



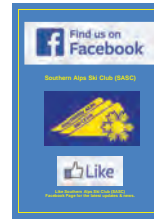
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MEETING Venues and Times

- * **Club** Committee meetings held at Norths, Cammeray at 8pm, all welcome.
- * Club AGM held at Norths, Cammeray at 8pm.
- * **Cross Country and Bushwalking** - October meeting held at the Sims home.
- * **Junior Committee** meetings to be held at different venues. Contact Stuart Jones on 0412 500 900 for details.
- * Open **Lodge** meetings held at Sports House, Quad 1, Level 2, 8 Parkview Drive, Sydney Olympic Park. Sports House entrance is locked after hours so please call Phillip or Rod 0448 670 586 for access.
- * Lodge AGM held at Norths, Cammeray at 8pm.

DATES TO NOTE

Thredbo Junior Interclub Race: Tuesday 16 July, 10 am start. All children are welcome to apply for the Southern Alps team (ages up to U18). Please contact Kim Easdale 0412 851 615. With no children's races at Charlotte Pass this year our SASC Junior (U16) Alpine Championship will be determined on the results of this race.

Race week: 4 – 9 August - All members are eligible to enter the Club's Championship races at Thredbo. Club sponsored training on Tuesday 6 August, racing starts Wednesday 7 August to Friday 9 August – Contact Tim Easdale 0423 842 425.

Thredbo Senior Interclub Race: 10 August by selection – watch and cheer our best racers competing in this prestigious event.

Perisher Cup: Saturday 14 September – Teams of 4 race in a cross-country relay race, GS race, and jump with open, women and junior categories – Contact Kim Easdale 0412 851 615.

To race in any of these events competitors must be registered with Ski & Snowboard Australia's Snowracer. Registration is FREE and now worldwide equipment insurance cover can be included for \$39.90

All 3 Lodges - catered period has been extended to 28 September 2019



SOUTHERN ALPS SKI CLUB

End of Season Celebration & MOVIE EVENING

FRIDAY, 25TH OCTOBER 2019 • 7PM

The Alcott, 1 Birdwood Avenue, Lane Cove

ADULTS \$25

CHILDREN UNDER 12YRS \$10

Includes finger food and a welcome drink. Drinks will then be available to purchase.

BOOKINGS

to Marie Westgarth
marie.westgarth@bigpond.com

PAYMENT

By EFT to SASC BSB 062 204
Account 10290244

Note: Name and member number

PARKING

In Birdwood Lane

- Movie entertainment.
- Presentation of SASC Junior and Club Awards.
- Juniors Guessing Competition draw, win a Ski trip to Sun Peaks and other great prizes.
- Presentation of gold member badges for 25 years continuous membership.



2019 CALENDAR

SOUTHERN ALPS SKI CLUB INC

JULY

- 3-6 Junior Bus Trip for 8-13 year olds – all welcome to apply
- Sat 6 Start NSW Public School holidays
- Sun 7 Walk – Cronulla area, contact Russell Barnes
- 9-13 Interschools – Northern NSW + QLD at Perisher
- 12-19 Junior Race Training Week at Perisher (by selection)
- Tue 16 Thredbo Junior Inter-Club, contact Kim Easdale 0412 851 615
- 16-20 Interschools – Sydney division at Thredbo
- Sun 21 End NSW Public School holidays
- Mon 22 Lodge Meeting at Homebush, all welcome
- 24-26 Interschools - ACT + Southern NSW at Perisher
- 25-29 Boys' Weekend at Charlotte Pass (by invitation)
- 26-27 Thredbo Masters race

