## Haven't heard of the new "ning" site yet? Be sure to check it out!

The gsoskiandouting.ning.com site or "ning" for short was created as a means of getting more interaction from GSOC members and more information concerning various kinds of activities, whether these activities are planned by a community sponsor or by anyone who just wants to do something and invite

other members to join in. Examples are to meet at a local establishment for conversation and refreshment, or an outdoor activity such as a bike ride in the park, or tennis on the weekend or a local day trip. Not all GSOC activities need be a long excursion or consume a sum of money from your savings account.



This site gives you an opportunity to share photos, experience, and discussions concerning activities or topics of interest that you can start yourself.

Make the GSOC membership a community experience. But you have to Join Us in the brown area on the right side of the page and you must be a GSOC member to join "ning". Non-members can see most of the site but cannot interact with it. We invite non-members to become a member of the GSOC, and then join the "ning" activities site. You can go directly to <a href="www.gsoskiandouting.ning.com">www.gsoskiandouting.ning.com</a> or from the original site <a href="www.greensboroskiandoutingclub.org">www.greensboroskiandoutingclub.org</a> and hit the link to Photos/Forum on the left or "NING" link on the bottom of page. To participate on the site follow the steps "to add" an Event, Forum, Discussion etc and don't forget to save before moving off the page. It may ask you to submit some extra info, or photo to complete the task in order to save it and to be posted. There is a feature button if you wish to put on the main page. And don't forget to save it. Don't worry you won't mess the web site up and if you make an error you can either edit or delete your info and start over with your correction. We have all done that once or twice at least.

Please send information for the website to <a href="mailto:gsoc08@gmail.com">gsoc08@gmail.com</a>. Any other questions about Ning can go directly to this address or to klambeth@triad.rr.com.



#### DAN RIVER TUBING TRIP SATURDAY AUGUST 2

Spend the day on the refreshing Dan River near Hanging Rock State Park. We will meet in the Wal-Mart parking lot on Battleground Ave. at 8:45 AM. We will depart sharply at 9:00. The cost will be \$9 per tube. We will collect your tube money before we leave. Make checks payable to Danbury General Store.

Directions: Take 220 north to 158 and turn left towards Belews Lake. Follow 158 into Stokesdale where it merges with 65. Follow 65 to 311 which is immediately past the railroad tracks. Turn right & follow 311 thru Walnut Cove until 311 & 89 split. Stay left & follow 89 about 3 miles past Danbury. The Danbury General Store is on the right immediately past the Route 8 bridge over the Dan River. Park at the General Store (593-8780) on to the right.

Consumption of beer around the store is not permitted and is monitored by the local police. The trip will last about 3 hours. We recommend renting one tube for your cooler. You are allowed to bring beer on the river. **Please respect the beauty of the area & do not litter!!!!** We will be taken by truck to the drop off spot where our tubes already have been placed. Please wait for everyone to arrive before going on the river. At the end, only get out of the river on your right side at Danbury General Store because it is illegal to bring alcoholic beverages into the park on the left side. We recommend bringing a picnic lunch, cooler, refreshments, a change of clothes, sun screen & rope to tie the tubes together. There is a place to change & shower at the store. Enjoy yourselves!

We need to have your tube requests by July 23. Call 282-8345 and leave a message or email at frangator@bellsouth.net.

### **Summer Solstice**

Join us June 22, 2008, 2pm – 9:00 PM Come dressed up to a (free) mystical event in the Arboretum

We need volunteers at a GSOC booth from 4-9 PM . Contact Susan Overand to volunteer at sueoverend@triad.rr.com









March 22 2008 - Jan Geismar and her friend Ruth Kavorik were on hand at the Grove Winery in Gibsonville for the debut of the wineries newest wine called Symphony. Jan's original artwork was selected for the label of this wine by vintner Max Lloyd.

#### Who wants to go Deep Sea Fishing? Reserve your spot Now!

Mark your calendar for **October 24 & 25** for the annual GSOC trip to the coast with Capt. Will Cathey. Limited to 8 anglers per day. Cost is **\$140** includes condo accommodations. Non-angling GSOC & guests are invited to stay at the condo and enjoy the Cape.



