happen for nearly ten years after Mom unexpectedly passed. We got to know our Dad on many levels like never before. It was a blessing both ways. I appreciate the support of my many ski friends!

#### Have grill, will travel -- on snowboards!





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