



The
Easy Glider
Kick 'n Gliders Nordic Ski Club

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Web Site: www.kickngliders.org

Beth Major "Kicks" Off New Web Site

<http://www.kickngliders.org/>
... doesn't that just give
you a warm, fuzzy feeling
all over?

That's the address for the club's
new web site. Yeah, a real
site, not just a "yahoo club".

Approval was given at the
April planning meeting to
spend the modest sum needed
to register the club's domain
name and pay for web hosting
services. Beth Major, skier
extrordinaire, is our
volunteer webmaster (or
should that be webmistress?).

Beth already has the site up
and running with an initial load
of content. There is more to
come. Have a look-see for
yourself!

What would you like to see on
the site? Just let Beth know
and she'll see what she can do!

2002 Summer Activity Schedule

Nan Reisinger

Sat - June 22 Canoe the Yellow Breeches

Meet at Messiah College at the covered bridge at 11:00 am.

Leader: Nan Reisinger (717) 763-8094

Sat - July 20 Picnic at Zitzer's "River House"

We return to Phyllis' delightful riverside Dauphin home. There, she will open her lovely garden for us while we engage in a tubing party and picnic. Arrive at 2:00, potluck supper at 5:00.

Leader: Phyllis Zitzer (717) 921-9006

Sat - Aug 10 Nissley Winery Picnic & Dancing

Join us for an evening picnic and dance on the grounds of Nissley Winery. The band is City Rhythm, a big band playing classics and modern swing. Gates open at 5:00 PM. Wine sales begin at 6:00 PM. The band plays 7:30 PM to 10:00 PM. Cost is \$12.00 per person at the gate.

Leaders: Bill and Kay Pickering (717) 232-1326

Sept 13-15 Camp, Bike, Canoe at Ohiopyle St. Park

Camp at Ohiopyle State Park (2 nights) for about \$15 per person. Bike the Rail Trail along the Youghiogheny River on Saturday. Canoe the Middle Yough on Sunday. Please let Nan know if you plan to attend.

Leader: Nan Reisinger (717) 763-8094

For more details or changes in schedule call
Nan Reisinger 852-2187 (Day) or 763-8094 (Home)

2003 Weekend Ski Trip Preview

Mark your calendars! The weekend ski trips for 2003 are hereby announced:

Dec 28-Jan 1 Craftsbury, VT

We return to tradition with our New Year's celebration at Craftsbury Nordic Ski Center, located in northern Vermont. We're almost guaranteed to have great snow. Accommodations are in a dormitory with two per room and restrooms and showers down the hall. Meals are served in a dining hall. There is also a sauna, so bring a swimsuit.

Dave & Nancy LeRoy

Jan 10-12/13 Pulaski, NY

Back to the 1880's House in Pulaski for a reprise of our grand trip in '02. Breakfast, Apres-ski soup, and a GREAT Saturday night supper, all this and Lake Effect snow! They are adding another bathroom on the third floor and two more in-room fireplaces. Plenty of different areas to ski in. Option for third night.

Beth & Dennis Major

Jan 17-19 Black Forest, PA

Return with us to the plethora of public trails in the beautiful Black Forest of Pennsylvania! The Black Forest Inn affords us the ability to ski out the door onto a variety of public trails. It's a great time!

Tim Musser

Jan 17-20 Garnet Hill, NY

This perennial favorite trip is back to a three-night weekend. You can ski out the doors of our rented houses to enjoy the trails at Garnet Hill. The trails are beautifully groomed with enough variety to satisfy everyone from novice to expert. Rentals and lessons.

Bill Hoffman

Jan 24-26 Laurel Highlands, PA

We will return to outstanding chalets at Penn's Scenic View for 2003. Excellent groomed trails and a variety of public trails are just a few minutes drive from where we'll stay. Rentals and lessons.

Wanda Pritulsky

Jan 30-Feb 3 Lake Placid, NY

We're back to a four-night weekend in Lake Placid. But, we've moved to the house next door. Even nicer than Philo house, it's larger and better furnished. Lake Placid is hard to beat! Rentals and lessons.

