

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Dear DSC members, This time of year the club needs your help more than ever! Our biggest fund raiser, the Ski Swap, runs the day after Thanksgiving for two weekends. It's a lot of work and we need your help. Please sign up with Mary O'Hara. Soon after that, the lodge opens for the season and we will be skiing! We need volunteers to help with the lodge opening too! Please check your calendar and help where you can. Danbury Ski Club wants you! Thanks, ph factor

MEMBERSHIP CARDS ARE IN THE MAIL!

Membership Chair Ed Blasco has mailed the new membership cards. If you haven't yet renewed, you can do so online at <u>www.danburyski.com</u>.

GREAT FUN AT THE ANNUAL PICNIC!

Club members and non members alike had a great time at the **DSC ANNUAL PICNIC.** Many thanks to Bill Weber for pulling this event together!

DSC Night at



On Thurs, October 22nd at 7:00 pm the DSC and Outdoor Sports Center hosted an evening for members to come in and check out the latest ski and outdoor gear. Those in attendance had a great opportunity to see the newest ski gear and talk with experts about equipment. It was a great time!

YOGA FOR SKIERS

It's not too early to increase your strength and flexibility for the ski season with the practice of yoga! Improve your performance, combat muscular imbalances, boost your endurance, decrease your chance of injury and reduce dayafter soreness. Participants will learn postures that support the key muscle groups utilized in the performance of skiing. NO prior yoga experience necessary; all are welcome.

Taught by Jessica Outlaw, Registered Yoga Teacher & Danbury Ski Club member.

\$15 per member/\$12 for seniors & board members, paid directly to Jessica.

Bring a mat & a towel. If you don't have a mat, let Jessica know and she'll loan you one.

Please RSVP via e-mail or text. Mobile # 917-822-5107 jessicaoutlaw@hotmail.com

Thursday, Nov. 19th 6:50-7:25 pm

Hatters Park Banquet Room, 7 East Hayestown Road, Danbury



DANBURY SKI CLUB CHRISTMAS PARTY

Our Christmas party is scheduled for Thursday, December 17th at Hatter's Park Hall, 7 E. Hayestown Rd in Danbury. Cocktails from 6:30 to 7 pm. The food will be served at 7 pm. Members are asked to bring a side dish and your adult beverages.

Non members will be charged \$10 to attend. Fine acoustic music will be provided by Gopherbroke. Call Janice 860 921 7324 for more info.

Danbury Ski Club Ski Swap Consignment Sale Fri-Sun Nov. 27-29 & Sat-Sun Dec. 5-6 Ski Haus, 162 Danbury Road, New Milford, CT

Our 2015 Ski Swap is just around the corner. Dust off your old (but not too old!) gear and voila! \$\$\$

Volunteers: Hello 21st Century! This is the first year we are attempting to automate the ski swap transactions. We are hoping to make those orange tags disappear for good. Therefore, we need volunteers who have good typing skills. These key volunteers will accurately enter the consignee's contact information and description of the items that they are entering into the swap. We will hold a training session on regular DSC meeting nights Nov. 5th and Nov 19th. Remember, this is your only fund raising event and it helps subsidize all the fun stuff. Help us successfully launch our technology. Plus, you get to meet lots of people, you can earn lodge vouchers and you get fed!

To get more information, and to volunteer, please email Mary OHara at <u>maryenohara@gmail.com</u>. Thank you and see you at the Swap!

Terms for Buyers:

1. All sales are final, no returns or exchanges.

2. Danbury Ski Club is not responsible for the condition of any equipment. We strongly suggest that you have all equipment checked and adjusted by a professional.

- 3. Acceptable forms of payment are cash, personal check (with phone number).
- 4. If you buy a pair of skis and we have the correct pole length, you are welcome to them.
- 5. Enjoy your new gear and... Think Snow!

