

Hello TNSC Members!

The temperature has been up and down, and we had some skiing last week that was quite exciting. The Blue Trail (except for the Super Blue portion) has been packed. There is more snow expected most days this week, so think about hitting the trails!

Upcoming Events

Sat. Dec. 6th - Open House and Ski Swap - The TNSC Annual Ski Swap is upon us. It is scheduled for Saturday, December 6th at the chalet from noon until 3:00 p.m. Anyone who has skis to sell should drop them off at the chalet between 11:00 a.m. and noon. This will allow the organizers to discuss the price with you, add them to the inventory, and set up the sales area. The sale begins at noon.

**Also, it is the TNSC Open House, so come join us for a visit. There will be free coffee, tea, hot chocolate and muffins in our warm, inviting chalet. And bring your skis – it is ski time! As well, membership tags will be available for pickup at the chalet.

TD Canada Trust Friends of the Environment Donation

On Saturday, December 6 at 2:00 p.m. TD Canada Trust Friends of the Environment will be formally thanked for the donation they made to TNSC. Their donation enabled our club to create signage for the Children's Ski Playground. There is now a 4 foot by 4 foot colour map of the playground by the Bunny Hill, so that skiers can familiarize themselves with the various loops and trails in the playground area. There are also 8 signs (4 feet by 2 feet) containing descriptions of the trees that are found in the area. And last, but not least, there are 4 new trail signs within the playground to mark new and previously made trails. Please come out and show your appreciation to this organization for their donation. Also, a huge thank you goes to graphic designer Dean Dubois who provided the artistic elements for the signs. We hope you check them out when you are skiing in the playground area!

The CONTEST for a TNSC Tagline continues ...

We still need more taglines from which to choose! Keep thinking about a phrase that is less than 5 or 6 words that will grab the attention of a skier and the public, as well as define our club. It might be about the health benefits of skiing and feelings of well-being that one experiences when skiing. Perhaps it will convey the excitement of skiing, the benefits of being outdoors, etc. Sit around the kitchen table, brainstorm those ideas and have some fun! Send them to lynnngibson12@hotmail.com and use "Tagline" in the subject heading. If your tagline is chosen, you will receive two free day passes and two free ski rentals so that you can introduce your friends to this great club.

Membership Drive

TNSC wants to bring this great sport to the whole community and make it part of our community's winter lifestyle. Present members are encouraged to tell their friends, acquaintances, coworkers and extended family about the fantastic cross country ski trails and facilities that are available in their own backyard at TNSC. All new members will receive a club orientation session, 2 free ski lessons and 4 free ski rentals. Any present club member who recruits a new member (cannot have been a member in the past) will receive a 10% reduction on their membership fee. Please contact Joanne Beeson at 705-679-8614 if you have questions or would like more information.

Christmas Gifts

Still looking for a Christmas gift for that hard-to-buy friend or family member? Do you have someone in your family or social circle that enjoys the outdoors and would like to ski? Consider buying them a TNSC club membership. It is a great gift that would be appreciated every day they ski. Consider this option when you are planning your gift selections! Again, contact Joanne Beeson at 705-679-8614.

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