AUGUST

- Sun 4 Walk – Cherrybrook area, contact Ron McCann
- 4-9 SASC Race week / Club Championships at Thredbo
- Mon 5 Bank holiday
- Wed 7 KAC XC Classic Race - Perisher to Charlotte Pass
- Sat 10 Thredbo Top to Bottom and Thredbo Senior Inter-Club
- Sun 18 Amelia McGuiness cross country team sprints - Perisher trails
- Mon 19 Amelia McGuiness - Perisher time trials
- Tue 20 October Newsletter deadline
- 20-25 SSA Northern States Interschools - Perisher
- 31/8-7/9 Nordic Week – Charlotte Pass, contact Bob Sims

SEPTEMBER

- 4-8 Interschools – Australian Championships - Mt Buller
- Sat 14 Perisher Cup teams race, contact Kim Easdale 0412 851 615
- Sun 15 Walk – TBA, contact Annette Fitzallen
- Mon 16 Lodge Meeting at Homebush, directors only
- Tue 24 Club Committee Meeting, all welcome at Norths, 8pm
- Sat 28 Start NSW Public School holidays
- Sun 29 All 3 Lodges - breakfast is end of catered period

OCTOBER

- Mon 7 Labour Day Public Holiday
- Mon 7 Charlotte Pass Village, Perisher and Thredbo SEASON CLOSE
- Sun 13 End NSW Public School holidays
- Mon 14 Lodge Meeting at Homebush – all welcome
- Tue 15 Junior Committee Meeting at Mosman
- Sat 19 XCBW Walk – Blue Mtns, contact Andy Cairns

- Fri 25 Movie night, The Alcott, Lane Cove at 7pm
- Sun 27 XCBW Meeting - Sims Home, contact Bob Sims

NOVEMBER

- 8-11 XCBW 4WD camping week-end – Abercrombie NP, contact Bob Sims
- Wed 20 **SASC Annual General Meeting**, at Norths, 8 pm
- Wed 20 January 2020 Newsletter deadline
- 23-24 Lodge Meeting at Thredbo, directors only
- Sat 30 XCBW Christmas Picnic/ Walk – venue TBA, Contact Bob Sims

DECEMBER

- Sat 21 Start NSW Public School holidays

SASC OFFICE BEARERS 2019

Contact appropriate Club office bearers for queries re Annual Fees (both Lodge and Club members), Membership Numbers, Booking forms, Club Members Change of Address, etc

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Secretary - Sally Sims

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Tim Moore 0411 220 789

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Ron Giles

President's Report

Rod Peile

Dear Members,

The retirement of Lodge Cooperative director, **Joan Gardner**, at the May AGM marks the end of an era.

Joan was and still is a very willing worker; she joined Southern Alps in 1957 and was immediately appointed Club secretary. In 1963 Joan was one of the 5 Club members who decided it was time to form a Cooperative and build a Ski Lodge; Joan has held her place on the Lodge Coop Board since its inception and continued as Club Secretary until she was elected Club President in 1965-66.

Joan's contribution to Southern Alps is well documented in our book "All Welcome" and was recognised in 2015 at the celebration to mark 50 years of Lodge operation. Being so deeply involved Joan appreciated the importance of the Club members on the operation of the Lodge Cooperative.

Beverly Endicott has indicated her desire to retire. Beverly has carried out the Lodge Cooperative secretarial duties since 1976, another tremendous effort.

Our sincere thanks to both Joan and Beverly for their generous contributions over such prolonged periods.

Congratulations to new director **Kim Easdale**, who replaces Joan on the Board.

Thank you to members who attended the Southern Alps Lodge Stores weekend at the end of April.

The goods were checked off and stored ready for winter. There were plenty of jobs completed on Tim Moore's list to have the Lodge ready for winter after completion of the lodge's fire upgrade works. I think members will be surprised at the flash new look!

I appreciate assistance from Kim Easdale who has continued as the Club's acting secretary after Guy Vicars found new work commitments had eroded the time he thought would be available for the secretary's duties. Kim will remain in acting capacity until the Club's AGM in November.