Terms for Sellers:

1. Entering an item in the ski swap means you have read and understand all these rules.

- 2. You must supply a valid contact email and phone number.
- 3. Obsolete equipment (e.g. straight skis, old bindings) cannot be accepted into the swap.
- 4. Cost to enter is \$2.00 per item. You set the price of your items.
- 5. Check our website to see if your items has been sold www.danburyski.com

6. If your item sells you'll receive a check for 80% of the sale price that you have set. Checks will be mailed several weeks after the completion of the swap.

- 7. Unsold items *must* be claimed (claim check required) by 4pm on the last day of the swap.
- 8. Unclaimed items become the property of the Danbury Ski Club and may be donated to a youth organization.
- 9. You may contact us <u>skiswap@danburyski.com</u> for any swap related issues.
- 10. Call (203) 792-3754 if you don't have access to email.
- 11. Please do NOT contact Ski Haus with swap related issues.

Seller Pre-Registration: CLOSES Friday, November 20th

- 1. You may pre-register up to 12 items.
- 2. Download the form here: 2015 Swap Pre-Registration
- 3. Fill out all of the fields including a valid email address. We will only use your email for the ski swap.
- 4. Attach the completed form to an email.
- 5. Using the same email address that you filled in, send the email to skiswap@danburyski.com
- 6. Print the completed form for your records and bring it when you drop off your gear.
- 7. Drop off the pre-registered items at the swap.
- 8. Please remember; \$2.00 per item to enter the swap.
- 9. Questions: skiswap@danburyski.com

We will be importing data from the forms. Therefore, incomplete forms will not be accepted.

Sellers not pre-registering: You can still download the form, fill it in, and bring it with you when you drop off your gear.

LESSONS AT THUNDER RIDGE!

Ski and Snowboard lessons are being offered, starting in January, but sign-up is asap. It encourages "never-evers" and most definitely those that want to improve their skills (ever get caught on a trail that was an "oops".... LOL) or to feel comfortable on those more difficult trails that look so enticing (and your kids zip down....go catch 'em).

Do contact the office listed on the following pages to sign up. If I can be of any help, do call me at 203 778 8506 or email @ joangall32gmail.com. Here's to a great snowsport winter!



Thunder Ridge Ski Area 137 Birch Hill Rd.,P.O. Box 277 Patterson, NY 12563

Lesson Programs For Danbury Ski Club 2015-2016 Pricing

Lessons are for skiers and snowboarders, first grade and up. All students regardless of age and ability must purchase a pre-paid 6-week lift ticket or Season Pass at time of registration for lesson package.

LESSON ONLY \$120.00 for six 1½-hour group lessons (Only available to Thunder Ridge Season Passholders-contact Thunder Ridge for pricing)

LIFT & LESSON during lesson and remainder of evening)* \$210.00 for six 1½ hour group lessons(Includes lift ticket

LIFT, LESSON & RENTALS \$360.00 for six 1½ hour group lessons (Includes lift ticket & rental equipment during lesson and remainder of evening)*

Parents and siblings may ski or ride and rent at the discount price any night their child or sibling is in a 6week open enrollment lesson.

LIFT TICKET ONLY RENTAL EQUIPMENT \$15 per night \$25 per night

| 2015 - 2016 Open Enrollment | | | | | | | |
|-----------------------------|--------|---------|-----------|----------|--------|----------|--------|
| | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday | Sunday |
| 3:30 PM | | | | | | OPEN | OPEN* |
| 5:00 PM | | | | | OPEN | | |
| 5:30 PM | OPEN | OPEN | OPEN | OPEN | | OPEN | |
| 6:30 PM | | | | | OPEN | | |

*Please note, we close Sunday at 5pm. Your ticket included with the lesson is available at 2:45pm. If you wish to come earlier you may pay an upgrade to a day ticket or a season pass may be your better value.

