

President's Message

Greetings!

It is Fall (forget the temperature) and I for one find myself looking forward to snow and lots of it. With that in mind, my initial word to all of you (at least some of us) ski club members is; NOW is the time to check your diet, start that Pre-ski exercise program, and try on those boots again.

As I review these last few months it appears that life has been busy and rather difficult at times. I realize that this has been true for several members of our Board. Many of you have stepped up to assist me or step in for me when necessary. I wish to thank each of you for your service and for everything that you do. Remember, we are an all volunteer club so I'm declaring October as "Thank a Board Member" month.

Your President
Jack McDermott

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MODESTO SKI CLUB

LODGE NEWS

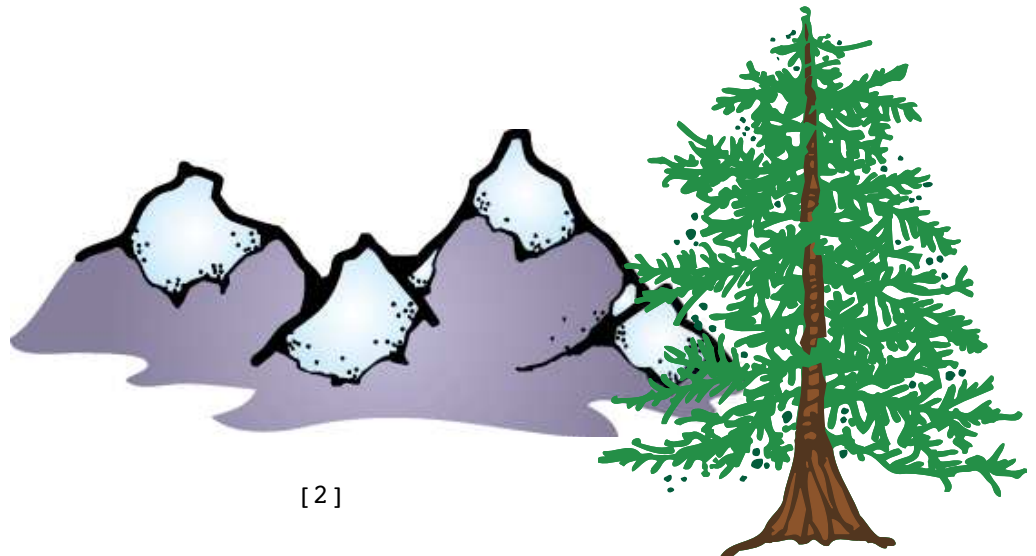
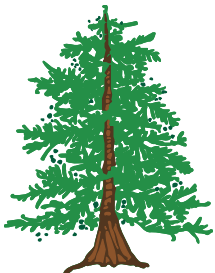
Well it is time again for the Fall Work Weekend. We will be doing the bi-annual clean up on October 12-14, 2012. Currently we have 20 members signed up and staying at the Lodge for this Clean Up Weekend. We also have one other member and guest just helping for the day on Saturday. That means 22 people helping to clean the Lodge! Please let me know if your plans have changed by Wednesday October 10th so I can contact members that are on the wait list and purchase the right amount of food for meals offered at the Clean Up Weekend.

