

Oh well, the Season 2015 -2016 is nearly over. I say nearly because it is more than likely that a few weeks skiing is still to be had at Glencoe and probably Cairngorm. The first week of April has been quite cool with snow forecast for the Scottish mountains. So, don't swap the skis for the golf clubs just yet.

## **Continental..**

The club has returned from the annual holiday to (this time) Morzine. The weather could have been better but on the plus side the skiing was very good, conditions really good with a lots of new snow. Some members had not been to the Portes du Soleil before but hopefully left with a good impression of the area, weather notwithstanding. One or two members did have the odd incident on the slopes and we wish them well with their recovery. The club hopes to see them soon back skiing with us in the future.

We will have to revise our skiing policy, which was sent to members before the holiday, in light of events in Morzine. This revision will be sent to members when fully discussed and finalised by the committee.

## **Continental Holiday 2017.**

The club holiday to Galtur/Ischgl is filling up very fast with (at this time of publishing) ONLY four places left!! Please do not hesitate to contact Burnside Travel if you wish to join us next winter in Austria. If you need any further information please contact John Douglas asap.

## **Scottish Skiing.**

### **GLENCOE**

The new Poma tow has been well received and helping to 'spread the load' over the hill.

A 'new' two person chair is being built from the top of the access chair to just above the top station of the new Poma tow. This will be ready for season 2017 - 2018

This summer sees a new garage built for the two Winch Cat piste bashers.

At this stage of the season the club will be mainly concentrating on our Ski Practice nights at SnowFactor.

The next ski night is Tuesday 26th April.

The club will be continuing our season long practice skiing nights at the indoor 'snowdome'.

The evenings regularly start with a meal in China Buffet King at 7.00pm until (about) 8.30pm. We ski from 9.00pm - 10.00pm and usually finish the evening off with apres ski drink in the bar. It would be great to get as many members along as possible to make these evenings successful - even if you only come for the skiing! At ONLY £13 for the hour's (subsidised) skiing it is a real bargain! Make sure YOU don't miss out on this great offer from the Club. For further information please contact Roy Craig on 0141 883 6665. (Please note - helmets must be worn - supplied by SnowFactor as part of the deal).

## **GLASGOW SKI CLUB AGM**

The Club's AGM will be held in June. Full details will be sent to every member with an invitation to attend. I would like to think that every member would make an effort to come along to this meeting. Thanking you in advance, Roy Craig, President.

## **SOCIAL**

A very successful Monthly Meal out was had by several members to Khublai Khan Mongolian BBQ just before the holiday. Thanks to David Brand for organising this night. We felt sorry for one unfortunate chap whose birthday was the same day. He was dressed up like Ghengis Khan and sat on a big wooden throne at the table. He was certainly noticeable!!



### **Wine Tasting**

Well, what can one say about the wine tasting events?

They are challenging, enjoyable, thought provoking, enjoyable, VERY social, enjoyable. Come along and test your knowledge of wines to win the accolade of Wine Connoisseur of 2016!!

This very popular (as always!) night

will be held in the Tabony Residence, 23 Pendicle Road, Bearsden on Saturday 18th. June 2016. Further news next SkiNews.

## **THE SKI CLUB MEMBERS REUNION.**



This reunion is being held in the Glynhill Hotel on Saturday 14th May from 7.30pm onwards. Tickets are still available for this event which will be along the lines of the previous reunion nights. Please contact Nigel Brown for any further information.

**REMEMBER -**

The Club meets every Thursday night in the Bon Accord, North Street, Glasgow from about 9.00pm onwards for a chat and a refreshment. This when we start to plan our Sunday Ski Trips to (probably) Glencoe as well as where we may be going on our Sunday walking trips (weather permitting).

Come along one and all - it'll be great to see you!

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