2015-2016 Open Enrollment Program - Danbury Ski Club



Membership Number (on front of membership card) Day & Time (please circle preferred option): Lessons are 90 minutes. Programs start Monday, January 4th through Sunday, January 10th, 2016) Lessons are for skiers and snowboarders, first grade and up.

| MON | 5:30pm | (start date: | 1/4/16) |
|-------|------------------|--------------|----------|
| TUES | 5:30pm | (start date: | 1/5/16) |
| WED | 5:30pm | (start date: | 1/6/16) |
| THURS | 5:30pm | (start date: | 1/7/16) |
| FRI | 5:00pm or 6:30pm | (start date: | 1/8/16) |
| SAT | 3:30pm or 5:30pm | (start date: | 1/9/16) |
| SUN* | 3:30pm | (start date: | 1/10/16) |

Student's Information:

| Last Name: | First Name: | |
|------------|--------------------------------|--|
| D.O.B | // Grade: 2015-16 School Year: | |

All lesson participants, regardless of ability level, must purchase a pre-paid 6-week lift ticket or Season Pass at time of registration for lesson package, or prior to start of the first lesson. They will NOT be sold the night of the lesson.

Package (circle one):

Lesson Only: \$120 - only available to Thunder Ridge Season Passholders. Contact Thunder Ridge directly to purchase season pass. (Must be purchased before the start of lessons.)

Lift & Lesson: \$210 - includes lift ticket during lesson & remainder of evening.*

Lift, Lesson, Rentals: \$360 - includes lift ticket & equipment during lesson & remainder of evening.*

Ski Type and Level _____ (choose one below)

Snowboard Type and Level _____

| Skiing Level: | | Snowboardin |
|--|-------------|----------------------------|
| 1: 1 st time or cannot stor | o and turn | 1: 1 st time or |
| 2: Can stop & turn, read | | 2: Can make |
| 3: Can link turns, rides c | | 3: Can link to |
| 4: Parallel turn, rides lift | 3 | 4: Can link tu |
| | | switch/freesty |
| Parent's Information: | | |
| Last Name: | First Name: | |
| Phone: – | – Cell: – | _ |
| Email: | | |

g Level:

cannot stop and turn turns in both directions (heel & toe side) urns on green terrain rns on green & blue, working on carving/ /le

| Phone: | = | _Cell: | |
|----------|---|--------|--------|
| Email: | | | |
| Address: | | | |
| City: | | State: | _ Zip: |

*Please note, we close Sunday at 5pm. Your ticket included with the lesson is available at 2:45pm. If you wish to come earlier you may pay an upgrade to a day ticket or a season pass may be your better value.

PEAK TO PEAK! THE SNOW BALL IS COMING UP!

The Snow Ball will be held November 14, 2015 at the Hartford Windsor Marriott. This year's theme is "Peak to Peak". Danbury Ski Club is in charge of security, which means for one hour during the event, six volunteers will stamp hands, check stamps, etc. For more information, contact Dave Zuraw at <u>dscwebmaster@yahoo.com</u>.

You may purchase tickets at the door for \$25. Those attending are asked to bring their favorite side dish for the hospitality room.

If you have any questions, please call me at 860-921-7324 or email me at jancohen2001@yahoo.com. Thank you, Janice.



Banff Lake Louise Tourism / Paul Zizka Photography

Saturday, November 14th, 2015 8:00pm - 1:00am

Featuring Music By: The Bird'n'Boys

Hartford Marriott Windsor Hotel 28 Day Hill Road • Windsor, CT

\$20 Advance Purchase

\$25 at the Door

LAST CALL TO SKI MOUNT SNOW!

Danbury ski club is running a ski trip to Mount Snow and it's ALMOST SOLD OUT!

Dates: Monday February 8th through Thursday February 11th, 2016

Enjoy 4 days of skiing and 3 nights at the Grand Summit Resort, a ski in and out facility.

Special features of the trip include:

Breakfast Tuesday - Thursday

Welcome Reception Monday evening (includes free wine and beer for 1 hour)

Comedian/Magician entertainment in the Bar on Tuesday evening

Farewell part with DJ in the Barn - Wednesday evening (free pizza included!)