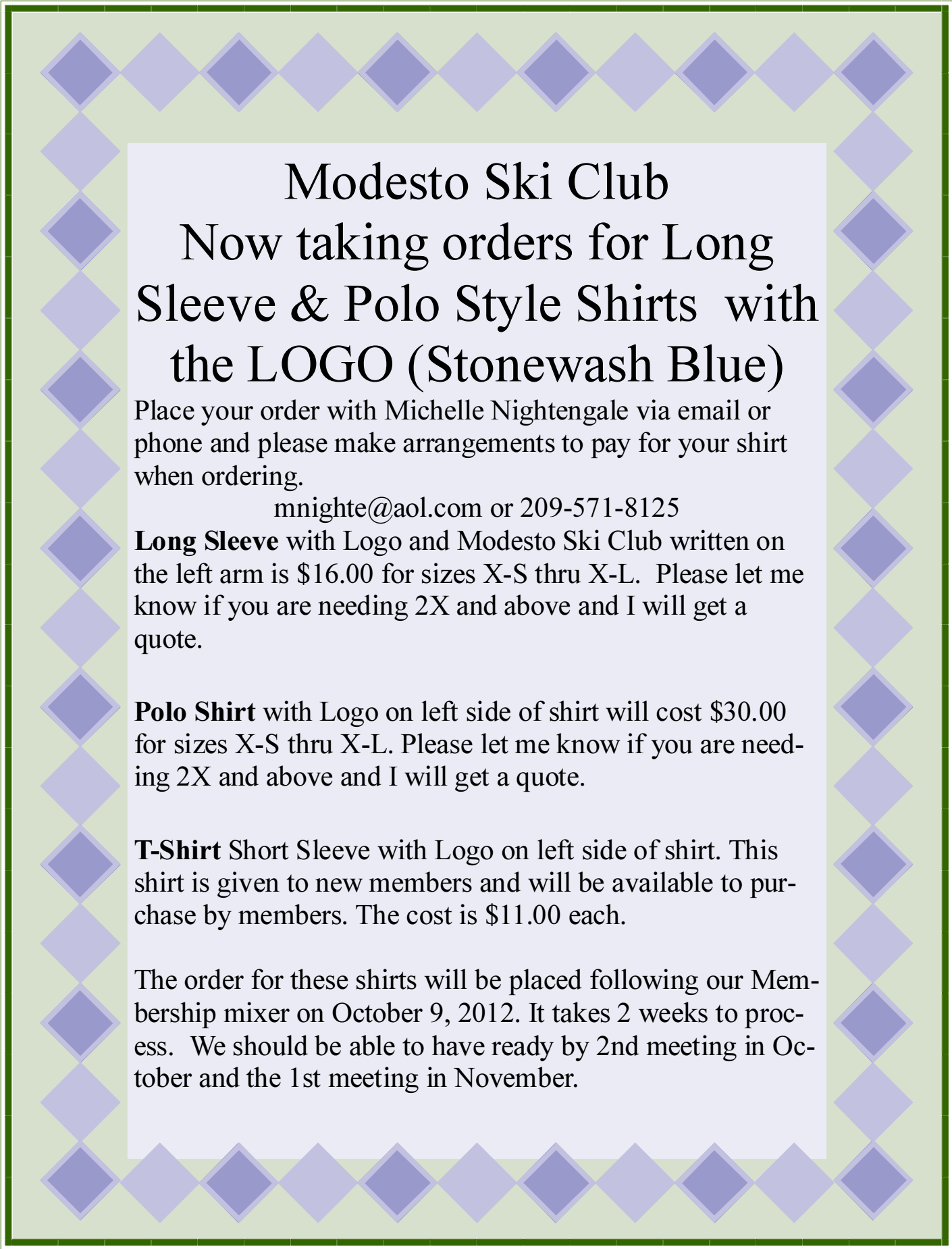
We also change the locks on the Fall Clean Up Weekend. Be sure if you have a key and are attending the Fall Work Weekend that you bring your key to exchange. If you are planning a trip to the Lodge before October 31, please be sure to set up a time to meet with me to swap out your current key. Season and Year Passes will go on sale after the Membership renewal has taken place. The Lodge Winter Season Pass is still \$115.00 and the Entire Year Pass is \$170.00. Be sure to submit at the time of your payment of the pass 2 for Winter Season or 3 for Year pass any work weekend Lodge vouchers. They are worth \$14.00 each and when submitted with your payment will reduce the amount by \$28.00 for two redeemed for the Winter Pass, or \$42.00 for three redeemed for the Year Pass.

Be sure to let me know if anything needs attention at the Lodge while you are staying there or if any supplies are needed. Thanks in advance for all your help and pray for lots of snow so we have a Wonderful Winter 2012 - 2013 Season!

Michelle Nightengale

Lodge Chairperson





Modesto Ski Club

Now taking orders for Long Sleeve & Polo Style Shirts with the LOGO (Stonewash Blue)

Place your order with Michelle Nightengale via email or phone and please make arrangements to pay for your shirt when ordering.

mnighte@aol.com or 209-571-8125

Long Sleeve with Logo and Modesto Ski Club written on the left arm is \$16.00 for sizes X-S thru X-L. Please let me know if you are needing 2X and above and I will get a quote.

