

Foxtales

August, 2024



There are no monthly meetings during the summer months.

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We do have summer activities, including Happy Hours every Friday.

No need to be a member to join the summer fun or the Happy Hours & it's a great way to get to meet some of the members. Generally we meet up in the bar first and then get a table.

PLEASE JOIN US

Check out our web site:

www.slyfoxskiclub.org

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Newsletter Editorial

From the President

The last 3rd of the summer is upon us. Just as the training camp for the Packers has started, we to must think about getting our bodies in shape for the upcoming ski season. The extra pushup, the extra sit-up and of course the extra trips to the refrigerator for a cold one are all part of a training regimen for the middle age skiers / snowboarders that we are.

We are now less than 6 months from our first ski trip. According to Sam we are up to 63 people for the Zermatt trip. We are getting things in place for the upcoming member meetings starting the first Wednesday in October. We are always looking for ideas for the fall/winter meetings. This is a Ski/Snowboard club for all members. Any ideas are appreciated. I know we don't usually think about winter stuff in the middle of the summer. Is there a guest speaker you would be interested in or any of the past speakers you would like us to pursue again?

We do not have any new info on the Powderhorn trip in February (14 - 16) or the late March trip out west. Sam Indicated that info is about a month out.

Have a great rest of the summer.

Thanks,

Greg Buss

WE NEED YOU!

We are still looking for a person for the Treasurer's position. It has a \$300 stipend to be used on any trip or event.

It's a great way to get involved and help keep this great club going.

Meet up @ Happy Hour
Start the weekend with the Sly Foxes
FUN BEGINS at 5:00

This is not an official club function but rather just an informal gathering of members & non-members for Happy Hour at different locations throughout the month.

- **August 2 - Sidelines Bar & Grill**
W6278 Greenville Drive, Greenville
920-757-9810
- **August 9 - Mr. Brews Taphouse (Darboy)**
W5725 Hwy KK, Appleton
920-815-3260
- **August 16 - Tulum Mexican Restaurant**
N140 Eisenhower Drive, Appleton
920-874-2557
- **August 23 - Anduzzi's (Kimberly)**
800 S. Washington Street, Kimberly
920-423-3886
- **August 30 - Stone Yard (Appleton)**
W3010 Edgewood Trail, Appleton
920-968-0222
- **September 6 - TGI Friday's**
4699 W. Michaels Drive, Appleton
920-735-0200

PLEASE JOIN US

Birthdays

August

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- 1 - Kevin Dvorachek
 - 2 - Ellie Papendieck
 - 6 - Thomas Linneman
 - 6 - Christopher Terry
 - 9 - David Boden
 - 10 - Molly Steffens
 - 16 - Michael Hoks
 - 18 - Shelby Brockman
 - 21 - Julie Buechner
 - 21 - John Wortham
 - 25 - Daniel Rooyackers
 - 27 - Pam Kuepper
 - 30 - Taj Jordan

FRIENDS OF FOXES REWARDS 2024 - 2025

FRIENDS OF FOXES REWARDS program benefits the existing members and builds the membership of our club with new members for the enjoyment and benefits of organized group rate discount ski trips, other club sponsored functions and most of all the camaraderie.

“FRIENDS OF FOXES REWARDS” awards present Sly Fox Ski Club Members with 10 points (or \$10 towards Sly Fox Ski Club sponsored functions) for all New Members they referred, when they join the club.

To receive FOX POINTS, the New Member must document the referring member on their Membership Form when joining the club.

The FOX POINTS can accumulate during the one ski season that they have been earned and can be used towards club trips, the renewal of their present membership dues, Spring and Christmas Holiday banquets.

The FOX POINTS must be used by the end of the season on or before April 30th and cannot be carried over to the following year.

The New Member joining the club may not be a past member of the club within the last 4 years or a renewing member.

FOX POINTS are not transferable to another member.

The new and present members must be a minimum of 21 years of age.

The FOX POINTS will be documented by the Treasurer when the New Membership Form with payment is received.



Sly Fox Ski & Snowboard Club

Annual Membership Application/Renewal & Waiver Form

Membership year is May 1, 2024 to April 30, 2025

Dues \$25 Per Person <i>Each member <u>must</u> complete an Application/Renewal/Waiver form</i>		<input type="checkbox"/> Returning Member	<input type="checkbox"/> New Member
Name:		Birthdate: MM/DD/YYYY	
Address:		Address / Cell Phone / Email has not changed since last year NO YES	
Home Phone:		Cell Phone:	
Email:			
<i>I am a new member and referred by club member:</i>			
What ski destinations are you interested in visiting?			
We are always looking for individuals to assist on our committees. Can you help us out? <i>Events, WEB, Social Media, Board Member, Marketing, Trip Leader/Assistant Trip Leader</i>			YES NO

READ WAIVER BEFORE SIGNING

I certify that I am at least 21 years of age and do hereby accept the policies and practices of the Sly Fox Ski Club. I understand that in my participation in club-sponsored events carries a degree of risk for health concerns, injury or death. I hereby unconditionally waive and release the Sly Fox Ski Club, its Officers Directors, agents and members from any and all liabilities arising from any health concerns, injury, property damage or loss I may suffer as a result of my actions.