Free tubing and a huge, warm pool in which to relax!

All this for only \$419! Early deposits are assured a kitchenette. Deposits of \$200 is due at this time, full payment due by December 9, 2015. Please make checks payable to Danbury Ski Club, and send to: Janice Cohen, 18 Cedar Lane, Oxford, Ct. 06478. Call Janice at 860-921-7324 to reserve your spot! Singles are welcome; Janice will pair you up!

Danbury Ski Club Week Trip to Val D'Isere, France January 22 - 30, 2016

\$2250 pp double/triple occ. \$2730 pp single occ. (limit of 2) \$1425 pp land only double. Wow!

Includes: R/T air JFK – GVA nonstop on Swiss. Skis/boards and boot bag currently fly free. Motorcoach transfers, all taxes, surcharges, portage and *post-departure travel insurance*. Optional discounted trip cancellation insurance is available.

- 7 nights at the charming Hotel Altitude *** European buffet breakfast & dinner daily, welcome reception.
- Most rooms have balconies and a nice view. Fitness center with gym, sauna, and steam room.
- Excellent location: Ski in/Ski out and a 3 min walk to the village center.
- 6 day Espace Killy Lift Pass (see below) add \$250 adult, \$200 senior 65+. That's \$42 per day

Don't miss out! Last year's trip to Switzerland sold out. We anticipate this one will sell out too. As of October 26, 34 people have signed up, only 2 spots remain, double occupancy only. Contact Charles Rubino ASAP if you are interested in going on this trip! Thanks to Pam Golde who has agreed to be the trip co-leader. This trip is open to the entire Connecticut Ski Council

Prices are GUARANTEED...no exchange rate adjustments! No hidden costs or surprise charges!

Please contact Charles Rubano <u>secondhillstudio@gmail.com</u> Tel: 860-463-3125





DANBURY HAMDEN SKI CLUB

JAY PEAK 2016

March $31 \rightarrow April 3, 2016$

We are returning to Jay Peak for their annual **Beach Party Weekend**, where the average annual snowfall is <u>30 FEET</u>. So get ready for the BEST spring skiing in the East. This trip includes 3 days skiing, 3 nights lodging (Thursday/Friday/ Saturday), coach bus transportation, happy hour/pizza party, Jay's wild Beach Party Saturday evening and a "bag lunch" for the bus ride home. There is also an option for the huge water park! Check out <u>www.jaypeakresort.com</u>

LODGING OPTIONS: (We will try to accommodate everyone's preferences)

- <u>Cottages:</u> All 8 cottages reserved have two bedrooms (all split king beds), a living room, kitchen, and are located within walking distance of the Stateside Hotel and the slopes, with shuttle buses every few minutes. Cottages are numbers 4778 4785 (you can locate them on the site map).
- 2. <u>Stateside Hotel:</u> 2 Queens, or 1 King & a sleeper sofa per room. 7 rooms reserved by Hamden.
- Double occupancy (per bedroom) is assumed.

<u>BUS:</u>

We'll leave Danbury from the commuter lot on Federal Road, across from Planet Fitness at 1:15pm (be there by 1:00pm, we will have a lot to load), with pickups at Exit 17 (Middlebury) at 1:35pm and off I91 at exit 35 (Windsor) at 2:15pm. The bus MUST have at least 40 people for this trip to work. The trip will take 6 hours with these stops. Bring your dinner; the bus will not stop until we get to Jay Peak, except possibly a grocery store upon arrival. We'll leave Jay at 4:15pm on Sunday and will not stop for dinner. You will be able to buy something for the road before we leave. Weather could impact these plans, so be prepared. **RAFFLE:**

To encourage early signups, we're going to have a raffle, with \$500 - \$1000 in prizes if the trip fills.

Everyone gets 1 ticket. Take the bus and earn a raffle ticket. Pay deposit by the early deposit date and earn a raffle ticket.

