

September 2015

Fall Events Newsletter

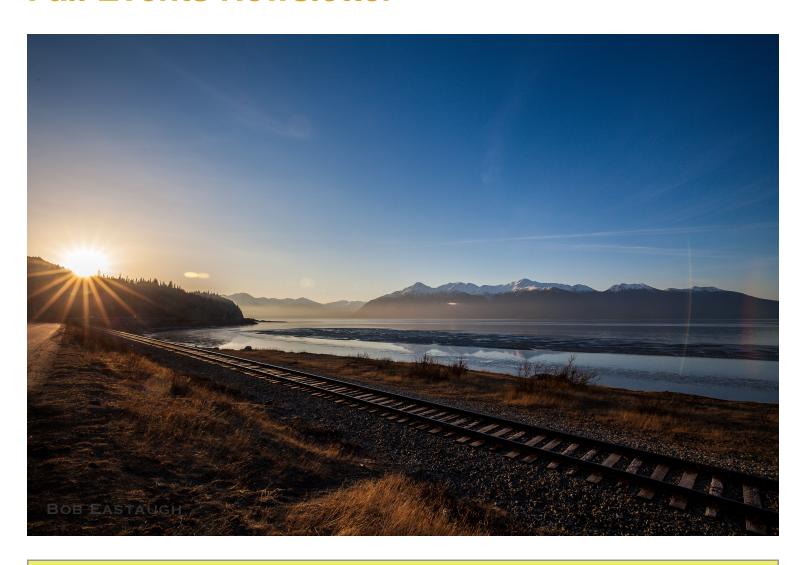


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Welcome to the September edition of Alyeska Ski Club's newsletter. As the fall colors are popping in beautiful sheets of red, orange and gold, termination dust drifts down the mountains and the days dimmer in the fading light, Alyeska Ski club members are beginning to prep for a new ski season! We have lots of fall events to prime your excitement and get everyone ready for another season of winter fun. Here are more details on events and other important ski club news.



ASC's WEBSITE | Coming in October

You'll soon see lots of changes and enhancements to the alyeskaskiclub.com website. It is currently undergoing a facelift and will be launched very soon! Here's a sneak preview...



SKI CLUB PRO | Coming in October

We are very excited to announce the introduction of an on-line registration system for all ASC programs. Ski Club Pro is an affordable all-in-one web-based management application made specifically for snow sports teams to help streamline registrations, manage rosters, process program forms and handle team communication effectively in one place. Look for registration announcements in October via email and posted on the alyeskaskiclub.com website.

NEW PARTICIPANT MIGHTY MITE LOTTERY This season we will institute a lottery process for new AMM participants. The intent of the process is to provide transparency, support family involvement, encourage coaching commitments and ensure we maximize the program capacity. This means that all new participants will be able to register online anytime during the open registration period. After the registration period the system will provide us a priority of new applicants to place into try-outs. Once a participant passes tryouts the parent will be given the opportunity to complete the registration process online. Look for a full explanation of the lottery process at the Membership Social on September 20 and posted to the alyeskaskiclub.com and alyeskamightymites.org websites in October.

FACEBOOK Check-out ASC's new Facebook page http://facebook.com/alyeskaskiclub for the latest in events and fun club announcements. Please like and share with all of your ski club friends!







First Tracks Membership Social

September 20, 2015 | Hilltop Chalet

PLEASE RSVP now if you're planning to attend!

https://www.eventbrite.com/e/first-tracks-membership-social-tickets-10464957971

Fun for the whole family! Come out and join the Alyeska Ski Club and Hilltop Alpine Race Team for games, live music by the Vinyl Floors and catering by Sal's New York Grill at the Hilltop Chalet on Sunday, September 20 from 3 to 7pm.

This is a great opportunity to visit with your ski club friends, meet the coaches and learn about the club's program offerings for the upcoming season! Rain or shine, we'll have lots of fun field games plus a dunk tank, melt down and tug-o-war. There will be a few coaches you'll all want to see get dunked!

Looking forward to seeing everyone at this fun event!

SkiAk's Race Fit Weekend | September 19 - 20







Be sure to visit SkiAk for Race Fit Weekend, September 19-20, 10a - 6p. There will be reps and race department personnel from Volkl, Atomic, Marker, Head, Rossignol, POC, LEKI, **Dynastar and Lange.**















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Fast and Female's 2015 Anchorage Edition is on September 27th at East High School. Fast and Female's goal is to support, motivate, inspire and empower girls to stick to sports and a healthy lifestyle by hosting fun-filled, non-competitive programming led by female Olympians and elite athletes, as well as by delivering educational content to parents and coaches.

The Alyeska Ski Club is teaming up with the UAA Alpine Team to host an interactive booth. Last year our booth was super fun with lots of alpine focused activities and a great group of athletes.

For girls between the ages of 9 and 19, please join us by registering at:

https://www.fastandfemale.com

OCTOBER EVENTS

2015 Winter Gear and Sports Swap

October 23 and 24 2015 | UAA Alaska Airlines Center

The annual UAA Ski Team & Alyeska Ski Club Winter Gear and Ski Swap is just over a month away. This event is a fundraiser and all proceeds benefit the athletes. We are very proud to be hosting the swap again this year at the Alaska Airlines Center located on the UAA Campus.

GEAR DROP OFF | October 23, 5-9 pm & October 24 8:30 - 10:30am SWAP SALE | October 24, noon - 5pm GEAR & CHECK PICK-UP | October 25, 9am - noon

For more details visit the ski swap's website: http://www.akskiswap.com

Gear registration is ONLINE. Follow this link to directly access our

sale: http://www.flashconsign.com/Consignment/Online?ran=25&sleID=453

Get fit properly this fall...to prevent falls like this!

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Powder Hound Race Fit Weekend

Get fit for another exciting year of racing by Alaska's Certified Boot Fitters and reps from Lange, Dynastar, Marker, Tecnica, Blizzard, Nordica, Atomic, Salomon, Descente, Leki and more!

And, as usual we'll be firing up the BBQ on Saturday afternoon for our race crowd!

See you there!

140 Olympic Mtn Loop Girdwood, AK 99587

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RTC Work Party and Junior Program Gear Exchange

October 17, 2015, 10am - 4pm | Race Training Center

Come out and join your ski club friends during our annual Junior Program gear exchange and work party day at the Race Training Center. There will be lots of jobs for the whole family to help get our awesome training center in shape for another ski season!



Warren Miller's Chasing Shadows at the Bear Tooth Theatre Pub November 13 – 15, 2015 | All shows begin at 5:30pm

Purchase tickets in advance online and at the Bear Tooth box office starting October 13 at 10:30am. Visit http://beartooththeatre.net/movies/warren-miller-chasing-shadows/.

SUMMER CAMP PHOTO GALLERY

Photo highlights from the Junior Program's Hood and France Camps this summer...

I was excited about ALL of the athletes skiing. The ability to take the time to focus on fundamental technique was extremely productive. The group size also made for each athlete to have individual focus and lots of video feedback. All of the goals of camp were fully achieved. - Coach Sophie Ostroski













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