

UAC Newsletter

July 2006

Board Report

That Andrew Brookes is heading to London for a couple of years leaving a vacancy on the Board, we wish him well, and thank him for his contributions to the Board and the Building Committee. We are currently considering a few candidates for the vacancy on the Board.

NPWS have released 520 beds in the resort area, and offered long-term lease extensions, however the offer process and lease conditions were very unfavourable, resulting in a general lack of interest.

New blankets were delivered to the lodge in recent weeks so we can all sleep that much warmer.

Web page development continues with more to report after the season.

Photo Gallery



Whilst the snow has not been the best a recent group at the lodge alias Fetchets, Peter Kennedy, Peter Crosby, Nelson's & Lembke's were able to celebrate Jackie Fetchet's 16th birthday. An East German exchange student was also at the lodge to sample Australian skiing & hospitality.

A request for a few more snow dances and sacrifices to the snow gods would certainly be in order.

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Resort Update

Lack of snow is certainly foremost in peoples minds, here we are in early August & snow depths are less than half of previous years. Snow making has been of great benefit though the cost compared to tickets sales must be interesting conversation within management.

Village development, whilst frustrated & stalled may times over the years, is apparently moving forward though no-one is suggesting a date for final DA approval.

The Pub-to-Pub is on again on the 7th September, if you are interested in participating check the lodge vacancies below.

If looking for ski leassons this year suggest you request Shane Fritchley at Perisher Blue Snow School - note no longer ski school as they need to include the boarders. Shane is a UAC member & trying to get as much work as possible to support an extended European vacation.

Japan skiing is certainly all the news if one is to take notice of the advertising in the local mountain newspapers. If you have already skied Japan or other OS resorts recently drop the Ed .some info to assist other club members - I'm particularly interested in Kicking Horse.

General Business

Lodge vacancies as at end of July are:

28/9 - 2/9 One room

6 -22/9 Four rooms

23 - 29/9 Eight rooms

30/9 - 6/10 Five rooms

7 - 13/10 Five rooms

Completely vacant after that .

Until end of August.

The Ed.

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Bonus Season Specials— Prices valid from 10 Sept to 8 October 2006.

This special can be pre-purchased with an all inclusive lift/lesson and accommodation package. Call 1300 655 811 or your preferred booking agent to purchase. Prices will also be available directly from ticket outlets during bonus season.

3 Day Consecutive Mountain Pass	220	119	274	146	
5 Day Consecutive Mountain Pass	334	194	407	230	
3 Day Consecutive Mountain Pass with All Standards Lessons		295	194	349	221
5 Day Consecutive Mountain Pass with All Standards Lessons		422	282	496	319

Packages for the New Skier & Boarder (Levels 1 and 2 only)

183	3 Day Consecutive First Timer Lessons with All Mountain Pass	243	156	297
275	5 Day Consecutive First Timer with All Mountain Pass (Levels 1&2 only)	374	239	447

Whats Free?

Ski Sunday Afternoon for FREE!

If you purchase any 5 Day Monday to Friday pass mountain access is now available and valid from 1pm on Sunday. Valid for all Adult's and Children's programs (excluding creche). Lessons (other than First Timer Passes) not included.

Free 6th Lesson On Sunday or Monday afternoon when you purchase a 5 Day First Timer All Mountain Pass **Skitube** Between Perisher Valley and Blue Cow is included with ANY valid Mountain Pass.

Children 5 & Under Are FREE of Charge

on Mountain Pass and Skitube ONLY. Id Required.

Value Stuff!

Spring Super Value:

Take advantage of these SUPER prices from 10 September, but only when pre-booked.

See above for details.

Bonus Season:

Available for sale across the counter from 10 September.

Just to Note:

First Timer Lessons Are only for those who've **never** skied or boarded before & must be taken at either Smiggins OR Blue Cow for the duration of the pass.

First Timer passes include level 1 & 2 lessons ONLY. **NOT** ALL STANDARD LESSONS.

Mountain and Lesson Passes Are for skiing or boarding & include a 2 hour lesson each day.

Child 2 Hour Lesson Packages Are for 6 to 14yrs only.

Skitube Luggage In order to maximise passenger comfort and safety luggage restrictions will apply to Skitube during peak periods for the 2006 season.