Pay the final payment by the early final payment date. You could earn anywhere from 1 to 4 raffle tickets.

<u>COST</u>: Children under 15 years old must be accompanied by adult. Adults pay the cost as if the juniors were not there. All adults in room must agree.

| Trip cost per person (includes bus @ \$90pp) | Single | 2 per | 3 per | 4 per | 5 per | 6 per | Jr (7–14) |
|--|--------|--------------|-------|--------------|-------|-------|-----------|
| | | | | | | | * |
| Stateside Hotel room (access to hot-tub) | \$623 | <u>\$416</u> | \$355 | \$326 | | | \$167 |
| Cottages (both bedrooms split king) | N/A | N/A | \$387 | <u>\$352</u> | \$331 | \$316 | \$167 |

\$53 adder for water park access <u>(everyone in hotel room or cottage must purchase this adder).</u> <u>PAYMENTS/REFUNDS:</u>

| | Amount | Early Date | Final Date |
|---------------------|--|------------|------------|
| Deposit | \$150 | 12/03/2015 | 01/21/2016 |
| Final Payment | Remainder | 01/21/2016 | 02/18/2016 |
| Refund Date | All but \$30 | n/a | 02/18/2016 |
| Room List Finalized | Else \$10pp affected | n/a | 03/01/2016 |
| Security Deposit | \$150 on 1 credit card per room / cottage on arrival | n/a | 03/31/2016 |



DANBURY SKI CLUB CSC Winter Carnival at SUGARBUSH

March 3 - 6, 2016

Please join your fellow Connecticut Ski Council skiers & snowboarders at Sugarbush for our Winter Carnival. It's a great weekend of skiing, snowboarding, racing, friendly competition, socializing, dining, and dancing.

We have reserved 9 two bedroom slope-side ski-in, ski-out SNOW CREEK condos, near the racing area. One bedroom has a queen bed, the other has two twins of bunk beds.

Ski-in / Ski-out Condo Only Prices

Per Person, 3-nights, 4 per 2 bedroom condo = \$360 per person (total condo cost = \$1440)

Per Person, 2-nights, 4 per 2 bedroom condo = \$270 per person (total condo cost = \$1080)

Deposit due 11/10/15, Refundable until 11/26/15

Final payment due 1/21/15, no refund unless space filled.

Lift Ticket Prices 2016 ** BULK TICKETS ARE NOT VALID**

| Category | Age | 1 Day | 1 Day (Sat.) | 1 Day | 2 Day | 3 Day |
|----------|-------|--------|-----------------|--------|-------------|-------|
| | | (Fri.) | (Sull) | (Sun.) | (Sat./Sun.) | |
| Adult | 19-69 | \$44 | \$55 | \$44 | \$99 | \$143 |
| Junior | 7-18 | \$38 | \$48 | \$38 | \$86 | \$124 |
| Senior | 70+ | \$38 | \$48 | \$38 | \$86 | \$124 |

These lift ticket prices are available on Winter Carnival weekend at ______ Ticket window.

Saturday Night Dinner Prices TBD

Signup and payment required by the Feb 18th DSC meeting

6:30pm – 11:00pm (cost includes tax).

Events

Signups & waivers MUST be submitted to Dave or Dave by the Thursday Feb 18th DSC Meeting

Friday: Super G Race **Saturday:** Junior A (<=10), Junior B (11-18), Snowboard, Women's, Team, Club. Volleyball, Fun Race **Sunday:** Cross Country, Ski Rally

DSC SPECIAL: First two male & female finishers in the XC race will be reimbursed for their trail pass!

| Dave Zuraw (Event Coordinator) | 33 Hilltop Road | Dave Kiley (Race Chairperson) | 96 Garfield Ave |
|--------------------------------|-----------------|-------------------------------|-----------------|
| dscwebmaster@yahoo.com | Naugatuck, CT | Dave.kiley@gmail.com | Danbury, CT |
| cell: 203-232-9057 | 06770 | Cell: 203-470-5003 | 06810 |

Catamount is the host for On Snow Day on a Saturday in late January. Trip Leaders: Dave Kiley/ Dave Zuraw

Stay tuned for more information on this trip



Everybody had such a great time last season we are going back! Come spend St. Patty's day at Stowe Mtn, and the Golden Eagle Resort with us, here's the details.