Arthur Owens resigned from the Club Committee after a motion to upgrade the Race Week results spreadsheet did not pass. This was very sad end to Arthur's involvement with the Club's Committee after 7 years as Club Cap-

tain, 17 years as President & 32 years being involved with Race Week. Arthur has certainly contributed a great deal to Southern Alps.

Vice-Captain, Tim Easdale, is going to continue with this year's Race Week plans and I hope members get behind Tim to ensure success of Race Week. Arthur has offered to assist with the Thredbo Interclub team so we should still be able to enter a strong Interclub team.

Snowsports sponsorship is offered to members competing at an elite level. Member applications for 2019-20 season are due in August - see details on page 4.

Juniors Guessing Competition tickets are included with this newsletter. A chance to win a fantastic trip to Sun Peaks Resort staying at Sun Peaks Grand Hotel and Conference Centre and other prizes (see page 6 for details). Please support the businesses who generously donate prizes.

Our social event will be a movie night held on Friday 25 October from 7pm at Alcott, Lane Cove. See page 1 for details.

The next Committee Meeting is on Tuesday 24 September at Norths starting at 8 pm. Members are welcome to attend and participate in discussion. Following the meeting tea/coffee will be served.

Hope to see you on the snow.

Rod Peile

0448 670 586

rod.peile@bigpond.com

Welcome to our new sponsor:
Sun Peaks Grand Hotel and Conference Centre



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Slope beside SunBurst Chairlift, Sun Peaks Canada

Snippets

Vale Alan Davies Wells



Alan passed away on 22 April aged 91 years.

He joined Southern Alps in July 1965 and introduced 3 generations to the snow.

Aerial Skier, Sam Wells, wrote of her Papa: "The Wells clan will forever miss our humble leader but will always cherish our time spent skiing and enjoying the snow with Big Al; he's the one that made going to the snow, and SASC, a part of our family history!

Alan was also a keen member of the annual Boys' weekend event.

Sponsored Skier reports:

Sami Kennedy-Sim – Ski Cross Skier
Sami was not happy with her results for the 2018/19 northern winter. It was tough to readjust to home life after the hectic tour schedule and one hand in a cast. Sami has found an Elite Athlete Wellbeing Management course that has not only helped with the current situation but could also put Sami in a position to help others. Since the cast has been removed Sami has been doing some training with Olympic Winter Institute colleague Belle Brockhoff. With the next Winter Olympics in 2022 Sami is very keen to improve. For more detail see Sami's website www.samikennedysim.com

Theo Coates – Alpine Skier

Theo returned home at the end of February with some encouraging results. He is now studying Engineering at UOW and building up physical strength before training at Coronet Peak later in the year and competing in both legs of the Australian and New Zealand Cup. Theo thanked Southern Alps for the support provided.

SASC Snowsports Sponsorship

Any adult members planning to train and compete in the in the 2019/20 northern winter snowsports events are required submit their sponsorship request to the Secretary (email secretary@sasc-aus.com) by 15 August 2019. Applications will be studied by our sponsorship group; their recommendation will be considered at the September Club meeting. Applicants are requested to include the following in their request:

- Proposed overseas program including duration
- Estimated program cost
- Years as SASC member
- Planned level of races/events participating in
- Coach's name

Junior members also have sponsorship opportunities for the northern winter, please contact Juniors Secretary, Lisa Manoy on 0400 811 133.

Juniors Fundraisers

The Juniors have purchased more of the black fleece hoodies with SASC logo and text and similar long sleeve T Shirts, they will be for sale in the lodges this winter, the Hoodies are \$50 each and \$30 for the T Shirt.

Who do I contact?

The objects of the Club and Lodge Coop are centred around encouragement of snowsports.

Southern Alps Ski Club has the committee listed on page 2, They are responsible for the Club membership, Club calendar events mostly organised by the Racing, Juniors, Cross Country & bushwalking and Social subcommittees. All members belong to the Club by paying joining fee and annual subscription.

