

Winterfest 2008 – A Huge Success

Wow! There were 200 attendees at the 9th annual Winterfest! What a great turn out! Thank you all vendors, volunteers and attendees! Many bid on the Silent Auctions and the Live Auctions, and participation was good for the first raffle held at the Winterfest. Some were looking for a ski vacations and others were looking for the bargains. There were great door prizes and food for all.

Nine ski clubs participated in the 2nd annual basket contest. The baskets consisted of PA-VT-NJ (products), Thanksgiving basket, Wine Baskets, Hair Basket, Foiled Weekend basket and painting, Everything Chocolate, Wine Party for 10, Golfing – Life is Good, Mystery basket, Wines - Napa Valley and Winery & Concert. The first prize went to Buck Ridge Ski Club and the second prize went to South Jersey Ski Club for having the highest bids.

This year we had twenty-six vendors attending. Graciously some of the vendors shared their space so they could all attend. We are looking into a new venue for the 10th annual EPSC Winterfest so we can expand and include clubs. Keep an eye out for the notice **10th annual Winterfest Silent/Live Auction** coming to you soon via e-mail.

John Lotz with Buckman's Ski Shops did a fantastic job on the Live Auction and people walked away with trips to - Aspen/Snowmass, Jay Peak, Roundtop, Lake Tahoe, Killington, Hot Air Balloon ride, Heavenly, Whiteface, Sunday River, season passes, skis, and lots more.

The success of the Winterfest and Silent Auction this year made it possible for Council to once again support other ski related organizations in our area. A \$200 donation was made to Wounded Warrior (Veterans with Adaptive Sports), \$525 for Ski Patrol, \$525 ASIA, \$488 Adaptive Sports at the spring meeting at Best Western Inn, Towamencin.

Hope to see you at the 10th Annual EPSC Winterfest!

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