March 17-20 2016 (Ski Friday-Sunday)

for \$494 double occupancy you will enjoy

All taxes and gratuities are included

- 3 days of skiing (www.stowe.com)
- 3 nights lodging (www.goldeneagleresort.com)
- Full daily breakfast (www.goldeneagleresort.com/dining/colonial-cafe)
- Friday Dinner & social party
- Motor coach transportation from Danbury to Stowe & return (dinner for the ride home)
- Depart Danbury 12pm Thursday 3/17
- Relax with a massage in the resort spa (additional charge)
- Take a swim in the indoor salt water pool
- Soak in the huge salt water hot tub
- Snow shoeing & cross country skiing available at the Golden Eagle
- Choose fine dining, quick and easy, or hit the pubs for music and dancing
- Ski some of the most historic terrain in the U.S., if you think your legs can handle it





(above picture is from last years trip) email questions to Greg at <u>weskisnow@gmail.com</u> \$250pp deposit due no now. Final payment due 12/17/15

To guarantee your spot mail check payable to DSC: Mary & Greg O'hara 21 Woodbury Dr. Danbury CT. 06811

Cancellation policy: last day to be refunded the initial deposit fee 11/19/15 last day for refund minus deposit12/17/15

> Photos and images courtesy of Stowe Mtn resort and the Golden Eagle Resort

2 Day Slopeside Ski & Stay Package

\$239 per person (includes tax & gratuity)



2 Nights Lodging



Lift Tickets For 2 Days



2 Full Breakfasts & 1 Dinner



Complimentary Apres-Ski Party



boltonvalley.com · 1.877.9BOLTON

Package rates only valid on the following dates: Dec. 11-12 2015, Dec. 18-19 2015, Jan. 8-9 2016, March 25-26 2016

Don't forget we have a very affordable weekend at Bolton Valley, VT!

2 Day Weekend Package January 8 - 10, 2016

2 1/2 day lift ticket (complementary night ticket included for the night of arrival)

2 catered breakfasts

1 catered dinner

1 complementary après ski party

\$239 pp based on double occupancy

\$100 deposit due now

Checks should be made payable to Danbury Ski Club and sent to Kathy Ligos, 50 New Street, Ridgefield, CT 06877. Contact Kathy Ligos legsligos@hotmail.com or 203-438-6630.

Connecticut Ski Council 2015/2016 Bulk Ticket and Awareness Days Policies for DSC Members

Updated: 10/26/2015

The following is the policy of the Connecticut Ski Council (CSC) regarding the purchase and use of bulk ticket vouchers. The CSC requires that all member-clubs comply with these policies.

DZ: Be Polite:

Always be courteous to mountain employees, ticket window staff and ticket checkers. If you don't have your CSC ID, that is YOUR PROBLEM, not theirs.

Purchase of Vouchers:

- Bulk ticket vouchers may be purchased by CSC member-clubs only, and only after the club has been a member for one full year.
- Bulk tickets are for the exclusive use of dues-paying members of CSC member-clubs.
- Vouchers are to be picked up at the November CSC meeting by the club's designee. Under no circumstances will bulk tickets be mailed to a club.

