Looking forward to another season



The Kawartha Nordic Ski Club executive is gearing up for another great season of classic and skate skiing.

Don't forget to renew your membership before December 1 to save \$5.00.

Every membership will include a **complimentary day pass** to give to someone who would like to try our trails. Thank you for spreading the word about KNSC.

Welcome to all skiers – we look forward to sharing our club and our trail system with you.

Please sign-in when you Ski

Signing-in is important for insurance purposes.

In addition, we are gathering and analyzing this information to better improve our services and our club for all skiers. Thank you!

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Building a Ski Community

The KNSC Executive is working on several initiatives to build the Nordic Ski Community in the Kawarthas.

- ► KNSC is considering the idea of having a bus service on certain dates, with pickup at a downtown location and at Trent. At a minimal cost to each participant, this would allow people without cars to access our trails. In addition, those who don't wish to drive could take advantage of this service.
- ▶ Welcoming students to our club, including a lower student membership price, an opportunity for high school students to earn community service hours, and new skate ski trails for local ski teams.
- ► Continuing to offer club events like a weekly 5km time trial. Watch your fitness improve from week to week! Details on dates and times to follow

Have an idea? Want to help? Call our infoline or email knscwebmaster@cogeco.ca

INFOLINE (705) 749-5605

Ski Swap

The executive has decided to discontinue the club run ski swap this season and to redirect members to many of the existing local services where equipment can be bought, sold or exchanged.

The Canadian Ski Patrol Kawartha Zone is holding it's annual ski sale and swap at the Pickering Recreation complex on November 7, 8 and 9. Check out their website for more details.

http://www.zvaios.com/skipatrol/skiswap2004.htm

Play It Again Sports is a retail store where you can buy and sell used equipment.

www.peterboroughreuses.com is a local website for exchange of goods and equipment.

Equipment is in the Cossar Cabin for sale throughout the ski season.

KNCS Classic Sweatshirts (traditional logo) available at the Cossar Cabin @ \$30 each

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The Kawartha Nordic Ski Club directors are a group of volunteers dedicated to making KNSC a great place to ski. The directors are elected at the annual general meeting each May. Our directors wear many hats beyond what is described under their name, thanks to them for all of their efforts.

In addition, there is a group of people, beyond the elected directors that attend the monthly meeting of the KNSC executive. These people work behind the scenes to ensure the smooth running of our club.

Please contact one of the directors if you are interested in getting involved, if you have any questions about the club, or if would like to attend an executive meeting.

Want to help out? Have questions about the club?

Call the KNSC President, David Woodfine at 749-0465, call our infoline at 749-5605, or email knscwebmaster@cogeco.ca.

What Our Members Want...

Last March every club member received a card in the mail asking them for input for this year's season. Two distinct themes emerged.

Many members asked for parking lot expansion, given the overcrowding during the Director's Brunch. Rather than expand the lot, we are looking at a possible bus service to alleviate pressure on the lot, as well as alternate parking for special events. We'll keep you posted.

There was also lots of support for the clearing of the wilderness trails up to the Bennett cabin, which is already complete this season, thanks to a group of enthusiastic volunteers.

Finally, many members commented on the great facilities and the warm and friendly nature of the club. Thank you for your feedback.

Looking Good!

KNSC is looking great in a new, colour brochure. Watch for it in local stores and at the club. A very special thanks to John Hart and Lazer Graphics for donated their expertise, their time and the brochures.