Thanks to Will, the fishing costs cover gas, bait, ice and Will's diner should be about only \$90 per day. Bring cash for fish cleaning as well. Contact Roger Witt @ rwitt@triad.rr.com or call 644-2748. Send deposit to: 5558 Murphy Rd. Summerfield NC 27358

# **Copper Mountain #6**

Sun. Feb. 8 to Fri. Feb. 13, 2009

• 5 Nights Lodging at Mountain Plaza Condos

> Great in-town Location, 2 Bedroom / 3 Bath Condos Just 50 yards to the American Eagle Lift

- **4-Day Lift Tickets**Special Bee-line access means <u>no</u> lift lines
- Includes 3 Parties with Food and Drinks
- Luxury Coach Transportation to and from the Denver airport. Porterage is included at the condos

Land Only Price - \$565 (optional air from Greensboro or Charlotte) (Price to be published when available)

- Easy Credit Card Charge Plan is now available. With this option we split the cost into 3 or 4 credit charge transactions depending on the air option-Surcharge applies
- Application forms are on the website: www.Greensboroskiandoutingclub.org (click on "Ski Vacations & More")

Mail Application and Payment to: George Nauman Greensboro Ski & Outing Club PO Box 10175 Greensboro, NC 27404

Note: 35 have signed up as of May 14. The air price has not been established yet.

# Aspen, Colorado Ski Trip

Sat. Mar. 14 to Sat. Mar. 21, 2009

• 7 Nights Lodging at the Gant Condos In Downtown Aspen

Great location, Nice Condos Free In-Village Bus Transportation

- 5 of 6 Day Interchangeable Lift Tickets
   4 Ski Mountains including:
   Aspen Mountain Snowmass Mountain
   Buttermilk Aspen Highlands
- Includes 3 Parties with Food and Drinks
- Luxury Coach Transportation to and from the Denver Airport. Porterage is included at the condos

## **Ground Only Price**

1st 20 skiers - \$960 Next 20 skiers - \$980

(Optional Air from Greensboro or Charlotte) (Price to be published when available)

Easy Credit Card Charge plan is now available. With this option we split the cost into 3 or 4 charge transactions depending on the air option

minimal surcharge applies

 Application forms are on the website: www.Greensboroskiandoutingclub.org (click on "Ski Vacations & More")

Mail Application and Payment to: Dave Slinkard 5417 Rambling Rd.

### **GSOC Co-ed Volleyball**

When: Tuesday at 5:30 pm on 6/10 and 6/24
Where: Hal Boyle's Backyard Beach on Belews Lake

347 Lake Point Lane, Belews Creek

- ♦ We will order pizza & ask those who will be eating to contribute about \$5
- Bring your own beverages.... And, yes, alcoholic beverages are permitted. Please use cans if at all possible.
- ♦ This will be an 'At Your Own Risk' event. A waiver will be provided for you to sign
- ♦ An initial commitment of 6-9 males and 6-9 females to play will be required so the event can be held.

If you haven't been to Hal's Backyard Beach, you're in for a treat! It is the ultimate in relaxation.... lounge chairs, hammocks, floats, tiki umbrellas, water, and of course....volleyball in the sand! Wear your play clothes or

bathing suit (the water is always warm) and come ready to have some fun in the sun(set)!

Guest Policy: This is a GSOC event being held at a private venue limited to GSOC members. Guest(s) should be pre-registered with the encouragement to consider membership for future attendance.

In

case of rain on the scheduled Tuesday, the event will take place the next

day (Wednesday) at 5:30pm.

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Please contact Karen Dexter at 508-4856 to reserve your spot.

### 2008-2009 CSC RACE SCHEDULE -Racing, Terrain Park Competition, Development Training, Training Camps

Dec. 06-13, 2008	Steamboat Race Camp	CSC Race Camp
Dec 07, 2008, Sun.	Appalachian Dev. Day	CSC Racer Development
Dec. 12-14, 2008	Sugar Mtn. NC	Sugar Clinic
Dec 20-21, 2008	#1 Appalachia Mtn. Race	Slalom, GS, Terrain Park
Jan 06-08, 2009	Timberline,	Timberline Clinics
Jan 09-11, 2009	#2 Non-NC Race	Slalom and GS
Jan. 13-15, 2009	Timberline,	Timberline Clinics
Jan. 17-24, 2009	Big Sky, Montana	CSC Ski Week
Jan. 20-22, 2009	Timberline,	Timberline Clinics
Jan. 25, 2009, Sun.	Hawksnest Dev. Day	CSC Racer Development
Jan 31 & Feb. 01, 2009	#3 Beech Mtn. NC Race	Slalom, GS, Terrain Park
date TBD (Feb. 02 ?)	Snowshoe, WV	Cupp Run Challenge
Feb 7-8, 2009	#4 Hawksnest, NC Race	Slalom, GS, Terrain Park
Feb. 21-22, 2009	#5 Sugar Mtn. Race Finals	Crescent Race Finals
Feb. 28, 2009	Sugar Mtn., NC	Dick Trundy/Sugar Cup GS
March 06-08, 2009	#6 SilverCreek, Cup Race	Crescent Cup & TP
March 14-21, 2009	Keystone, CO	CSC Ski Week