Exchange of Vouchers for Daily Lift Tickets:

- Each club member 18 years of age or older must be issued a club membership card, and the current year's CSC sticker must be affixed to that card. Family membership club cards must list the names of family members on the card and must affix a current and valid CSC sticker for each person listed. Clubs may elect to issue membership cards to individuals under the age of 18 in lieu of listing names on a family card.
- EVERY PERSON WHO EXPECTS TO EXCHANGE A BULK TICKET VOUCHER FOR A DAY'S LIFT TICKET AT ANY MOUNTAIN RESORT MUST HAVE EITHER HIS/HER OWN INDIVIDUAL CLUB MEMBERSHIP CARD, OR BE INDIVIDUALLY NAMED ON THE FAMILY'S MEMBERSHIP CARD AND A VALID CSC STICKER AFFIXED FOR EACH INDIVIDUAL WHETHER ON HIS/HER OWN CARD OR ON A FAMILY CARD.
- Club membership cards will be shown by individuals to ticket window personnel when a voucher is being redeemed for a daily lift ticket. Mountain resorts have the right to request and/or require identification in addition to club membership cards at their discretion. Resorts also have the right

to refuse redemption of voucher if a valid membership card is not presented for each voucher to be exchanged for lift ticket.

Policy Violations:

- Clubs shall not charge their members any additional purchase fee, and shall only sell vouchers to its members at the price quoted by the CSC. We recommend that no tickets shall be mailed to individuals by the clubs, but in the event this occurs, actual postage fees may be charged by the club to the individual on a per-order basis only.
- Distribution of vouchers through other avenues such as but not limited to websites, eBay, resort parking lots, guests of rental properties or contest give-a-ways will result in the banning of the individual from purchasing vouchers in subsequent seasons.
- Names of chronic and blatant individual violators will be provided to all CSC member-clubs on an annual basis.
- Violation of the CT Ski Council policies will result in possible termination of the individual's membership in his/her club, and possible expulsion of the club from the CSC.

Return of Unused Vouchers at Close of Season:

- All unused vouchers shall be returned to the CSC bulk ticket coordinators at the May CSC meeting no exceptions.
- A dollar percentage of unused vouchers shall be credited to each club that has returned said vouchers. The credit shall be applied to the purchase of the following year's vouchers.
- The percentage will vary according to the contract with each individual participating resort. Credit is based on an aggregate figure allotted to CSC.
- Refer to Okemo Bulk Ticket Policy for specific return instructions.

Please note: All membership card information also applies to all CSC Awareness days.

DZ CAUTION:

- You are allowed to sell your vouchers to other DSC members, but you are still responsible for that voucher, so I strongly encourage you to have clearly documented proof of the sale.
 - Only sell to other members that have submitted and signed a voucher purchase form (if they didn't purchase vouchers from DSC, they can submit a completed and signed form to DSC and to the seller for their records) acknowledging they have read and agree to abide by ALL the bulk ticket / voucher policies.
 - Record every serial number sold along with who purchased it, their full name, clearly written email address, phone number and address, and you MUST include the buyers CSC ID Sticker number.
 - Have an email or letter from the purchaser validating the sale.
 - If you choose not to properly document the sale, YOU will still be responsible for how that voucher is used

Okemo Bulk Ticket Program 2015-2016

There are big changes in the Okemo bulk ticket program this year that will affect each of your members who purchases Okemo bulk tickets. Please read this carefully, and make sure **every ticket buyer has a copy.**

Okemo has converted its voucher system to **radio frequency ID lift access cards**. **These are direct-to-lift, live tickets**. This means the vouchers will look different, and because they are LIVE TICKETS, users do not have to exchange vouchers at the ticket windows.

Here are the important things for you and you club members to know:

Carry ONLY ONE TICKET in your pocket/wallet/jacket when you ski. If you carry more than one, ALL of the tickets will be scanned and thereby INVALIDATED when you try to use them another day. In addition, no other RFID cards from other resorts may be carried concurrently.

All skiers will be scanned at lift entry, and skier ID and photo stored in the scanner.

At the end of the ski day, TEAR UP AND THROW OUT THE USED TICKET. Provided access cards are single use only and may not be reloaded. <u>DZ: This is different from a CSC Awareness Day Lift Ticket</u>, which can be "re-loaded" for each Awareness day you ski. For CSC Awareness days, you will have to purchase a re-loadable card for \$5.