Polo Shirt with Logo on left side of shirt will cost \$30.00 for sizes X-S thru X-L. Please let me know if you are needing 2X and above and I will get a quote.

T-Shirt Short Sleeve with Logo on left side of shirt. This shirt is given to new members and will be available to purchase by members. The cost is \$11.00 each.

The order for these shirts will be placed following our Membership mixer on October 9, 2012. It takes 2 weeks to process. We should be able to have ready by 2nd meeting in October and the 1st meeting in November.



Cheryl's Corner

1st VP



COME JOIN THE FUN WITH THE MODESTO SKI CLUB

OUR MEMBERSHIP DRIVE IS ON!!

NOW IS THE TIME TO BRING YOUR FRIENDS, FAMILY & CO-WORKERS
TO LEARN ABOUT THE MODESTO SKI CLUB!

THIS EVENT WILL BE HELD AT JOHN'S INCREDIBLE PIZZA CO.
2225 PLAZA PKWY,SUITE N
MODESTO, CA 95350
6:00 PM IN THE RETREAT ROOM
OCTOBER 9TH, 2012

THE CLUB WILL BE BUYING OUR MEMBERS' DINNER
AND ANY GUEST YOU MAY BE BRINGING

OUR GUEST SPEAKER'S WILL BE:

JC MUNOZ-- SALES MANAGER WITH NORTHSTAR,HEAVENLY,
& KIRKWOOD--TAHOE REGION

DENNIS SONDERIO-- OWNER OF SUNSPORTS--TURLOCK, CA

WE WILL BE SELLING RAFFLE TICKETS FOR SOME GREAT GIFT
GIVEAWAY'S FROM OUR VENDERS

HOPE TO SEE ALL OUR MODESTO SKI CLUB MEMBERS
JOIN THE FUN!!



Wine - Bike & Barbecue!!!



Join your Modesto Ski Club friends on a FABULOUS bike, wine tasting and barbecue outing! We will depart from Doug Ball's home in Lodi and take a leisurely bicycle ride through the Lodi countryside (Approx. 20 miles round trip). On the way, we will stop at several local wineries and do a little wine tasting.

Come prepared to purchase some wine! SAG support will be available to transport your purchases back to Doug Ball's home.

We will cap off our day with a barbecue where we will enjoy good company and the wine we've purchased!

When: 10/6/12, 10:00 am meet at Doug's home
(Ride departure promptly at 10:45 am)

Where: Doug and Tasha's home, 2661 Paradise Dr., Lodi, CA

Be sure to bring your bike, helmet, repair items for flats, your wallet (for your wine purchases) and your smiles!

Please sign up to bring a side dish for the barbecue!

(I have negotiated discounts and special accommodations for us. But, please be prepared to pay \$5 at each location (x 4) for your tasting. If you make a wine purchase, any tasting fee will be applied towards your purchase.)

Please e-mail Pam Shelton with the side dish you will be bringing to share.

pam.shelton.pki9@statefarm.com

Miscellaneous FYI



Hi

Maarten had mentioned that some Modesto Ski Club members attended the Stockton Holiday Pops concert last year at Delta College. My daughter, Lauren, is singing with the Youth Chorale again and will be performing at the Stockton Holiday Pops concert on December 16th. I wanted to give you a heads up on the date tickets sell quickly.

Here is the link:

http://www.stocktonsymphony.org/concerts/calendarofevents.aspx?event_id=70

Kathy Gahn

A VERY SPECIAL "THANK YOU" GOES TO:
DAVE GARCEZ & CHERYL BONANI
for hosting the September Summer
Bar-B-Que
a GREAT TIME was had by ALL!!!

Marci Boucher, the Director of the **Society for Handicapped Children & Adults**, was the guest speaker at our general meeting on September 25th, at Fuzio's. For more information about this wonderful organization, you may call: (209) 524-3536 or visit: 1129 8th Street Modesto, CA 95354 or go to their website:
info@societyforhandicapped.org



Miscellaneous FYI

Continued.....

Fellow MSC Race Team members,

As you may know, I am the new Ski Club Race Team Director. Tim Hutton has graciously volunteered to help out as the Assistant Director of our team. We are looking forward to helping you have a fun racing season.