Bill & Sandy Stine

Feb 7-9 Crystal Lake, PA

With what are the best ski trails in the state, or maybe the East, this is a cross-country treasure less than three hours from Harrisburg. This weekend trip will have you skiing out the door of the lodge. This is a great place for old hands and for beginners. Rentals and lessons on site.

Beth & Dennis Major

Feb 14-17/18 Stowe, VT

We return to the legendary village of Stowe, VT. A wide selection of commercial and public XC ski trails, combined with the charming village make for a truly great weekend. Rentals and lessons. Option for a fourth night.

Nan Reisinger

Feb 21-24 Turin, NY

We've moved this one up hoping more members will experience it. The Pioneer Lodge is spacious, cozy and welcoming with the best meals you'll find on any ski trip. And the skiing? It is wonderful with an excellent variety of public trails! You'll be delighted!

Dave & Nancy LeRoy

Feb 28-Mar 3 Inlet, NY

Huge every year, Inlet is just a winter wonderland with great skiing, excellent accommodations, fine company and plenty of snow. Join us! Rentals and lessons.

Bill & Kay Pickering

Mar 15-21 Lake Tahoe, CA

Big break from tradition! Tahoe is the U.S. cross-country skiing mecca. See the related article on the next page and make your reservation now!

Bill & Sandy Stine

Trip details and prices will be published in October in the Season Guide.

If you want to reserve a spot right away, you may send a \$50 deposit to treasurer, Dave LeRoy, at the club's PO Box.

Lake Tahoe Bound!

Reserve your place,
now, for our March 15-
21 trip to Lake Tahoe.

**Send in a deposit of \$200 per
person to the PO Box today
if you want a space on the
trip! Interest is so strong
that you'll need to act fast.**

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Situated in the Sierras on the
California/Nevada border, Tahoe
is the unchallenged mecca for
cross-country skiing in the U.S.
Four major commercial cross-
country centers in the area claim
over 560 km of groomed trails.
That count includes the country's
largest xc ski resort, Royal Gorge,
where the average annual
snowfall exceeds 800 inches. In
addition, there are many miles of
public trails for those who prefer
their skiing on the wilder side.

While we can't detail all the
arrangements quite yet, it will be
close to the following. For a total
cost of about \$900 per person,
you will get airfare from BWI,
rental of several minivans for the
week, room in a large rental
house in the Truckee area, food
(we'll cook our own meals) and
xc-ski passes.

The trip will accommodate up to
about 20 members. But, you'll
have to act fast because many
folks have already expressed
strong interest!

E-mail or call trip leaders, Bill &
Sandy Stine, for details.
william.t.stine@gte.net or
717-392-1675

Election of Officers

Officers Elected for 2002-2003

Club membership unanimously approved the following slate of officers as
submitted by the Nominating Committee.

- President **Tim Musser**
- Vice-President **Joan Short**
- Treasurer **David Leroy**
- Secretary **Mike McMullen**
- Weekend Trips **Jan Diehl**
- Day Trips **Dennis Major**
- Membership **Wanda Pritulsky**
- Programs **Richard Levin**
- Summer Trips **Nan Reisinger**
- Newsletter **Bill Stine**

Please support them as they work for the club to create skiing and
fellowship opportunities for our members in the coming year!

Ox Roast Date

October 19, 2002!

Once again, Dick and Marti Ruben have offered to host the Kick 'n Glider's
annual Ox Roast. It's the first chance many of us will have to rub shoulders
in the fall with those you'll be skiing with during the winter season.

I know this seems like a long way off, but make a note on your calendar so
you'll keep this important date open!

Season Statistics

So, how did we do this past season? In short, very well. The club has a
healthy membership including 69 individuals and 44 family memberships.
While we have no statistics on day trip participation, we do for extended
trips. We scheduled nine weekend trips with thirty overnight stays. A total
of 129 people participated in those trips. In spite of a warm winter with low
snow accumulations, we experienced good to excellent ski conditions on
most of our scheduled ski days.

In addition, our meeting attendance was up this year so that members were
better able to share their experiences and know-how.

The year to come should be even better. With an ambitious eleven extended
weekend trips scheduled, including one to Lake Tahoe (for a total of 35-37)
nights stay, it promises to be bigger and better than ever before. Begin
making your plans today!



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