Southern Alps Ski Club Lodge Co-operative Ltd has officers and elected directors listed on page 8. They are responsible for the operation of our Lodges that includes Lodge bookings, Lodge managers, Lodge maintenance and refurbishment and Lodge shareholder management. Shareholders have purchased or inherited a parcel of Lodge shares.

Changed Contact Details?

Please remember to advise the secretary if your address, phone number or email address change either by completing form on the website OR write to the Secretary, PO Box 841, Spit Junction 2088.

Email Addresses

Emails are being sent when required between newsletters to provide important information to you, however we are missing email addresses for about half of the current members; majority of these are our young adults that gain individual membership when they turn 19. Please encourage your family to submit their email details on our website www.sasc-aus.com.

2019 Theme night at Kahane Lodge

Every Thursday evening is special at Kahane- This year's theme is "Hero or Villain".

Dress up for dinner and enjoy the fun.

Kahane Lodge Environmental Results

Thanks to Tony, his management team and the Members who stayed at Kahane last year for reducing all of the recorded EMS metrics; electricity and gas usage were significantly lower in the period that closed on 28 Feb 2019.

BEN RICKETTS ENVIRONMENTAL PRESERVE.

BREP is only 120 km from Sydney at 774 Jamberoo Mountain Road. Cabin accommodation is very reasonable. To take advantage of reduced rates for SASC members a password must be used with your booking – please contact Rod Peile 0448 670 586. There is always work to be done on the preserve, working bees are planned for May 12/13, Aug 4/5, Nov 4/5. See www.benricketts.org.au



On the Thredbo River

From the Editor

NEXT DEADLINE, for the October 2019 Newsletter, is Tuesday, 20 August, 2019. Contributions to Editor: sasc.newseditor@gmail.com or ring Helen

Bushwalking and Cross Country

Bob & Sally Sims

Past Events

March - Wyangala Waters Camping Weekend

We had 21 members join us for a camping weekend at Wyangala Waters (near Cowra). On Saturday we walked from the park to Elliot's Lookout via the Elliot's Fire Trail. Morning tea was taken on a ridge overlooking Wyangala Dam and we returned via the Drovers Fire Trail and Balancing Rock Lookout. On Sunday there was a variety of outings including the Koorawatha Show and the Cowra Japanese Gardens.

April – Easter at Kahane

Another great success with 33 attendees over the week-end. Interesting walks included Porcupine, Illawong, Cascades Firetrail, Pallaibo, Lakes Walk, Bullocks Hut, Kosi via Thredbo. Visits to local towns, Lakelight Sculptures and the annual Perisher Duck Races. The Eyre Café and the White Spider were also well supported.

May – Lane Cove River Circuit

We met near De Burghs Bridge and completed a circuit of the Lane Cove River from the bridge to the weir and back, a fabulous 10km walk with a mixture of flat bits, steep bits, rock scrambles and even a coffee shop for lunch. Thanks to Sharon, Chris and Harm.



New Cootapatamba Hut

Cootapatamba Hut Rebuild

The work was planned to start on 29 January, but was delayed by bush fires, Started on 11 February, then delayed again by high winds, the work was finished on 4 April. We had several club members volunteer to help, however only two managed to get on site. Go to the club website for more details and pictures.

Coming up in 2019

July – Walk – Cronulla Area

August – Walk – Cherrybrook area

Our walk schedule is included in the SASC Newsletter calendar and the details are sent via email one week prior to the walk, please contact me if you would like to receive our walk email.

We look forward to seeing you on a walk soon. Please go to our SASC website for more walk photos.



At the Porcupine Lookout



Balancing Rock Lookout at Wyangala

VICE-CAPTAIN'S REPORT

by Tim Easdale

The excitement of race season is upon us!

Race week at Thredbo is scheduled, with racing activities for all, between 6 - 9 August. Make sure to come down to compete by day and enjoy the festivities of race week by night. We're hoping to increase our numbers for the races, so would love to hear from anyone who wants to be involved.