I have attached a printable Word Doc version of this coming year's schedule. This should help you in advance planning.

Registration for the league will begin on October 1st. You may do so at that time on-line at <https://sites.google.com/sites/openleagueracing> . I suggest you add this address to your "favorites list".

Please note my new email address:
ezmoods@att.net

All the Best,
Ed Moody MSC Race Director



OPEN LEAGUE RACING SCHEDULE

<u>Date</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Race or Event Type</u>
Dec 6, 2012 Thurs	Northstar	Carving Cup – Sponsored by Sierra League
Dec 16, 2012 Sun	Northstar	Open League Racing Clinic
Jan 5, 2013 Sat	Alpine Meadows	RACE # 1 – Giant Slalom – Open League Race
Jan 6, 2013 Sun	Alpine Meadows	RACE # 2 – TBD – Open League Race
Jan 12, 2013 Sat	Squaw Valley	Giant Slalom – Combined League Race (add'l fee)
Jan 13, 2013 Sun	Squaw Valley	Slalom – Combined League Race (add'l fee)
Jan 26, 2013 Sat	Northstar	RACE # 3 – Slalom – Open League Race
Jan 27, 2013 Sun	Northstar	RACE # 4 – –Giant Slalom – Open League Race
Feb 2 to 9, 2013	Aspen/Snowmass	FWSA ski week & 3 FWRA races + Council Race
Feb 16–17, 2013	Boreal	Clinics sponsored by Sierra League
Feb 23, 2013 Sat	Northstar	Super Giant Slalom Clinic sponsored by Sierra
Feb 24, 2013 Sun	Northstar	Super Giant Slalom sponsored by Sierra League
Mar 9, 2013 Sat	Alpine Meadows	RACE # 5 – Slalom – Open League Race
Mar 10, 2013 Sun	Alpine Meadows	RACE # 6 – Giant Slalom – Open League Race
Mar 16–17, 2013	TBD	Clinics sponsored by Sierra League
Mar 23, 2013 Sat	Alpine Meadows	RACE # 7 – Giant Slalom – Open League Race
		Open League Awards Party
Mar 24, 2014 Sun	TBD	Make-up race or RACE # 8 TBD
Apr 5–7, 2013	Alpine Meadows	Far West Championship – clinic & 2 races

Bay Area Snow Sports Council

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DEER VALLEY

Three Unique Mountains One Great Town!

FEB 28 - MAR 5, 2013

\$1110.00

Including Flights

For More Information

Linda Hennings

209-631-0429 *evenings only*

lindahennings@sbcglobal.net

Your Vacation Includes:

- **Five Nights Deluxe Hotel Accommodations**
Park City Peaks Hotel - 2 per room
Daily hot breakfast & cookie man visits
- **Four Days Skiing**
1 @ Park City, 1 @ The Canyons & 1 @ Deer Valley -
You pick the 4th day!
- **Roundtrip airfare Oakland to Salt Lake City**
- **Charter Bus - Salt Lake to Park City**
- **Welcome reception**

GST: 2050870-40

October Birthdays

Charles Hennings 05
Denise Cook 12
Douglas Ball 14
Randall Brown 19
JoAnn Hennings 24

Myrtle Wagoner 08
Renee Turula 12
Norman Ohlson 15
Ki Vacca 22
Jonnie Shawkey 27



Current MSC Board

President - Jack McDermott
First Vice President / Programs - Cheryl Kelly
Second Vice President / Activities - Pam Shelton
Secretary - Donna Lee
Treasurer - Jim Ambrosavage
Lodge Director - Michelle Nightengale
Membership - Paula Tucker
Newsletter Editor - Marsha Silveira
Race Director - Ed Moody
Lodge Trustee - Doug Ball
Ski Chairperson / BAC Rep - Chuck Hennings
Web Master / Public Relations - Murray Breeze
Historian - Rob Orr
Past President - Debra Clover



	1	2	3	4	5	6 <i>Lodi Wine Bike Ride & Bar-B-Que</i>
7	8	9 Membership Meeting 6pm John's Incredible Pizza	10	11	12 Lodge Fall Clean-Up	13 Lodge Fall Clean-Up
14 Lodge Fall Clean-Up	15	16	17 Board Meeting at Pam Shelton's	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
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