Refund for cancelations by the participant must be submitted in writing to the Sly Fox Ski Club Board of Directors, P. O. Box 1613, Appleton WI. 54912-1613. The written request must indicate which specific future Sly Fox event any refunds to be credited towards, or for the Sly Fox Treasurer to issue a refund check. Refunds will only be issued after all of the bills related to the trip have been paid. All decisions on refund amount will be made by the Board of Directors and are final. .

Further, I hereby grant full permission to any and all foregoing to use any photograph, videotape, motion pictures, recordings or other record of any ski club events for any legitimate purpose. .

By signing and submitting this form, I agree that I have read and accept the trip policies as set for and by the Sly Fox Ski & Club..

All Sly Fox Ski Club policies and other trip information is posted on the website www.slyfoxskiclub.org

Signature: _____ **Date** _____

Mail your completed form with payment to:
 Sly Fox Ski Club PO Box 1613 Appleton, WI. 54912-1613

 Administrative Use Date: _____ Payment Details: _____

Sly Fox Ski & Snowboard Club Presents

Zermatt, Switzerland

Nice, France (4 nts)

From \$3800*



Friday, January 10 to Wednesday, January 22, 2025

Includes!

- Lamers Motor Coach transfer to/from Green Bay, Appleton to/from Chicago O'Hare Airport.
- Flight on Swiss Air to Zurich, arriving Jan 11 and Motor Coach transfer to Zermatt.
- 7 nights lodging at the 3-star Hotel Perren, daily breakfast and dinner nightly.
- Motor Coach transfer to Zurich Airport and Swiss Air flight to Nice, Saturday, Jan 18.
- Motor Coach transfer to Hotel Splendid, Nice, France.
- 4 nights lodging at the 4-star Hotel Splendid, including daily breakfast.
- Motor Coach transfer to Nice Airport and Swiss Air flight to Chicago Wednesday, Jan 22.

Not included

- Lift Tickets are not included. Expect 6-day all area lift pass will be \$450

Trip opened for signup on May 20, 2024.

Initial deposit of \$1000 required.

Second payment of \$1000 is due July 23, 2024.

Final balance is due November 13, 2024

***Prices vary by room type in Zermatt**

\$4150 Deluxe Double Room

\$3800 Comfort Double Room

\$3475 Triple Room w/sleeper sofa, (only 2, groups of 3 only)

\$4075 Single Room (only 2)

Zermatt Trip with Nice, France Extension - Details and Terms and Sign Up

In order to get everyone in the same hotel in Zermatt, we have had to take a variety of room sizes. We can take up to 72 people total.

20 Comfort Double rooms, 12 Deluxe Double rooms, 2 Triple rooms, 2 Single rooms

Given that, we will attempt to get your preferred lodging options for people who sign up in the first 10 days, if we are oversubscribed as to room size, you may have to accept an upgrade at the added cost. These will be selected on a random basis. People who want the triple must sign up as a group of 3.

Full Trip Price: Varies by room size, See above. All prices are double occupancy, except as noted.

Deduct Nice, France: \$420. You will need to provide your own transportation from Chicago O'Hare airport.

Deduct Air: \$1300. Your own air transportation to Zurich to and from Nice. We can provide prices on an individual basis, which must be paid when selected.

Deduct O'Hare bus: \$100

Deviations: \$150, charge for alternate itineraries (stay-overs, alternate airports) plus any added airfare, only available before November 1, 2024.

Trip is open for signup on May 20, 2024. Initial deposit of \$1000 required.

Second payment of \$1000 is due July 23, 2024.

Final balance is due November 13, 2024.

Cancellation fees are as follows: Free until July 23, 2024

\$600 from July 24 to October 30, 2024

\$1200 from October 31 to November 20, 2024

Full amount after November 20, 2024

While cancellation fees can be waived if a substitute can be found for the spot, there will be a minimum \$200 cancellation fee plus any costs associated with the change. After airline tickets are issued on November 25, they are non refundable less and nonchangeable (no name changes allowed).

This trip has been priced at an exchange rate of 1.00 CHF = \$1.10 US. While there is a contingency allowance built in to the trip, any extreme change in the rates could increase the cost of the trip which is the responsibility of the trip participants. If the exchange rate turns in our favor, added benefits will be included (parties, transport tickets, activities, etc).

Adequate insurance in case of accidents, skier mountain evacuation, emergency medical treatment, and evacuation home, delays including Covid quarantine costs and airline change fees and travel back to Appleton/Green Bay is recommended.

A valid passport is required, and should have an expiration date no earlier than July 22, 2025 (6 months validity beyond the trip completion date).