If your ski legs are feeling a little stiff, race coaching by Thredbo coaches will be available for members on 6 August. We're excited to try a new format this year with the introduction of Ski Cross: Slalom (morning) – 07/08/2019
Ski Cross (afternoon) – 07/08/2019
Giant Slalom – 08/08/2019
Super G – 09/08/2019

The race week concludes with the grand finale, the Senior Interclub on 10/08/2019. We'll be battling it out amongst the local lodges of Thredbo and will have the celebrations afterwards to match it!

Perisher Cup is scheduled for 14 September. This race is a fun event for all levels to get involved, with a great presentation night in the heart of Perisher. If you would like to be involved, our very own Perisher Cup committee member Kim Easdale (0412 85 1615) would like to hear from you (we're desperate for cross country skiers).

Looking forward to seeing everyone getting in on the action.

Tim Easdale (0423 84 2425)



Warming up for bus trip at the BBQ

Junior Report

Stuart Jones
- Juniors Chairman

The **Juniors bus trip** introduces children to alpine skiing and, through intensive coaching, improves their skills and enjoyment of the sport. The bus trip is taking place from Wednesday 3 July to Saturday 6 July this year, with the children staying at Charlotte Pass. Congratulations to the 42 young skiers who have secured a place on the trip. Interest was once again very strong, and it looks to be a great season from the early reports of snowfalls already. We also have some fun apres-ski activities to match the excellent lesson program offered.

Parent helpers this year are Barry Westgarth, Darren Gore, Lisa Manoy, Sandra Brinkman, Julian Thompson and the bus trip coordinator, Lani Richardson. On behalf of the committee, thank you for volunteering your time and energy to offer such a great experience for the kids.

As in previous years, the bus trip will be technology-free except where needed for medical reasons. Please keep the smartphones etc. at home. If the kids do bring them, they will be collected by parent helpers on arrival at Charlotte Pass lodge and be returned as the children board the bus for the trip home.

The bus trip information session and BBQ was held on 2 June at the Longueville 12ft Skiff Club. This was a great opportunity for kids to renew friendships from past trips and to meet the newcomers. Tim and Lara Easdale, both past attendees on the bus trip, addressed the children with some stories of past fun and adventure. Thanks Tim

and Lara for giving up your time to give the newcomers a sense of what it is all about.

The **Junior race team** will comprise 8 children chosen from the bus Trip. They will benefit from a week of race training and competition whilst staying at Perisher, with race team managers Troy Ingle and Matt Coffey.

The **Thredbo Junior Inter-club race** will take place at 10am on Tuesday 16 July on the Rossi course. Please ring Kim Easdale on 0412 851615 if you would like to enter or find out more information on behalf of a potential competitor. The junior race team is always supplemented by other club children keen on developing their racing experience. Race entry and lift tickets will be paid by the club. We came equal first last year so we have our title to defend! The Junior Club Alpine championship will be awarded on the results of the Thredbo Junior Inter-club as was the case last year.

We had a great **northern winter** with many of our **juniors training and racing**. Our Junior sponsored skiers this year were: Letitia Murphy, April and Ben Wynn and Matthew Clayton. We are very proud to support these children in taking their skiing to the next level.

Hot tips for the 2019 fund raiser.

The juniors fundraiser is a great way to support the Juniors while at the same time offering the opportunity to win some great prizes thanks to our sponsors from SunPeaks, SunPeaks Grand Hotel and Conference Centre, AlpSport, SnowSkiers Warehouse and SX Snow.

The tickets will be drawn at the Club's annual social and movie night at the Alcott in October. For more information about the evening see page 1.

These are the the hot tips I gave last year for winning the raffle -

#1- buy LOTS of tickets. It's a numbers game, someone has to get lucky, and it may as well be YOU.

#2: come to this year's club social at the Alcott where the prizes are being drawn. All club members are welcome. Raffle tickets are enclosed with this newsletter, and we will also send you two books to offer to family and friends.

