



May 2014 Newsletter



Janet's Wee Blether

I do hope some of you were able to sample the plentiful snow conditions at Glenshee! I was up several times before my annual holiday - to get the legs limbered up! It seemed very windy at times and also quite misty - but the snow was great! Five club members enjoyed wall to wall sunshine and excellent snow up the Glen 10th - 13th March - just like last season!!

I was disappointed that only 12 Members turned up for the last Film Night, you missed a good slide show by Adrian of Glenshee and Morzine in France.

I would like to welcome all our new Members to the Club.

Film Nights

The last Film Night of the season took place on 27th March. Adrian Blandy produced a slide show of his seasons skiing in Glenshee and of his holiday to Morzine, France in January.

This proved very popular and the slides were shown several times.

Due to its popularity this will be repeated next season.

BBQ

The President invites you to a Club BBQ on Sunday 15th June. As the Club provides food, wine and juice we require a note of numbers. Please let Roger know asap if you are interested in attending. Due to the vagaries of the weather a final decision will be made on Friday 13th.

If it goes ahead we will meet at 11.00 at the top carpark so that Janet can get help taking the supplies up to the hut.

It is also hoped to connect the wood stove, deal with the front door and have a general tidy up.

End of Season Meal

The meal had the best turnout for a number of years with 21 people attending. As usual Chef Michael produced fine food with those attending for the first time saying what good value it was for the money - and that was before the contribution from the Club towards the cost.



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Allan Christie Day Lodge February 2014

Masters Ski Races 2014

Every year at the AGM the Club presents a cheque to Ian Steven our Honorary Vice President for the Masters Ski Races which are run in Scotland. This year with good snow at Glenshee they went ahead and Ian's report follows.

The Twenty Fourth Scottish Masters was successfully raced on the Glenshee Slalom Course on the weekend 15th/16th March. Dundee Ski Club supports the event with their usual welcome cheque and Aberdeen Ski Club provided course setting personnel. Ed Pirie was Chief of Race and managed to win his own over 60s class in the slalom. Ian Steven, our Honorary Vice President won the over 70s Slalom Mug.

Snow conditions could not have been better but there was a howling gale. All ages are very welcome to a celebratory 25th Masters - the second weekend of March 2015.

Results-Giant	Slalom, Saturday.	Slalom, Sunday.
Over 70 -	David Verden-Anderson,	Ian Steven
Over 60 -	Ian Linklater,	Ed Pirie,
Over 50 -	Mark Hall,	Mark Hall,
Over 40 -	Jeremy Whittet,	Claude Farren,
Over 30 -	Benji Bryden,	Benji Bryden,
First Lady -	Caroline Barron	Rosie Chapman.