Due to the extra airline fees required for luggage of more than one checked item, and bus storage limitations, I STRONGLY recommend that you rent skis in Zermatt and leave yours at home.

Membership in the Sly Fox Ski Club or the Gelandesprung Ski Club is a requirement to sign up.

Do not mail before May 20, 2024

Send to: Sly Fox Ski Club, PO Box 1613, Appleton, WI 54912

Yes, sign me up for the Zermatt trip. I have read the conditions stated above and agree to the terms. NAME exactly as it appears on your passport. Use Skier 2 only if both are at the same address:

PLEASE PRINT

Skier 1 _____

Skier 2 _____

Preferred Lodging (Deluxe, Comfort, Basic) _____

Single _____, Triple (with roommate) _____

Date of Birth (Mo/Day/year) Skier 1 _____ Sex (M/F) _____ Skier 2 _____ Sex (M/F) _____

Passport number Skier 1 _____ Skier 2 _____

Passport Expiration Date Skier 1 _____ Skier 2 _____

Address (street, city, zip) _____

Cell phone number with area code #1) _____ #2) _____

Email address #1) _____

Email address #2) _____

Skier 1 Emergency Contact Name _____ Phone _____

Skier 2 Emergency Contact Name _____ Phone _____

Note, put any deviations of the flight itinerary, Deducts, Alternate airports here and I will get back to you with a price.

Signature: Skier 1 _____ Date _____

Signature Skier 2 _____ Date _____

Questions? Contact Sam Fontaine, samfont@athenet.net

Sitzmark Ski Club Trip – Sly Fox members invited.

HOUSEBOAT TRIP
On the Wolf River
Friday - Sunday August 16-18, 2024



Location: Anchor Point Marina--9118 Marion Lane Fremont, WI 54940
Full-service marina on the Wolf River. About 2 hrs. from Goerke's Corners.
<https://www.anchorpointmarina.com/>
<https://maps.app.goo.gl/acedTWNpmyXF5am66>

Cost: Checks Only – \$230.00

Includes cost of boat. An additional amount will be collected for gas. Bring your own food and beverages. Trip based on 10 people, if less sign up the cost could increase. Note: The boat leaves the dock with a full tank (100 gal). When it is returned, we pay to fill it up. The gas estimate included in the cost of the trip is \$400. If we go over \$400, the balance is split among everyone

Time: Arrive as early as 8:30am on Friday, August 16th to start loading the boat. The boat will depart as soon as everyone arrives. Accommodation can be made for late arrivals, contact the trip leader. Return the boat on **Sunday, August 18th by 3pm.**

HOST: Tony Ortega

Contact Tony for more information or to register at 262-271-8541 or tobogganguy006@gmail.com

Sitzmark Ski Club Trip – Sly Fox members invited.

DETAILS: Everyone is on their own for meals and drinks. No club meal is planned. Bring your own beverages, snacks, food for meals and coolers. People can also bring a dish to share. Prior to the trip, there will be zoom meetings with everyone on the trip to discuss meal planning. We will coordinate the meals to include:

Friday-- Lunch and Dinner

Saturday --Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner

Sunday-- Breakfast and Lunch

NOTE: This is a houseboat adventure! Everyone will be expected to roll-up-their-sleeves and contribute to shipmate duties. Don't worry, we will let you know exactly what needs to be done in order to keep our accommodations afloat. This is all about teamwork and good times, so get ready to laugh, learn, and conquer the Wolf River.

You can sleep on the boat or bring your sleeping bag and tent to sleep on the beach.

ABOUT THE BOAT AND ACCOMMODATIONS

The 50Ft Grandeurs houseboats feature an open and spacious design to accommodate large groups. Inside there is sleeping room for up to 10 people, 4 Queen Beds and Queen Sofa Sleeper.

There are two bathrooms aboard the houseboat, a full and a half. You'll enjoy hot showers in the large bathroom complete with a vanity, toilet, and stand-up shower.

There are two outdoor setting areas, equipped with furniture. The front deck includes a gas grill. Top it all off with air conditioning and a generator to provide power, hot water, etc. And for those occasional rainy days or nights there is a DVD player.

Onboard Equipment

Refrigerator • Stove/Oven • Microwave • Dishware & glasses • Silverware & utensils • Cookware • Coffee maker & cups • Toaster • BBQ tools • Gas grill • Broom & dustpan • Garbage bags • Toilet paper • First aid kit • Deck chairs • DVD player • Bluetooth stereo • 10 adult life jackets • Dock lines • Bow anchor • Swim ladder.

What to bring

Queen size sheets • Pillows and pillowcases • Blankets or sleeping bags • Bath towels • Shower supplies • Sunscreen • Bug spray • Phone charger • Paper plates and plastic silverware • Storage baggies/storage containers • Dish towels • Coolers • Board games • Deck of cards • DVDs • Water toys • Bait/tackle • Fishing gear.

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