#3: ask parents and grandparents to write YOUR name on the tickets when they buy them! If you need more ticket books, let me know and we'll send you some.

Cheers
Stuart Jones



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2018 Guessing Competition prize at Sun Peaks

It was great to hear from Ian Henderson, the winner of last year's trip to SunPeaks, Canada. Ian writes -

"My 13 year old son Sam and I thoroughly enjoyed our 7 day ski trip at Sun Peaks ski resort Canada from 21-28 February that we won in the SASC fund raiser. The well designed comfortable ski-in ski-out Cahilty Lodge is perfectly located for cafes, restaurants, ski lifts and return visits for breaks.

Sam and I enjoyed skiing all three mountains with lots of variety of blue and black runs up to 8km long! Highlights were the snow quality, snow covered tall pine trees, friendly non-commercial atmosphere and virtually no lift queues or crowded slopes! 26cm of new snow fell in our first two skiing days. We then enjoyed sunny days from 24-27 Feb before fresh snow again on 28 Feb. It was minus 19C on morning of the 26th so I needed to buy Sam warmer mitts during a guided tour by one of the volunteer ski host guides. We also enjoyed a hosted tour with Nancy Greene, Olympic Alpine skiing gold medalist, former senator and major force behind Sun Peaks success.

Thanks again to SASC, Cahilty Lodge and Sun Peaks resort
Ian and Sam"



SASC hoodie and shirt



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**Looking down on Sun Peaks from Sunburst
chairlift slope**

LODGE REPORT

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P Friedlander

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DRESS STANDARDS AT LODGES

Members are reminded that guests in the dining and lounge areas of the lodges are required to maintain a reasonable standard of dress. Night wear, bare feet or scruffy footwear are not permitted.

LODGE SECURITY

Members and guests are reminded that they are responsible for the safety of all their valuables, cash, credit cards, equipment and clothing while staying in the lodges. The Lodge Co-operative cannot accept responsibility for loss or damage of such items.

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SOUTHERN ALPS LODGE, CHARLOTTE PASS (02) 6457 5223

At the AGM in May we welcomed Kim Easdale to the Lodge Co-op Board of Directors. **Kim Easdale** has many years of service to the Club and Juniors as well as to Club racing and we look forward to her input and expertise. Rod Peile and Alastair Sloan were re-elected.

Joan Gardner retired after 56 years as a Director at the May AGM. Her contribution to the Lodge, let alone to the Club and Juniors is legendary and we are lucky that she is able to still come to Board meetings to contribute her knowledge and expertise.

Beverly Endicott, who has been our esteemed Lodge Secretary for 44 years, has indicated retirement is not far away and will hand over to our assistant secretary, Christine Marriott, after hip surgery. We wish Beverly a speedy recovery.

We are still awaiting the valuation of Charlotte Pass by the Government and have not been able to see an unredacted copy of the Head Lease.

Much work has been completed to the Charlotte Pass Lodge for fire upgrading as well as to the lounge and dining

areas and all members are encouraged to make a booking at the Charlotte Pass Lodge. Work has also been done in the Kahane dining room.

Our Finance Committee is reviewing our financial systems and I thank **David Duke** for offering his services as our Financial Controller and **Yvonne Rowling** for taking over the Kahane treasurer's role. **David Collett** continues as the Thredbo treasurer and has also done a huge amount of work sorting out the financial matters arising out of the passing of Peter Collett. The Lodge Co-Operative is in a sound financial position and the Board is continuing the traditional approach to financial management carried on from Peter Collett and past and present Directors.

I am very honoured to have such a great team of Lodge Managers, Directors, Booking Officers, Treasurers, Secretary and others who all work selflessly to carry on the Lodge Co-Operative operations.

Looking forward to a wonderful ski season.

Phillip Friedlander,
- Chairman of Directors



*The Lodge at Charlotte Pass,
ready for the season*