Okemo will continue to accept a 20% return at the end of the season. However, **OKEMO will deduct \$1 for every ticket returned** from the credit due for the next ski season. <u>Therefore, you must order carefully – DO</u> <u>NOT over-order</u>. <u>Okemo will allow the CSC to place additional orders (of 25 or more each time) throughout</u> the season, so you will always be able to purchase tickets at the CSC discounted rate. <u>DZ: If requests</u> totaling 25 or more Okemo vouchers are made to DSC, DSC will purchase additional vouchers.

Tickets have an ID number. IT IS MANDATORY that each bulk ticket coordinator for every club RECORD THE ID NUMBER AND THE CLUB MEMBER'S NAME. If there are any problems or abuses of the program, both Okemo and the CSC can directly trace it back to the club member. If this is NOT done and there are problems, the entire club's tickets can be invalidated at the discretion of Okemo. These tickets CANNOT be used by anyone other than the individual club member. They cannot be sold, given away to friends, or used as perks in club lodges or private homes. Tickets are a member-only privilege. DZ: DSC Members may sell vouchers to other DSC members, but please see DZ CAUTION on general Bulk Ticket Policy.

Credits from the return of last season's vouchers will be applied to the purchase of this season's tickets, as always. You will place your Okemo order just as you have done in the past. The only difference for the user is that they are LIVE tickets, scanned at lift entry, and that every unused ticket will be charged \$1 when all tickets are returned at the end of the season.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Thanks to Dave Zuraw for this updated information!

PRELIMINARY !!! CONNECTICUT SKI COUNCIL AWARENESS DAYS 2015-2016

Members MUST show valid CSC Club Membership card and can ONLY purchase one ticket for each CSC sticker on the membership card. Tickets are available at the listed pickup location ONLY and sales close at 1 PM. John G Filakovsky jfilakovsky@microphase.com 203-831-2228 Revised: 8/26/15 Please extend every courtesy and a sincere thank you to the following ski areas and staff for their participation.

| Date | Day | Place | Cost | Date | Day | Place | Cost | Date | Day | Place | Cost |
|----------|---------|-------------------------|--------------|---------|--------|-----------------|---------|--------------------|---------|-------------------|---------|
| 1/27/15 | Fri | Killington | \$40 | 1/14/16 | Thur | Stratton | \$44 | 2/25/16 | Thur | Sunapee | \$39 |
| 11/28/15 | Sat | Killington | \$40 | 1/15/16 | Fri | Mt Snow | \$40 | 2/26/16 | Fri | Sunapee | \$39 |
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| Bolton Valley: Base Guest Service Counter | Mt Snow: Any open ticket window | Stratton: Any open ticket window |
| Burke: Any open ticket window | Okemo: Any open ticket window | Sugarbush: Lincoln Guest Service and Mt Ellen |
| Jay Peak: Tram Basin Customer Service | Pico: Tickets main office | Sunapee: Any Guest Service Desk |
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| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 Business Meeting, Hatter's Park 7:30 pm | 6 | 7 | | |
| 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 Veteran's Day | 12 | 13 | 14 SNOWBALL | | |
| 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 Yoga for Skiers, 6:50 pm; General Meeting, Hatter's Park, 7:30 pm | 20 | 21 | | |
| 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 Thanksgiving | 27 SKI SWAP; CSC Awareness Day @ Killington | 28 SKI SWAP CSC Awareness Day @ Killington | | |
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Hatters Park, Banquet Room 7 East Hayestown Road Danbury, CT

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<u>MEETINGS</u>: Danbury Ski Club will hold a business meeting on the <u>first Thursday of each month at 7:30 pm</u>. Boards of Director Meetings are held the third Thursday of each month and are open to all...you can listen, comment. Except for certain special programs, meetings are held at Hatters Park. Additional meetings may be scheduled at the discretion of the BOD. Please check DSC's website, <u>www.DANBURYSKI.com</u> for the latest information.

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(Written by Joy Seri.Thx)